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## **ALTER**

ALTER TABLE table\_name
ADD column\_name datatype;

**ALTER TABLE table\_name** 

ADD (column\_1 column\_definition, column\_2 column\_definition);

ALTER TABLE Customers ADD Email varchar(255);

ALTER TABLE Customers DROP COLUMN Email;

[SQL server]

ALTER TABLE table\_name

ALTER COLUMN column\_name datatype;

[MySQL]

ALTER TABLE table\_name

CHANGE COLUMN column\_name
datatype;

## **ALTER**

ALTER TABLE table\_name

ALTER COLUMN column\_name new\_data\_type(size);

ALTER TABLE Customers ADD Email varchar(255);

**ALTER TABLE listings** 

ALTER COLUMN listing\_name VARCHAR (60) NOT NULL;

## ALTER (ADDING IN A SPECIFIC POSITION)

ALTER table table\_name

Add column\_name integer AFTER column\_name

**ALTER table customers** 

Add column quantity integer AFTER price

## RENAME

ALTER TABLE old\_table\_name

RENAME new\_table\_name;

OR

RENAME TABLE old\_table\_name TO new\_table\_name;

RENAME TABLE products TO products\_old, products\_new TO products

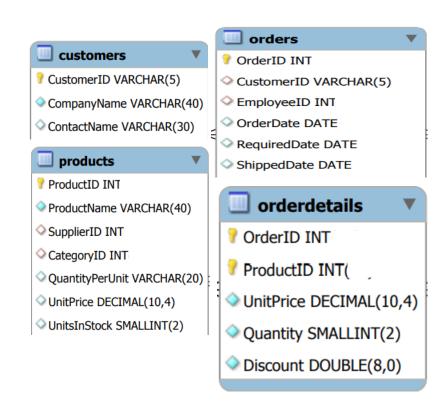
MySQL

ALTER TABLE table\_name RENAME **TO** new\_table\_name

# Create the ShopPty database Create the following tables • Customers — stores customer master data

- Orders stores transaction sale orders from customers
- OrderDetails stores line items of sale orders
- Products stores products master data

- 1. Add a description column in Products table
- 2. Insert 1 row of data in each of these tables
- 3. Remove all the data inside the OrderDetails table
- 4. Delete the orderDetails table completely





# Practice

2. From the AirBnB database change the data type of birthdate in the Hosts table from DATETIME to only DATE

## INSERT INTO SELECT

SELECT column1 column2 column3 ...

```
FROM table1
WHERE condition;

INSERT INTO Customers (CustomerName, ContactName, Address City, PostalCode, Country)
SELECT SupplierName, ContactName, Address, City PostalCode, Country FROM Suppliers;
```

INSERT INTO table2 (column1 column2 column3 ...)

## INSERT INTO SELECT

```
INSERT INTO contacts

(contact_id , last_name, first_name)

SELECT employee_id , last_name , first_name

FROM employees

WHERE employee_id <= 100;
```

# Practice SELECT INTO

- 1. Create a new table called HR\_fulltime with the following fields: enrollee id, city and enrolled university.
- 2. By using the data from the HR\_unknown table, of only for those who studied fulltime add this data into your newly created table.

## **UPDATE**

```
UPDATE table_name
SET column1 = 'value1'
    column2 = 'value2'
WHERE condition;

UPDATE Customers
SET ContactName = 'Alfred Schmidt'
    City= 'Frankfurt'
WHERE CustomerID = 1;
```



# Practice UPDATE

- 1. Steps Use listings table from AirBNB
- a. First show all the host\_names sort this in ascending order → Which 2 options does not look right?
- b. How many entries are there with that value as host\_name
- c. Change the NULL value to "Not completed" and change the (Email hidden by Airbnb) to Hidden
- 2. Fix the international code from the phone number column so that it reads as +27

## **DELETE**

```
DELETE FROM table_name WHERE condition;
```

DELETE FROM Customers WHERE CustomerName= 'Albert Smith';

**Note:** Be careful when deleting records in a table

Notice the WHERE clause in the DELETE statement. The WHERE clause specifies which record(s) should be deleted. If you omit the WHERE clause all records in the table will be deleted

## MYSQL: DESC STATEMENT (DESCRIBE TABLE)

SQL DESC statement use for describe the list of column definitions for specified table. You can use either **DESC** or **DESCRIBE** statement. both are return same result.

DESCRIBE statement to get following information:

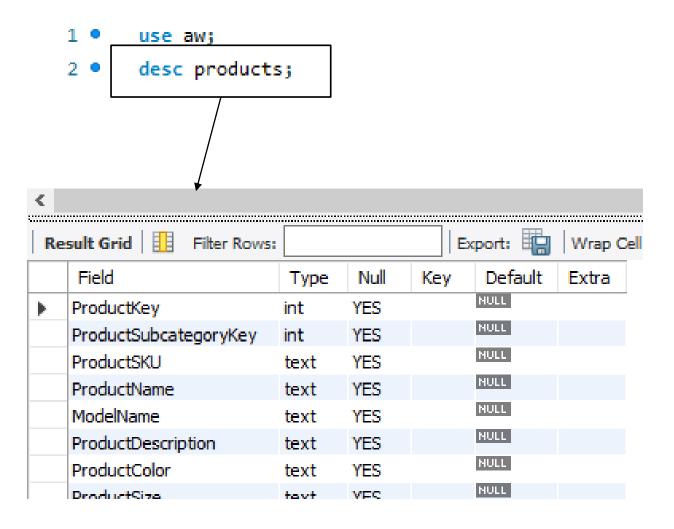
- Column Name
- Column allow NULL or NOT NULL
- Datatype of the Column
- With database size precision and If NUMERIC datatype scale.

## DESC table\_name

```
Name Null? Type

NO NOT NULL NUMBER(3)
NAME VARCHAR2(30)
ADDRESS VARCHAR2(70)
CONTACT_NO VARCHAR2(12)
```

## DESC



## SQL SERVER

## Sp\_columns tableName

