Exercise II - SQL Part 1 - Create Tables in SQL Server

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Outline

The objectives of this exercise include:

- Learn how to create tables using SQL Server Management Studio
- Query tables to answer questions

Final product: two tables in a SQL Server database and query results

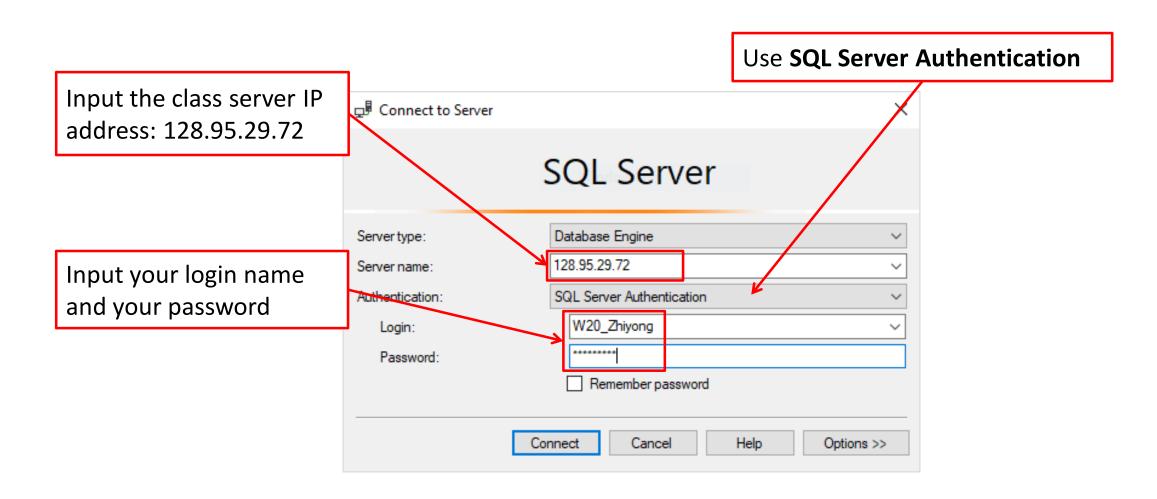
Step 1: Open SQL Server

Use either way to open SQL Server Management Studio:

 Click Start → Microsoft SQL Server Tools 2018 → Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio 18.

Or ask Cotana (the search box in the windows taskbar)!

Step 2: Log on Your Database Account



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Since this is your first time to use your account, you are required to

change the password.



MS SQL Server password guidelines:

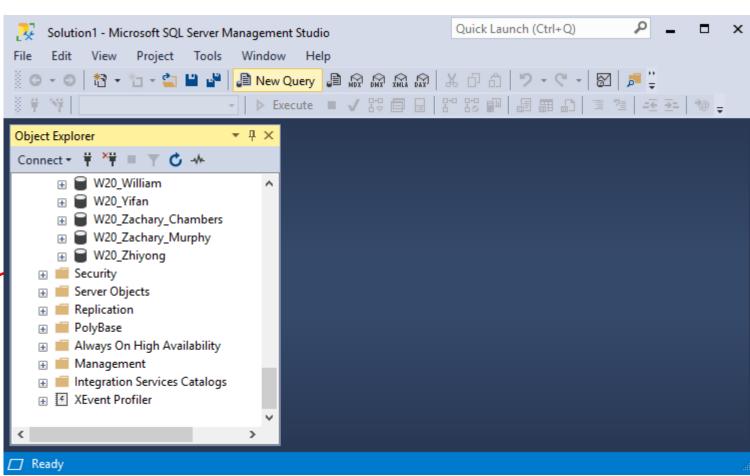
- 1. The password does not contain the account name of the user.
- 2. The password is at least eight characters long.
- 3. The password contains characters from three of the following four categories:
 - Latin uppercase letters (A through Z)
 - Latin lowercase letters (a through z)
 - Base 10 digits (0 through 9)
 - Non-alphanumeric characters such as: exclamation point (!), dollar sign (\$), number sign (#), or percent (%).

