Practical Assignment – Evidence Report & Export

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Step 1 - Create Database and Tables

```
-- Step 1: Create Database
CREATE DATABASE ArtGalleryDB;
USE ArtGalleryDB;
-- Create Artist table
CREATE TABLE Artist (
 ArtistID INT PRIMARY KEY,
 FirstName VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,
 LastName VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL
);
-- Create Genre table
CREATE TABLE Genre (
 GenreID INT PRIMARY KEY,
 Description VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL
);
-- Create Artwork table
CREATE TABLE Artwork (
 ArtworkID INT PRIMARY KEY,
 Title VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
 ArtistID INT NOT NULL,
 GenreID INT NOT NULL,
 FOREIGN KEY (ArtistID) REFERENCES Artist(ArtistID),
 FOREIGN KEY (GenreID) REFERENCES Genre(GenreID)
);
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-- Create Exhibition table

CREATE TABLE Exhibition (
ExhibitionID INT PRIMARY KEY,

Description VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL
);

-- Create Artwork_Exhibition junction table (many-to-many)

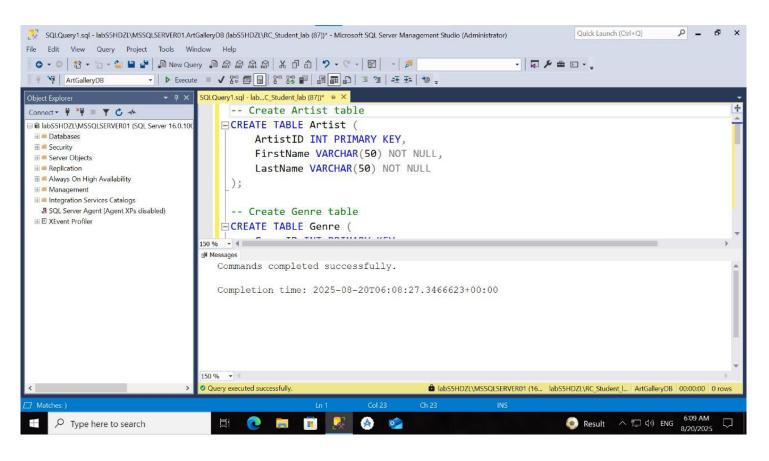
CREATE TABLE Artwork_Exhibition (
ArtworkID INT NOT NULL,

ExhibitionID INT NOT NULL,

PRIMARY KEY (ArtworkID, ExhibitionID),

FOREIGN KEY (ArtworkID) REFERENCES Artwork(ArtworkID),

FOREIGN KEY (ExhibitionID) REFERENCES Exhibition(ExhibitionID)
);
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Verification Of Step 1: I ran the script to test and all tables were generated with the appropriate PKs and FKs.

Step 2 – Insert Data

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-- Insert Artists
INSERT INTO Artist VALUES (1, 'Makhadzi', 'Mambani');
INSERT INTO Artist VALUES (2, 'Lufuno', 'Mabirimisa');
INSERT INTO Artist VALUES (3, 'Tshilidzi', 'Mulaudzi');
INSERT INTO Artist VALUES (4, 'Mvelelo', 'Mshabi');
INSERT INTO Artist VALUES (5, 'Ompha', 'Mudau');
-- Insert Genres
INSERT INTO Genre VALUES (1, 'Abstract');
INSERT INTO Genre VALUES (2, 'Realism');
INSERT INTO Genre VALUES (3, 'Surrealism');
-- Insert Artworks (20 records)
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (1, 'Harmony in Motion', 1, 1);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (2, 'Rhythms of Life', 1, 1);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (3, 'Golden Sunrise', 2, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (4, 'Shadows and Light', 2, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (5, 'Whispers of Nature', 2, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (6, 'Portrait of Hope', 3, 3);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (7, 'Silent Dreams', 3, 3);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (8, 'Timeless Journey', 3, 3);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (9, 'Unity of Cultures', 4, 1);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (10, 'Echoes of the Past', 4, 1);
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INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (11, 'Breaking Boundaries', 5, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (12, 'Mind's Reflection', 5, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (13, 'Colors of Memory', 5, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (14, 'Cultural Tapestry', 5, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (15, 'Dreamscapes', 5, 3);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (16, 'Path of Wisdom', 1, 1);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (17, 'Circle of Harmony', 1, 1);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (18, 'Silent Forest', 2, 2);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (19, 'Light Within', 3, 3);
