

✔ Milestone 7 | FastKitchen Customers

INTRODUCTION: In this SkillBuilder, you've learned additional ways of joining tables together, with three different types of outer join: the left join, right join, and the full outer join. While an inner join retains only information when there's a match between the joined tables, an outer join will also output information that can only be found in one table.

FastKitchen is a fictitious restaurant and the dataset you'll be working with is constructed. While this dataset might not represent real data, it emulates characteristics of real data. When you're interviewing for a job, you might be asked to look at this kind of data to show off your skills in a context related to the company and the job position!

HOW IT WORKS: Follow the prompts in the questions below to investigate your data. Post your answers in the provided boxes: the **yellow boxes** for the queries you write, and **blue boxes** for text-based answers. When you're done, export your document as a pdf file and submit it on the Milestone page – see instructions for creating a PDF at the end of the Milestone.

RESOURCES: If you need hints on the Milestone or are feeling stuck, there are multiple ways of getting help. Attend Drop-In Hours to work on these problems with your peers, or reach out to the HelpHub if you have questions. Good luck!

PROMPT: In this Milestone, you'll step into the shoes of a data contractor who is helping a new fast-food restaurant understand their customer base. You will need to make use of one type of outer join to help the restaurant manager combine information about their customers. These customers include registered customers who have accounts on the restaurant's website, and guest customers who do not register for accounts.

SQL App: [Here's that link](#) to our specialized SQL app, where you'll write your SQL queries and interact with the data.

– Data Set **Description**

The data in this Milestone (`fastkitchen.*`) depicts orders made at a fictional takeout-only fast food restaurant in the Midwestern United States. The restaurant has an online site where customers can put in orders for carryout or delivery; customers can also make orders offline at the restaurant's storefront. You will be working with two tables in this Milestone: orders and users.

Each row in the orders table is a single order that was placed at the restaurant. This table has seven columns:

- **order_id** - unique order id, primary key
- **timestamp** - when the order was made
- **user_id** - user_id for registered accounts, blank if guest customer
- **order_type** - whether the order was made onsite, online carryout, or online delivery
- **subtotal** - base amount for the order
- **tip** - amount of tip, if any, left by the customer
- **total** - subtotal + tip

Customers have the option of creating a user account, which can be used both in person and online. The users table has five columns:

- **user_id** - unique user_id value, primary key
 - **reg_timestamp** - when the user registered their account
 - **city** - user city
 - **state** - two-letter code for state
 - **zip** - zip code
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– **Task 1:** Explore information about orders.

To start off, let's warm up with some questions on the individual tables, before we ask questions that require joining the two tables together. Let's look at the `orders` table first.

A. What is the average total amount (including tips) spent per order?

```
SELECT
AVG (total) AS
average_amount_spent_including_tips__per_order
FROM fastkitchen.orders
```

The average total amount spent per order (including tips) is \$22.28.

B. Compare the average subtotals, tips, and totals spent by each order type (onsite, carryout, delivery). Are there any major differences between order types?

```
SELECT
order_type,
AVG(subtotal) AS average_base_amount_for_the_order,
AVG(tip) AS average_tip_amount_per_order,
AVG (total) AS
average_amount_spent_including_tips__per_order
FROM fastkitchen.orders
GROUP BY order_type
```

There are not any major differences between the order types. All of the order type's average numbers are very close in value, only cents away from one another.

- C. Write two different queries to count the number of orders made by registered users and the number of orders made by non-registered customers. Remember, non-registered customers don't have a user id. Which group is larger?

```
SELECT
COUNT (user_id) AS number_of_orders_made_by_registered_users
FROM fastkitchen.orders
WHERE user_id IS NOT NULL
```

```
SELECT
COUNT (*) AS number_of_orders_made_by_nonregistered_users
FROM fastkitchen.orders
WHERE user_id IS NULL
```

The number of orders made by unregistered customers is larger than those made by registered ones.

of Unregistered customer orders = 2088

of Registered customer orders = 1932

– Task 2: Explore information about registered users.

Next, we'll check out the `users` table.

- A.** Write a query that counts the number of users by city. Which city has the highest number of users, and how many users are there?

```
SELECT
city,
COUNT(user_id) AS the_number_of_users
FROM fastkitchen.users
GROUP BY city
ORDER BY the_number_of_users DESC
```

The city with the highest number of users is Allen at 212 orders.

- B.** Expand the query so that you group by zip code as well. Does this help explain what you found in part 2A?

```
SELECT
zip,
city,
COUNT(user_id) AS the_number_of_users
FROM fastkitchen.users
GROUP BY city, zip
ORDER BY the_number_of_users DESC
```

This helps explain the previous question's answer since it demonstrates that the city, Allen, is larger than the other two cities because the city has multiple zip codes compared to its

peers which only has one, making sense that the largest amount of orders is from the city 'Allen'.

– Task 3: How do orders compare between zip codes and cities?

Finally, we'll combine the `user` and `orders` tables into a single, joined table.

- A. To start, simply write a query that returns all of the columns, joining the two tables on the `user_id` column. Make sure that you choose a join that keeps all of the orders, even when there isn't a matching registered user.

```
SELECT *  
FROM fastkitchen.orders  
LEFT JOIN fastkitchen.users  
ON orders.user_id = users.user_id
```

The amount of columns that are returned after joining the two tables on the `user_id` column, is 11 and the amount of rows is 4020

- B. Add to the query from 3A to answer the following question: in which zip code is the user with the highest amount of money spent?

```
SELECT users.zip,
```

```
COUNT(orders.total) AS amount_of_money_spent
FROM fastkitchen.orders
LEFT JOIN fastkitchen.users
ON orders.user_id = users.user_id
GROUP BY users.zip
ORDER BY amount_of_money_spent DESC
```

The zip code where the users spent the most is 'null', at \$2088 which means that the zip code information wasn't disclosed or provided. The second highest zip code is 63216 at \$469.

- C. Write a query that returns the average total amount spent per order by zip code. How many of the zip codes spend more on average than non-registered guest customers?

```
SELECT users.zip,
AVG(orders.total) AS average_total_amount
FROM fastkitchen.orders
LEFT JOIN fastkitchen.users
ON orders.user_id = users.user_id
GROUP BY users.zip
HAVING AVG(orders.total) > (
  SELECT AVG(orders.total)
  FROM fastkitchen.orders
  WHERE users.zip IS NULL OR users.zip IS NOT NULL
)
```

3 zip codes spend more on average than non-registered guest customers.

– Submission

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