

SQL as Data Manipulation Language (DML)



Insert and update data

Simple SQL queries

Advanced SQL queries

Views

SQL / DML: Overview

- ▶ Insert, update, delete data
- ▶ Query data
 - Interactively
 - (Embedded in host language)
- ▶ Data presentation to users
 - Output improvements
 - Views

SQL / DML: Insert data

▶ Complete form:

- Predefined order of values

```
INSERT INTO Customer  
VALUES (001, 'Müller', 'Tina', NULL, NULL);
```

▶ Incomplete form:

- Free order of values

```
INSERT INTO Customer  
(last_name, mem_no) VALUES ('Müller', 001);
```

SQL / DML: Insert data

▶ Inserting dates

```
INSERT INTO movie
VALUES (95, 'Psycho', 'suspense',
        TO_DATE('1969', 'YYYY'),
        'Hitchcock', 2.00, NULL);
```

▶ Conversion functions

- String to date

```
TO_DATE(<string>[,<format>]) ORACLE/Postgres
```

- Date to string

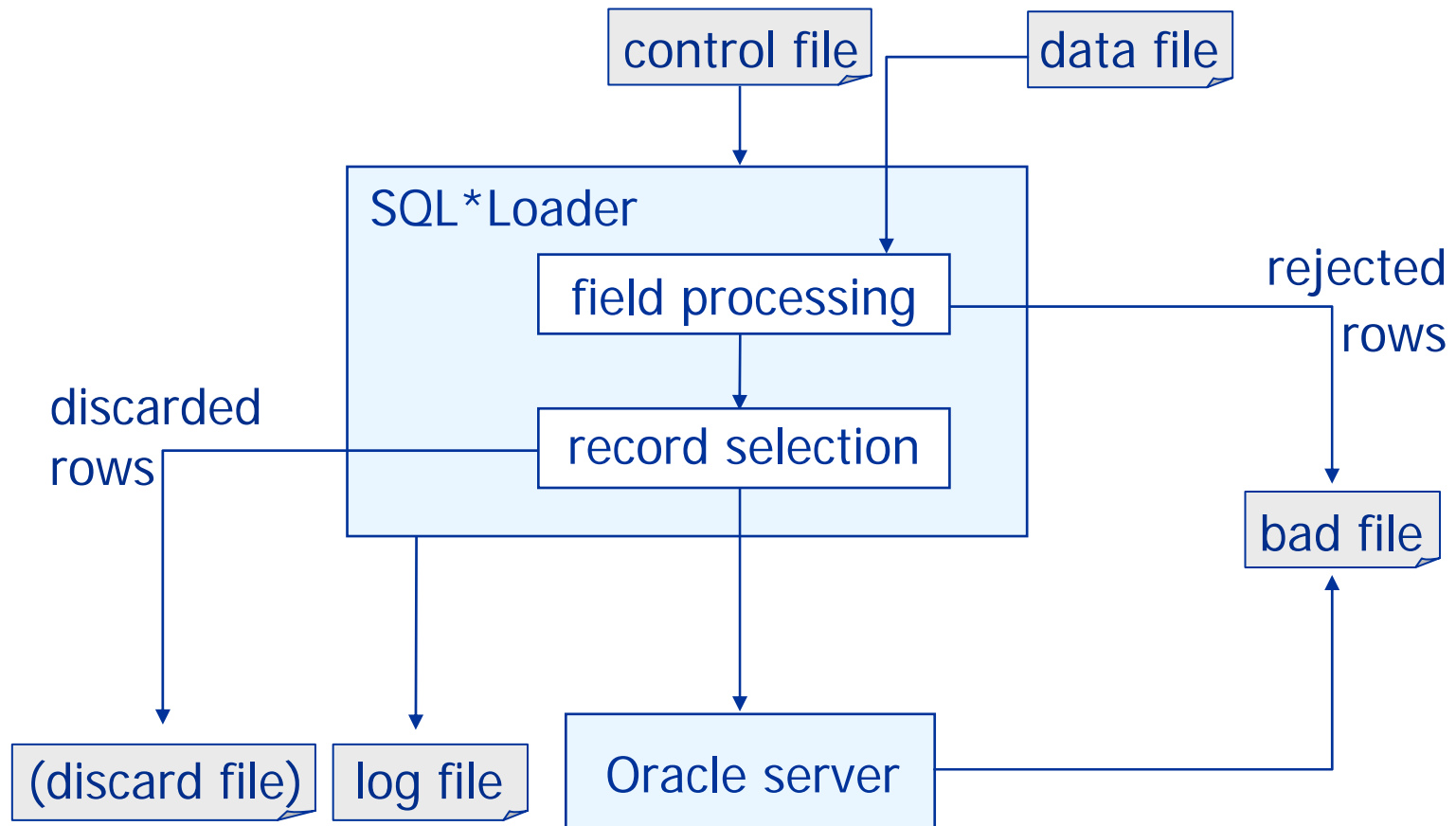
```
TO_CHAR(<date>[,<format>]) ORACLE/Postgres
```

SQL / DML: Insert data

- ▶ Loading data from files
 - System dependent
- ▶ Oracle:
 - `INSERT INTO ...`
 - Bulk load from file: SQL loader
 - Bulk load from other database: export / import tool
- ▶ MySQL:
 - `INSERT INTO ...`
 - Bulk load: `LOAD DATA ...`
 - Bulk load from other database:
`SELECT ... INTO OUTFILE, LOAD DATA...`
- ▶ Postgres:
 - `INSERT INTO ...`
 - Bulk load: `Copy ...`
 - Bulk load from other database: `Copy ...`

SQL / DML: Implementations of bulk load

► Oracle SQL loader



SQL / DML: Implementations of bulk load

▶ Example:

```
CREATE TABLE loadtest(  
    name varchar(20),  
    num number(10,2));
```

loadtest.dat

```
'four' , 4  
'five' , 5  
'six' , 6
```

▶ Oracle Syntax:

```
sqlldr <user>/<password> <controlfile>  
    <logfile> <badfile> <datafile>
```

loadtest.ctl

```
load data  
infile 'loadtest.dat'  
badfile 'loadtest.bad'  
discardfile 'loadtest.dis'  
APPEND INTO table loadtest  
fields terminated by " , "  
optionally enclosed by " ' "  
(name char, num integer external)
```

SQL / DML: Implementations of bulk load

► MySQL Example:

```
Mysql> LOAD DATA INFILE 'loadtest.dat'  
->      IGNORE  
->      INTO TABLE loadtest  
->      FIELDS  
->          TERMINATED BY ","  
->          OPTIONALLY ENCLOSED BY ''  
->          (name, num );  
Query OK, 3 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
Records: 3 Deleted:0 Skipped: 0 Warnings: 0
```


SQL / DML: Insert unique data

- ▶ For synthetic keys, e.g. tapeId, ...
- ▶ Counter-variables in application not sufficient
 - Session dependent
 - Concurrent access problematic
- ▶ Counter relation in database
 - Expensive
- ▶ Proprietary solutions in existing DBMS
 - 📖 MySQL: autoincrement keyword
 - 📖 SQL-Server: identity keyword
 - 📖 PostgreSQL: serial type and sequence
 - 📖 Oracle: sequence-object

SQL / DML: Insert unique data - sequence

- ▶ Abstract sequence-object (Oracle)

- Creates unique integer values

- ▶ Syntax:

```
CREATE SEQUENCE <seqName>  
[START WITH <integer>]  
[INCREMENT BY <integer>]  
[MAXVALUE <integer> | NOMINVALUE]  
[MINVALUE <integer> | NOMAXVALUE]  
[CYCLE | NOCYCLE]  
[CACHE <integer> | NOCACHE]  
[ORDER | NOORDER];
```

- ▶ Example: `create sequence tape_sequence;`

SQL / DML: Insert unique data - sequence

▶ Value Access

- `<seqName>.NEXTVAL` = value of last call + increment
- `<seqName>.CURRVAL` = value of last call

- `SELECT <seqName>.CURRVAL FROM DUAL;`
- `DUAL` is Oracle pseudo-table

▶ Example:

```
INSERT INTO tape
VALUES(tape_sequence.nextval, 'DVD', 95);
```

SQL / DML: Delete data

▶ Syntax:

```
DELETE from <tableName>  
[WHERE <predicate>];
```

- Delete all rows :

```
DELETE from <tableName>;
```

▶ Example:

```
DELETE from tape  
WHERE format= 'Beta';
```

SQL / DML: Update data

▶ Syntax:

```
UPDATE <tableName>  
SET   <attr> = <value>  
      {,<attr> = <value> }  
WHERE <predicate>
```

▶ Examples:

```
UPDATE Customer  
SET telephone = 456789  
WHERE mem_no = 200;
```

```
UPDATE Rental  
SET until_date = SYSDATE  
WHERE tape_ID = 3  
AND mem_no = 200  
AND TO_CHAR(from_date, 'yyyy-mm-dd')='2002-05-01';
```

SQL / DML: Example database

```
insert into customer values (001, 'Müller', 'Tina', NULL, NULL);
insert into customer values (007, 'Katz', 'Anna', NULL, NULL);
insert into customer values (002, 'Maus', 'Carla', NULL, NULL);
....
```

```
insert into movie values (95, 'Psycho', 'suspense',
    to_date('1969', 'yyyy'), 'Hitchcock', 2.00, NULL);
insert into movie values (112, 'ET', 'comedy',
    to_date('1982', 'yyyy'), 'Spielberg', 1.50, NULL);
....
```

```
insert into format values('DVD', '2.00');
insert into format values('Beta', '0.00');
insert into format values('VHS', '0.00');
```

```
create sequence tape_sequence;
insert into tape values (tape_sequence.nextval, 'DVD', 95);
insert into tape values (tape_sequence.nextval, 'DVD', 112);
insert into tape values (tape_sequence.nextval, 'VHS', 222);
```

SQL / DML: Example database

```
insert into rental values (3, 1,
                          to_date('2002-05-01','yyyy-mm-dd'), NULL);
insert into rental values (4, 1,
                          to_date('2002-05-01','yyyy-mm-dd'), NULL);
insert into rental values (5, 3,
                          to_date('2002-05-01','yyyy-mm-dd'),
                          to_date('2002-05-02','yyyy-mm-dd'));

insert into actor values ('Hitchcock',
                          'Hitchcock', to_date('1899-08-13','yyyy-mm-dd'));
insert into actor values ('Harrison Ford',
                          'Harrison Ford', to_date('1942-07-13','yyyy-mm-dd'));

insert into play values(290,'Harrison Ford');
insert into play values(98,'Hitchcock');
```

SQL / DML: Querying Language

- ▶ SQL is relational complete
- ▶ Additional query concepts
 - Advanced search expressions on strings
e.g., find all movies starting with "star wars"
 - Arithmetic in expressions,
e.g., number of tapes for each movie
 - Grouping and predicates over sets
e.g., total receipts of each movie within the last year

SQL / DML: Basics

▶ Basic query pattern:

```
SELECT  [DISTINCT] A1, A2, ..., An
FROM    R1, R2, ..., Rm
WHERE   predicate P;
```

- A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n attribute names,
- R_1, R_2, \dots, R_m relation names,
- P Boolean predicate on attributes and constants

▶ Equivalent to relational algebra expression:

$$\Pi_{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n} (\sigma_P (R_1 \times R_2 \times \dots \times R_m))$$

- Projection (RA) → **SELECT** (SQL)
- Cartesian Product (RA) → **FROM** (SQL)
- Selection (RA) → **WHERE** (SQL)

SQL / DML: Basics

- ▶ Query result is relation
- ▶ Query evaluation order:
 1. FROM-clause
 2. WHERE-clause
 3. SELECT-clause
- ▶ No duplicate removal (performance!)

```
SQL> SELECT last_name
      2   FROM Customer;

LAST_NAME
-----
Müller
Katz
Maus
Hinz
Kunz
Müller
```

SQL / DML: Basics

- ▶ Eliminating duplicates:
 - Targetlist contains KEY attribute
 - Targetlist constrains UNIQUE attribute
 - Targetliste defined with DISTINCT

```
SELECT mem_no, last_name  
FROM Customer
```

MEM_NO	LAST_NAME
1	Müller
7	Katz
2	Maus
11	Hinz
23	Kunz
111	Müller

```
SELECT DISTINCT last_name  
FROM Customer
```

LAST_NAME
Hinz
Katz
Kunz
Maus
Müller

SQL / DML: Basics

▶ WHERE-clause structure:

- Simple Boolean predicates similar to RA and Calculus
- Additional simple predicates:
 - `<attribute> BETWEEN <value1> AND <value2>`
 - `<attribute> IS [NOT] NULL`
 - `<attribute> LIKE <string>`
 - `<attribute> SIMILAR TO <string>`
- Advanced predicated with sub-queries
 - Set-operators (`IN`, `NOT IN`, `SOME`, `ALL`, `EXISTS`)

SQL / DML: Simple queries

Example: All customers named Anna

```
SQL> select mem_no, last_name, first_name
2   from customer
3   where first_name='Anna';
```

MEM_NO	LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME
7	Katz	Anna
23	Kunz	Anna

Example: All movies by Lucas from 1999 or later

```
SQL> select id, title
2   from movie
3   where director='Lucas'
4   and to_char(year, 'yyyy') >= '1999';
```

ID	TITLE
345	Star Wars I

SQL / DML: Simple queries

▶ More examples:

All formats with extra charge between 1 and 2 Euro

```
SELECT *  
FROM Format  
WHERE charge BETWEEN 1.00 and 2.00;
```

All tapes currently on loan

```
SELECT tape_id  
FROM Rental  
WHERE until_date IS NULL;
```

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▶ **LIKE** - expression

- Simple form of regular expression
- % : any sequence of characters
- _ : exactly one character

▶ Example:

All 'star wars' movies

```
SQL> select id, title, director
2  from movie
3  where title like 'Star Wars %';
```

ID	TITLE	DIRECTOR
345	Star Wars I	Lucas
290	Star Wars IV	Lucas

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▶ **SIMILAR** - expression

- Advanced form of regular expression

▶ Example:

All 'star wars' movies

```
SELECT id, title, director
FROM movie
WHERE title SIMILAR TO
      'Star Wars (I | IV | V | VI | 1 | [4-6])';
```


SQL / DML: Simple queries

▶ Member in set: IN

All movies from Spielberg or Lukas

```
SELECT title, director
FROM Movie
WHERE director IN ('Spielberg', 'Lucas');
```

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All movies from Lucas in 1999

```
SELECT title, director
FROM Movie
WHERE (director, year)
      IN (('Lucas', to_date(1999, 'yyyy')));
```

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▶ Functions

- Expressions may contain functions
- Arithmetical and string built-in functions
- User defined functions on user defined types

▶ String function examples:

- `SOUNDEX (<string>), UPPER (<string>)`
- `SUBSTRING(<string> FROM <integer> FOR <integer>)`

```
SQL> SELECT title, director
      2 FROM Movie
      3 WHERE SOUNDEX(director) = SOUNDEX('Spielbak');
```

TITLE	DIRECTOR
ET	Spielberg
Psycho	Spielberg
Jaws	Spielberg

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▶ Arithmetic function examples

- `SQRT (<number>)`
- Basic arithmetic expressions

All tapes, their price and tax

```
SQL> SELECT id, price, day,
2         0.16*price*day as tax
3 FROM Movie;
```

ID	PRICE	DAY	TAX
95	2	2	.32
112	1.5	2	.24
345	2	2	.32
222	2.2	2	.352
290	2	2	.32
100	1.5	2	.24

SQL / DML: Simple queries - expressions

▶ Date function examples

- differ heavily between systems
- Oracle: `SYSDATE`, `MONTHS_BETWEEN`, `ADD_MONTHS`

```
SQL> SELECT title, to_char(year,'yyyy') as year
2 FROM movie
3 WHERE months_BETWEEN(SYSDATE,year)> 120 ;
```

TITLE	YEAR
-----	----
Psycho	1969
ET	1982
Jaws	1975

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▶ Combination of relations

- Schema compatible relations
- UNION, INTERSECT, EXCEPT

▶ Syntax:

```
UNION | INTERSECT | EXCEPT  
      [DISTINCT | ALL]  
      [CORRESPONDING [BY <attributes>]]
```

- Default DISTINCT
- Default: all attributes used
- CORRESPONDING BY: defines used common attributes
- CORRESPONDING: uses all common attributes

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▶ Example:

All movies from Spielberg or Lukas

```
(SELECT title, director
FROM Movie
WHERE director like 'Spielberg')
UNION
(SELECT title, director
FROM Movie
WHERE director like 'Lucas');
```

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► More examples:

All movies not by Lucas

```
(SELECT *  
  FROM Movie)  
EXCEPT  
(SELECT * from Movie  
  WHERE director='Lucas');
```

All directors and actors in our database

```
(SELECT director as celebrity  
  FROM Movie)  
UNION DISTINCT  
(SELECT stage_name as celebrity  
  FROM Actor);
```

SQL / DML: Implementations combinations

▶ Oracle:

- UNION
- MINUS implements EXCEPT
- INTERSECT
- CORRESPONDING [BY] not implemented

▶ PostgreSQL:

- UNION
- EXCEPT
- INTERSECT
- CORRESPONDING [BY] not implemented

▶ MySQL:

- UNION, EXCEPT, INTERSECT not implemented

SQL / DML: Simple queries with joins

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▶ Simple joins

- Search predicates and join conditions mixed

Example: All Tapes and their corresponding movie

```
SQL> SELECT t.id, t.format, m.id, m.title
2 FROM Tape t, Movie m
3 WHERE m.id = t.movie_id;
```

ID	FORMAT	ID	TITLE
1	DVD	95	Psycho
2	DVD	112	ET
3	VHS	222	Psycho
4	DVD	345	Star Wars I
5	VHS	345	Star Wars I
9	VHS	345	Star Wars I

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▶ Cross join (cross product)

```
<tableName> CROSS JOIN <tableName>
```

▶ Natural inner join

```
<tableName> NATURAL [INNER] JOIN <tableName>
```

▶ Example:

```
SELECT *  
FROM Rental NATURAL INNER JOIN Customer;
```

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▶ Inner join with attribute list

```
<tableName> [INNER] JOIN <tableName>  
USING <attributList>
```

Subset of attributes in common



▶ Example:

```
SELECT *  
FROM Rental r JOIN Customer c  
USING (mem_no);
```

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▶ Inner join with condition

```
<tableName> [INNER] JOIN <tableName>  
ON <condition>
```

▶ Examples:

```
SELECT *  
FROM Tape t JOIN Movie m  
ON t.movie_id = m.id;
```

```
SELECT *  
FROM Rental r JOIN Customer c  
ON r.mem_no = c.mem_no;
```

SQL / DML: Simple queries with joins

All Customers who have rented at least one science fiction film

```
SELECT c.mem_no, c.last_name, c.first_name
FROM ((Customer c
      JOIN Rental r ON c.mem_no = r.mem_no)
      JOIN Tape t ON t.id = r.tape_id )
      JOIN Movie m ON t.movie_id = m.id
WHERE m.category='Scifi';
```

```
SELECT c.mem_no, c.last_name, c.first_name
FROM Customer c, Rental r, Tape t, Movie m
WHERE c.mem_no=r.mem_no
AND t.id = r.tape_id
AND t.movie_id = m.id
AND m.category='Scifi';
```

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▶ Natural outer join

```
<tableName> LEFT|RIGHT|FULL  
NATURAL [OUTER] JOIN <tableName>
```

▶ Outer join with condition

```
<tableName> LEFT|RIGHT|FULL [OUTER] JOIN <tableName>  
ON <condition>
```

▶ Example:

```
SELECT *  
FROM Rental r RIGHT OUTER JOIN Customer c  
ON r.mem_no = c.mem_no;
```

SQL / DML: Simple queries with joins

▶ Example (extended)

```
SQL> SELECT r.tape_id, r.from_date, c.mem_no, c.first_name
 2  FROM Rental r RIGHT OUTER JOIN Customer c
 3  ON r.mem_no = c.mem_no;
```

TAPE_ID	FROM_DATE	MEM_NO	FIRST_NAME
3	01-MAY-02	1	Tina
4	01-MAY-02	1	Tina
5	01-MAY-02	2	Carla
		23	Anna
		111	Bert
		11	Fritz
		7	Anna

SQL / DML: Implementations of joins

▶ Oracle/Postgres:

- Simple join
- Cross join
- (natural) inner join with attribute list, with condition
- (natural) Right, left, full outer join with condition

- recommends ANSI-syntax for compatibility

▶ MySQL:

- Simple join
- Cross join
- Straight join (left table always read before right one)
- Inner join with condition
- (natural) left, right outer join with condition

SQL / DML: Improving the output

- ▶ Not feature of relational algebra
- ▶ Example:
 - Rename column title for *this* query
 - Order tuples

```
SQL> SELECT m.title as Movies, t.id, t.format
      2 FROM Movie m, Tape t
      3 WHERE m.id = t.movie_id
      4 ORDER BY title;
```

MOVIES	ID	FORMAT
ET	2	DVD
Psycho	1	DVD
Psycho	3	VHS
Star Wars I	4	DVD
Star Wars I	5	VHS
Star Wars I	9	VHS

SQL / DML: Improving the output

▶ Syntax:

```
ORDER BY <orderexpression> ASC|DESC
```

▶ Ordering expression

- No advanced expressions (no sub-query, no grouping)
- At least one attribute reference
- References in order expression \subseteq result attributes

▶ Multiple sort attributes:

- Primary ordering by first attribute
- Secondary ordering by second attribute, ...

```
SELECT m.title as Movies, t.id, t.format  
FROM Movie m, Tape t  
WHERE m.id = t.movie_id  
ORDER BY title, format;
```

SQL / DML: Improving the output

- ▶ Advanced features system dependent
- ▶ Oracle SQL+ Example:
 - Format column title for *all* queries
 - Don't repeat identical titles

```
SQL> BREAK ON title
SQL> COLUMN title HEADING "Movies" FORMAT A15
```

```
SQL> SELECT m.title, t.id, t.format
2 FROM Movie m, Tape t
3 WHERE m.id = t.movie_id;
```

Movies	ID	FORMAT
-----	-----	-----
Psycho	1	DVD
ET	2	DVD
Psycho	3	VHS
Star Wars I	4	DVD
	5	VHS
	9	VHS

SQL / DML: Sub-queries

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▶ Sub-queries with single results

- Operators {=, ≤, ≥, ≠, <, >}
- Expressible without sub-query

▶ Example:

Movies shorter than 'Star Wars I' (id 345)

```
SELECT m.id
FROM Movie m
WHERE m.length <
      (SELECT m1.length
       FROM Movie m1
       WHERE m1.id = 345);
```

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- ▶ Set Operator **IN**

- ▶ Independent sub-query example:

All Tapes for movie 'Star Wars '

```
SELECT t.id, t.format
FROM Tape t
WHERE t.movie_id
      IN (SELECT m.id
          FROM Movie m
          WHERE m.title like 'Star Wars %');
```

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- ▶ Set Operator **IN**

- ▶ Correlated sub-query example:

Directors playing in their own movies

```
SELECT m.director
FROM Movie m
WHERE m.director IN
      (SELECT p.actor_name
       FROM Play p
       WHERE p.movie_id = m.id);
```

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▶ Alternative syntax: EXISTS

▶ Example:

```
SELECT t.id, t.format
FROM Tape t
WHERE EXISTS (SELECT *
              FROM Movie m
              WHERE t.movie_id = m.id
              AND m.title like 'Star Wars %');
```

```
SELECT m.director
FROM Movie m
WHERE EXISTS (SELECT *
              FROM Play p
              WHERE p.movie_id = m.id
              AND m.director like p.actor_name);
```

SQL / DML: Query rewriting

▶ Rewriting possible for **IN**, **EXISTS**

▶ Examples:

```
SELECT t.id, t.format
FROM Tape t, Movie m
WHERE m.id = t.movie_id
AND m.title like 'Star Wars %';
```

```
SELECT m.director
FROM Movie m, Play p
WHERE p.movie_id = m.id
AND m.director like p.actor_name;
```


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► Negation NOT EXISTS, NOT IN

All tapes that never have been on loan

```
SELECT t.id
FROM Tape t
WHERE NOT EXISTS (SELECT *
                  FROM Rental r
                  WHERE r.tape_id = t.id);
```

All movies no copy of which are currently on loan

```
SELECT distinct m.id
FROM Movie m
Where NOT EXISTS (SELECT *
                  FROM Rental r, Tape t
                  WHERE r.tape_id = t.id
                  AND m.id = t.movie_id
                  AND r.until_date IS NULL);
```

SQL / DML: Quantified sub-queries

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- ▶ Quantified comparison operators
 - No re-writing without sub-query
 - Quantification: **ALL**, **SOME** (synonym **ANY**)
 - Operators $\in \{=, \leq, \geq, \neq, <, >\}$

- ▶ Quantification **ALL**

- Sub-query true if true for all tuples

Most expensive movies

```
SELECT m.id, m.pricepday
FROM Movie m
WHERE m.pricepday >= ALL
      (SELECT m1.pricepday
       FROM MOVIE m1);
```

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► Quantification: **SOME**

- Sub-query true if true for at least one tuple

```
SELECT title, pricePDay
FROM Movie m
WHERE pricePday < SOME
      (SELECT m1.pricepday
       FROM Movie m1);
```

- = **SOME** equivalent **IN**

```
SELECT m.director
FROM Movie m
WHERE m.director = SOME
      (SELECT p.actor_name
       FROM Play p
       WHERE p.movie_id = m.id);
```

SQL / DML: Implementations of sub-queries

▶ Oracle:

- Sub-queries with single results
- Sub-queries with [NOT] IN, [NOT] EXISTS
- Quantified comparison ALL, SOME, ANY

▶ PostgreSQL

- Similar to Oracle

▶ MySQL:

- No sub-queries supported

SQL / DML: Universal quantifiers

- ▶ \forall - Quantification
- ▶ \exists - Quantification (exactly one)
 - Describe counterexample
 - Combine with NOT EXISTS

Movies with only one tape

```
SELECT m.id
FROM Movie m
WHERE NOT EXISTS
  (SELECT *
   FROM Tape t1, Tape t2
   WHERE t1.movie_id = t2.movie_id
   AND t1.id <> t2.id
   AND t2.movie_id = m.id );
```

SQL / DML: Universal quantifiers

All Customers whose rented movies all have category "suspense"

```
SELECT c.mem_no
FROM Customer c
WHERE NOT EXISTS
    (SELECT m.id
     FROM Movie m, Rental r, Tape t
     WHERE m.id = t.movie_id
     AND r.tape_id = t.id
     AND c.mem_no = r.mem_no
     AND m.category <> 'suspense');
```

SQL / DML: Universal quantifiers

Customers that had rented all movies

```
SELECT c.mem_no
FROM Customer c
WHERE NOT EXISTS
    (SELECT m.id
     FROM Movie m
     WHERE NOT EXISTS
         (SELECT *
          FROM Rental r, Tape t
          WHERE m.id = t.movie_id
                AND r.tape_id = t.id
                AND c.mem_no = r.mem_no));
```

SQL / DML: Universal quantifiers

Customers that rented only one movie

```
SELECT c.mem_no
FROM Customer c, Rental r, