# Database Documentation for Online Book Publishing Platform

#### **Overview**

The following document describes the schema, relationships, and sample data insertion for a database designed to manage an online book publishing platform. The database is built in MySQL and contains tables for authors, customers, books, publishers, orders, and more. The ER diagram illustrates the relationships among the entities.

### **Database Schema**

CREATE DATABASE onlineBookPublishing;

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USE onlineBookPublishing;
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```
-- AUTHOR
CREATE TABLE Author (
  author_id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR(255),
  biography TEXT
);
-- CUSTOMER
CREATE TABLE Customer (
  customer_id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR(255)
);
-- SHIPPING ADDRESS
CREATE TABLE ShippingAddress (
  address id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  customer id INT,
  address TEXT,
  FOREIGN KEY (customer_id) REFERENCES Customer(customer_id)
);
-- PUBLISHER
CREATE TABLE Publisher (
  publisher id INT PRIMARY KEY,
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name VARCHAR(255),
  contact_details TEXT
);
-- BOOK
CREATE TABLE Book (
  book id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  title VARCHAR(255),
  ISBN VARCHAR(20)
);
-- EDITION
CREATE TABLE Edition (
  edition_id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  book id INT,
  edition_number INT,
  publication_year YEAR,
  price DECIMAL(10,2),
  publisher_id INT,
  FOREIGN KEY (book_id) REFERENCES Book(book_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (publisher_id) REFERENCES Publisher(publisher_id)
);
-- GENRE
CREATE TABLE Genre (
  genre id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  genre_name VARCHAR(100)
);
-- BOOK_AUTHOR (many-to-many)
CREATE TABLE BookAuthor (
  book id INT,
  author_id INT,
  PRIMARY KEY (book_id, author_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (book_id) REFERENCES Book(book_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (author_id) REFERENCES Author(author_id)
);
-- BOOK_GENRE (many-to-many)
CREATE TABLE BookGenre (
  book id INT,
  genre_id INT,
  PRIMARY KEY (book_id, genre_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (book id) REFERENCES Book(book id),
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FOREIGN KEY (genre_id) REFERENCES Genre(genre_id)
);
-- ORDER
CREATE TABLE 'Order' (
  order id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  customer id INT,
  order_date DATE,
  shipment_status VARCHAR(50),
  FOREIGN KEY (customer id) REFERENCES Customer (customer id)
);
-- ORDER ITEM (edition in orders)
CREATE TABLE OrderItem (
  order id INT,
  edition_id INT,
  quantity INT,
  discount DECIMAL(5,2),
  PRIMARY KEY (order_id, edition_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (order id) REFERENCES 'Order' (order id),
  FOREIGN KEY (edition id) REFERENCES Edition(edition id)
);
-- PAYMENT
CREATE TABLE Payment (
  payment id INT PRIMARY KEY,
  order_id INT,
  amount DECIMAL(10,2),
  payment_method VARCHAR(50),
  payment_date DATE,
  FOREIGN KEY (order_id) REFERENCES `Order`(order_id)
);
-- WISHLIST (customer - edition)
CREATE TABLE Wishlist (
  customer id INT,
  edition_id INT,
  PRIMARY KEY (customer id, edition id),
  FOREIGN KEY (customer_id) REFERENCES Customer(customer_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (edition_id) REFERENCES Edition(edition_id)
);
```

## **Sample Data Insertion**

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-- Insert into Author
INSERT INTO Author (author id, name, biography)
VALUES (1, 'J.K. Rowling', 'Author of the Harry Potter series');
-- Insert into Customer
INSERT INTO Customer (customer id, name)
VALUES (1, 'John Doe');
-- Insert into ShippingAddress
INSERT INTO ShippingAddress (address id, customer id, address)
VALUES (1, 1, '123 Fictional Street, London, UK');
-- Insert into Publisher
INSERT INTO Publisher (publisher_id, name, contact_details)
VALUES (1, 'Penguin Books', 'Contact: +44 123 456 7890');
-- Insert into Book
INSERT INTO Book (book id, title, ISBN)
VALUES (1, 'Harry Potter and the Sorcerer\'s Stone', '9780439554930');
-- Insert into Edition
INSERT INTO Edition (edition id, book id, edition number, publication year, price,
publisher_id)
VALUES (1, 1, 1, 1997, 19.99, 1);
-- Insert into Genre
INSERT INTO Genre (genre_id, genre_name)
VALUES (1, 'Fantasy');
-- Insert into BookAuthor
INSERT INTO BookAuthor (book id, author id)
VALUES (1, 1);
-- Insert into BookGenre
INSERT INTO BookGenre (book id, genre id)
VALUES (1, 1);
-- Insert into Order
INSERT INTO `Order` (order_id, customer_id, order_date, shipment_status)
VALUES (1, 1, '2025-06-01', 'Shipped');
-- Insert into OrderItem
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INSERT INTO OrderItem (order\_id, edition\_id, quantity, discount) VALUES (1, 1, 2, 10.00);

#### -- Insert into Payment

INSERT INTO Payment (payment\_id, order\_id, amount, payment\_method, payment\_date) VALUES (1, 1, 35.98, 'Credit Card', '2025-06-01');

-- Insert into Wishlist INSERT INTO Wishlist (customer\_id, edition\_id) VALUES (1, 1);

# **Entity-Relationship Diagram**

The following diagram visualizes the relationships among the tables in the database:

