

Final Project Report

PharmaSeek - a pharomic web search application

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1. Overview

PharmaSeek is a data-driven web application that aims to help users to look up or modify medicine info by searching medicine name, retailer or illness. This application is targeted at two groups of people. The first group is the everyday users who are looking for medicined related info including details of a specific medicine, its treating illness, sell by which retailers, and etc. Everyday users do not need to log in the system at all. Hence in our design, the homepage is always the user's search mode unless you log in as an administrator.

The second group is the administrators of this database. Administrators need to login through the login page in order to access the administrator mode. Administrators could modify (delete, add, or update) the current database within administrator mode.

2. Database

The raw data is retrieved from various places such as the FDA (U.S Food and Drug Administration) website, top ranking retailers, or randomized based on our demand. PhamaSeek database has 10 tables (including 2 junction tables). The database includes 11,916 records. The database was created based on 2NF. The structure of the database is shown in Figure 1, and the E-R diagram is shown in Figure 2. The full DDL statement can be found at the end of this report.

Server: 127.0.0.1 » Database: pharmaSeek

Structure SQL Search Query Export Import Operations Privileges Routines More

Table	Action	Rows	Type	Collation	Size	Overhead
<input type="checkbox"/> admin_info	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	1	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	16 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> brand	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	1,802	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	176 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> chemical	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	2,426	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	144 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> drug_type	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	11	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	16 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> factory	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	473	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	64 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> illness	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	460	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	80 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> medicine	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	3,292	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	464 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> medicine_illness	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	109	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	48 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> medicine_retailer	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	3,292	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	320 KiB	-
<input type="checkbox"/> retailer	★ Browse Structure Search Insert Empty Drop	50	InnoDB	latin1_swedish_ci	16 KiB	-
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Figure 1: List of all tables in the pharmaSeek

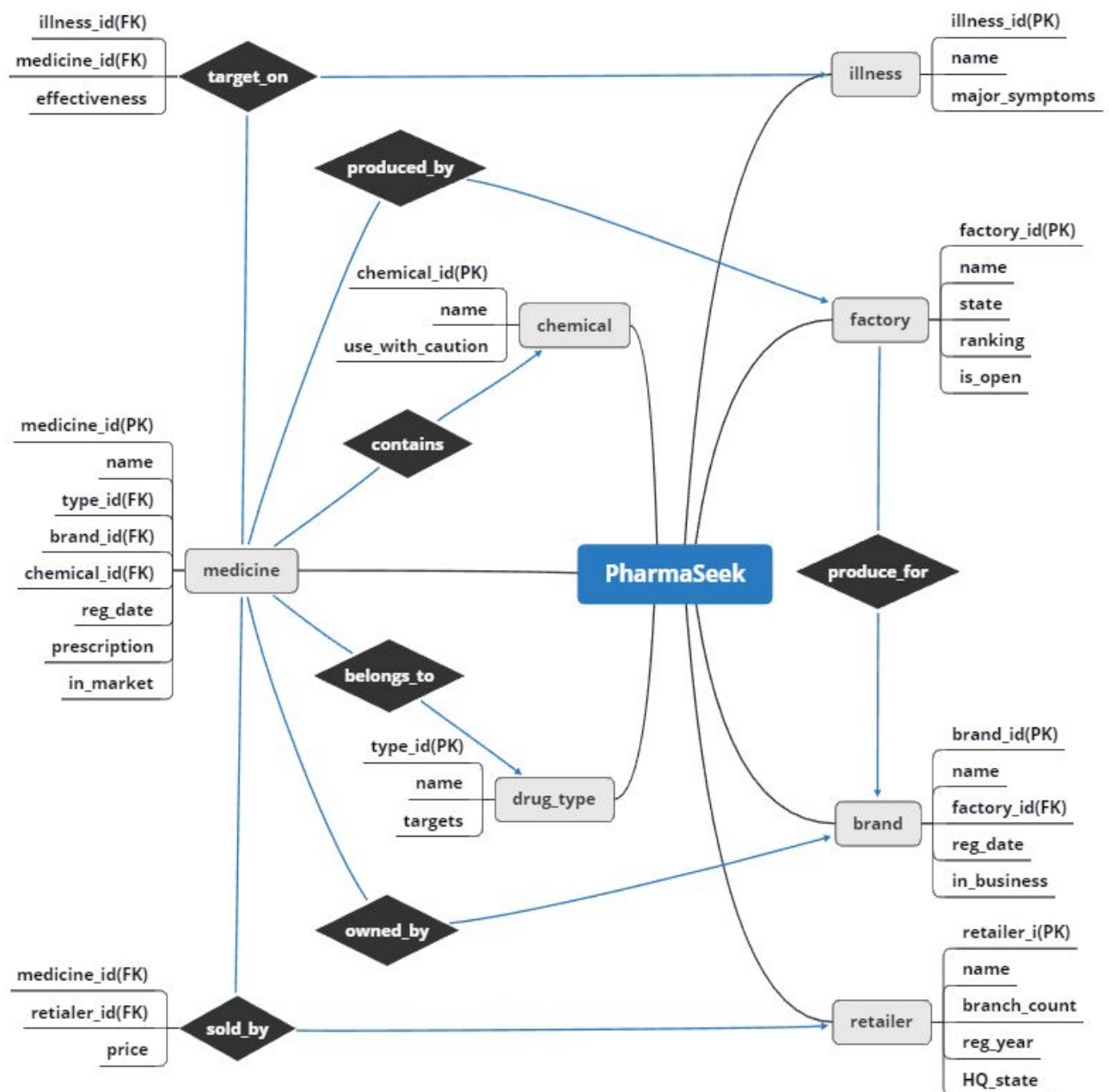


Figure 2: E-R Diagram

2.1 Database Schema

Table name **Primary key** **Foreign key** **Attributes**

medicine
medicine_id
name
brand_id
type_id
chemical_id
reg_date
prescription
in_market

illness
illness_id
name
major_symptoms

retailer
retailer_id
name
branch_count
reg_year
state

brand
brand_id
name
factory_id
reg_date
in_business

factory
factory_id
name
ranking
is_open
state

drug_type
type_id
name
targets

chemical
chemical_id
name
use_with_caution

medicine_illness
illness_id
factory_id
effectiveness

medicine_illness
illness_id
factory_id
effectiveness

medicine_retailer
medicine_id
retailer_id
price

2.2 Assumptions

- Each brand can sell multiple medicines.
- Each factory can produce for multiple brands.
- Each medicine is produced by only one factory and owned by one brand.
- Each medicine can target multiple illnesses and each illness can be targeted by multiple medicines.
- Each retailer can sell multiple medicines and brands.
- Only the administrator has the authority to add, update and delete data, normal users only have the authority to browse and search info

3. Front-end design & front-end to back-end connection

1. Front-end design

We used the bootstrap framework, HTML to implement front-end design.

2. Front -end to back- end connection

we used Javascript and PHP to implement the connection between front-end and backend. First, html and Javascript passed parameters to the php files. Then, we used PHP to insert, delete, search, update and so on in the database. Finally, HTML capture the server return data and visualized it.

3. Connection and Settings

```
servername = "localhost";
```

```
username = "root";
```

```
password = "mysql";
```

```
database = "pharmaSeek";
```

4. Operations

4.1 Browsing

The main page of our web is a direct view from everyday users perspective. On this page, the users could browse/search medicine info as shown in Figure 3. To do so, users can search for medicine by medicine name, retailer name or illness name. User needs to input info in order to proceed the search process. Otherwise, an error message stating “ Please fill out this filed” will pops.

Once the user entered the search target and hit search, he/she will be directed to a newly generated page containing the results (Figure 3.1, 3.2, 3.3.). The user could choose to see the detailed info of a medicine. Besides that, one could also find all the retailers that sell this medicine or all kinds of illness this medicine can treat (Figure 3.4, 3.5, 3.6.).

