

Databases Advanced Retake Exam – 11 April 2023

Exam problems for the [Databases Advanced - Entity Framework course @ SoftUni](#).

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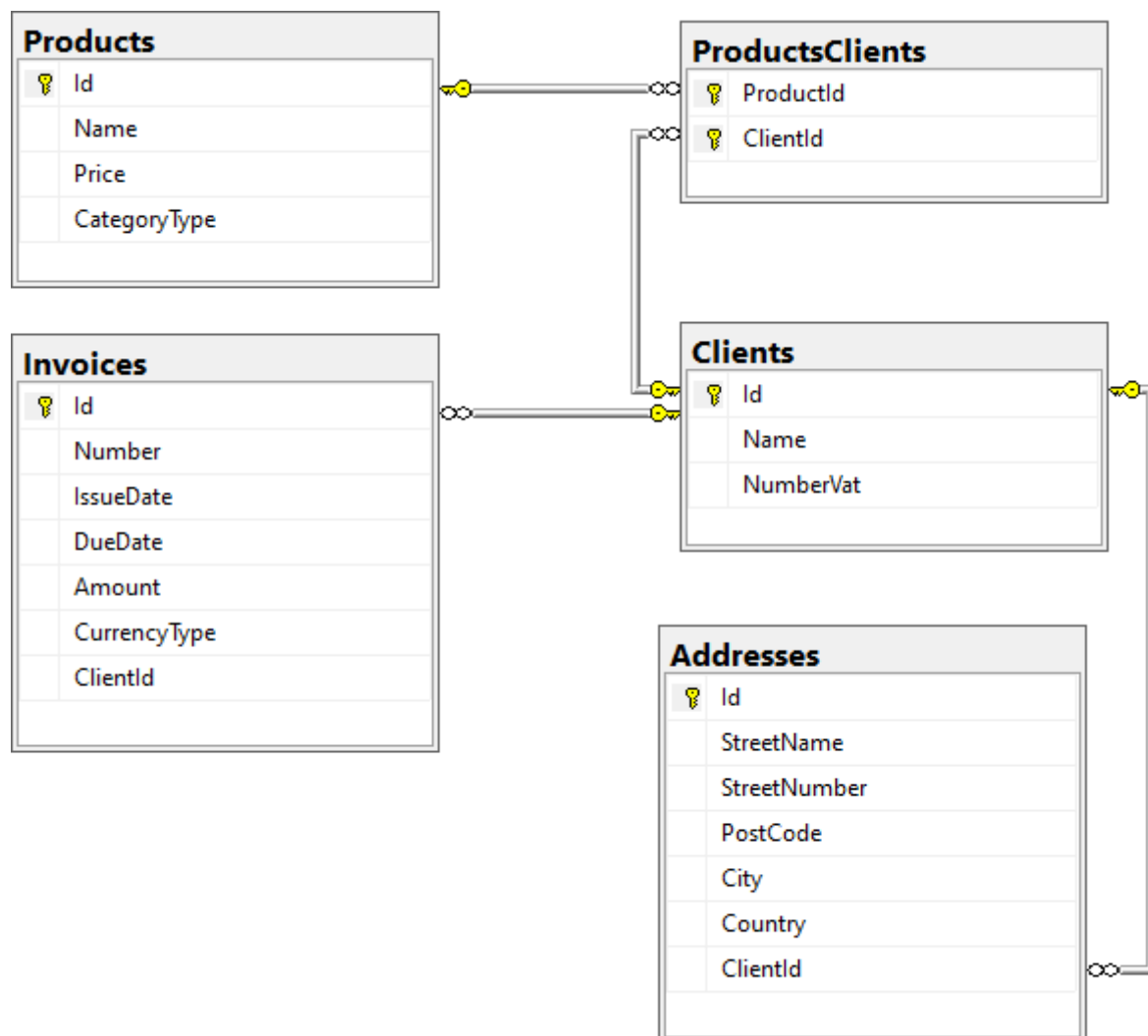
Before submitting your solutions in the **SoftUni Judge** system, delete all **bin/obj** and **packages** folders. If the **zip** file is still too large, you can delete the **ImportResults**, **ExportsResults** and **Datasets** folders too.

Your task is to create a **database application**, using **Entity Framework Core**, using the **Code First** approach. Design the **domain models** and **methods** for manipulating the data, as described below.

NOTE: Don't forget that it's a good practice when implementing a **collection** to write your code oriented towards the **interface**, not the implementation.

NOTE: If you want to use AutoMapper, don't forget to go to the **methods** of the **Deserializer** and/or **Serializer** classes, in which you want to use automapping, and initialize the **MapperConfiguration**.