Step 3: Locate Your own Database

Click the "+" to expand the

list of contents.

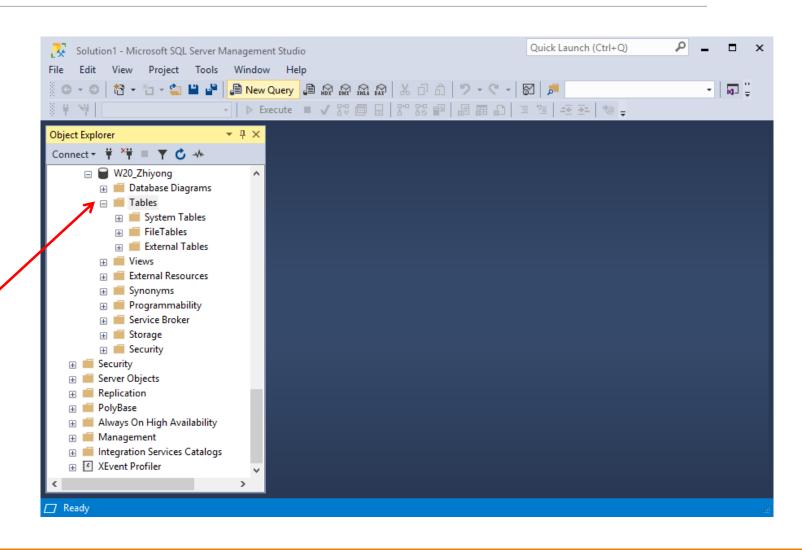
Find your name in the database list



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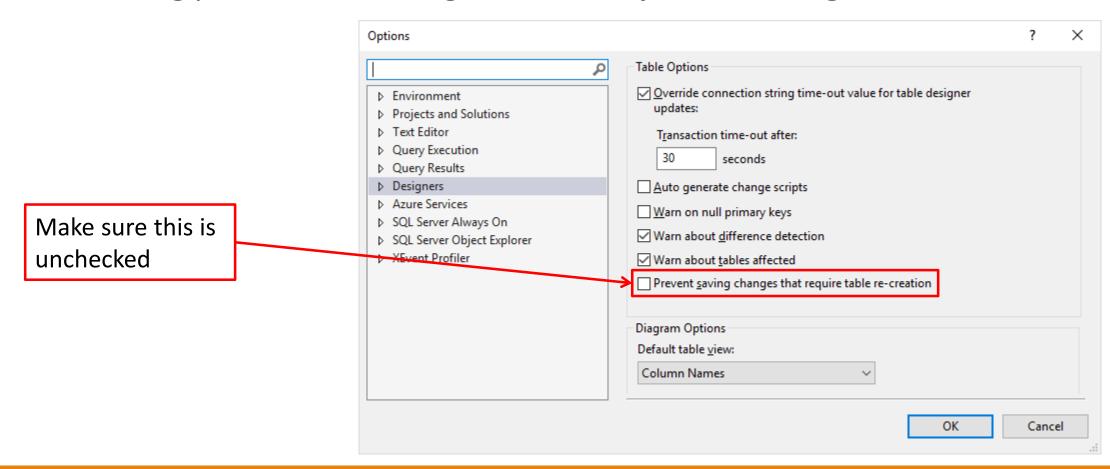
Expand the **Table** list to see relations in your database.

Right now you should have no table in your database.



