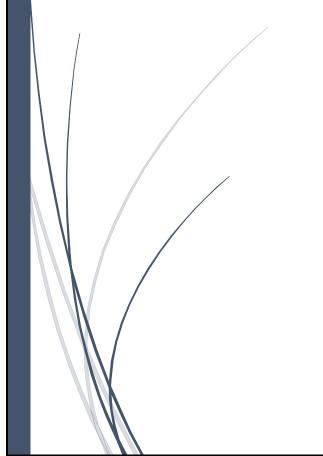
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# Housing Management System



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## **Current System:**

The current system at most of the places around the country are either completely manual or semi-automated. The manual system starts all the way by calling the leasing office for availability and enquiring about the price and signing the lease, making payment and other manual process. This could be good for small housing company but for a company which has properties based in multiple locations this becomes tough, Also the manual process introduces lot of labor cost and window for potential errors. The semi-automated procedure also involves manual procedures but some things like payments are automated.

## **Proposed Solution:**

We are proposing a solution that maintains centralized database to store data about the company's properties located in different places and total number of apartments under each house and details about properties that are already sold or available for sale, leased or vacant apartments. The system would store all the details about each and every property and minimize the manual efforts reducing the overcall costs. The system also contains the capability to receive and respond to complaints and intimating proper concerned department for appropriate solution. The system will also have the capability for the storing and retrieving historical data on demand.

## Requirement:

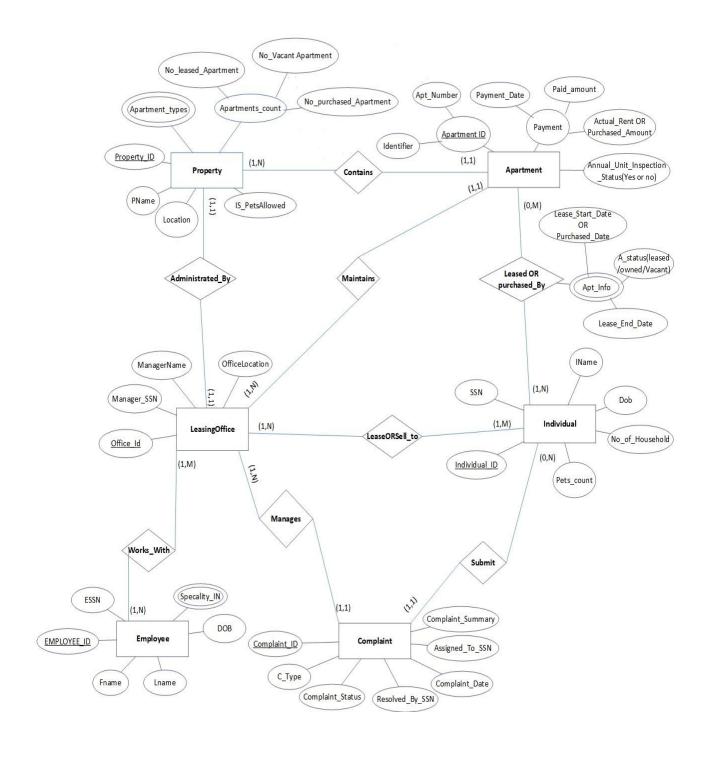
Housing companies wants to maintain a database that contains details of each of its properties at different locations and all their details. The property must contain property Id, name, location, apartment types associated with each property (2BHK,3BHK,1BHK etc.) apartment count which is a composite attribute of leased, vacant and owned apartment along with details on pet's restriction (pets allowed or not).

- 1. Each property contains many apartments built under it and each apartment contains Apartment ID which is a combination of Apartment number (apartment number) and identifier (building ID), details about rent called payment which is composite attribute of payment date, paid amount and actual annual lease or purchased amount where all attributes can be understood based of apartment current status.
- 2. Each property is administered by at most one Leasing Office. Each leasing office has Office ID, Manager\_SSN, name who manages the office and office location.
- **3.** Leasing office leases or sells apartment to individuals and stores details about Apartment current status like (leased, owned or vacant), lease start date or purchased date wr.t to each

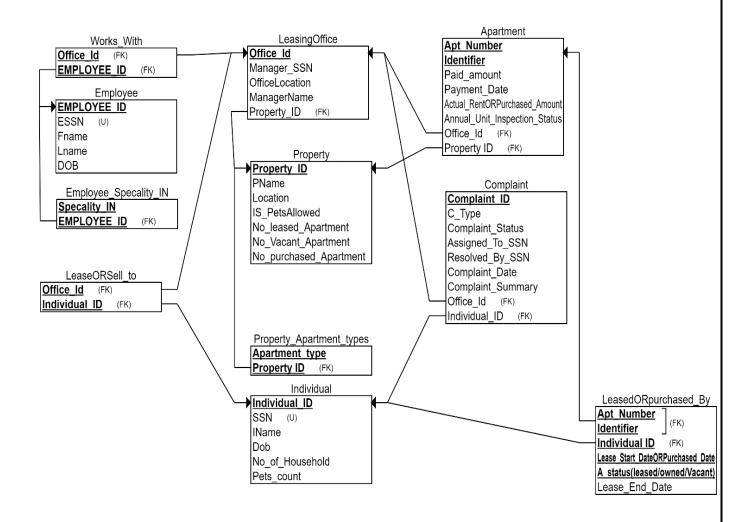
apartment and individual. Leasing office can lease apartments to any number of individuals.

- 4. Apartments are leased or owned by the individuals whose details contains data about individual ID(SSN), Individual name, DOB, number of household and pets stay in leased or owned apartment. One individual can lease one or more apartments and one apartment can be leased or purchased by one or more individuals who live in that apartment. Individual who leases the apartment can purchase same or different apartment. In addition to this each apartment has the annual inspection status populated.
- 5. An individual can submit number of complaints which will be managed by the leasing office of his resident apartment. Every complaint has complaint id, complaint type, status, assigned person SSN and resolved person SSN who actually resolved the complaint along with date of complaint registered. One complaint can be logged by one individual and managed or resolved by any one the leasing office, but an individual can log any number of complaints and leasing office can manage any number of complaints.
- **6.** Every leasing office has employees who work with them. An employee has employee id, SSN, fname, lanme, DOB and specialization. An employee can work for one or more leasing office but should work for at least at one leasing office. A leasing office can contain more than one employee.

## **ER Diagram**



## **Relational Database Schema**



## **SQL Create Schema**

I have created a schema in MySQL named "HMS" technically the name of the database in which I will be creating the tables using the below queries.

#### **Property Table:**

```
use HMS;

CREATE TABLE Property

(

Property_ID INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,

PName VARCHAR(15) NOT NULL UNIQUE,

Location VARCHAR(30)NOT NULL,

IS_PetsAllowed CHAR(3) NOT NULL,

No_leased_Apartment INT NOT NULL DEFAULT '0',

No_Vacant_Apartment INT NOT NULL DEFAULT '0',

No_purchased_Apartment INT NOT NULL DEFAULT '0'
);
```

#### **Leasing Office Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE LeasingOffice

(

Office_Id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,

Manager_SSN VARCHAR(9) UNIQUE,

OfficeLocation VARCHAR(30)NOT NULL,

ManagerName VARCHAR(15)NOT NULL,

Property_ID INT NOT NULL,

FOREIGN KEY (Property_ID) REFERENCES Property(Property_ID)ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE

);
```

#### **Apartment Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE Apartment
Apt Number INT AUTO INCREMENT,
Identifier varchar(5),
Payment Date DATE,
Paid amount FLOAT,
Actual Annual RentORPurchased Amount FLOAT NOT NULL,
Annual_Unit_Inspection_Status CHAR(3) NOT NULL DEFAULT 'NO', # yes or No
Office_Id INT NOT NULL,
Property_ID INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY(Apt_Number,Identifier),
FOREIGN KEY (Office_Id) REFERENCES LeasingOffice(Office_Id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE,
FOREIGN KEY (Property_ID) REFERENCES Property(Property_ID)ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE
);
Individual Table:
CREATE TABLE Individual
Individual ID INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
SSN VARCHAR(9) UNIQUE,
IName VARCHAR(15) NOT NULL,
Dob DATE NOT NULL,
No_of_Household INT NOT NULL DEFAULT '0',
Pets_count INT NOT NULL DEFAULT '0'
);
```

#### **Employee Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE Employee

(

EMPLOYEE_ID INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,

ESSN VARCHAR(9) UNIQUE,

FName VARCHAR(15) NOT NULL,

LName VARCHAR(15) NOT NULL,

DOB DATE NOT NULL
);
```

### **Employee\_Specality\_IN Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE Employee_Specality_IN

(

Specality_IN VARCHAR(15),

EMPLOYEE_ID INT,

PRIMARY KEY(Specality_IN,EMPLOYEE_ID),

FOREIGN KEY (EMPLOYEE_ID) REFERENCES Employee(EMPLOYEE_ID)ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE

);
```

#### **Complaint Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE Complaint

(

Complaint_ID INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,

C_Type VARCHAR(10),

Complaint_Status VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL DEFAULT 'OPEN' CHECK (Complaint_Status='OPEN' OR Complaint_Status='ASSIGNED' OR Complaint_Status='INPROGRESS' OR Complaint_Status='RESOLVED'),

Assigned_To_SSN VARCHAR(9),

Resolved_By_SSN VARCHAR(9),
```

```
Complaint_Date DATE,
Complaint_Summary TEXT NOT NULL, #TEXT has no limit of characters MySQL dont support CLOB
BLOB.
Office Id INT NOT NULL,
FOREIGN KEY (Office Id) REFERENCES LeasingOffice(Office Id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE,
Individual_ID INT NOT NULL,
FOREIGN KEY(Individual ID) REFERENCES Individual(Individual ID) On DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE
);
Works With Table:
CREATE TABLE Works With
Office_Id INT,
EMPLOYEE_ID INT,
PRIMARY KEY (Office_Id, EMPLOYEE_ID),
FOREIGN KEY (Office_Id) REFERENCES LeasingOffice(Office_Id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE,
FOREIGN KEY (EMPLOYEE_ID) REFERENCES Employee(EMPLOYEE_ID) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE
);
LeaseORSell to Table:
CREATE TABLE LeaseORSell to
Individual_ID INT,
Office_Id INT,
PRIMARY KEY (Office_Id, Individual_ID),
FOREIGN KEY (Office Id) REFERENCES LeasingOffice(Office Id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE
CASCADE,
```

```
FOREIGN KEY (Individual_ID) REFERENCES Individual(Individual_ID) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE
);
```

#### <u>LeasedORpurchased\_By Table</u>

```
CREATE TABLE LeasedORpurchased_By

(

Apt_Number INT,

Identifier varchar(5),

Individual_ID INT,

A_status VARCHAR(8) NOT NULL, #leased or owned or vacant

Lease_Start_DateORPurchased_Date DATE NOT NULL,

Lease_End_Date DATE,

PRIMARY KEY (Apt_Number,Identifier, Individual_ID,A_status,Lease_Start_DateORPurchased_Date),

FOREIGN KEY (Apt_Number,Identifier) REFERENCES Apartment(Apt_Number,Identifier) ON DELETE

CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,

FOREIGN KEY (Individual_ID) REFERENCES Individual(Individual_ID) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE

CASCADE

);
```

## **Property\_Apartment\_type Table:**

```
CREATE TABLE Property_Apartment_type

(

Property_ID INT,

Apartment_type VARCHAR(5) CHECK(Apartment_type='2BHK' OR Apartment_type='3BHK' OR Apartment_type='1BHK'),

PRIMARY KEY(Property_ID,Apartment_type),

FOREIGN KEY (Property_ID) REFERENCES Property(Property_ID) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE

);
```

### **SQL Queries**

##list vacant apartments(Apartment ID available at Dayton location for peppertree and along with property ID, Pname and location and Apartment ID.

select P.Property\_ID,PName,P. Location,A.Office\_Id,A.Apt\_Number,A.Identifier

from Apartment A , Property P

where (A.Apt\_Number, A.Identifier) NOT IN (select L.Apt\_Number, L.Identifier

from Apartment A, Leased OR purchased By L

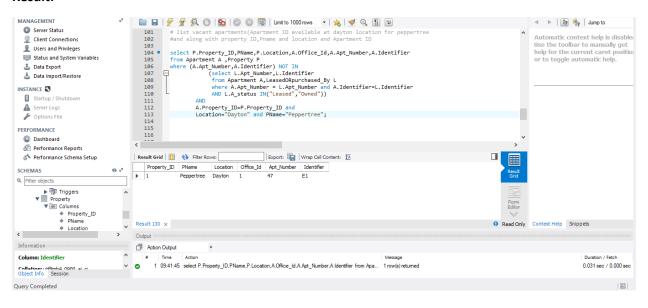
where A.Apt\_Number = L.Apt\_Number

AND A.Identifier=L.Identifier

AND L.A\_status IN("Leased","Owned"))

AND A.Property\_ID=P.Property\_ID

AND Location="Dayton" and PName="Peppertree";

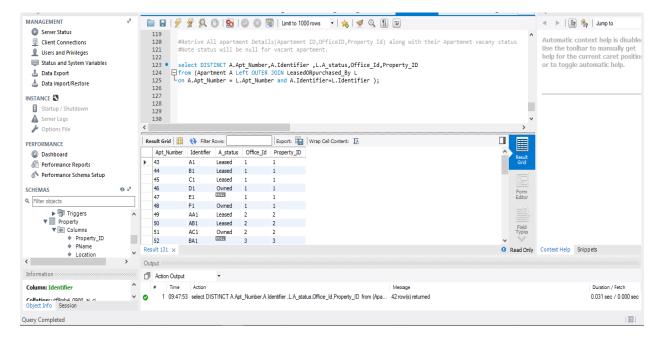


## ##Retrive All apartment Details(Apartemnt ID,OFficeID,Property Id) along with their Apartmnet vacany status (Note status will be null for vacant apartment.)

select DISTINCT A.Apt\_Number,A.Identifier ,L.A\_status,Office\_Id,Property\_ID

from (Apartment A Left OUTER JOIN LeasedORpurchased\_By L

on A.Apt\_Number = L.Apt\_Number and A.Identifier=L.Identifier);



## ## Retrieve apartment ID and Payment attributes for which the actual amount is not paid (actual amount – paid amount) due amount to be paid.

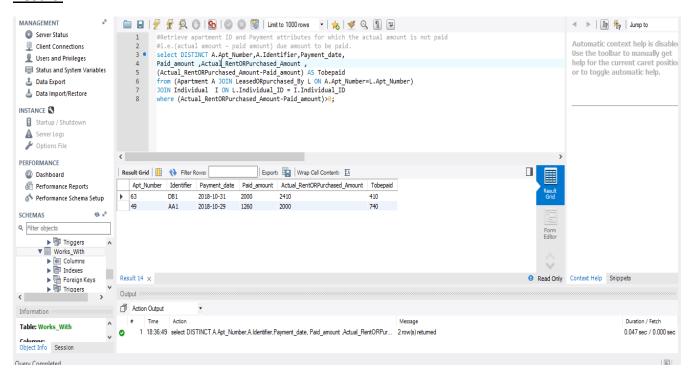
select DISTINCT A.Apt\_Number,A.Identifier,Payment\_date,

Paid\_amount, Actual\_RentORPurchased\_Amount,

(Actual\_RentORPurchased\_Amount-Paid\_amount) AS Tobepaid

from (Apartment A JOIN LeasedORpurchased\_By L ON A.Apt\_Number=L.Apt\_Number)

JOIN Individual I ON L.Individual\_ID = I.Individual\_ID where (Actual\_RentORPurchased\_Amount-Paid amount)>0;



## ##Get the details of individual ID,SSN, Name and leasing office ID ,location who purchased apartment from property "Et Waters" with their date of purchase

Select I.Individual\_ID,SSN,IName,Lo.Office\_Id,

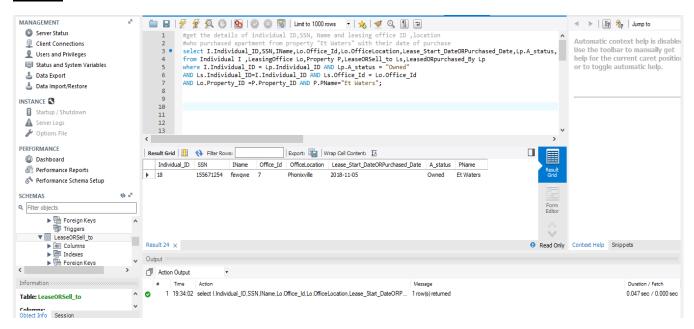
Lo.OfficeLocation,Lease\_Start\_DateORPurchased\_Date,Lp.A\_status,P.PName

from Individual I ,LeasingOffice Lo,Property P,LeaseORSell\_to Ls,LeasedORpurchased\_By Lp

where I.Individual\_ID = Lp.Individual\_ID AND Lp.A\_status = "Owned"

AND Ls.Individual\_ID=I.Individual\_ID AND Ls.Office\_Id = Lo.Office\_Id

AND Lo.Property\_ID =P.Property\_ID AND P.PName="Et Waters";



# #fetch the Complaint ID, status along with Individual ID, Name with their apartment ID who submitted compaints earlier than 7 days whose status is not resolved.

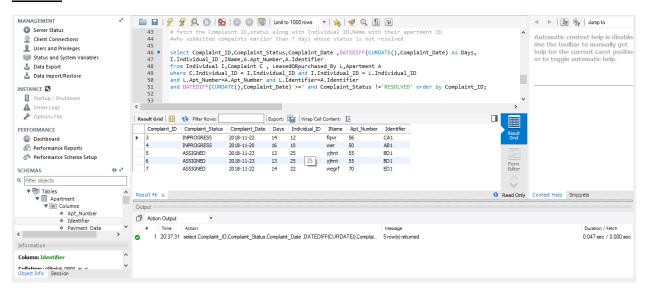
select Complaint\_ID,Complaint\_Status,Complaint\_Date ,DATEDIFF(CURDATE(),Complaint\_Date) As Days,
I.Individual\_ID ,IName,A.Apt\_Number,A.Identifier

from Individual I,Complaint C , LeasedORpurchased\_By L,Apartment A

where C.Individual\_ID = I.Individual\_ID and I.Individual\_ID = L.Individual\_ID

and L.Apt\_Number=A.Apt\_Number and L.Identifier=A.Identifier

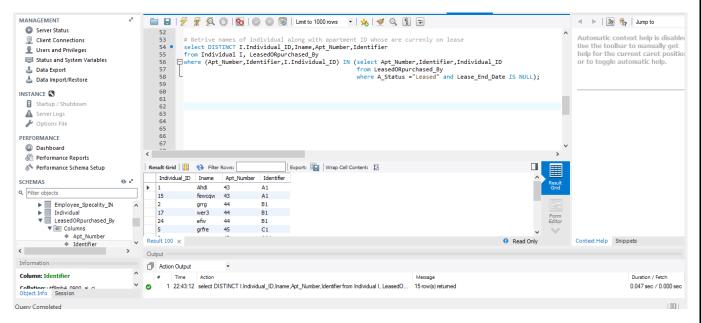
and DATEDIFF(CURDATE(),Complaint\_Date) >=7 and Complaint\_Status !='RESOLVED' order by
Complaint\_ID;



#### ## Retrive names of individual whose are currenly on lease.

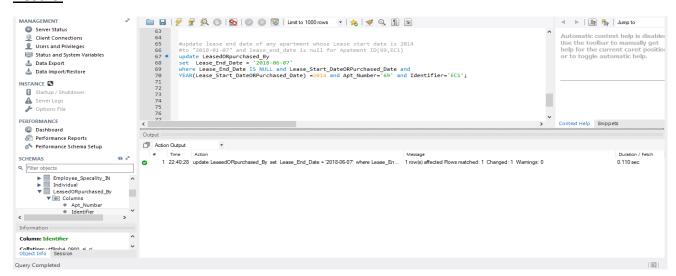
select DISTINCT I.Individual\_ID,Iname,Apt\_Number,Identifier from Individual I, LeasedORpurchased\_By where (Apt\_Number,Identifier,I.Individual\_ID) IN (select Apt\_Number,Identifier,Individual\_ID from LeasedORpurchased\_By where A\_Status ="Leased" and Lease\_End\_Date IS NULL);

#### Result:



## update lease end date of any apartment whose Lease start date is 2014 to "2018-01-07" and lease\_end\_date is null for Apatment ID(69,EC1)

update LeasedORpurchased\_By set Lease\_End\_Date = '2018-06-07' where Lease\_End\_Date IS NULL and Lease\_Start\_DateORPurchased\_Date and YEAR(Lease\_Start\_DateORPurchased\_Date) = 2014 and Apt\_Number='69' and Identifier='EC1';



#### ## Insert values intlo table Property

**INSERT INTO Property(** 

PName ,Location,IS\_PetsAllowed ,No\_leased\_Apartment ,No\_Vacant\_Apartment ,

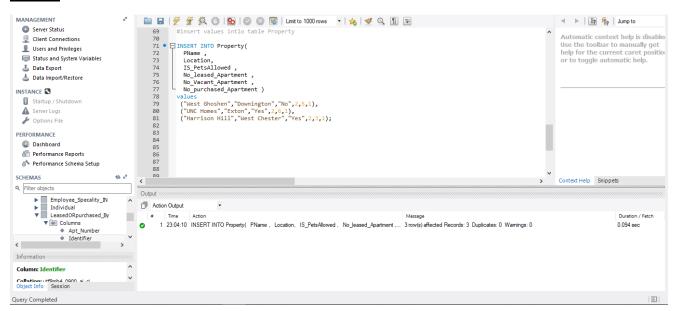
No\_purchased\_Apartment)

values

("West Ghoshen", "Downington", "No", 2, 5, 1),

("UNC Homes", "Exton", "Yes", 2, 6, 1),

("Harrison Hill","West Chester","Yes",2,3,1);



## ## Retrive Employee details who work for more then one leasing office along with number of office he/she work with.

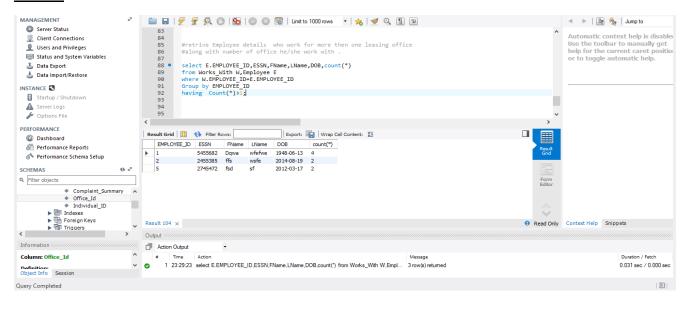