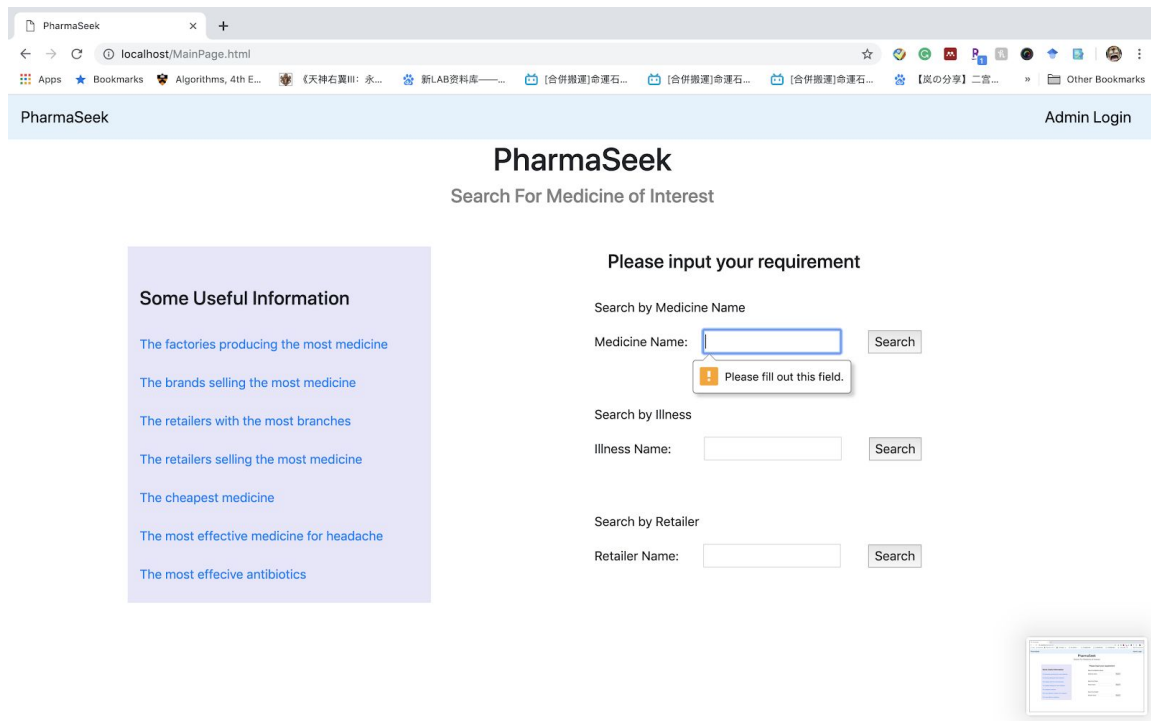


Figure 3: Main Page

PharmaSeek

Admin Login

Result Found

Search By Medicine

Query Input ACETIC ACID

ID	Name	Brand	Details	Retailers	Illness
58	ACETIC ACID 0.25% IN PLASTIC C	FACTA FARMA	View	View	View
322	AMINOACETIC ACID 1.5% IN PLAST	AVACOR PRODS	View	View	View
59	ACETIC ACID 2% IN AQUEOUS ALUM	NOVAST LABS LTD	View	View	View
57	ACETIC ACID	TWI PHARMS INC	View	View	View
2979	HYDROCORTISONE AND ACETIC ACID	JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV	View	View	View
60	ACETIC ACID W/ HYDROCORTISONE	RADIUS HEALTH INC	View	View	View

Figure 3.1: search by medicine

PharmaSeek Admin Login

Result Found

Search By Illness

Query Input cancer

ID	Name	Brand	Details	Retailers	Illness
421	AMPICILLIN AND SULBACTAM	MCNEIL PED	View	View	View
434	ANAFRANIL	MEDIMMUNE ONCOLOGY	View	View	View
892	BRONKAID MIST	IGI LABS INC	View	View	View
975	CALCIUM GLUCONATE	HIGH TECH PHARMA	View	View	View
1016	CARBAGLU	TRACE LIFE	View	View	View
1500	CREON	CHEMO RESEARCH SL	View	View	View
44	ACETAMINOPHEN AND HYDROCODONE	FRESENIUS KABI USA	View	View	View
118	ADDERALL 30	EVERYLIFE	View	View	View
314	AMIKACIN SULFATE	LUITPOLD	View	View	View
395	AMLODIPINE BESYLATE AND ATORVA	POPULATION COUNCIL	View	View	View
543	ARMONAIR RESPICLICK	CEDIPOF INC	View	View	View
1313	CLENZ-LYTE	AMGEN INC	View	View	View

