

Chapter 4

How to retrieve data from two or more tables

Exercises

Enter and run your own SELECT statements

In these exercises, you'll enter and run your own SELECT statements.

You will submit only the final solution to each of the questions. Therefore, there should be only one SELECT statement submitted per question. To submit your completed exercise solutions, create a Word document with the following information at the top of the file:

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Save your file as `firstName_lastName_ch4mgs.docx`. For example, your instructor would save the file as `laura_goadrich_ch4mgs.docx`.

Submit your completed solution file to Blackboard under the Chapter 4 My Guitar Shop Exercises assignment section.

1. Write a SELECT statement that joins the Categories table to the Products table and returns these columns: `category_name`, `product_name`, `list_price`.

Sort the result set by `category_name` and then by `product_name` in ascending sequence.
2. Write a SELECT statement that joins the Customers table to the Addresses table and returns these columns: `first_name`, `last_name`, `line1`, `city`, `state`, `zip_code`.

Return one row for each address for the customer with an email address of `allan.sherwood@yahoo.com`.
3. Write a SELECT statement that joins the Customers table to the Addresses table and returns these columns: `first_name`, `last_name`, `line1`, `city`, `state`, `zip_code`.

Return one row for each customer, but only return addresses that are the shipping address for a customer.
4. Write a SELECT statement that joins the Customers, Orders, Order_Items, and Products tables. This statement should return these columns: `last_name`, `first_name`, `order_date`, `product_name`, `item_price`, `discount_amount`, and `quantity`.

Use aliases for the tables.

Sort the final result set by `last_name`, `order_date`, and `product_name`.

5. Write a SELECT statement that returns the product_name and list_price columns from the Products table.

Return one row for each product that has the same list price as another product.

Hint: Use a self-join to check that the product_id columns aren't equal but the list_price columns are equal.

Sort the result set by product_name.

6. Write a SELECT statement that returns these two columns:

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| category_name | The category_name column from the Categories table |
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| product_id | The product_id column from the Products table |
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Return one row for each category that has never been used. *Hint: Use an outer join and only return rows where the product_id column contains a null value.*

7. Use the UNION operator to generate a result set consisting of three columns from the Orders table:

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| ship_status | A calculated column that contains a value of SHIPPED or NOT SHIPPED |
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| order_id | The order_id column |
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| order_date | The order_date column |
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If the order has a value in the ship_date column, the ship_status column should contain a value of SHIPPED. Otherwise, it should contain a value of NOT SHIPPED.

Sort the final result set by order_date.