select E.EMPLOYEE\_ID,ESSN,FName,LName,DOB,count(\*)

from Works\_With W,Employee E

where W.EMPLOYEE\_ID=E.EMPLOYEE\_ID

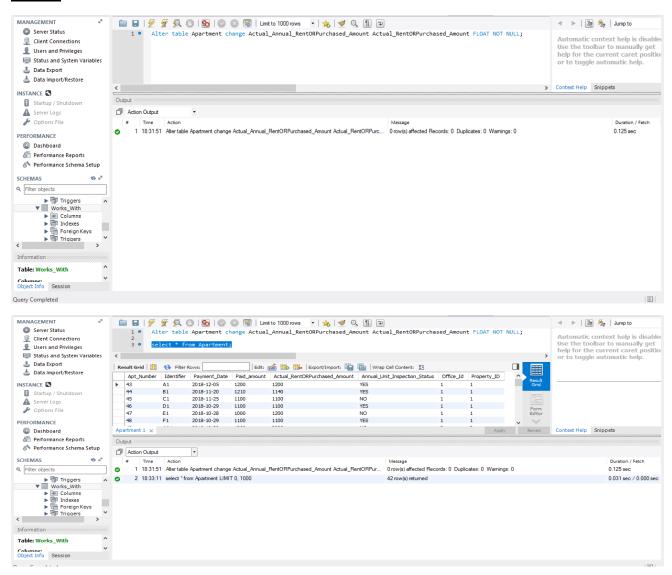
Group by EMPLOYEE\_ID

having Count(\*)>1;



### **Alter Table:**

Alter table Apartment change Actual\_Annual\_RentORPurchased\_Amount Actual\_RentORPurchased\_Amount FLOAT NOT NULL;



## **Discussion points**

I initially started this project with the question what database I can design, eventually I came across designing a database for Housing Management System (HMS). While doing this project starting from requirement gathering it has given me an exposure to the real-world experience of entity, attribute and relation along with structural constraints. While converting requirements to ER diagram and to relational schema theoretically everything looks fine until we actually implement it. While implementing the relational database schema I came across some situations when I needed to revisit the ER diagram and realized the mistake of my existing problem about the relation between two entities. My existing knowledge about relation was while defining structural constraint I have defined them in ER diagram with respect to relation itself instead of considering constraint w.r.t to two entity with action item w.r.t to relation.

For example: In the initial ER diagram I initially defined cardinality between individual and Apartment w.r.t leasing information or purchase information as many to many relation as individual can lease or own any number of apartments. But the question comes when we think about the status of an apartment along with purchaser leasing date. Which can me multivalued and composite data as we need to store historical data about on which date who purchased or leased the apartment along with lease end date

With this mistake I had to update my ER diagram and relational schema which resulted in rework which made me clear that clear requirements and correct understanding of the requirement is essential to avoid rework that may occur huge costs in real time projects.