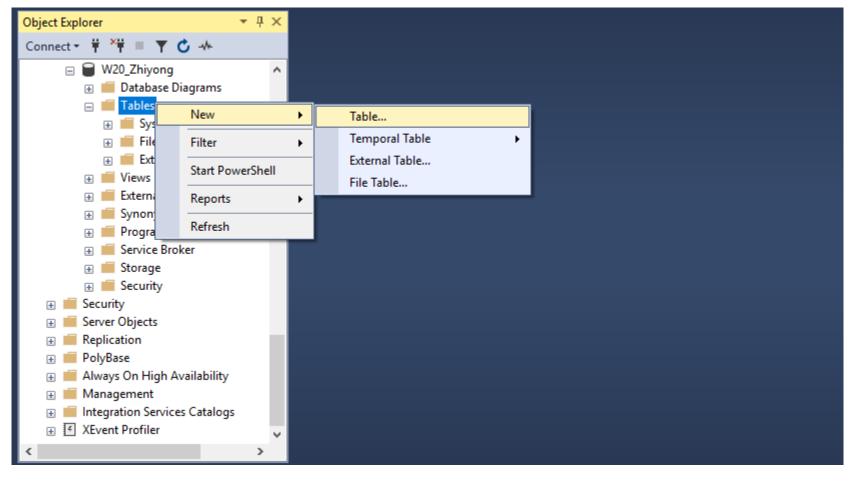
Step 4: Change Settings

SQL Server has an annoying configuration default setting that will prohibit you from saving your tables. Please go to **Tool** \rightarrow **Options** \rightarrow **Designers**



Step 5: Create A New Table

Right click **Tables** and then select **New Table...**

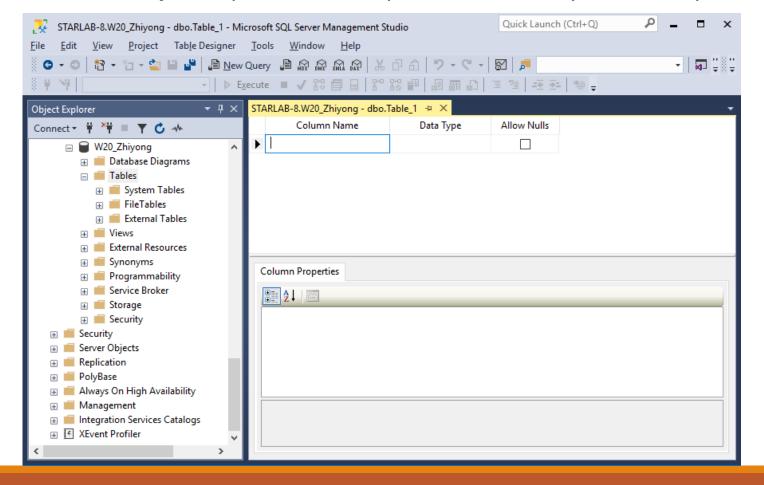


Step 5: Create A New Table

You should see the following windows

If you accidently closed the Object Explorer and Properties Window, you can reopen them in

the View menu.

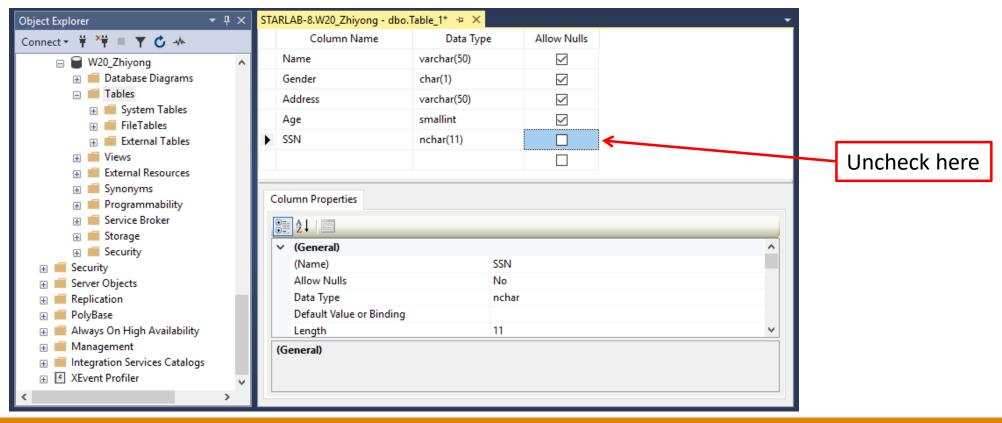


Step 6: Input Attributes

Add column names (Name, Gender, etc.) and select the appropriate data types as shown.

