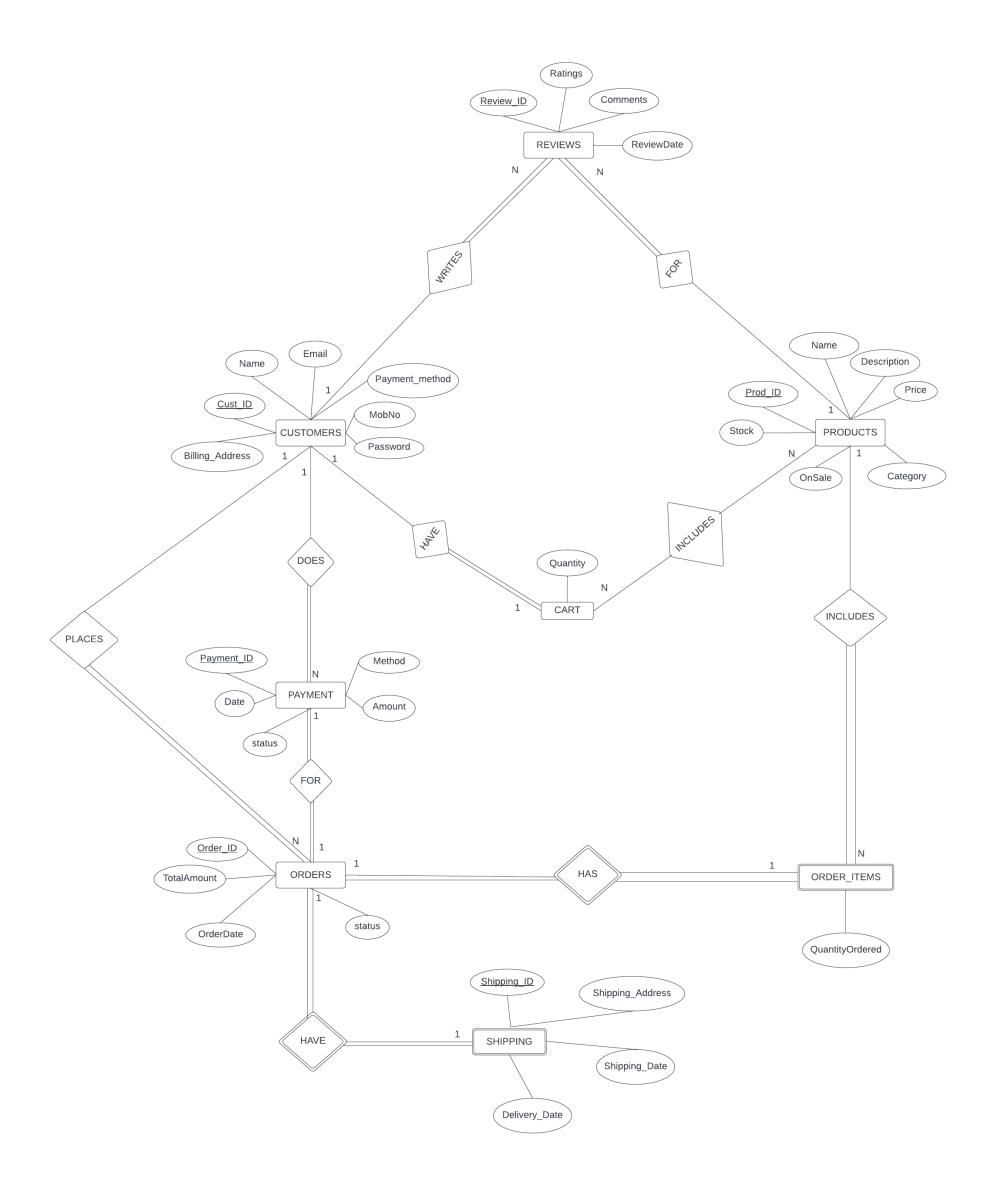
E-commerce Project

Below illustrated is the Entity-Relationship Diagram for an Ecommerce application where a user can browse for products, select products, add them to cart, make payment and several other functionalities that will be illustrated through the ER Diagram and the attached SQL Queries.

The diagram is drawn using LucidChart and follows the basic convention of E-R Diagrams followed in the course content.

ER DIAGRAM



Here we describe the various entities, their corresponding attributes and the entity type.

ENTITY	ATTRIBUTE
CUSTOMERS	Name Email Payment_method phone Password Billing_Address Cust_ID (PK)
REVIEWS	ReviewID (PK) Ratings Comments ReviewDate
PRODUCTS	Product_ID (PK) ProdName Description Price Category OnSale Stock
CART	Quantity
PAYMENT	Payment_ID (PK) Date Status Method Amount
ORDERS	Order_ID (PK) TotalAmt OrderDate status
ORDER_ITEMS	Quantiy_Ordered
SHIPPING	Shipping_ID (PK) Shipping_Address Shipping_Date Delivery_Date

The E-R Diagram also illustrates the following relations:

- 1. WRITES: **Customers** can write **Reviews**. One customer can write multiple reviews but one review cannot be written by multiple customers (CARDINALITY: 1:N). All reviews must be written by some customers but not all customers will write reviews (CUSTOMERS: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION AND REVIEWS: TOTAL PARTICIPATION)
- 2. FOR: **Reviews** are made for the **Products**. One product can have multiple reviews but one review cannot be associated with multiple products (CARDINALITY 1:N). All reviews must be written for some products but not all products will have reviews (PRODUCTS: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION AND REVIEWS: TOTAL PARTICIPATION)
- 3. INCLUDES: **Cart** includes **Products**. One product can be part of multiple carts and one cart can have multiple products (CARDINALITY N:N). All products need not be part of a cart and all carts need not contain products (It is possible to have an empty cart). (CART: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION AND PRODUCTS: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION)
- 4. HAVE: **Customers** have a **Cart**. One customer will have only one cart and one cart will be uniquely associated with only one customer (CARDINALITY 1:1). All customers need not have a cart but all carts must be associated with some customer. (
 CUSTOMER: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION AND CART: TOTAL PARTICIPATION)
- 5. DOES: **Customer** does **Payment**. One customer can make multiple payments but one payment cannot be made by multiple customers. (CARDINALITY 1:N). Further every payment will be made by a customer but every customer need not make a payment (CUSTOMER: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION AND PAYMENT: TOTAL PARTICIPATION)
- 6. PLACES: **Customer** places **Orders**. One customer can make multiple orders but one order cannot be associated with multiple customers (CARDINALITY 1:N). All customers need not place an order but all orders must be associated with a customer. (CUSTOMER: PARTICIPATION AND ORDERS: TOTAL PARTICIPATION)
- 7. HAS: **Orders** has **Order_items** is a weak relationship. Not every order_item will be associated with an order and vice versa.
- 8. INCLUDES: **Order_Items** includes **Products**. One product can be part of multiple order items but one order item cannot be associated with multiple products. Further, every product need not be part of an order_item but every order_item must be associated with some products. (ORDER_ITEMS: TOTAL PARTICIPATION AND PRODUCTS: PARTIAL PARTICIPATION)
- 9. HAVE: **Orders** have **Shipping**. One order is associated with one shipping and one shipping is associated with a single order. All shipping must be associated with an order and all orders must be associated with a shipping. This is a weak relationship.
- 10. FOR: **Payment** is made for **Orders**. 1 payment is made for 1 order (1:1) and all orders are associated with a payment and all payments are associated with an order. Both show total participation.

RELATIONAL SCHEMA:

Here are the constraints mentioned below:

NOT NULL: This constraint is used to make sure that no NULL values are present in a column. To ensure that no customer is created without this mandatory information, the name, email, phone, and password columns in the Customers table, are all set to NOT NULL.

UNIQUE: This constraint is intended to guarantee that each value in a column is distinct. For instance, a primary key on the cust id column in the Customers table instantly generates a unique index. To further verify that each customer has a distinct email address, it is advised to add a unique index to the email column.

PRIMARY KEY: We utilize this constraint to locate a distinct record in a table. For instance, the Customers database uses the cust id column as its primary key to ensure that every customer has a distinct identification.

Relational Model:

• Customers(cust_id , name, email, phone, password, payment_method, billing address)

PK= cust_id

• Products(prod_id, name, description, onsale, price, category, stock)

PK= prod_id

Cart(cust_id, prod_id, quantity)

PK= (cust_id, prod_id)

FK= cust_id refernces Customers(cust_id)

FK= prod_id refrences Products(prod_id)

Orders(order_id, cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status)

PK=order_id

FK= cust_id refernces Customers(cust_id)

• Shipping(shipping_id, Order_id, shipping_date, delivery_date, shipping_address)

PK= shipping_id

FK=(order_id) refernces Orders(order_id)

• Order_Items(order_id, prod_id, quantity_ordered)

PK=(order_id, prod_id)

FK=(prod_id) refrences Products(prod_id))

FK=(order id) refernces Orders(order id)

Payments(payment_id, order_id, payment_date, amount, method, status)

PK=payment_id

FK=order_id refernces Orders(order_id)

Reviews(review_id, cust_id, prod_id, rating, comment, review_date)

PK= review id

FK=cust id references Customers(cust id)

FK=prod_id refernces Products(prod_id)

FUNCTIONAL DEPENDENCIES (BEFORE NORMALIZATION)

Customers : cust_id \rightarrow name, email, phone, password, payment_method, billing address

Products : prod_id \rightarrow name, description, onsale, price, category, stock

Cart : cust_id, prod_id → quantity

Orders: order id → cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status

Shipping : shipping_id → Order_id, shipping_date, delivery_date, shipping_address

Order_Items : order_id, prod_id → quantity_ordered

Payments: payment_id → order_id, payment_date, amount, method, status

Reviews: review_id → cust_id, prod_id, rating, comment, review_date

NORMALIZATION (1NF, 2NF, 3NF)

First Normal Form (1NF):

1NF is already achieved as each column has atomic values and no repeating groups.

Second Normal Form (2NF):

To achieve 2NF, we need to ensure that each non-key column in the table is fully dependent on the primary key. In the given schema, we can see that the stock in the Product table has a partial dependency on the primary key, which could cause update anomalies. For instance, the stock attribute of the associated Product record needs to be updated whenever an order is placed. If one of the changes fails and the stock attribute is repeated across numerous entries, there could be some inconsistencies. So, we divided the Products table into two tables, Products and Stock, to solve this problem. Just the product attributes that are directly relevant to the product, such as prod id, prod name, price, and category id, are now present in the Products table. Prod id and stock characteristics are contained in the Stock table. By doing this, redundancy and update anomalies are eliminated.

To remove this partial dependency, we can split the Product table into two tables:

Products(prod_id, name, description, onsale, price, category)
 PK= prod_id

Stock(prod_id, stock)

PK= prod_id

FK= prod_id refernces Products(prod_id)

Also, we separated the Category to a new table and deleted the category field from the Products table. By doing this, the duplication that would result from having several products in the same category is avoided. This eliminates the redundancy that could occur if multiple products belonged to the same category.