Apart from this I also learned about some datatypes in MySQL. MySQL uses TEXT datatype rather than BLOB/CLOB and we can't use TEXT as primary key so instead we need VARCHAR.Initially When I designed ER diagram with Complaint ID and Complaint summary as relation attributes I came across situation of added TEXT data type as primary key but encountered SQL error ,that is when I realized TEXT can't be used as primary key since the size is not fixed.Later after through analysis of the requirement the attribute "Compaint\_ID" was being used with Entity rather than an attribute on Relation which uniquely identify the tuple in Database instance. I also came to know about the normalization and de-normalization process and their importance. In my project most of the tables are normalized and that has given the advantages but also it made the realize about the big queries that needs to be written to get the data. Also, when the table size grows, and joins increase execution time becomes the issue and that is when de normalization is required. I came to know that not always normalization is helpful.

I have used Amazon AWS EC2 instance to run the MySQL database and used the MySQL workbench to connect to the database. This was a learning curve which gave me exposure to AWS and hosting and running DB instances on AWS.

I also learned that in real world scenario there is no physical delete operations that are performed on the data. Instead the delete operation are actually update on a column (like Active\_Indicator which is either 0 or 1) and which identifies a row as active or inactive. This helps to maintain the history of the data. However I have not implemented Active indicators in the current Database because it was late by the time I realized it and did not want to make changes at last moment due to time constraints.

Finally by concluding the discussion I would like to add future scope that this system can be further enhanced to support the features like scheduling visits, notifying the future residents about schedules, reminding tenants for their rent payments and a system for notifying users who subscribe about the availability and other details.