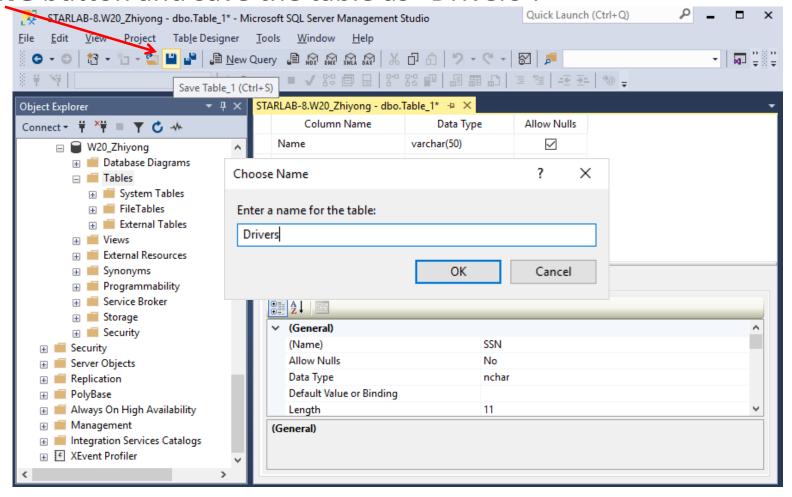
Make sure you uncheck the "Allow Nulls" checkbox for "SSN", as we need to define this as a

key later



Step 7: Save the Table

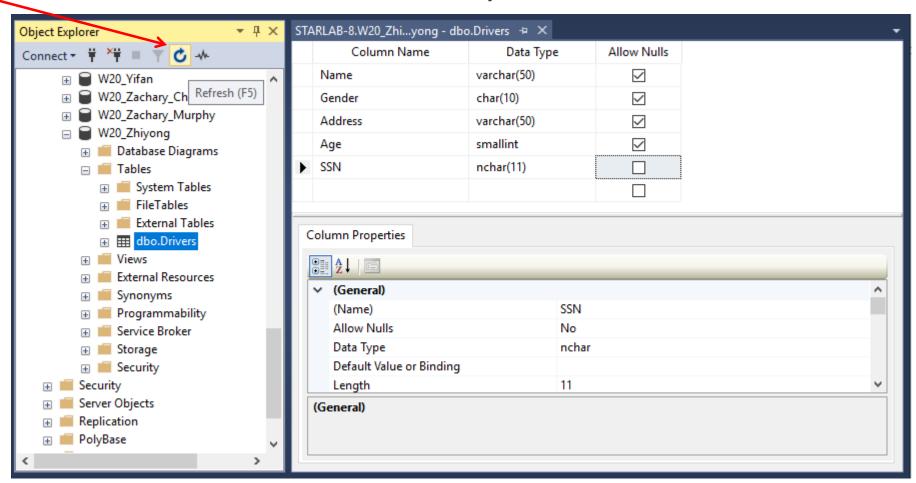
Click the Save button and save the table as "Drivers".



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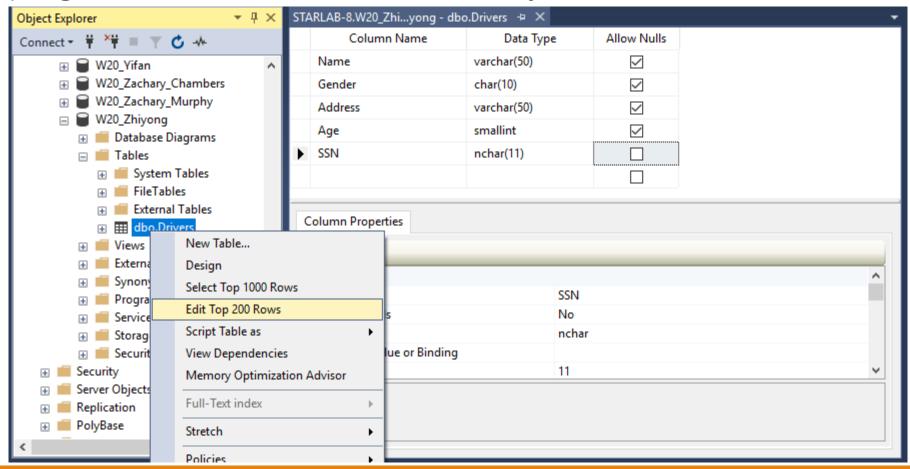
Step 7: Save the Table

Click Refresh icon or Press F5 to see your table in the Tables list



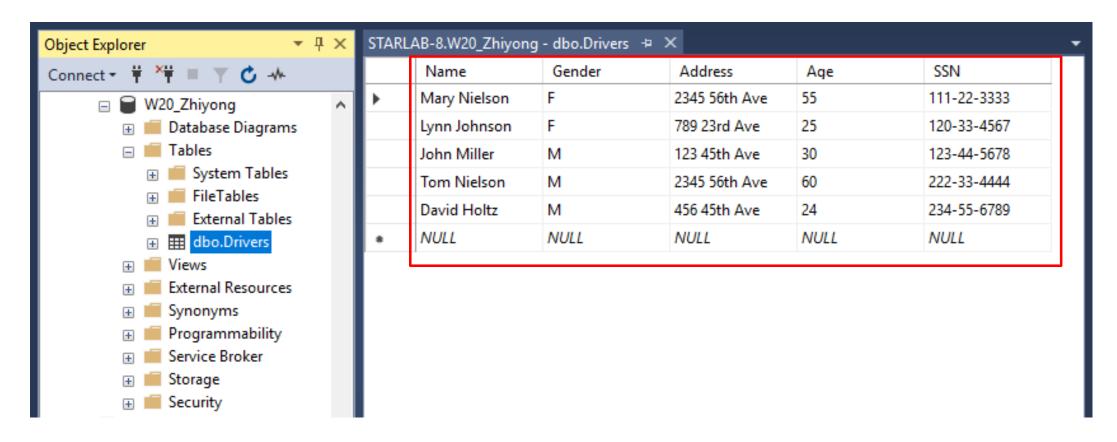
Step 8: Edit Data in the Table

Now you should see a user table called "Drivers" (refresh your database if you don't). Right click this table and select **Edit Top 200 Rows**.

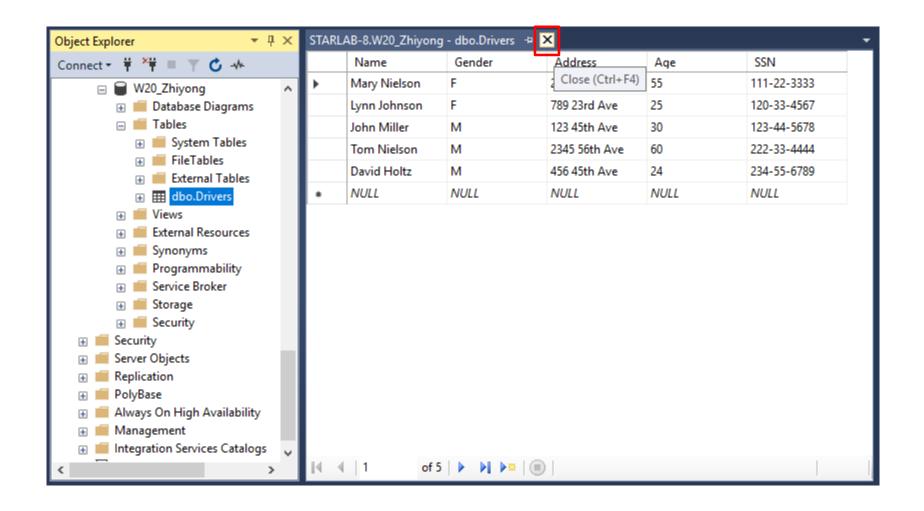


Step 9: Input Data

Now you should see a user table called "Drivers". Input data as shown below.



Step 10: Close All the Tabs

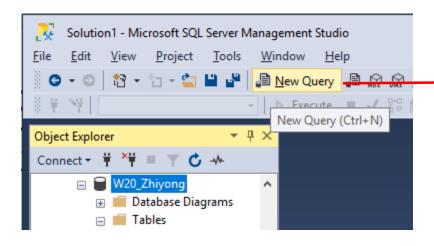


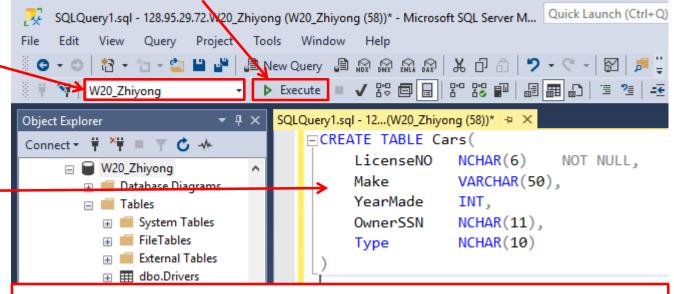
Step 11: Create Another Table

To create a table named "Cars", you can repeat the previous steps. Instead of this, let us create the Cars table using a SQL statement.

- Create a blank query by clicking the New Query button.
- Type in the SQL statement below, then click **Execute**.

This is the database you are working on. Make sure your database is selected here.





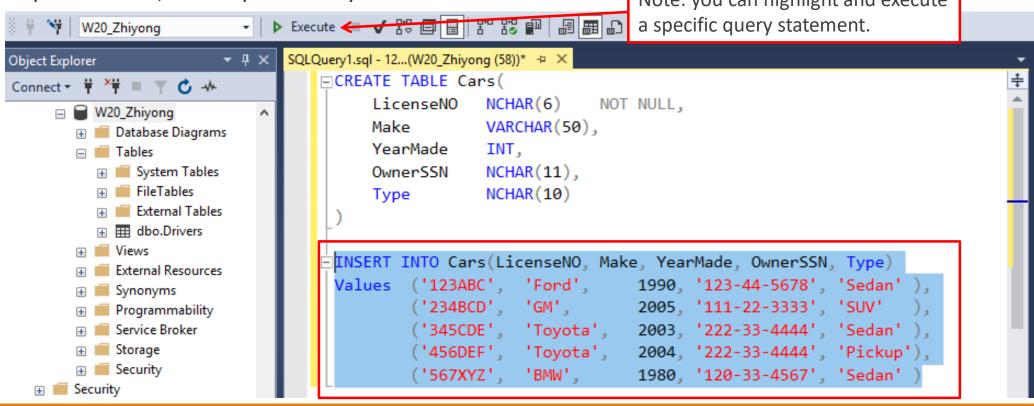
Note that the column "LicenseNo" is defined as NCHAR(6) NOT NULL. NOT NULL is a constraint that requires the column to contain a value for every row. This is one of the requirements for a primary key column.

Step 12: Add Data to the Table

Now we will insert values into the Cars table. We will also do this with a SQL statement. Type in the query as shown below.

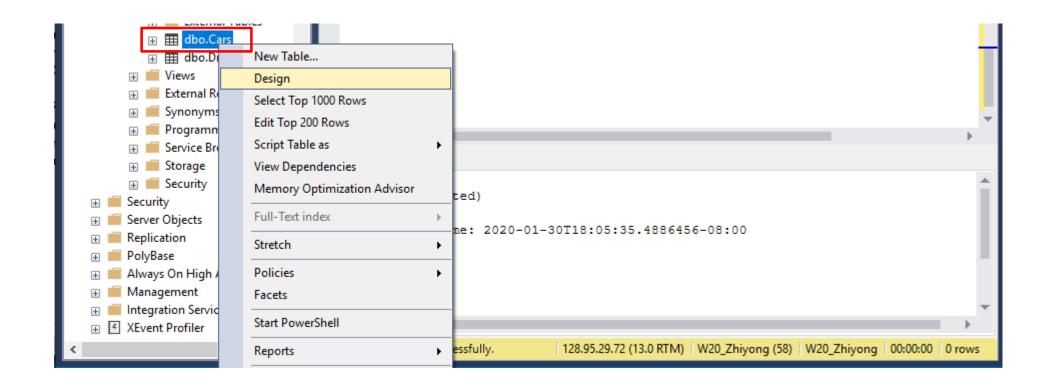
This will insert five rows into the newly created Cars table. Note that each row is enclosed in parenthesis, and separated by commas.

Note: you can highlight and execute



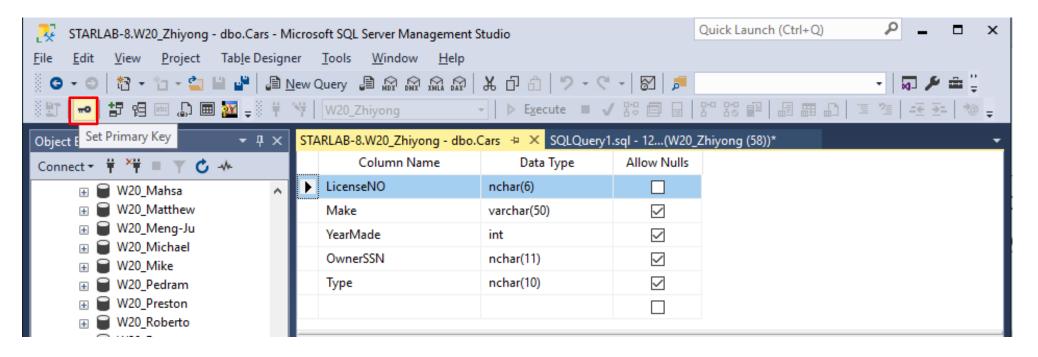
Step 13: Define the Key

In the Object Explorer, right click the new created table Cars and click Design.



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- Select the LicenseNo column name and then click the key icon to set it as the primary key.
- After you see a small key icon appears in front of the LicenseNo column name, close the design table and save the change.



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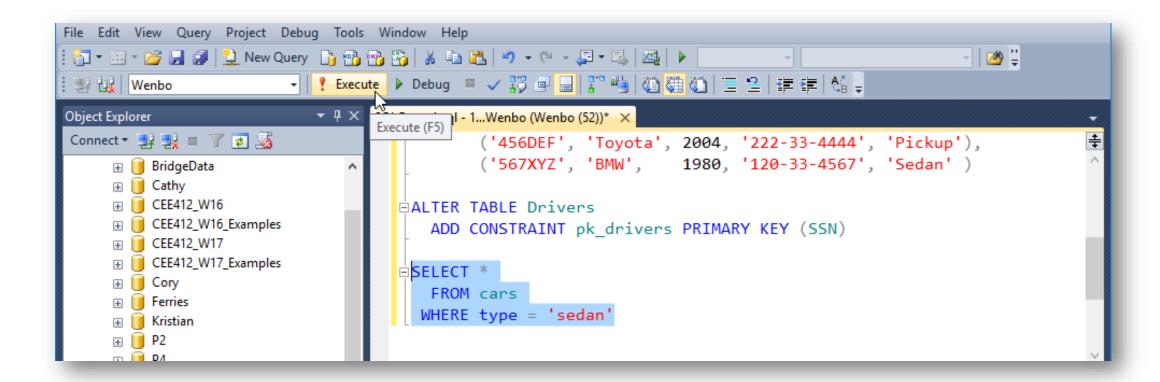
We will use a SQL statement to set "SSN" as the primary key for the "Drivers" table. Run the code shown below to do this.

Set the key constraint, that SSN is the primary key.