Figure 3.2: Search result by illness

PharmaSeek Admin Login

Result Found

Search By Retailer

Query Input cvs

ID	Name	Brand	Details	Retailers	Illness
12	ABACAVIR SULFATE AND LAMIVUDIN	NOVARTIS	View	View	View
42	ACETAMINOPHEN	BAXTER HLTHCARE	View	View	View
152	ADVIL CONGESTION RELIEF	SPECTRUM PHARMS	View	View	View
177	AGENERASE	APOTEX INC	View	View	View
231	ALESSE	ISOTEX	View	View	View
273	ALPHAGAN P	DRAXIMAGE	View	View	View
376	AMINOSYN II 8.5%	ALLEGIANCE HLTHCARE	View	View	View
386	AMIPAQUE	HERITAGE LIFE	View	View	View
439	ANCEF	LUNDBECK PHARMS LLC	View	View	View
497	APRESOLINE-ESIDRIX	AMNEAL PHARMS LLC	View	View	View
498	APRISO	MEDICURE	View	View	View
510	ARALEN PHOSPHATE W/ PRIMAQUINE	VALEANT LUXEMBOURG	View	View	View

Figure 3.3: Search result by retailer

ID	Name	Drug Type	Brand	Chemical	Registered Date	Prescription	In Markter
322	AMINOACETIC ACID 1.5% IN PLAST	Antipyretics	AVACOR PRODS	FINASTERIDE	2008-03-11 00:00:00	1	0

Figure 3.4: Medicine Details of “Aminoacetic Acid”

Name	Illness	Major Symptoms
HYDROCORTISONE AND ACETIC ACID	COPD (Chronic Obstructive Pulm	self-harm
HYDROCORTISONE AND ACETIC ACID	Diphylobothrium Infection [Di	Sore throat

Figure 3.5: target illness of “Acetic Acid”

Name	Retailer
HYDROCORTISONE AND ACETIC ACID	Walgreens
HYDROCORTISONE AND ACETIC ACID	Kmart

Figure 3.6: retailers that sell “Acetic Acid”

On the left side of the page, there is a list of useful links we think general users might be interested in. For instance, there is a link that gives the rank of factories that produced the most kinds of medicine. Figure 3.7 shows the result of such links (details of the aggregation functions can be found at the end of this section).

Ranking	Name	Medicine Count
1	PAR STERILE PRODUCTS	10
2	MAINPOINTE	8
3	EMERALD INTL LTD	7
4	FLEXION THERAPS INC	7
5	APOPHARMA INC	7
6	FERA PHARMS	7
7	GLAXO GRP LTD	7
8	BANNER LIFE SCIENCES LLC	6
9	CHARTWELL RX	6
10	WATSON PHARMS TEVA	6
11	MIKART INC	6
12	ROXANE	6
13	CIPHER PHARMS INC	6
14	INSMED INC	6
15	STERLING	6

Figure 3.7 : The Factories Producing the Most Kinds of Medicine

Every page has two buttons at the top of the page, “PharmaSeek” which contains a link back to the main page. The other button on the right side of the top “AdminLogin” contains a link to the login page (Figure 3.8)for the administrator to enter administrator mode.

