

Errata and Updates For Database System Concepts, 7th Edition Silberschatz, Korth, and Sudarshan

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We list below errors, clarifications, and recent updates.

CHAPTER 1

1. Page 3, line 2: “varies” → “various”

CHAPTER 2

1. Page 47, Figure 2.9, *classroom* relation:
room_number → *room_number*
(Reported by: Ya-hui Chang)
2. Solution to Practice Exercise 2.7
(Reported by: Qing Zhu)

CHAPTER 3

1. Page 94, first query: **count** (**distinct** *ID*) → **count** (**distinct** *instructor.ID*)
(Reported by: Samar Jameel)
2. Page 96, first query: **having count** (*ID*) → **having count** (*student.ID*)
(Reported by: Ki Li)

CHAPTER 6

1. Page 250, Figure 6.7, Caption: Composite attributes for the *instructor* entity set.
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
2. Page 264, Figure 6.15: The line from the relationship set *sec_time_slot* to the entity set *time_slot* should have an arrow pointing towards *time_slot*.
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
3. Page 280, 2nd line from the bottom: the relationship takes should be the relationship *stud-section*
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
4. 281, 2nd line: 6.21c should be 6.21b, 6.22a should be 6.22c
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
5. 281, 7th line: takes should be *stud-section*
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)

CHAPTER 7

1. Page 309, 3rd line from the bottom: *r(R)* should be *R*
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
2. Page 313, 9th line: *r(R)* should be *R*
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
3. Page 315, Figure 7.6: move the arrow into the ‘department’
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)

4. Page 320, 9th line: $r(r)$ should be R
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
5. Page 336, 8th line from the bottom: $r21(\text{dept_name}, \text{ID})$, should be $r21(\text{ID}, \text{dept_name})$
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
6. Page 338, 5th line: $(\text{Physics}, 22222, \dots)$ should be $(22222, \text{Physics}, \dots)$, $(\text{Math}, 22222, \dots)$ should be $(22222, \text{Math} \dots)$
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)

CHAPTER 11

1. Page 532, Figure 11.7: The values in the 2nd column (pastel) should be 35, 10, 45, 7, 2, 9, 54
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)

CHAPTER 22

1. Page 1046, 6th-7th lines from the bottom: S_i should be S_j , N_{1i} , N_{2i}, \dots should be N_{1j} , N_{2j} , ...
(Reported by: Yon Dohn Chung)
2. Page 1144, Figure 23.8: All 7 occurrences of h_2 should read as
(Reported by: Qing Zhu)

CHAPTER 23

1. Page 1144, Para 2:
“8 data items” \rightarrow “7 data items”
2. Page 1144, Figure 23.8: All 7 occurrences of h_2 should read as h_3 and all 7 occurrences of h_3 should read as h_2 in this figure.