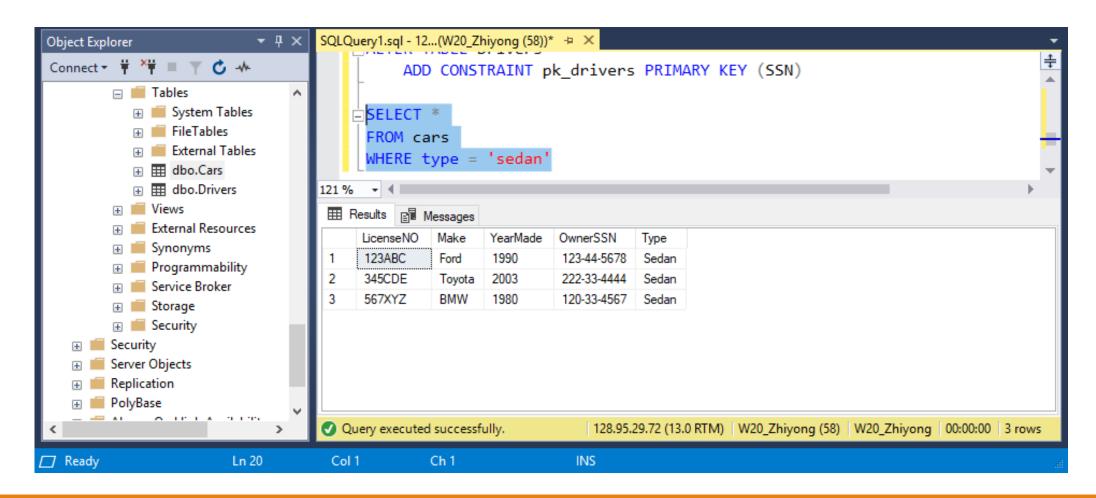
ALTER TABLE Drivers
ADD CONSTRAINT pk_drivers PRIMARY KEY (SSN)

Name of the new constraint, which will be an object in the database.

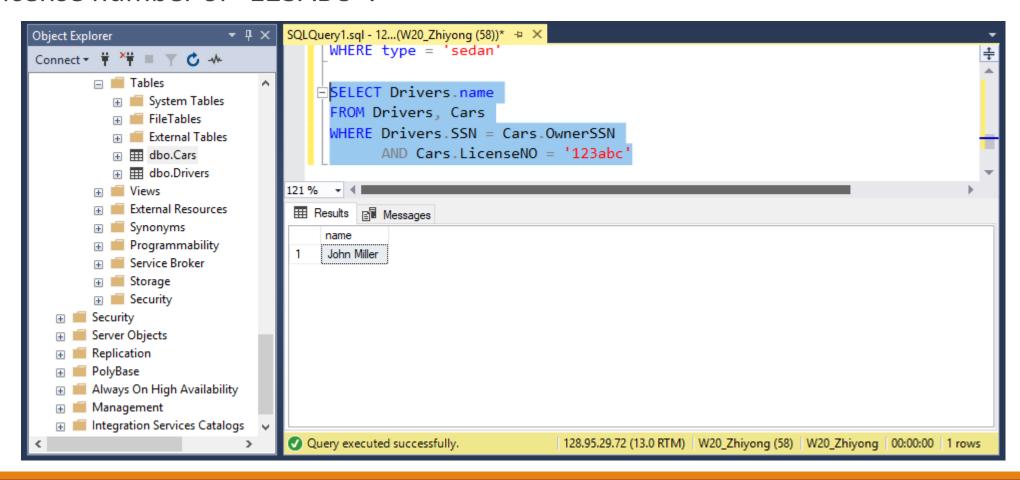
Write the query as shown below. Highlight and execute the query.



Your result should look like the screenshot below.



Try another query to answer: What is the owner's name for vehicle with a license number of "123ABC"?



Now use your own SQL command to answer the following questions:

- What is the type of the car whose LicenseNo is "234BCD"?
- What is the LicenseNo for Lynn Johnson's vehicle?
- Who owns a pickup?
- Produce a list of drivers who own at least one car that was made after 2000.

Check your results with my answers on the next slide.

What is the type of the car whose LicenseNo is "234BCD"?

What is the LicenseNo for Lynn Johnson's vehicle?
 567XYZ

• Who owns a pickup?

Tom Nielson

Produce a list of drivers who own at least one car that was made after 2000.

Mary Nielson

Tom Nielson