

Course:

Database Management  
Systems (DBMS)

Assesment 3: Constraints

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# Task:

Write down (handwritten) the respective queries for each Qs. Answer should contain the screenshot of the execution

Create a book (BID, BName, Author name, Price, Year of publication) relation using the following:

1. While creating the table impose "Primary key" constraint on one field. [1]
2. While creating the table impose "Not Null" constraint on one field. [1]
3. Using alteration impose "Unique" constraint on two fields. [1]
4. Create another relation Publisher (PID, Pname). Use PID as the foreign key of book relation. [1]
5. Alter the book table to impose a constraint to restrict the price between 500 and 1000. [1]
6. Alter the publisher relation to make the default Pname as "Elsevier". [1]
7. Give some examples (by inserting records into book relation) to violate the primary key, not null, unique, foreign key and check constraints. [include the screenshot of the error as the answer along with the handwritten query]. [4]

## Initial metadata:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

## Initial schema:

|  |     |       |            |       |           |
|--|-----|-------|------------|-------|-----------|
|  | BID | BName | AuthorName | Price | YearOfPub |
|--|-----|-------|------------|-------|-----------|

## Code:

```
1 • create database books;
2 • use books;
3 • create table book (
4     BID int,
5     BName varchar(255),
6     AuthorName varchar(255),
7     Price int,
8     YearOfPub date
9 );
10 • desc book;
11 • select * from book;
```

```
create table book (
  BID int,
  BName varchar(255),
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
```

1. While creating the table impose "Primary key" constraint on one field.

[1]

## Code:

```
3 • create table book (
4     BID int primary key,
5     BName varchar(255),
6     AuthorName varchar(255),
7     Price int,
8     YearOfPub date
9 );
10 • desc book;
```

```
create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255),
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
```

Output:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

2. While creating the table impose "Not Null" constraint on one field.

[1]

Code:

```
create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
desc book;
```

```
create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
```

Output:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default             | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------------------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | <small>NULL</small> |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   |     | <small>NULL</small> |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | <small>NULL</small> |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | <small>NULL</small> |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | <small>NULL</small> |       |

3. Using alteration impose "Unique" constraint on two fields.

[1]

Code:

```
create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
desc book;
alter table book
add unique(BName,AuthorName);
desc book;
```

```

create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
alter table book
add unique(BName,AuthorName);

```

Execution 1: Before implementing unique constraints:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ▶ | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   |     | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

Execution 2: After implementing unique constraints:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ▶ | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

4. Create another relation Publisher (PID, Pname). Use PID as the foreign key of book relation.

[1]

Code:

```

) create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
- );
alter table book
add unique(BName,AuthorName);
desc book;
) create table Publisher (
  PID int primary key,
  Pname varchar(255),
  BID int not null,
  foreign key (BID) references book(BID)
- );
desc Publisher;

```

```

create table book (
  BID int primary key,
  BName varchar(255) not null,
  AuthorName varchar(255),
  Price int,
  YearOfPub date
);
alter table book
add unique(BName,AuthorName);
create table Publisher (
  PID int primary key,
  Pname varchar(255),
  BID int not null,
  foreign key (BID) references book(BID)
);

```

## Outputs:

Table book:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ▶ | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

Table Publisher:

|   | Field | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|-------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ▶ | PID   | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | Pname | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | BID   | int          | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |

5. Alter the book table to impose a constraint to restrict the price between 500 and 1000.

Code:

```
alter table book
add constraint CHK_Book check (Price between 500 and 1000);
select * from book;
```

Output:

|   | BID  | BName         | AuthorName   | Price | YearOfPub  |
|---|------|---------------|--------------|-------|------------|
| ▶ | 3    | Atomic habits | James Clear  | 850   | 2016-08-17 |
|   | 4    | The Alchemist | Paulo Coelho | 600   | 2019-06-12 |
| * | NULL | NULL          | NULL         | NULL  | NULL       |

```
alter table book
add constraint CHK_Book check (Price between 500 and
1000);
select * from book;
```

