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Intermediate SQL



Intro to Database Systems

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LATE POLICY

You have a total of 4 late days for **projects only**.

- E.g., one project 4 days late, or four projects each 1 day late.
- Late days rounded up to nearest integer. E.g., a submission that is 4 hours late will count as 1 day late.
- If you hand in a homework late (or have used up your extension days for projects), you will lose **25% per day**. After 4 days, the grade will be 0%.

OFFICE HOURS

TA office hours have been added to the website.

We will have both in-person and remote (Zoom) options.

For in-person office hours, we are currently booking space.

Will be finalized by the end of this week.



RELATIONAL LANGUAGES

User only needs to specify the answer that they want, not how to compute it.

The DBMS is responsible for efficient evaluation of the query.

→ High-end systems have a sophisticated query optimizer that can rewrite queries and search for optimal execution strategies.



SQL HISTORY

IBM's first query language was called "SQUARE".

Originally developed in 1974 as "SEQUEL" for IBM System R prototype DBMS.

- Structured English Query Language
- Adopted by Oracle in the 1970s.

IBM releases commercial SQL-based DBMSs:

- System/38 (1979), SQL/DS (1981), and DB2 (1983).

ANSI Standard in 1986. ISO in 1987

- Structured Query Language

SQL HISTORY

Current standard is **SQL:2016**

- **SQL:2016** → JSON, Polymorphic tables
- **SQL:2011** → Temporal DBs, Pipelined DML
- **SQL:2008** → Truncation, Fancy Sorting
- **SQL:2003** → XML, Windows, Sequences, Auto-Gen IDs.
- **SQL:1999** → Regex, Triggers, OO

The minimum language syntax a system needs to say that it supports SQL is **SQL-92**.

RELATIONAL LANGUAGES

Data Manipulation Language (DML)

Data Definition Language (DDL)

Data Control Language (DCL)

Also includes:

→ View definition

→ Integrity & Referential Constraints

→ Transactions

Important: SQL is based on **bags** (duplicates) not **sets** (no duplicates).



TODAY'S AGENDA

Aggregations + Group By
String / Date / Time Operations
Output Control + Redirection
Nested Queries
Common Table Expressions
Window Functions



EXAMPLE DATABASE

student(sid, name, login, gpa)

sid	name	login	age	gpa
53666	Kanye	kanye@cs	44	4.0
53688	Bieber	jbieber@cs	27	3.9
53655	Tupac	shakur@cs	25	3.5

course(cid, name)

cid	name
15-445	Database Systems
15-721	Advanced Database Systems
15-826	Data Mining
15-823	Advanced Topics in Databases

enrolled(sid, cid, grade)

sid	cid	grade
53666	15-445	C
53688	15-721	A
53688	15-826	B
53655	15-445	B
53666	15-721	C

BASIC SYNTAX

As we saw last class, the basic syntax for a query is:

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
  FROM table  
 WHERE predicate1, predicate2, ...
```

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$\sigma_{\text{age} > 25}$ (Selection)

BASIC SYNTAX: JOINS

Recall the relational algebra join operator (\bowtie) from last class.

Which students got an A in 15-721?

```
SELECT s.name
  FROM enrolled AS e, student AS s
 WHERE e.grade = 'A' AND e.cid = '15-721'
      AND e.sid = s.sid
```

AGGREGATES

Functions that return a single value from a bag of tuples:

- **AVG(col)** → Return the average col value.
- **MIN(col)** → Return minimum col value.
- **MAX(col)** → Return maximum col value.
- **SUM(col)** → Return sum of values in col.
- **COUNT(col)** → Return # of values for col.



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```
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```

MULTIPLE AGGREGATES

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3.8	3

DISTINCT AGGREGATES

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3.86	???

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```
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  FROM enrolled AS e, student AS s
 WHERE e.sid = s.sid
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AVG(s.gpa)	e.cid
3.75	15-415
3.950000	15-721
3.900000	15-826



avg_gpa	e.cid
3.950000	15-721

STRING OPERATIONS

	String Case	String Quotes
SQL-92	Sensitive	Single Only
Postgres	Sensitive	Single Only
MySQL	Insensitive	Single/Double
SQLite	Sensitive	Single/Double
DB2	Sensitive	Single Only
Oracle	Sensitive	Single Only

WHERE UPPER(name) = UPPER('KaNyE') *SQL-92*

WHERE name = "KaNyE" *MySQL*

STRING OPERATIONS

LIKE is used for string matching.

String-matching operators

→ '%' Matches any substring (including empty strings).

→ '_' Match any one character

```
SELECT * FROM enrolled AS e
WHERE e.cid LIKE '15-%'
```

```
SELECT * FROM student AS s
WHERE s.login LIKE '%@c_'
```

STRING OPERATIONS

SQL-92 defines string functions.

→ Many DBMSs also have their own unique functions

Can be used in either output and predicates:

```
SELECT SUBSTRING(name,1,5) AS abbrev_name  
FROM student WHERE sid = 53688
```

```
SELECT * FROM student AS s  
WHERE UPPER(s.name) LIKE 'KAN%'
```

STRING OPERATIONS

SQL standard says to use **||** operator to concatenate two or more strings together.

```
SELECT name FROM student SQL-92  
WHERE login = LOWER(name) || '@cs'
```

```
SELECT name FROM student MSSQL  
WHERE login = LOWER(name) + '@cs'
```

```
SELECT name FROM student MySQL  
WHERE login = CONCAT(LOWER(name), '@cs')
```

DATE/TIME OPERATIONS

Operations to manipulate and modify **DATE/TIME** attributes.

Can be used in both output and predicates.

Support/syntax varies wildly...

Demo: Get the # of days since the beginning of the year.



OUTPUT REDIRECTION

Store query results in another table:

- Table must not already be defined.
- Table will have the same # of columns with the same types as the input.

```
SELECT DISTINCT cid INTO CourseIds SQL-92  
FROM enrolled;
```

```
CREATE TABLE CourseIds (  
SELECT DISTINCT cid FROM enrolled); MySQL
```

OUTPUT REDIRECTION

Insert tuples from query into another table:

- Inner **SELECT** must generate the same columns as the target table.
- DBMSs have different options/syntax on what to do with integrity violations (e.g., invalid duplicates).

```
INSERT INTO CourseIds  
(SELECT DISTINCT cid FROM enrolled);
```

SQL-92

OUTPUT CONTROL

ORDER BY <column*> [ASC|DESC]

→ Order the output tuples by the values in one or more of their columns.

```
SELECT sid, grade FROM enrolled
WHERE cid = '15-721'
ORDER BY grade
```

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```
SELECT sid, grade FROM enrolled
WHERE cid = '15-721'
ORDER BY grade
```

sid	grade
53123	A
53334	A
53650	B
53666	D

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```
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```

```
WHERE SELECT sid, grade FROM enrolled
```

```
ORDER BY WHERE cid = '15-721'
```

```
ORDER BY 1
```

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```

```
WHERE SELECT sid, grade FROM enrolled
```

```
ORDER BY WHERE cid = '15-721'
```

```
ORDER BY 1
```

```
SELECT sid FROM enrolled
```

```
WHERE cid = '15-721'
```

```
ORDER BY grade DESC, sid ASC
```

OUTPUT CONTROL

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```
SELECT sid, grade FROM enrolled
```

```
WHERE sid = 53666
```

```
ORDER BY cid
```

```
ORDER BY 1
```

```
SELECT sid FROM enrolled
```

```
WHERE cid = '15-721'
```

```
ORDER BY grade DESC, sid ASC
```

sid
53666
53650
53123
53334

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```

```
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```

```
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```

```
ORDER BY 1
```

```
SELECT sid FROM enrolled
```

```
WHERE SELECT sid FROM enrolled
```

```
ORDER BY WHERE cid = '15-721'
```

```
ORDER BY grade DESC, 1 ASC
```

OUTPUT CONTROL

LIMIT <count> [offset]

- Limit the # of tuples returned in output.
- Can set an offset to return a “range”

```
SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE login LIKE '%@cs'
LIMIT 10
```

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SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE login LIKE '%@cs'
LIMIT 10
```

```
SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE login LIKE '%@cs'
LIMIT 20 OFFSET 10
```


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```
SELECT name FROM student  
WHERE ...
```

sid in the set of people that take 15-445

NESTED QUERIES

Get the names of students in '15-445'