Category(cat_id, cat_name)

PK: cat_id

Products (prod_id, name, description, onsale, price, cat_id)

PK: prod id

FK: cat_id references Category(cat_id)

Third Normal Form (3 NF):

To normalize to 3NF, we need to identify the functional dependencies and eliminate transitive dependencies.

- 1. Customers (cust id, name, email, phone, password, billing address)
 - The primary key is cust_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 2. Products (prod_id, name, description, onsale, price, cat_id)
 - The primary key is prod_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 3. Stock (prod_id, stock)
 - The primary key is prod_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.

- 4. Cart (cust_id, prod_id, quantity)
 - The primary key is (cust_id, prod_id). No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 5. Orders (order_id, cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status)
 - The primary key is order_id.
 - The following functional dependencies exist:
 - o order id → cust id, order date, total amount, status
 - cust id → billing address
 - To eliminate the transitive dependency of cust_id → billing_address, we create the following new tables

Orders (order_id, cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status)

Customer_Address (billing_address, cust_id(FK))

- 6. Shipping (shipping_id, order_id, shipping_date, shipping_address, delivery_date)
 - The primary key is shipping_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 7. Order_Items (order_id, prod_id, quantity)
 - The primary key is (order_id, prod_id). No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 8. Payments (payment_id, order_id, payment_date, amount, status)
 - The primary key is payment_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 9. Reviews (review_id, cust_id, prod_id, rating, comment, review_date)
 - The primary key is review_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.
- 10. Category(cat_id, cat_name)
- The primary key is cat_id. No further normalization is needed as all attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key.

The 3NF normalized E-commerce database is as follows:

- Customers(cust_id, name, email, phone, password, payment_method)
 PK: cust_id
- Customer Address(billing address, cust id)

FK:cust id references Customers(cust id)

• Category(cat_id, cat_name)

PK: cat_id

• Products(prod_id, name, description, onsale, price, cat_id)

PK: prod id

FK: cat_id references Category(cat_id)

Stock(prod id, stock)

PK: prod id

FK: prod_id refernces Products

Orders(order_id, cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status)

PK: order_id

FK: cust_id references Customers(cust_id)

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FK: order_id references Orders(order_id)
    prod_id references Products(prod_id)

    Payments(payment_id, order_id, payment_date, amount, method, status)

    PK: payment_id
    FK: order_id references Orders(order_id)

    Reviews(review_id, cust_id, prod_id, rating, comment, review_date)

    PK: review_id
    FK: cust_id references Customers(cust_id)
    prod_id references Products(prod_id)

    Cart(cust_id, prod_id, quantity)

    PK: cust_id, prod_id
    FK: cust_id references Customers(cust_id)
    prod_id references Products(prod_id)

    Shipping(shipping_id, order_id, shipping_date, delivery_date, shipping_address)

    PK: shipping id
    FK: order_id references Orders(order_id)
FUNCTIONAL DEPENDENCIES (AFTER NORMALIZATION)
Customers:
cust_id → name, email, phone, password, payment_method
Customer_Address:
cust_id → billing_address
Category:
cat_id → cat_name
Products:
prod_id → name, description, onsale, price, cat_id
cat_id → cat_name
Stock:
prod_id → stock
Cart:
(cust_id, prod_id) → quantity
Orders:
order_id → cust_id, order_date, total_amount, status
Shipping:
shipping_id → order_id, shipping_date, delivery_date, shipping_address
Order_Items:
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Order_Items(order_id, prod_id, quantity_ordered)

PK: order_id, prod_id

(order_id, prod_id) → quantity_ordered

Payments:

payment_id → order_id, payment_date, amount, method, status

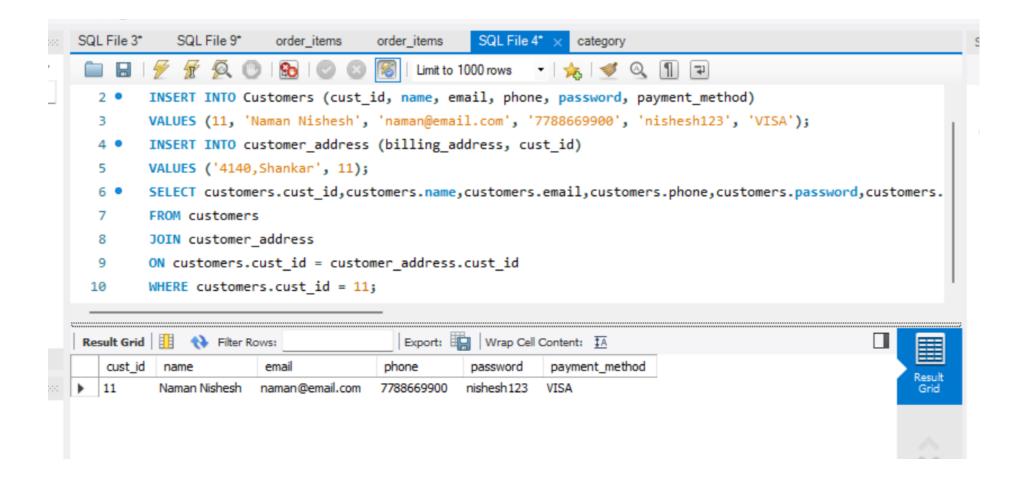
Reviews:

review_id → cust_id, prod_id, rating, comment, review_date

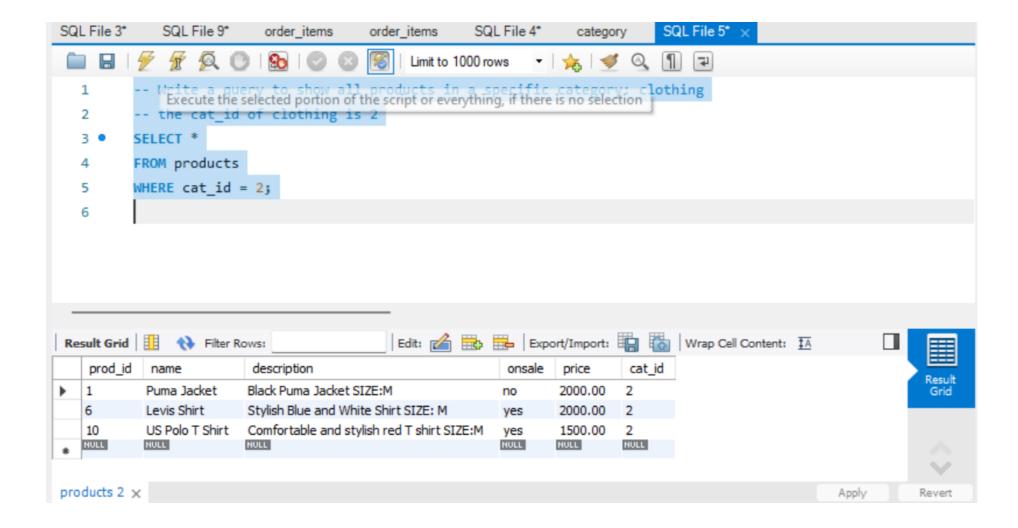
SQL QUERIES FOR USER REQUESTS:

Below we have mentioned 15 example queries which illustrates the depth and extent of the various functionalities that are supported in our e-commerce application:

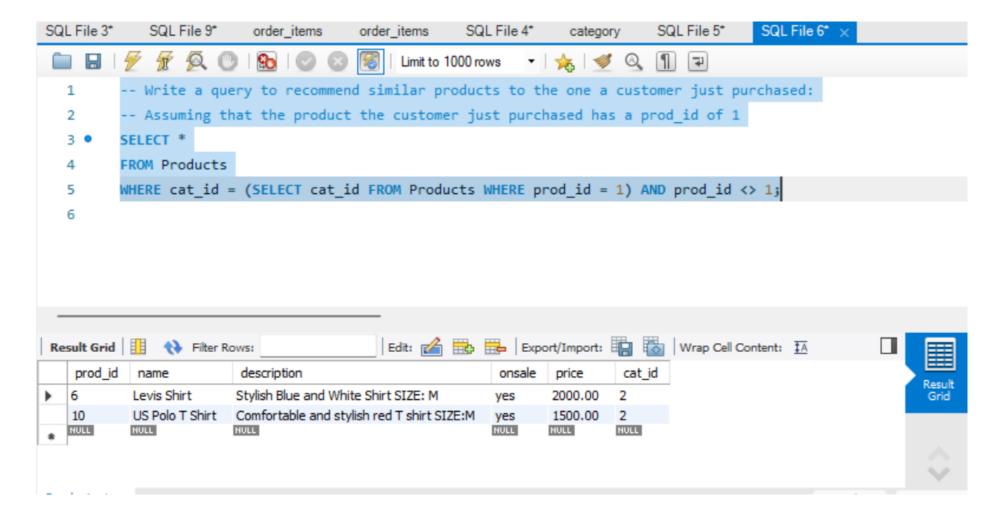
1. -to register a new customer on the platform.



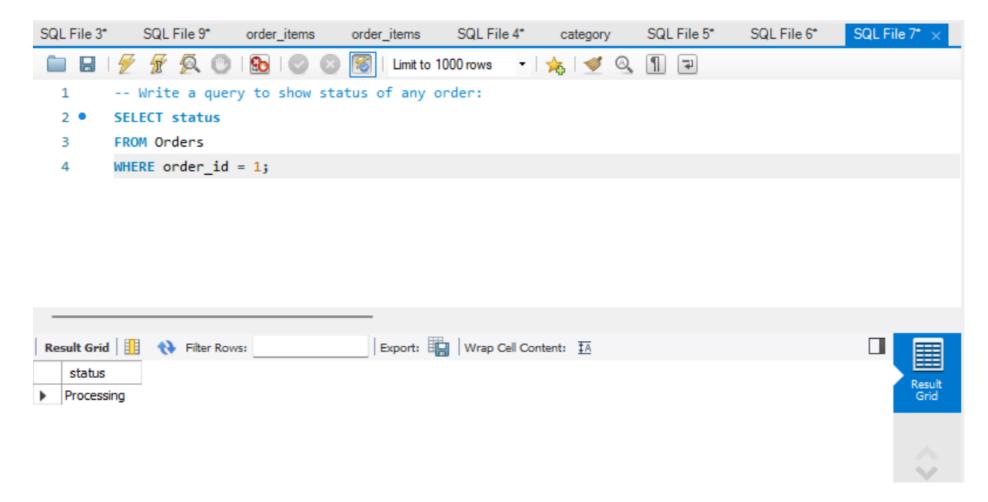
2. - Write a query to show all products in a specific category: clothing the cat_id of clothing is 2



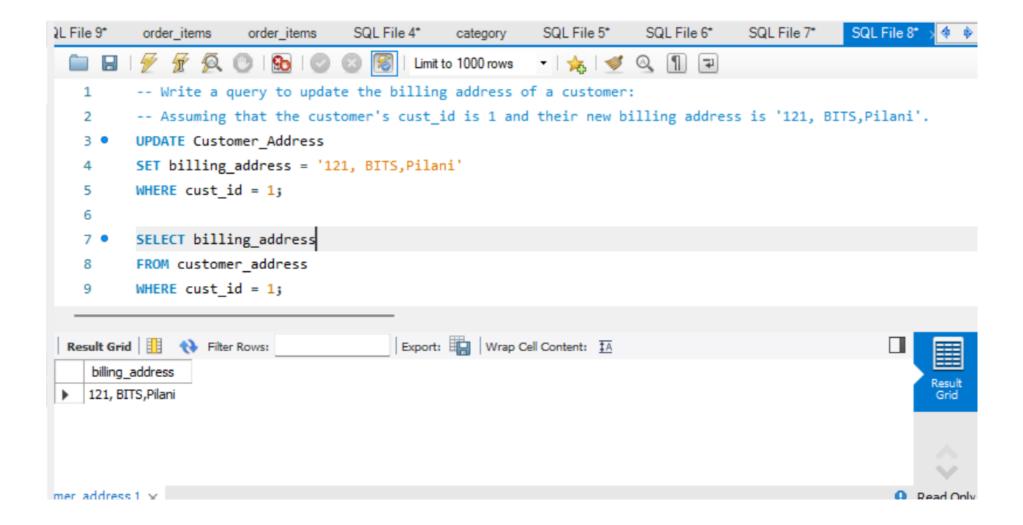
- 3. Write a query to recommend similar products to the one a customer just purchased:
 - -- Assuming that the product the customer just purchased has a prod_id of 1



- 4. Write a query to show status of any order:
 - -- Assuming that the order_id of the order in question is 1.



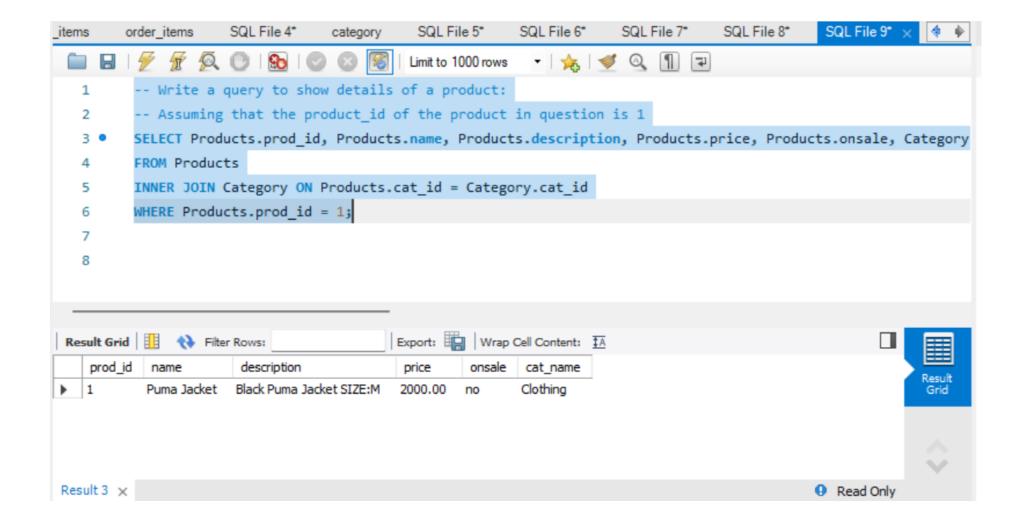
- 5. Write a query to update the billing address of a customer:
 - -- Assuming that the customer's cust_id is 1 and their new billing address is '121, BITS,Pilani'.

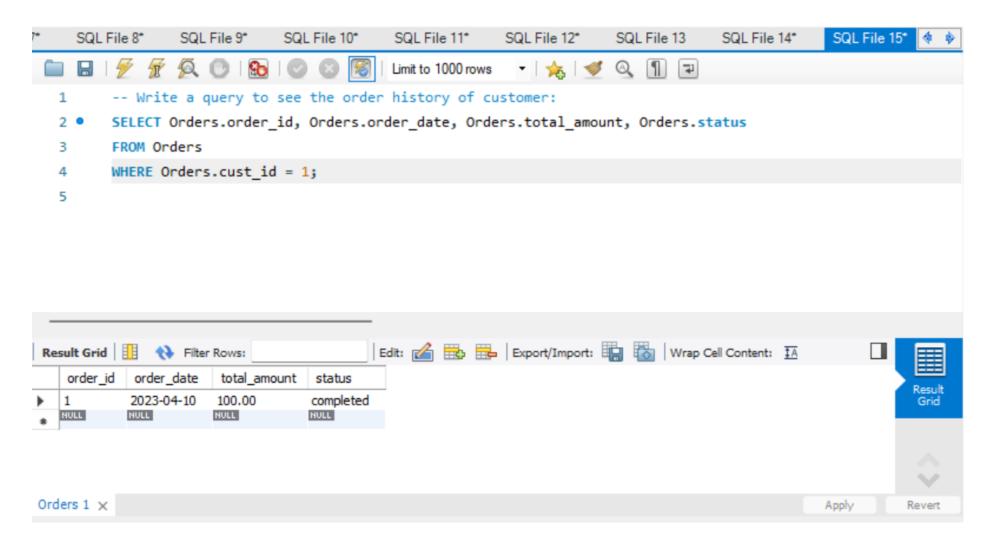


Write a query to show details of a product:
 Assuming that the product_id of the product in question is 1