6. Alter the publisher relation to make the default Pname as "Elsevier".

[1]

Code:



```
ALTER TABLE Publisher
ALTER Pname SET DEFAULT 'Elsevier';
desc Publisher;
```

```
ALTER TABLE Publisher
ALTER Pname SET DEFAULT 'Elsevier';
desc Publisher;
```

Output:

|   | Field | Type         | Null | Key | Default  | Extra |
|---|-------|--------------|------|-----|----------|-------|
| ► | PID   | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL     |       |
|   | Pname | varchar(255) | YES  |     | Elsevier |       |
|   | BID   | int          | NO   | MUL | NULL     |       |

7. Give some examples (by inserting records into book relation) to violate the primary key, not null, unique, foreign key and check constraints. [include the screenshot of the error as the answer along with the handwritten query]. [4]

# in order to violate the property of primary key:

Code:

```
insert into book
values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13');
insert into book
values (1, 'The Kite Runner', 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12');
desc book;
```

```
insert into book
values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13');
insert into book
values (1, 'The Kite Runner', 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12');
desc book;
```

## Output / Error:

| Action Output |          |  |  |  |
|---------------|----------|--|--|--|
| #             | Time     | Action   | Message  |  |
| 1             | 20:29:14 | insert into book values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13')              | 1 row(s) affected  |  |
| 2             | 20:29:14 | insert into book values (1, 'The Kite Runner', 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12') | Error Code: 1062. Duplicate entry '1' for key 'book.PRIMARY' |  |
| 3             | 20:29:34 | desc book  | 5 row(s) returned  |  |

Here the second error denotes the violation of property of primary key

## Schema:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

# in order to violate the property of not null:

## Code:

```
insert into book
values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13');
insert into book
values (2, 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12');
```

```
insert into book
values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13');
insert into book
values (2, 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12');
```

## Output / Error:

|   |          |   |   |
|---|----------|---|---|
| 1 | 20:32:46 | insert into book values (1, '1984', 'George Orwell', 350, '2019-06-13') | 1 row(s) affected   |
| 2 | 20:32:46 | insert into book values (2, 'Khaled Hosseini', 450, '2018-04-12')       | Error Code: 1136. Column count doesn't match value count at row 1 |
| 3 | 20:32:55 | desc book   | 5 row(s) returned   |

Here the second error denotes the violation of property of not null.

## Schema:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

# in order to violate the unique property:

Code:

```
insert into book
values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17');
insert into book
values (4, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 600,'2019-06-12');
desc book;
select * from book;
```

```
insert into book
values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17');
insert into book
values (4, 'Atomic habits', 'Paulo Coelho', 800,'2019-06-12');
desc book;
select * from book;
```

Output / Error:

|   | Time       | Query   | Message  |
|---|------------|---|--|
| ✓ | 1 20:37:31 | insert into book values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17') | 1 row(s) affected  |
| ✗ | 2 20:37:31 | insert into book values (4, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 600,'2019-06-12') | Error Code: 1062. Duplicate entry 'Atomic habits-James Clear' for key 'book.BName' |
| ✓ | 3 20:37:36 | desc book   | 5 row(s) returned  |
| ✓ | 4 20:37:58 | select * from book LIMIT 0, 1000  | 1 row(s) returned  |

Here the second error denotes the violation of unique property.