```
SELECT name FROM student
WHERE ...
      SELECT sid FROM enrolled
      WHERE cid = '15-445'
```

NESTED QUERIES

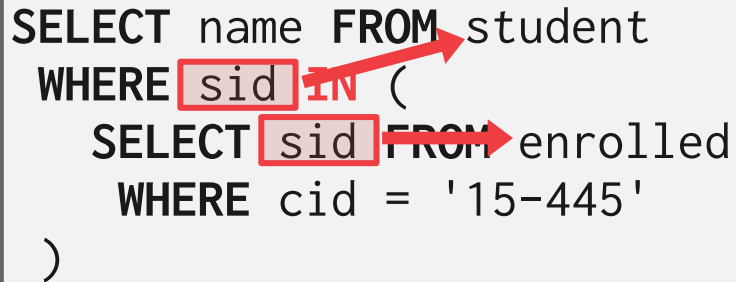
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```
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WHERE sid IN (
  SELECT sid FROM enrolled
  WHERE cid = '15-445'
)
```

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```
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  SELECT sid FROM enrolled
  WHERE cid = '15-445'
)
```

A diagram illustrating a nested SQL query. The text is enclosed in a black rectangular box. The word 'sid' in the inner query's WHERE clause is enclosed in a red box, with a red arrow pointing to the 'IN' keyword. Similarly, the word 'sid' in the outer query's WHERE clause is enclosed in a red box, with a red arrow pointing to the 'FROM' keyword. The inner query is indented relative to the outer query.

NESTED QUERIES

ALL → Must satisfy expression for all rows in the sub-query.

ANY → Must satisfy expression for at least one row in the sub-query.

IN → Equivalent to '**=ANY()**' .

EXISTS → At least one row is returned.



NESTED QUERIES

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```
SELECT name FROM student
WHERE sid = ANY(
  SELECT sid FROM enrolled
  WHERE cid = '15-445'
)
```

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SELECT MAX(e.sid), s.name
  FROM enrolled AS e, student AS s
 WHERE e.sid = s.sid;
```

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  FROM enrolled AS e, student AS s  
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This won't work in SQL-92. It runs in SQLite, but not Postgres or MySQL (v8 with strict mode).

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WHERE ...
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"Is the highest enrolled sid"

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```
SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE sid is the
      SELECT MAX(sid) FROM enrolled
```


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```
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WHERE sid IN (
  SELECT MAX(sid) FROM enrolled
)
```

sid	name
53688	Bieber

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```
SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE sid IN (
  SELECT sid FROM enrolled
  ORDER BY sid DESC LIMIT 1
)
```

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```

SELECT sid, name FROM student
WHERE sid IN (
  SELECT sid FROM student
  JOIN (SELECT MAX(sid) AS sid
        FROM enrolled) AS max_e
  ON student.sid = max_e.sid;
)
)

```

NESTED QUERIES

Find all courses that have no students enrolled in it.

```
SELECT * FROM course
WHERE ...
```

“with no tuples in the enrolled table”

cid	name
15-445	Database Systems
15-721	Advanced Database Systems
15-826	Data Mining
15-823	Advanced Topics in Databases

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*How to "slice" up data
Can also sort*

*Aggregation Functions
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Aggregation functions:

→ Anything that we discussed earlier

Special window functions:

→ **ROW_NUMBER()** → # of the current row

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sid	cid	grade	row_num
53666	15-445	C	1
53688	15-721	A	2
53688	15-826	B	3
53655	15-445	B	4
53666	15-721	C	5

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```

WINDOW FUNCTIONS

The **OVER** keyword specifies how to group together tuples when computing the window function.

Use **PARTITION BY** to specify group.

```
SELECT cid, sid,  
       ROW_NUMBER() OVER (PARTITION BY cid)  
FROM enrolled  
ORDER BY cid
```

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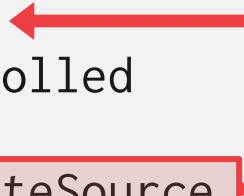
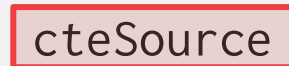
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CONCLUSION

SQL is not a dead language.

You should (almost) always strive to compute your answer as a single SQL statement.



HOMework #1

Write SQL queries to perform basic data analysis.

- Write the queries locally using SQLite.
- Submit them to Gradescope
- You can submit multiple times and use your best score.

Due: Sunday Sept 12th @ 11:59pm

<https://15445.courses.cs.cmu.edu/fall2021/homework1>

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Storage Management