Invoices



1. Project Skeleton Overview

You are given a **project skeleton**, which includes the following folders:

- **Data** – contains the **InvoicesContext** class, **Models** folder which contains the **entity classes**, and the **Configuration** class with **the connection string**
- **DataProcessor** – contains the **Deserializer** and **Serializer** classes, which are used for **importing** and **exporting** data
- **Datasets** – contains the **.json** and **.xml** files for the import part
- **ImportResults** – contains the **import** results you make in the **Deserializer** class
- **ExportResults** – contains the **export** results you make in the **Serializer** class

2. Model Definition (50 pts)

The application needs to store the following data:

Product

- **Id** – integer, **Primary Key**
- **Name** – text with length [9...30] (**required**)
- **Price** – decimal in range [5.00...1000.00] (**required**)
- **CategoryType** – enumeration of type **CategoryType**, with possible values (**ADR, Filters, Lights, Others, Tyres**) (**required**)
- **ProductsClients** – collection of type **ProductClient**

Address

- **Id** – integer, **Primary Key**
- **StreetName** – text with length [10...20] (**required**)
- **StreetNumber** – integer (**required**)
- **PostCode** – text (**required**)
- **City** – text with length [5...15] (**required**)
- **Country** – text with length [5...15] (**required**)
- **ClientId** – integer, foreign key (**required**)
- **Client** – Client

Invoice

- **Id** – integer, **Primary Key**
- **Number** – integer in range [1,000,000,000...1,500,000,000] (**required**)
- **IssueDate** – DateTime (**required**)
- **DueDate** – DateTime (**required**)
- **Amount** – decimal (**required**)
- **CurrencyType** – enumeration of type **CurrencyType**, with possible values (**BGN, EUR, USD**) (**required**)
- **ClientId** – integer, foreign key (**required**)
- **Client** – Client

Client

- **Id** – integer, **Primary Key**
- **Name** – text with length [10...25] (**required**)

- **NumberVat** – text with length [10...15] (required)
- **Invoices** – collection of type **Invoice**
- **Addresses** – collection of type **Address**
- **ProductsClients** – collection of type **ProductClient**

ProductClient

- **ProductId** – integer, Primary Key, foreign key (required)
- **Product** – Product
- **ClientId** – integer, Primary Key, foreign key (required)
- **Client** – Client

3. Data Import (25pts)

For the functionality of the application, you need to create several methods that manipulate the database. The **project skeleton** already provides you with these methods, inside the **Deserializer class**.

NOTE: Usage of **Data Transfer Objects** and **AutoMapper** is **optional**.

Use the provided **JSON** and **XML** files to populate the database with data. Import all the information from those files into the database.

You are **not allowed** to modify the provided **JSON** and **XML** files.

If a record does not meet the requirements from the first section, print an error message:

Error message
Invalid data!

XML Import

Import Clients

Using the file "**clients.xml**", import the data from the file into the database. Print information about each imported object in the format described below.

Constraints

- If there are **any validation errors** for the **client** entity (such as **invalid name or vat number**), **do not** import any part of the entity and **append an error message** to the **method output**.
- If there are **any validation errors** for the **address** entity (such as **invalid or null or empty street name, invalid street number, invalid or missing post code, city or country**), **do not import it (only the address itself, not the whole client info)** and **append an error message** to the **method output**.

Success message
Successfully imported {clientName}.

Example

clients.xml
<pre><?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?> <Clients> <Client> <Name>LiCB</Name></pre>

```

<NumberVat>BG5464156654654654</NumberVat>
<Addresses>
  <Address>
    <StreetName>Gnigler strasse</StreetName>
    <StreetNumber>57</StreetNumber>
    <PostCode>5020</PostCode>
    <City>Salzburg</City>
    <Country>Austria</Country>
  </Address>
</Addresses>
</Client>
</Clients>

```

Output

```

Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Successfully imported client SPEDOX,SRO.
...

```

Upon **correct import logic**, you should have imported **29 clients**.

JSON Import

Import Invoices

Using the file "**invoices.json**", import the data from the file into the database. Print information about each imported object in the format described below.

Constraints

- If there are any validation errors (such as invalid **issue or due date**, **due date is before issue date**, **invalid amount**, **currency type or client**), **do not import any part of the entity** and **append an error message to the method output**.

NOTE: Do not forget to use **CultureInfo.InvariantCulture**.

Success message

Successfully imported invoice with number {invoiceNumber}.

Example

invoices.json

```

[
  {
    "Number": 1427940691,
    "IssueDate": "2022-08-29T00:00:00",
    "DueDate": "2022-10-28T00:00:00",
    "Amount": 913.13,
    "CurrencyType": 1,
    "ClientId": 1
  },
  {
    "Number": 142796902,
    "IssueDate": "2022-08-31T00:00:00",

```

```

    "DueDate": "2022-10-30T00:00:00",
    "Amount": 891.76,
    "CurrencyType": 2,
    "ClientId": 2
  },
  {
    "Number": 1427940690,
    "IssueDate": "2022-09-05T00:00:00",
    "DueDate": "2022-11-04T00:00:00",
    "Amount": 704.48,
    "CurrencyType": 3,
    "ClientId": 3
  },
  ...
]

```

Output

```

Successfully imported invoice with number 1427940691.
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Invalid data!

```

Upon **correct import logic**, you should have imported **55 invoices**.

Import Products

Using the file "**products.json**", import the data from the file into the database. Print information about each imported object in the format described below.

Constraints

- If there are any validation errors (such as invalid product name, invalid price or category type), **do not import any part of the entity** and **append an error message to the method output**.
- Take only unique clients.
- If a **client** does **not exist** in the database, **append an error message to the method output** and **continue** with the next **client**.

Success message

Successfully imported product - {productName} with {clientsCount} clients.

Example

products.json

```

[
  {
    "Name": "ADR plate",
    "Price": 14.97,
    "CategoryType": 1,
    "Clients": [
      1,
      105,
      1,
      5,
      15
    ]
  },
  {
    "Name": "ADR light",

```

```

    "Price": 21.25,
    "CategoryType": 1,
    "Clients": [
      1,
      85,
      81,
      80,
      5,
      9
    ],
  },
]
]

```

Output

```

Invalid data!
Successfully imported product - ADR plate with 3 clients.
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Invalid data!
Successfully imported product - ADR light with 3 clients.

```

Upon **correct import logic**, you should have imported **91 products** with **137 clients**.

4. Data Export (25 pts)

Use the provided methods in the **Serializer** class. Usage of **Data Transfer Objects** and **Automapper** is **optional**.

JSON Export

Export Products With Most Clients

Select the **top 5 products** that have been **sold to at least one client**, where the **client's name is at least as long as the given number**. Select them with their **clients** who meet the **same criteria** (the client's name is at least as long as the given number). For each **product**, export their **name**, **price**, **category type** and their **clients**. For each **client**, export their **name** and **vat number**. Order the **clients** by **name (ascending)**. Order the **products** by **all clients** (meeting above condition) **count (descending)**, then by **name (ascending)**.

NOTE: You **may** need to call **.ToArray()** function **before the selection** in order to **detach entities from the database** and **avoid runtime errors (EF Core bug)**.

Example

Serializer.ExportProductsWithMostClients(context, nameLength)

```

[
  {
    "Name": "MAHLE KX400KIT",
    "Price": 26.13,
    "Category": "Tyres",
    "Clients": [
      {
        "Name": "BTS GMBH CO KG",
        "NumberVat": "DE814592224"
      },
      {
        "Name": "DPS EUROPE AB",
        "NumberVat": "SE556488676901"
      }
    ]
  }
]

```

```

    },
    {
        "Name": "FREIGHTS PC",
        "NumberVat": "EL801106064"
    },
    {
        "Name": "KAMEEN LOGISTIC KG",
        "NumberVat": "ATU75339778"
    },
    ...
},
...
]

```

XML Export

Export Clients with Their Invoices

Export all **clients** that have at least one issued **invoices**, issued after the given date. For each **client**, export their **name**, **vat number** and **invoices count**. For each **invoice**, export its **number**, **amount**, **currency** and **due date**. Order the **invoices** by **issue date (ascending)**, then by **due date (descending)**. Order the **clients** by **invoices count (descending)**, then by **name (ascending)**.

NOTE: You **may** need to call **.ToArray()** function **before the selection**, in order to **detach entities from the database** and **avoid runtime errors (EF Core bug)**.

NOTE: Do not forget to use **CultureInfo.InvariantCulture**. Use formatting ("**d**").

Example

Serializer.ExportClientsWithTheirInvoices(context, date)

```

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-16"?>
<Clients>
  <Client InvoicesCount="9">
    <ClientName>SPEDOX, SRO</ClientName>
    <VatNumber>SK2023911087</VatNumber>
    <Invoices>
      <Invoice>
        <InvoiceNumber>1063259096</InvoiceNumber>
        <InvoiceAmount>167.22</InvoiceAmount>
        <DueDate>02/19/2023</DueDate>
        <Currency>EUR</Currency>
      </Invoice>
      <Invoice>
        <InvoiceNumber>1427940691</InvoiceNumber>
        <InvoiceAmount>913.13</InvoiceAmount>
        <DueDate>10/28/2022</DueDate>
        <Currency>EUR</Currency>
      </Invoice>
      ...
    </Invoices>
  </Client>
  ...
</Clients>

```