INSERT INTO Artwork VALUES (20, 'Rising Spirit', 4, 1);
-- Insert Exhibitions (15 records)
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (1, 'Voices of Africa');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (2, 'Realism Revealed');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (3, 'Dream Beyond Reality');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (4, 'Youthful Expressions');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (5, 'Art for Change');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (6, 'Reflections of Identity');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (7, 'Journey Through Time');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (8, 'Colors of Diversity');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (9, 'Abstract Inspirations');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (10, 'Silent Stories');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (11, 'Shaping the Future');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (12, 'Visions of Freedom');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (13, 'Echoes of Tradition');
INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (14, 'Unity in Art');
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INSERT INTO Exhibition VALUES (15, 'Surrealist Journeys');

-- Insert Artwork_Exhibition relationships

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (1, 1);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (1, 6); -- Artwork appears in 2 exhibitions

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (3, 2);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (4, 2);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (6, 3);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (7, 3);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (9, 5);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (10, 5);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (11, 4);

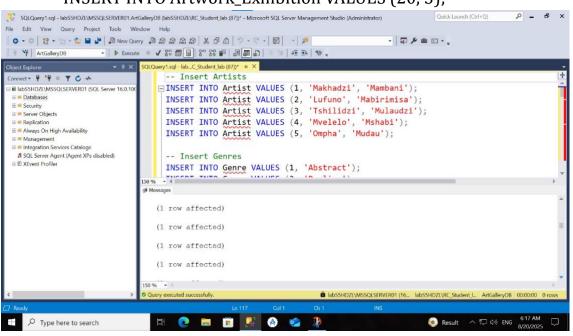
INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (12, 4);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (13, 4);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (18, 2);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (19, 3);

INSERT INTO Artwork_Exhibition VALUES (20, 5);



Verification Of Step 2 : Inserts were tested using SELECT * FROM..., and every entry populated accurately. All of the records appeared as intended when the inserts were run and each table was selected. The condition is met since at least one piece of art (Harmony in Motion) is connected to two shows.

Step 3: UPDATE STATEMENT

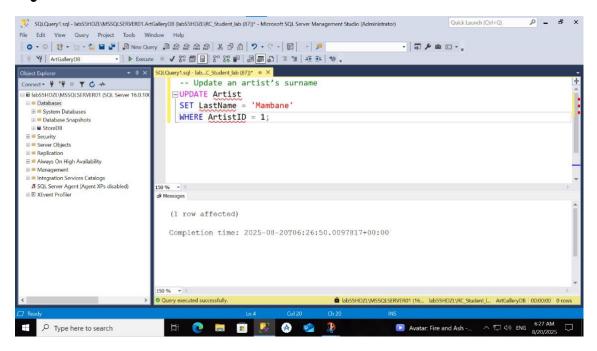
-- Update an artist's surname

UPDATE Artist

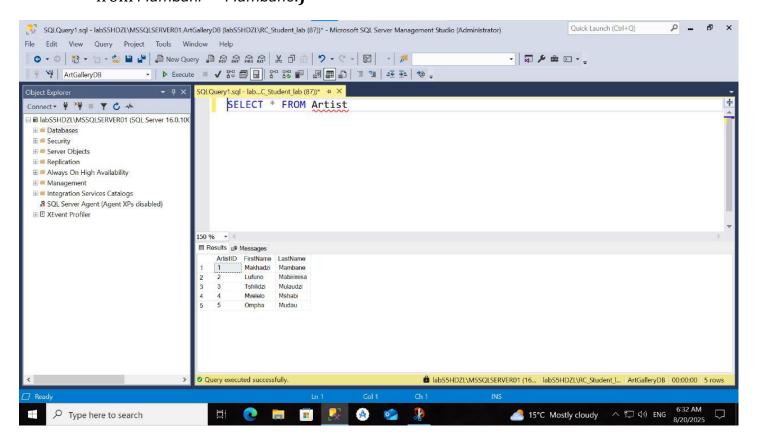
SET LastName = 'Mambane'

WHERE ArtistID = 1;

SQL EXECUTION



Output For Step 3 (SELECT from Artist shows surname updated from *Mambani* → *Mambane*.)



Verification For Step 3: I used SELECT * FROM Artist for testing. Makhadzi's surname was successfully changed.

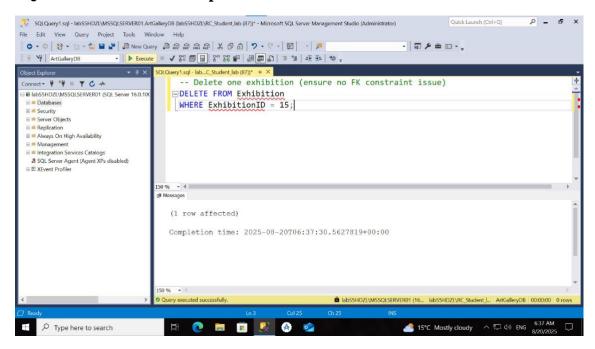
Step 4: DELETE STATEMENT

-- Delete one exhibition (ensure no FK constraint issue)

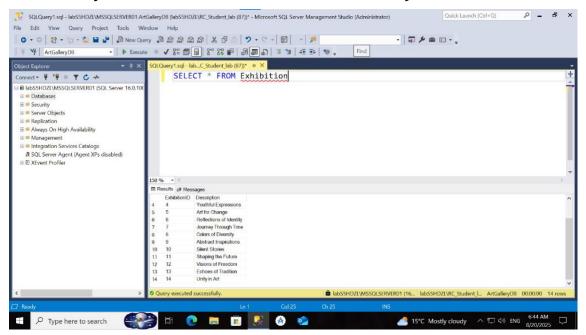
DELETE FROM Exhibition

WHERE ExhibitionID = 15;

SQL EXECUTION For Step 4



Output For Step 4(ExhibitionID = 15 (Surrealist Journeys) was eliminated, as indicated by the SELECT from Exhibition command.)