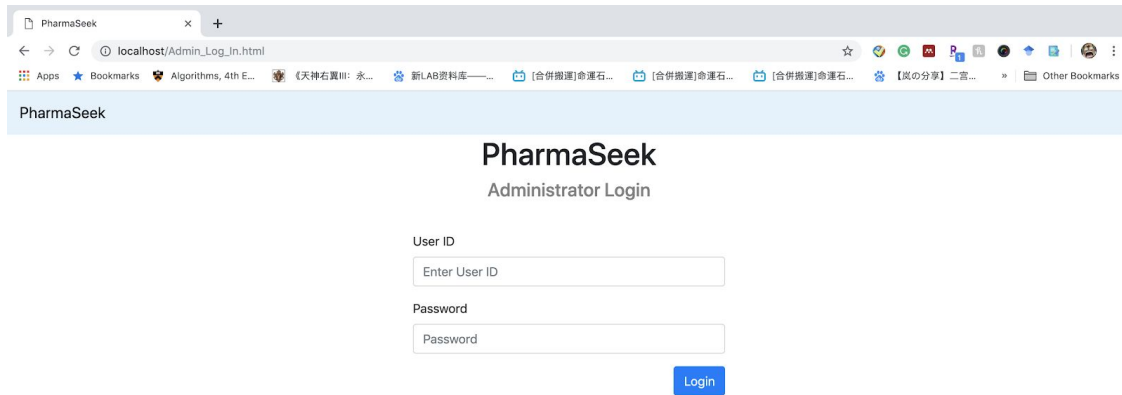


Figure 3.8: Login Page for Administrators

4.2 Update Transactions

The administrator page has been differentiated by using red theme color. Once logged in, the administrator can check the current existing record by searching the name of medicine. Once the result returned, the administrator can proceed to update or delete the medicine data. As shown in Figure 3.9. the left form section is designed for the administrator to insert new data.

