

# UNIT - V

## (FUNCTIONAL DEPENDENCY)

functional dependencies play a key role in differentiating good database designs from ~~worse~~ bad database designs.

A functional dependency is a type of constraints.

Consider a relation Schema R and let  $\alpha \subseteq R$ , and  $\beta \subseteq \alpha$ , then the functional dependency is  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$

Consider the schema.

... .indo = (loan-no, Branch-name,

We can reconstruct the

Lending Schema using

branch - customer X customer - loan

lending

branch - name	branch - name	assets	customer - name	loan - no
Dorchester	Brooklyn	90000	Jones	L-17
Dorchester	Brooklyn	90000	Jones	L-11
Redwood	Palo alto	21000	Smith	L-23
Perryridge	Horseneck	90000	Jackson	L-14
Mianus	Horseneck	80000	Jones	L-11
Mianus	Horseneck	80000	Jones	L-17
Northaven	Rye	37000	Hayes	L-16

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Decomposition Rule :-

If  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$  holds then  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$

holds and  $\alpha \rightarrow \gamma$  holds

Pseudo Transitivity Rule :

If  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$  holds and  $\beta \rightarrow \sigma$

holds then  $\alpha \rightarrow \sigma$  holds

The functional dependency  $A \rightarrow H$  is

logically implied

$$A \rightarrow H$$

$$A \rightarrow B \in A \rightarrow H$$

$A \rightarrow H$  using transitivity rule

Union Rule :

$$A \rightarrow B$$

$$A \rightarrow C$$

$$A \rightarrow BC \text{ holds}$$

and,

$$C \rightarrow H$$

$$C \rightarrow I$$

$C \rightarrow HI$  This is an example of

Union rule

Because a given loan can be <sup>made</sup> ~~used~~ to more than one customers

Pract	Course	Room	Max-Enrollment	Day	Time
Smith	353	A532	40	Mon	11:45
Smith	354	A532	40	Wed	11:45
Clark	355	H940	300	Tue	1:45
Clark	422	H940	300	Tue	2:10
Turner	456	B278	45	Mon	3:15
Turner	457	B278	45	Mon	4:50

Schedule relation.

determinate  
key

$\text{Course} \rightarrow \text{Pract}$   
↓ dependent key

Closure of a set of functional Dependencies:

The set of function dependencies

that is logically implied by called by F

closure of F and it returns  $F^+$

Set of FD  $\rightarrow F$

closure of FD  $\rightarrow F^+$

Additional Rules:

Additional Rules

Suppose we are given a relational schema  $R = (A, B, C, G, H, I)$  and the set of

Functional dependencies

- $A \rightarrow B$
- $A \rightarrow C$
- $CG \rightarrow H$
- $CG \rightarrow I$
- $B \rightarrow H$  ①

Armstrong's Axioms :-

Reflexivity Rule :

If  $\alpha$  is Set of attributes &  $B \subseteq \alpha$  then  $\alpha \rightarrow B$  holds.

Augmentation Rule :-

If  $\alpha \rightarrow B$  holds and  $\gamma$  is a set of attributes then  $\gamma \alpha \rightarrow \gamma B$  holds.

Transitivity Rule :-

If  $\alpha \rightarrow B$  holds &  $B \rightarrow \gamma$  holds then  $\alpha \rightarrow \gamma$  holds.

Additional Rules :-

Union Rule :-

If  $\alpha \rightarrow B$  holds and  $\alpha \rightarrow C$  holds then  $\alpha \rightarrow BC$  holds.

2) Consider the following query find all bank branches that have made a loan in an amount  $\leq 1000$ .

The result of this query using the lending relation is

Mianus.

The result of the same query using the relation branch, customer & customer\_loan

branch-name, Downtown

Mianus

Boyce - Codd Normal form (BCNF) :

Every determinant is act as a

candidate key. It is stronger version of 3NF.

Fourth Normal form (4NF) :

No multivalued dependency.

Fifth Normal form (5NF) :

No join dependency. (divide to multiple)

Example :

First, Second & Third Normal forms :- ) ③

Alpha Book house

Pune - 4130001.

Customer name :- Beta School of Computer Science

customer NO :- 1052

Address :- Sivaji Nagar, Pune - 01.

ISBN	Book Title	Author's name	Author's country	Qty	Unit Price (RS)	Amount (RS)
81-203-5	DOS	P.K. Sinha	India	5	250	1250
0-112-6	DBMS	KORTH	U.S.A	6	300	1800
1-213-9	Simulation	Jordan	U.S.A	5	100	500
Grand Total						3550

1) Invoice (cust\_no, cust\_name, cust\_add,

(ISBN, Title, Author\_name, Author\_country, Qty,

(Unit Price, Price))

The decomposition of lending relation given below is lossless decomposition.

Branch-Schema = (Branch-name, Branch-city, Assets)

Loan-Info-Schema = (Branch-name, customer-name, loan-amount)

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Multivalued dependencies:

consider an unnormalized relation

that contains information about vehicles, dealers, and models.