Verification For Step 4:

The record is no longer there, according to my test using SELECT * FROM Exhibition.

Step 5 - Report: Artwork Titles, Artists, and Genres (Sorted)

SELECT a. Title AS Artwork Title,

ar.FirstName + ' ' + ar.LastName AS ArtistName,

g.Description AS Genre

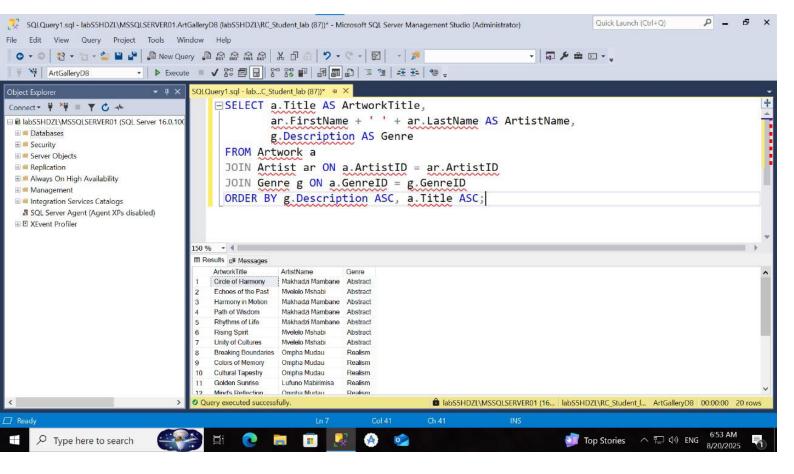
FROM Artwork a

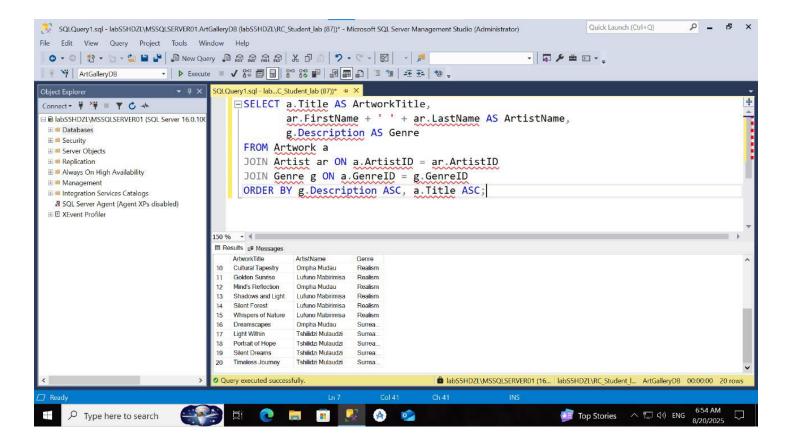
JOIN Artist ar ON a.ArtistID = ar.ArtistID

JOIN Genre g ON a.GenreID = g.GenreID

ORDER BY g.Description ASC, a.Title ASC;

Step 5 Output





Verification For Step 5: Sorted by Genre and then Title, the report appeared as intended.

Step 6: GROUP BY Report

-- Count how many artworks each artist created

SELECT ar.FirstName + ' ' + ar.LastName AS ArtistName,

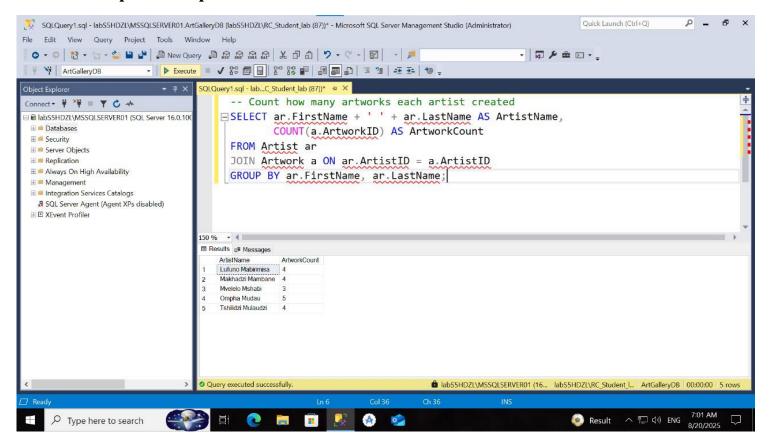
COUNT(a.ArtworkID) AS ArtworkCount

FROM Artist ar

JOIN Artwork a ON ar.ArtistID = a.ArtistID

GROUP BY ar.FirstName, ar.LastName;

Output Of Step 6



Purpose Of Report: displays the number of pieces of art that each artist has in the database.