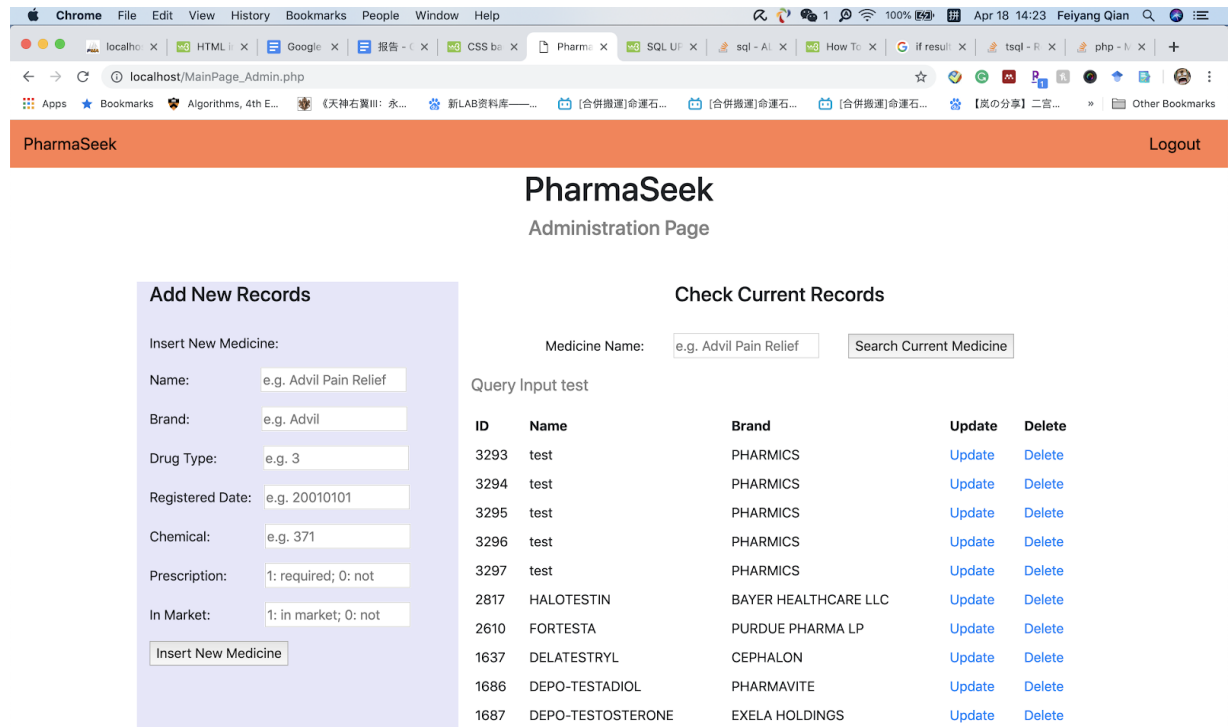


Figure 3.9: Administrator page

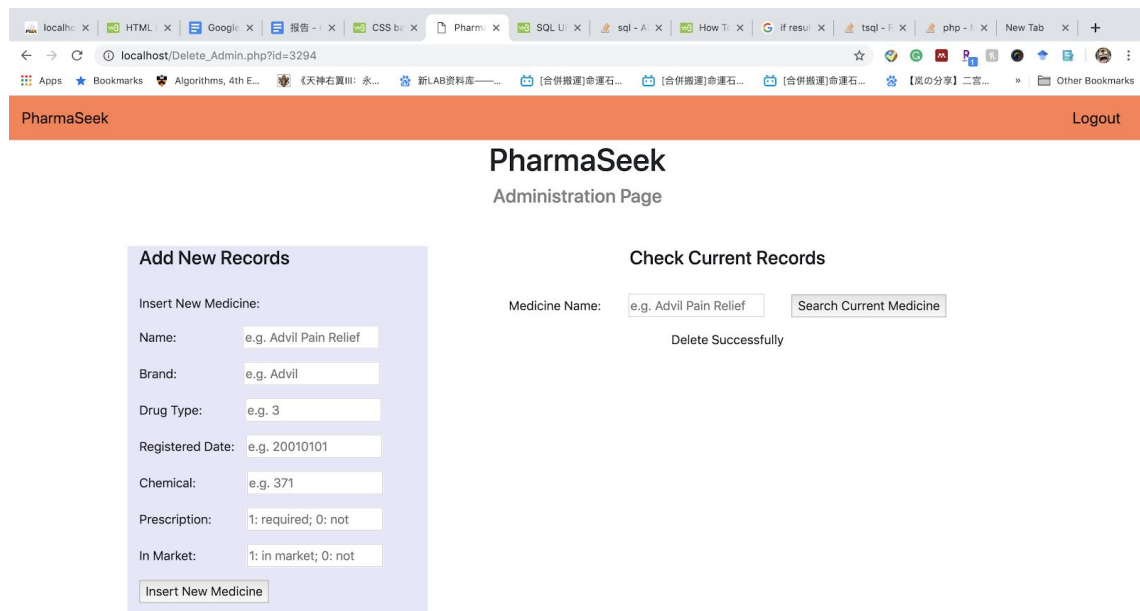


Figure 3.10: Administrator page- Detele Successfully

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `localhost/MainPage_Admin.php`. The page has an orange header bar with the text "PharmaSeek" on the left and "Logout" on the right. Below the header, the page title "PharmaSeek" and subtitle "Administration Page" are centered. The main content area is divided into two sections. The left section, titled "Add New Records", contains a form for "Insert New Medicine:". The form has the following fields: "Name:" (with value "e.g. Advil Pain Relief"), "Brand:" (with value "e.g. 1-1802"), "Drug Type:" (with value "e.g. 1-11"), "Registered Date:" (with value "e.g. 20010101"), "Chemical:" (with value "e.g. 1-2426"), "Prescription:" (with value "1: required; 0: not"), and "In Market:" (with value "1: in market; 0: not"). At the bottom of this form is a button labeled "Insert New Medicine". The right section, titled "Check Current Records", contains a "Medicine Name:" label, a text input field with the value "e.g. Advil Pain Relief", and a button labeled "Search Current Medicine". Below these elements, the text "Insert Successfully" is displayed.

Figure 3.11: Administrator page - Insert Successfully

4.3 Error Checking

While searching, adding or updating data, it offers error checking functions in the front-end, such as missing info checking and format error checking.

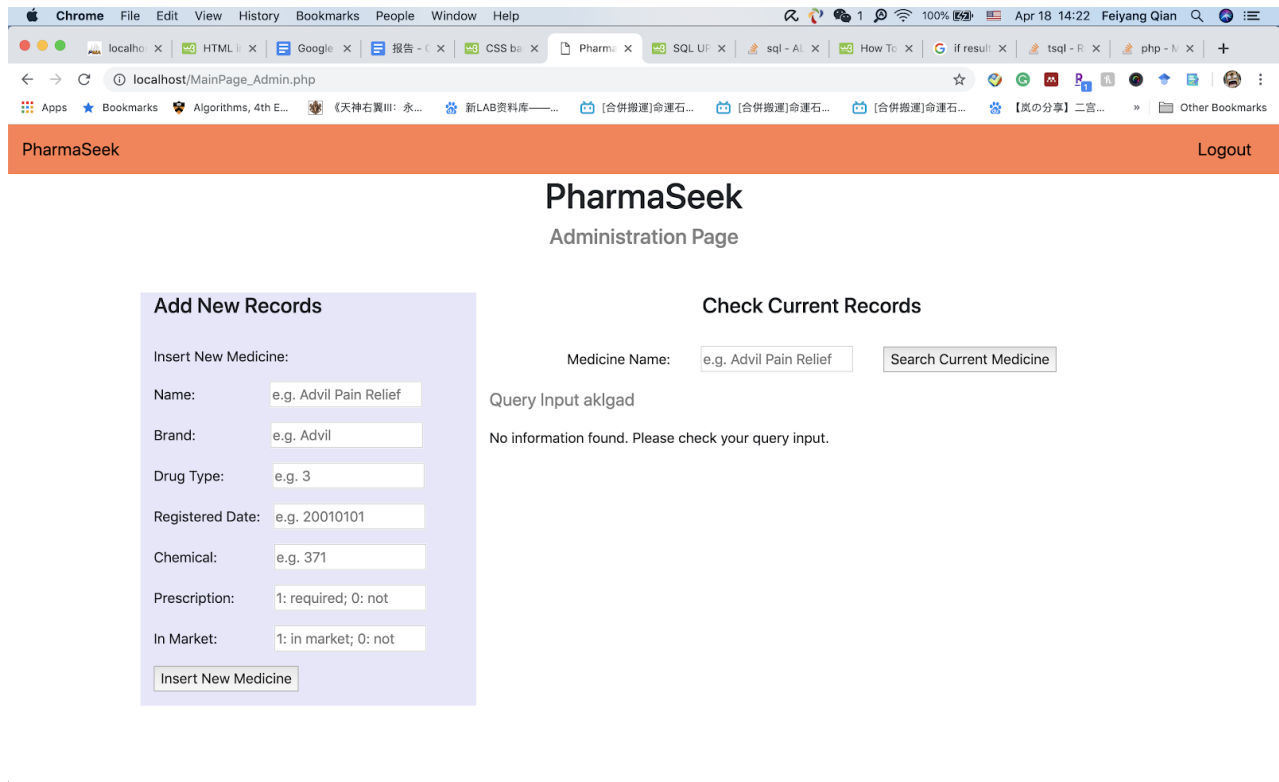


Figure 3.12: Administrator page - input error checking

4.4 Data Aggregation

ParmaSeek offers several data aggregation functions to help users look up some common info as shown in “Some Useful Information” in Figure 3.

- 1) Top retailers: return retailers that sell most kinds of medicine.

SQL:

```
SELECT retailer.name, COUNT(medicine_retailer.retailer_id)FROM retailer
JOIN medicine_retailer

ON retailer.retailer_id = medicine_retailer.retailer_id

GROUP BY retailer.retailer_id
```

```
ORDER BY COUNT(medicine_retailer.retailer_id) DESC;
```

- 2) Retailer with most branches: return retailers sell most brands.

SQL:

```
SELECT * FROM retailer WHERE reg_year > 2000
```

```
ORDER BY branch_count DESC;
```

- 3) The cheapest of medicine in average: return the cheapest medicine in average.

SQL:

```
SELECT medicine.name, AVG(medicine_retailer.price) FROM medicine JOIN  
medicine_retailer ON medicine.medicine_id = medicine_retailer.medicine_id
```

```
GROUP BY medicine.name ORDER BY AVG(medicine_retailer.price) DESC;
```

- 4) Most effective medicine for headache: return the most effective medicine for headache.

SQL:

```
SELECT medicine.name, illness.major_symptoms,  
medicine_illness.effectiveness
```

```
FROM medicine JOIN medicine_illness
```

```
ON medicine.medicine_id = medicine_illness.medicine_id
```

```
JOIN illness ON medicine_illness.illness_id = illness.illness_id
```

```
WHERE illness.major_symptoms LIKE '%headache%'
```

```
ORDER BY medicine_illness.effectiveness DESC;
```

- 5) Most effective antibiotics: return the most effective antibiotics.