Each tuple contains

vehicle name, dealer's name and model name.

vehicle	Dealer	model
MauTi Car	competent Aganil	MauTi Scooter
	Link motor	Baleno
Scooter	ABC	Bajaj
		RML



Decomposition :-  $\therefore$   $\text{data}$   $\text{redundancy}$

$\therefore$  we can avoid update anomalies

decomposition of the original Relation

The relation Schema  $R$  is

decomposed into following relation Schemas

$(R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n)$  in such a way that

$$R_1 \cup R_2 \cup \dots \cup R_n = R.$$

Example :

Consider following Lending Schema

$=$  ( Branch-name, Branch-city, Assets,

customer-name, loan-number, amount)

The Lending Schema is decomposed

into following two relations

Branch-customer-Schema = ( Branch-name,

Branch-city, Assets, customer-name)

customer-loan-Schema = ( customer-name,

loan-number, amount)

The new relations Branch-

customer-Schema and customer-loan-Schema

are constructed using the Lending

Schema as,

Vehicle	Dealer	Model
Maruti car	Competent	Maruti 800
Maruti car	Competent	Baleno
Maruti car	Agani	Maruti 800
Maruti car	Agani	Baleno
Maruti car	Link motor	Maruti 800
Maruti car	Link motor	Baleno
Scooter	ABC	Bajaj
Scooter	ABC	LML

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Vehicle - Dealer      vehicle - model

R.A → → R.B | R.C

R → Relation ; A → vehicle, B → dealer,  
C → Model

vehicle - dealer - model • vehicle →

vehicle - dealer - model - dealer / vehicle - dealer - model • model.

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Normalization : Normalization is an essential part

of database design. A good understanding of the Symmetries of data helps the designer to build efficient design using the concept of normalization

Purpose of Normalization :-

- Minimize redundancy in the data (duplicates)
- Remove insert, delete and update anomalies during database activities

branch - name	branch - city	Assets	customer - name	loan - number	amount
Downtown	Brooklyn	90000	Jones	L-17	1000
Redwood	Palo alto	21000	Smith	L-23	2000
Perryridge	Horseneck	90000	Jackson	L-14	1500
Mianus	Horseneck	80000	Jones	L-11	900
Northdown	Rye	37000	Hayes	L-16	1300

### Branch - customer

branch - name	branch - city	assets	customer - name
Downtown	Brooklyn	90000	Jones
Redwood	Palo alto	21000	Smith
Perryridge	Horseneck	90000	Jackson
Mianus	Horseneck	80000	Jones
Northdown	Rye	37000	Hayes

NF :

2) customer ( cust-no, cust-name, cust-add )

3) customer-Book ( cust-no, ISBN, Title, Author-name, Author-country, Qty, Unit, Price )

Author-name, Author-country, Qty, Unit, Price

2NF :

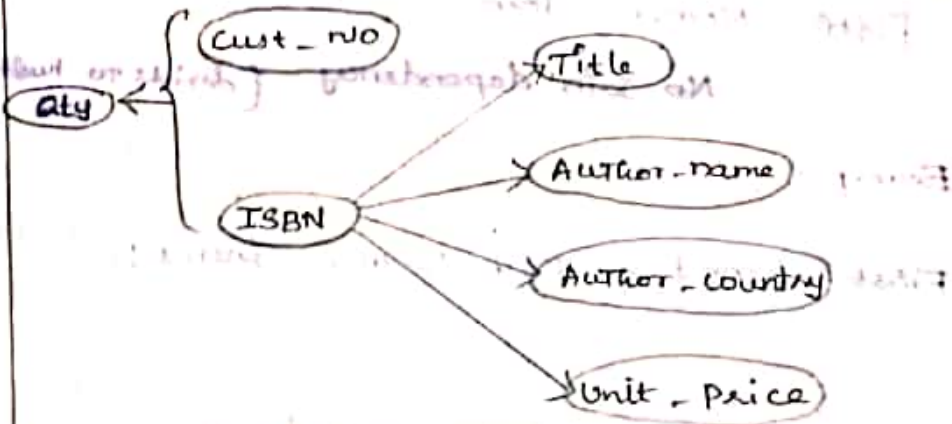


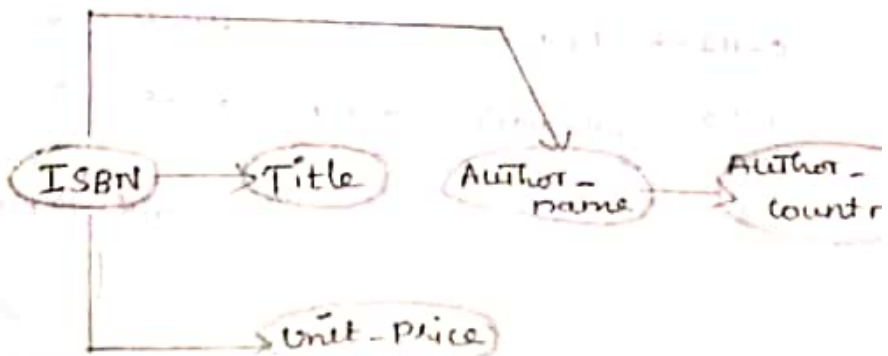
fig:- Dependency diagram of relation-3

4) Sales ( cust-no, ISBN, Qty )

5) Book-Author ( ISBN, Title, Author-name, Author-country, Unit-price )

3NF :-

Dependency diagram Relation-5



6) Book ( ISBN, Title, Unit-price, Author-name )