Schema:

|   | Field      | Type         | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
|---|------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|-------|
| ► | BID        | int          | NO   | PRI | NULL    |       |
|   | BName      | varchar(255) | NO   | MUL | NULL    |       |
|   | AuthorName | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | Price      | int          | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
|   | YearOfPub  | date         | YES  |     | NULL    |       |

Table:

|   | BID  | BName         | AuthorName  | Price | YearOfPub  |
|---|------|---------------|-------------|-------|------------|
| ▶ | 3    | Atomic habits | James Clear | 850   | 2016-08-17 |
| * | NULL | NULL          | NULL        | NULL  | NULL       |

# in order to violate the property of foreign key:

Code:

```
insert into Publisher
values (5, 'Piegons', 3);
insert into Publisher
values (6, 'Parrot', 6);
select * from book;
select * from Publisher;
```

```
insert into Publisher
values (5, 'Piegons', 3);
insert into Publisher
values (6, 'Parrot', 6);
select * from book;
select * from Publisher;
```

Output / Error:

Main Table:

|   | BID | BName           | AuthorName      | Price | YearOfPub  |
|---|-----|-----------------|-----------------|-------|------------|
| ▶ | 1   | 1984            | George Orwell   | 350   | 2019-06-13 |
|   | 2   | The Kite Runner | Khaled Hosseini | 450   | 2018-04-12 |
|   | 3   | Atomic habits   | James Clear     | 850   | 2016-08-17 |

Error:

|   |   |          |  |   |
|---|---|----------|--|---|
| ✓ | 1 | 20:46:30 | insert into Publisher values (5, 'Piegons', 3) | 1 row(s) affected   |
| ✗ | 2 | 20:46:30 | insert into Publisher values (6, 'Parrot', 6)  | Error Code: 1452. Cannot add or update a child row: a foreign key constraint fails ('books'. 'publisher', CONS... |
| ✓ | 3 | 20:47:03 | select * from book LIMIT 0, 1000               | 3 row(s) returned   |
| ✓ | 4 | 20:47:03 | select * from Publisher LIMIT 0, 1000          | 1 row(s) returned   |

Here the second error denotes the violation of foreign key property since there is no value '6' in BID but we tried inserting in foreign table.

Hence,

Foreign table:

|   | PID  | Pname   | BID  |
|---|------|---------|------|
| ▶ | 5    | Piegons | 3    |
| * | NULL | NULL    | NULL |

# in order to violate the check constraint property:

Code:

```
insert into book
values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17');
insert into book
values (4, 'The Alchemist', 'Paulo Coelho', 600,'2019-06-12');
insert into book
values (5, 'The Great Gatsby', 'F . Scott Fitzgerald', 150,'2021-07-13');
select * from book;
```

```
insert into book
values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17');
insert into book
values (4, 'The Alchemist', 'Paulo Coelho', 600,'2019-06-12');
insert into book
values (5, 'The Great Gatsby', 'F . Scott Fitzgerald', 150,'2021-07-13');
select * from book;
```

Output / Error:

|   |   |          |   |  |
|---|---|----------|---|--|
| ✓ | 2 | 21:06:13 | insert into book values (3, 'Atomic habits', 'James Clear', 850,'2016-08-17')             | 1 row(s) affected  |
| ✓ | 3 | 21:06:13 | insert into book values (4, 'The Alchemist', 'Paulo Coelho', 600,'2019-06-12')            | 1 row(s) affected  |
| ✗ | 4 | 21:06:13 | insert into book values (5, 'The Great Gatsby', 'F . Scott Fitzgerald', 150,'2021-07-13') | Error Code: 3819. Check constraint 'CHK_Book' is violated. |
| ✓ | 5 | 21:06:18 | select * from book LIMIT 0, 1000  | 2 row(s) returned  |

Here the third line error is caused due since we tried entering price as 150 but the check constraint is for the price in between 500 to 1000 which gets executed successfully.

Hence the table is as follows:

|   | BID  | BName         | AuthorName   | Price | YearOfPub  |
|---|------|---------------|--------------|-------|------------|
| ▶ | 3    | Atomic habits | James Clear  | 850   | 2016-08-17 |
|   | 4    | The Alchemist | Paulo Coelho | 600   | 2019-06-12 |
| * | NULL | NULL          | NULL         | NULL  | NULL       |