SQL:

```
SELECT medicine.name, drug_type.name, medicine_illness.effectiveness,  
medicine.in_market FROM medicine JOIN medicine_illness  
  
ON medicine.medicine_id = medicine_illness.medicine_id  
  
JOIN drug_type ON drug_type.type_id = medicine.type_id  
  
WHERE drug_type.name = 'Antibiotics'  
  
ORDER BY medicine_illness.effectiveness DESC;
```

- 6) Top brands: return brands that own most kinds of medicine.

SQL:

```
SELECT brand.name, COUNT(medicine.medicine_id) AS amount  
  
FROM brand JOIN medicine ON brand.brand_id = medicine.brand_id  
  
GROUP BY brand.name ORDER BY amount DESC LIMIT 10;
```

- 7) Top factories: return factories that produce most kinds of medicine.

SQL:

```
SELECT factory.name, COUNT(medicine.medicine_id) AS amount  
  
FROM factory JOIN brand ON brand.factory_id = factory.factory_id  
  
JOIN medicine ON brand.brand_id = medicine.brand_id  
  
GROUP BY factory.name ORDER BY amount DESC LIMIT 10;
```

5. Limitation

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1. Most data in the junction table were generated randomly, hence it might happen that a retailer only sells one medicine, which in the real world is very rare.
 2. Security issue: although we have created a login page, but one can actually access the admin mode by directly visit the admin page using correct url.
 3. Only the medicine table could be modified at the front-end. In the future, we can add more features so that administrators could modify other tables as well.

6. DDL STATEMENTS

- 1) CREATE DATABASE pharmaSeek;
- 2) CREATE TABLE medicine (

 medicine_id INT(22) PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,

 name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,

 type_id INT(22),

 brand_id INT(22) NOT NULL,

 chemical_id INT(22),

 reg_date TIMESTAMP,

 prescription tinyint(1),

 in_market tinyint(1)

);
- 3) CREATE TABLE drug_type (

 type_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,

 name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,

 targets VARCHAR(255)

);

4) CREATE TABLE drug_type (

type_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,

name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,

targets VARCHAR(255)

);

5) CREATE TABLE factory (

factory_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,

name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,

address VARCHAR(255),

ranking INT(22),

is_open tinyint(1)

);

6) CREATE TABLE brand (

brand_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,

name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,

factory_id INT(22),

reg_date TIMESTAMP,

in_business tinyint(1)

);

7) CREATE TABLE brand (

```
brand_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,  
name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,  
factory_id INT(22),  
reg_date TIMESTAMP,  
in_business tinyint(1)  
);
```

```
8) CREATE TABLE chemical (  
retailer_id INT(22) AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY NOT NULL,  
name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL,  
use_with_caution tinyint(1),  
);
```

```
9) CREATE TABLE medicine_illness (  
medicine_id INT(22) NOT NULL,  
illness_id INT(22) NOT NULL,  
effectiveness tinyint(1)  
);
```

```
10) ALTER TABLE brand  
ADD FOREIGN KEY (factory_id)  
REFERENCES factory(factory_id)  
ON DELETE CASCADE  
ON UPDATE CASCADE;
```

11) ALTER TABLE medicine

ADD FOREIGN KEY (brand_id)

REFERENCES brand(brand_id)

ON DELETE CASCADE

ON UPDATE CASCADE;

12) ALTER TABLE medicine

ADD FOREIGN KEY (illness_id)

REFERENCES illness(illness_id)

ON DELETE CASCADE

ON UPDATE CASCADE;

13) ALTER TABLE medicine

ADD FOREIGN KEY (chemical_id)

REFERENCES chemical(chemical_id)

ON DELETE CASCADE

ON UPDATE CASCADE;

14) ALTER TABLE medicine_retailer

ADD FOREIGN KEY (medicine_id)

REFERENCES medicine(medicine_id)

ON DELETE CASCADE

ON UPDATE CASCADE

15) ALTER TABLE medicine_retailer

```
ADD FOREIGN KEY (retailer_id)
REFERENCES retailer(retailer_id)
ON DELETE CASCADE
ON UPDATE CASCADE
```

```
16) CREATE TABLE admin_info(
CREATE TABLE admin_info(
uesr_id int(11) not null PRIMARY key AUTO_INCREMENT,
name varchar(55) not null,
password int(55) not null)
```