

ISQS 3348

In-Class SQL Practice5 – Inserting, Updating, and Deleting Data

Please write the SQL queries (one for each question) to answer the following questions. Use the **sql_practice** database on the Blackboard course website.

1. Add a new product to the `products` table. The product's name is *Fishy Fingers*, is supplied by *Tokyo Traders*, and is in the *Seafood* category. Because the `ProductID` field in the `products` table has the auto-increment column property set, you do not need to specify a specific product ID in your `INSERT` statement (i.e., you won't insert any value for the `ProductID` field). You will need to make up the other values for the remainder of the fields in the `products` table, however, except for the `UnitsInStock`, `UnitsOnOrder`, and `Discontinued` fields which should be set to 0.

```
1 #1
2 • select supplierid from suppliers where CompanyName = 'Tokyo Traders'; #4
3 • select categoryID from categories where categoryName = 'Seafood'; #8
4
5 • insert into products
6 value (null, 'Fishy Fingers', 4, 8, '10', 2.5, 0, 0, 5, 0);
7
```

Result Grid | Filter Rows: | Export: | Wrap Cell Content: |

supplierid
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2. What is the `ProductID` of the product you just added? Find it by querying the `products` table. In your answer, write both the SQL statement and the result you receive.

```
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8 #2
9 • select ProductID from products
10 where ProductName = 'Fishy Fingers' and supplierID = 4;
11
12 • select * from products;
```

Result Grid | Filter Rows: | Edit: | Export/Import: | Wrap Cell Content: |

ProductID
78
NULL

3. Your business has placed several orders for *Fishy Fingers* product from *Tokyo Traders*. One of these orders has come in, and contains 50 units. The other order, of 100 units, has not come in yet and is still on order. Write and execute the SQL statement that updates your record for this product in the `products` table with this information, setting the values for `UnitsInStock` and `UnitsOnOrder` with the above values, respectively.

The screenshot shows a SQL IDE interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
12 #3
13 • update products
14   set UnitsInStock = 50, UnitsOnOrder = 100
15   where productID = 78;
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```

The Output pane shows the results of the execution:

#	Time	Action	Message	Duration / Fetch
1	17:21:49	select supplierID from suppliers where CompanyName = 'Tokyo Traders' LIMIT 0, 1000	1 row(s) returned	0.000 sec / 0.000 sec
2	17:23:38	select productID from products where productName = 'Fishy Fingers' and supplierID = 4 LIMIT 0, 1000	0 row(s) returned	0.000 sec / 0.000 sec
3	17:24:28	update products set UnitsInStock = 50, UnitsOnOrder = 100 where productID = 78	0 row(s) affected Rows matched: 0 Changed: 0 Warnings: 0	0.015 sec

4. The second order for *Fishy Fingers* from *Tokyo Traders* has arrived. Write and execute the SQL statement that updates the necessary field(s) with the correct value(s) (assume you have not sold any *Fishy Fingers* yet).

The screenshot shows a SQL IDE interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
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17 #4
18 • update products
19   set UnitsInStock = 150, UnitsOnOrder = 0
20   where productID = 78;
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```

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5. *Tokyo Traders* has decided to sell the rights to produce, market, and sell *Fishy Fingers* to another supplier, *Specialty Biscuits, Ltd.* Write and execute the SQL statements that are needed to ensure your database represents this new reality?

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```
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22 #5
23 • update products
24   set supplierID = (select supplierID from suppliers
25                     where companyName = 'Specialty Biscuits, Ltd.')
26   where productID = 78;
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```

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6. Delete the company *Specialty Biscuits, Ltd.* from the supplier table. Are you able to delete it? If not, what is the reason?

The screenshot shows a SQL script editor with the following code:

```
28 #6
29 delete from suppliers
30 where companyName = 'Specialty Biscuits, Ltd.';
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```

Below the editor is an 'Output' window titled 'Action Output'. It contains a table with the following data:

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6	17:30:22	delete from suppliers where companyName = 'Specialty Biscuits, Ltd.'	Error Code: 1451. Cannot delete or update a parent row: a foreign key constraint fails...	0.046 sec

Error message:

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(`sql_practice`.`products`, CONSTRAINT `FK_Products_Suppliers` FOREIGN KEY (`SupplierID`) REFERENCES `suppliers` (`SupplierID`)) 0.016 sec

What is this error message telling you?

Answer:

When I try to delete this particular supplier, Specialty Biscuits, Ltd., the referential integrity is violated, because this supplier has products in the products table. Essentially, when deleting records, you are not deleting records that are referenced in related tables.