# NARA Non-Record Material Database (SQL)

## **Description:**

This database holds the NARA Heritage lab's collection of non-record materials, which includes deaccessioned and naturally aged items, treatment materials, and other relevant samples.

#### **Tables:**

# 1. Product

## a. Features:

- i. **Id (Integer):** auto-incremented generated value from database
  - 1. Automatically generated by DB
- ii. Product\_Name (String): name of the product
  - 1. REQUIRED
- iii. **Company\_Name (String):** the name of the manufacturer that made the product
- iv. **Product\_Id\_C (String):** id given to the product by the manufacturer
- v. **Hazardous (boolean):** whether or not the product is hazardous
- vi. **Approve (String):** whether or not the product is still in use
  - 1. Values: "yes", "no", "with", null
    - a. If the value is "with", explain it in the description column
- vii. **Date\_Created (Date):** date when the product was created
  - 1. Format: year-month-date
    - a. Ex: 2020-09-18
- viii. **Date\_Reviewed (Date):** date when the product was reviewed by NARA
  - 1. Format: year-month-date
    - a. Ex: 2020-09-18
- ix. **Purpose (String):** the purpose of the product
  - Values: "Holding Maintenance", "Exhibitions", "Conservation Treatment", "Record Materials"
  - 2. Full documentation of this in Google Doc named "Suggested Purpose Categories"
- x. **Photo\_URL (String):** the url of the product's photo
- xi. **Descriptions (String):** additional info about product
  - 1. Length: 1500 characters

- 2. Ex: explain size metric (ie. "1.5 means that we have one whole sheet and another half sheet since it was cut")
- 3. Ex2: talk about specific product (ie. "one of the items is a defect")
- xii. Quantity\_Metric (String): the metric to quantify the object
  - 1. Ex: lbs
- xiii. **Quantity\_Numeric (Double):** the number of Quantity\_Metric of the product
  - 1. Ex: 2
    - a. Meaning:  $2 \rightarrow 2$  lbs of the product
- xiv. **Position (String):** part of the room where the product is at
  - 1. Ex: Cabinet 2
- xv. **Room\_Number (Integer):** room number where the product is at
  - 1. Ex: 1800

## 2. Material

### a. Features:

- i. **Id (Integer):** auto-incremented generated value from database
  - 1. Automatically generated by DB
- ii. Material\_Name (String): name of the material

# 3. Test

#### a. Features:

- i. **Id (Integer):** auto-incremented generated value from database
  - 1. Automatically generated by DB
- ii. **Test\_Name (String):** name of the test
  - 1. REQUIRED
- iii. **Description (String):** description and additional info about the test
  - 1. Length: 1500 characters
- iv. **Result (String):** result of that test
  - 1. Values: "pass", "fail", "ongoing", "see description"
- v. **Test\_Sheet (String):** the csv file of the test
  - 1. Ex: test1.csv
- vi. **Instrument\_Id (Integer):** the database id of instrument being used in the test
  - Connects the Instrument table to the Test table because of the many-to-one relationship

# 4. Instrument

#### a. Features:

- i. **Id (Integer):** auto-incremented generated value from database
  - 1. Automatically generated by DB
- ii. **Instrument\_Name (String):** name of the instrument
  - 1. REQUIRED
  - 2. Ex: FTIR
- iii. **Description (String):** description and additional info about the instrument
  - 1. Length: 1500 characters

# 5. ProdutMaterial

a. Relationship table that connects the Product Table to the Material Table because of the many-to-many relationship

### b. Features:

- i. **Product\_Id (Integer):** database id of the product
- ii. Material\_Id (Integer): database id of the material

## 6. ProductTest

a. Relationship table that connects the Product Table to the Test Table because of the many-to-many relationship

#### b. Features:

- i. **Product\_Id (Integer):** database id of the product
- ii. **Test\_Id (Integer):** database id of the test

## **Table Relationships:**

- 1. **Product to Material:** many-to-many relationship
- 2. **Product to Test:** many-to-many relationship
- 3. **Test** to **Instrument**: many-to-one relationship
  - a. Instrument can be used in MANY test
  - b. Test can use ONE instrument at most

## **MySQL Workbench:**

1. Make sure to declare database:

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2. CREATE DATABASE naraDB;
3. USE naraDB;
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## **Common errors:**

- 1. Create database table
  - a. CREATE DATABASE naraDB;
- 2. Unable to access database in MySQL:
  - a. USE naraDB;
- 3. Unable to update or remove from tables in MySQL Workbench:
  - a. SET SQL\_SAFE\_UPDATES = 0;
  - b. SET FOREIGN\_KEY\_CHECKS = 0;
    - i. SET FOREIGN\_KEY\_CHECKS = 1;
      - 1. Run this line after you remove table

## **Additional Info:**

1. Maybe add "tested by" column to Test table