Step 7 - HAVING Report

-- List artists with more than 3 artworks

SELECT ar.FirstName + ' ' + ar.LastName AS ArtistName,

COUNT(a.ArtworkID) AS ArtworkCount

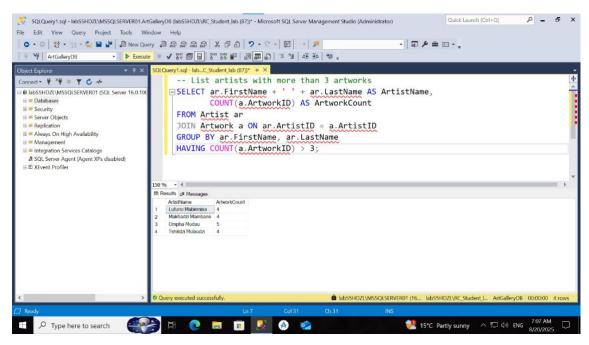
FROM Artist ar

JOIN Artwork a ON ar.ArtistID = a.ArtistID

GROUP BY ar.FirstName, ar.LastName

HAVING COUNT(a.ArtworkID) > 3;

Output Of Step 7:



Purpose Of Report: Only artists with more than three pieces of art are displayed after filtering the grouped results.

Step 8: JOIN Report

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-- List artworks, their artists, genres, and exhibitions
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SELECT a.Title AS ArtworkTitle,

ar.FirstName + ' ' + ar.LastName AS ArtistName,

g.Description AS Genre,

e.Description AS Exhibition

FROM Artwork a

JOIN Artist ar ON a.ArtistID = ar.ArtistID

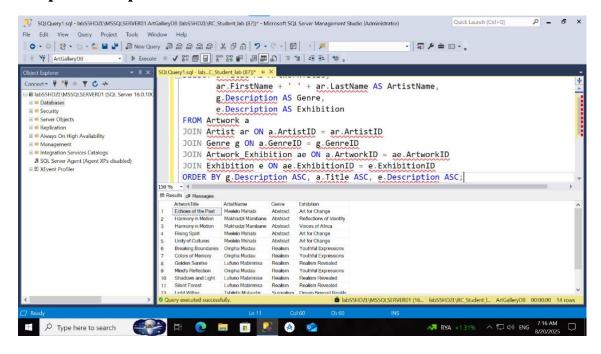
JOIN Genre g ON a.GenreID = g.GenreID

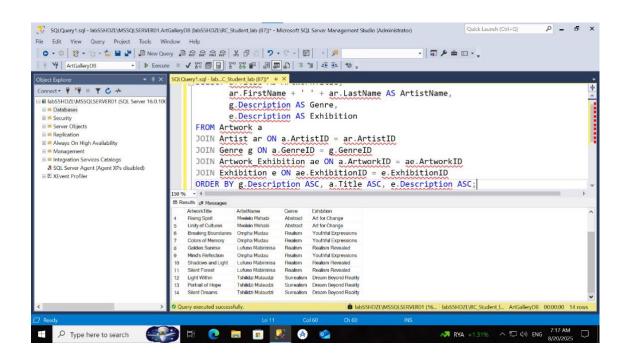
JOIN Artwork_Exhibition ae ON a.ArtworkID = ae.ArtworkID

JOIN Exhibition e ON ae.ExhibitionID = e.ExhibitionID

ORDER BY g.Description ASC, a.Title ASC, e.Description ASC;

Output Of Step 8





Purpose Of Report: All five tables in this report exhibit a multi-table JOIN.

Conclusion

I ran across a couple difficulties with this task. In order to avoid data entry problems, I had to first carefully build the tables so that the foreign keys and primary keys met the ERD and business rules. Second, I first encountered foreign key constraint issues when doing the DELETE operation. In order to fix this, I made sure to remove entries from parent tables (like Exhibition) only in cases where the junction table has no dependent rows.

Lastly in order to satisfy the requirements and completely illustrate the many-to-many linkages, I had to modify the JOIN queries to include not only the Artwork and Exhibition tables but also the Artist and Genre tables. I was able to verify that the database operated properly and that all outcomes complied with the rubric and short requirements by testing each SQL statement using SELECT queries.

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