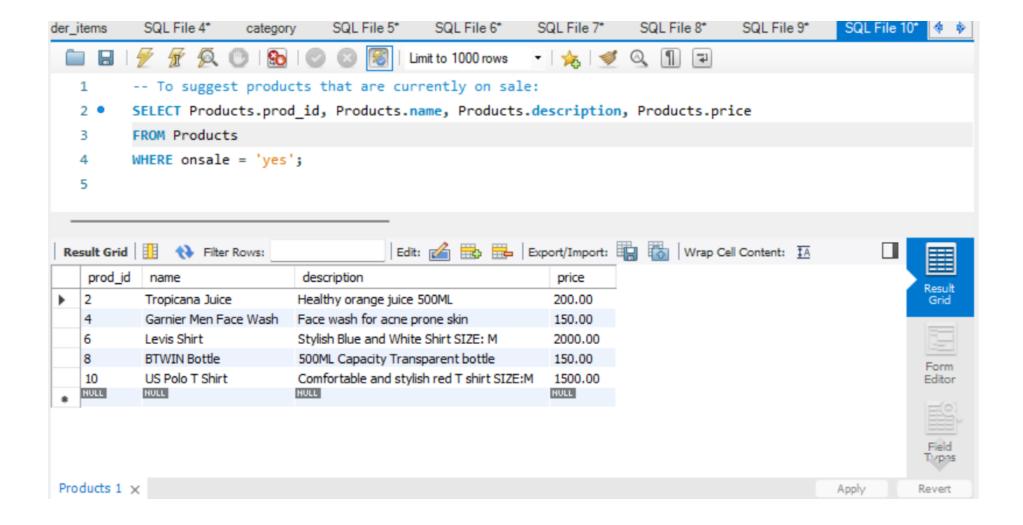
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Write a query to see the order history of customers.

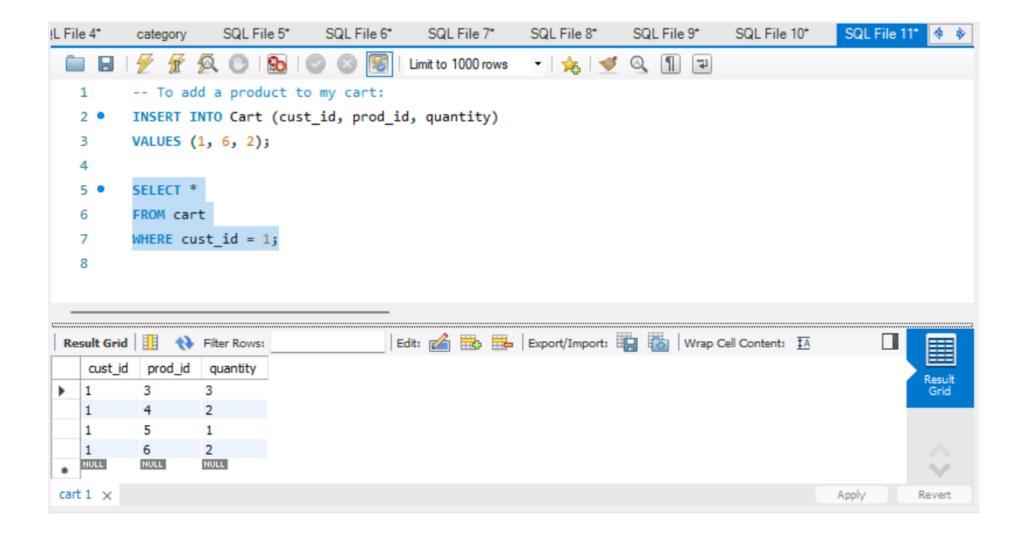




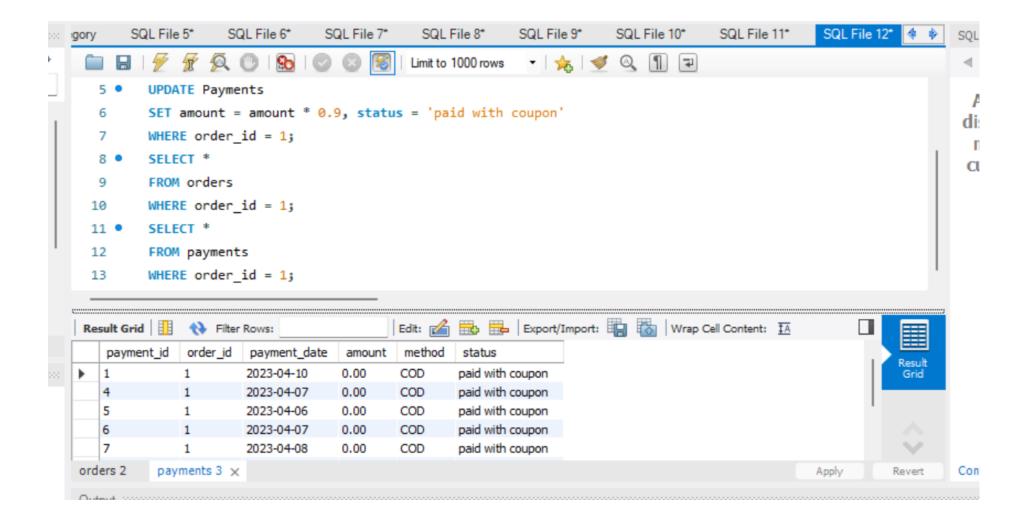
7. - To suggest products that are currently on sale:



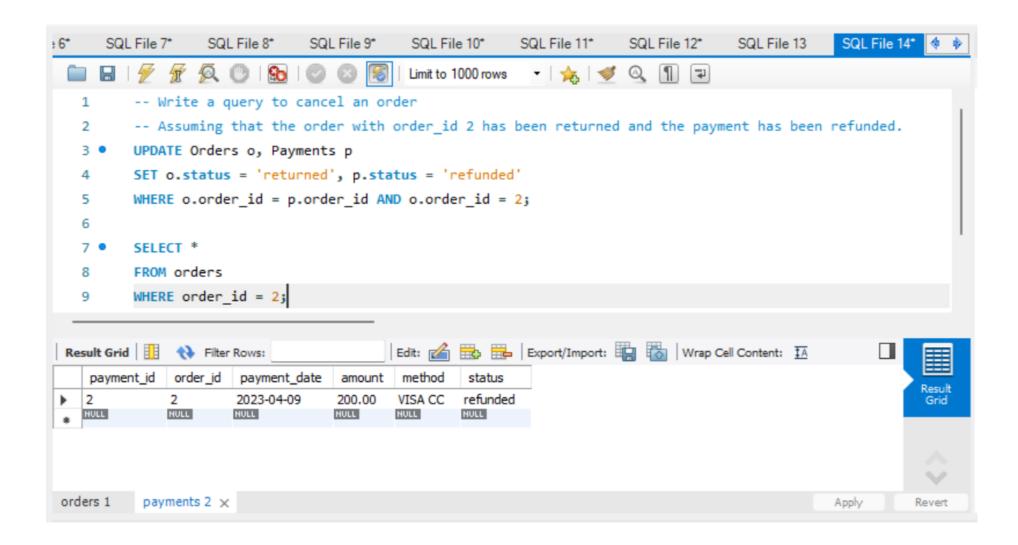
8. - To add a product to my cart:



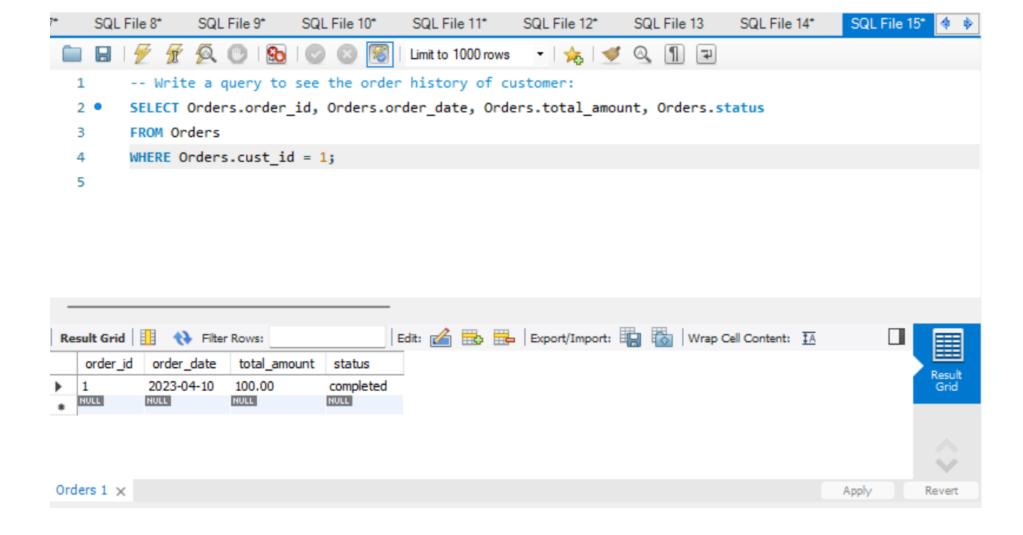
- 9. Write a query to place an order using a coupon code:
 - -- Assuming that the coupon code provides a 10% discount on the order with order_id 1 $\,$



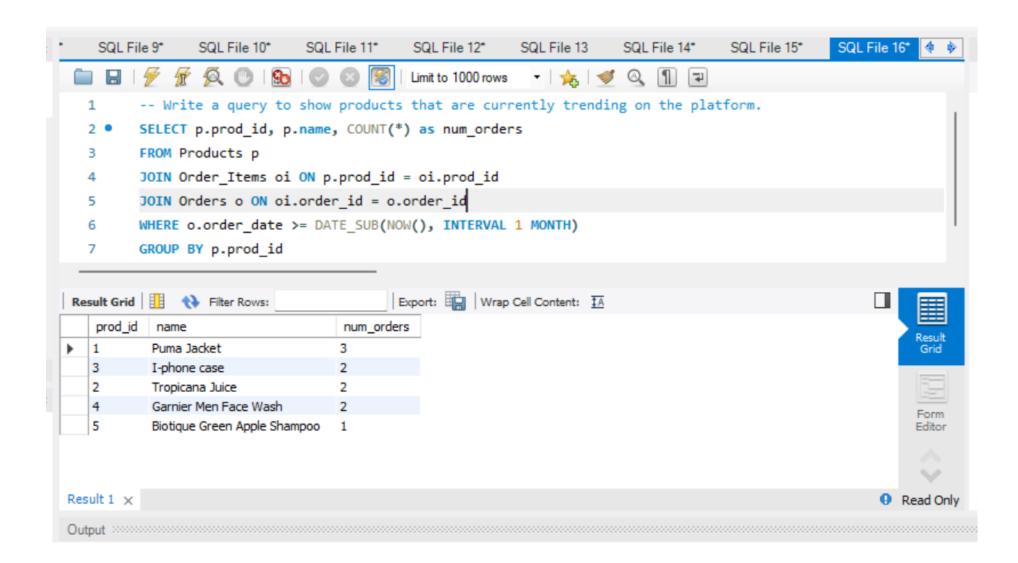
10. Write a query to cancel an order. Assuming that the order with order_id 2 has been returned and the payment has been refunded.



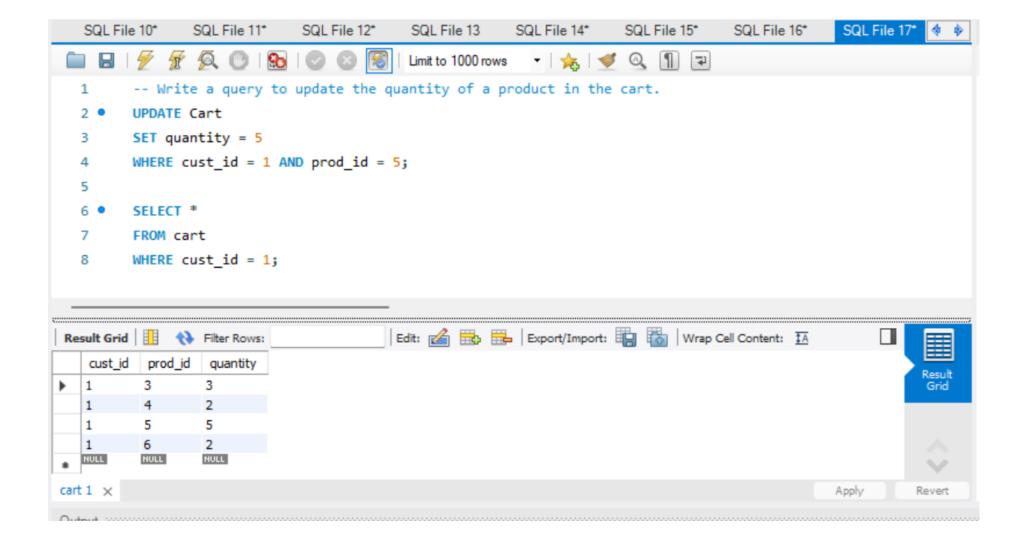
11. - Write a query to see the order history of the customer:



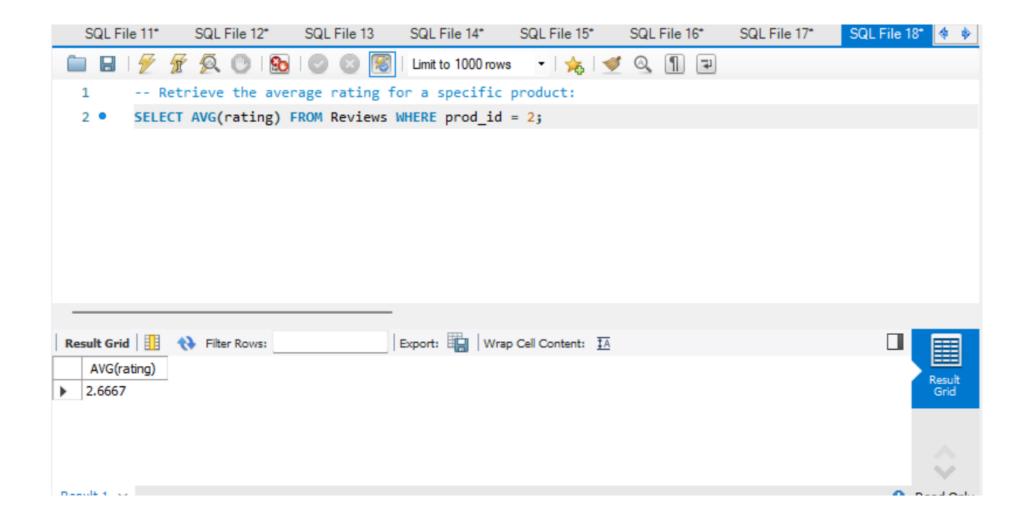
12. - Write a query to show products that are currently trending on the platform.



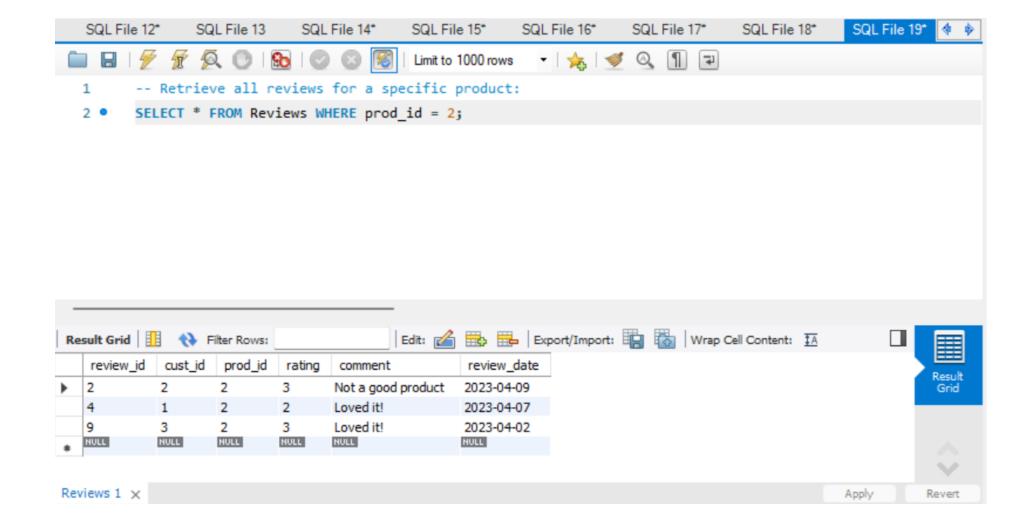
13. - Write a query to update the quantity of a product in the cart.



14. - Retrieve the average rating for a specific product:



15. - Retrieve all reviews for a specific product:



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