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1.

Why is it important to have extensive error checking on SQL statements when an application is in production?

○ Tracebacks make your application look bad

○ The developer/production team needs good detail on any errors

○ Users will rarely report errors and never give enough detail

○ Some errors are subtle and only show up very rarely

◉ All of the above

Correct

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2.

What is the purpose of the PDO::errorinfo() data?

○ It allows you to register a callback function to be called in case of an unhandled error

○ It combines the prepare() and execute() phases of PDO into a single call

○ It allows you to choose the style of error handling for your application

◉ It gives extended detail when a PDO function returns an error

Correct

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3.

How is a LEFT JOIN different from a regular JOIN?

○ In a LEFT JOIN rows can come from either the left table or right table as long as the row matches the
   WHERE clause

○ All of the text fields are left aligned in the result set

◉ In a LEFT JOIN rows are included form the left table even if there is no matching row in the right table

Correct

○ You do not need an ON clause for the LEFT JOIN

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4.

What is a common use of GROUP BY in SQL?

◉ When combined with the COUNT function, it provides a way to compute sub\-totals

Correct

○ It is a faster way to sort fields than ORDER BY

○ It is a way to choose which rows from a JOINed table are to be included in a result set

○ It allows a result set to be broken into 20 row chunks for efficiency

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5.

Why do subqueries have the potential to cause a query to execute slowly?

○ Because subqueries must include all of the fields that are selected by the main query

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○ Because subqueries cannot use integer foreign keys

○ Because subqueries don't make use of indexes

○ Because MySQL executes the subquery independently from the main query

Correct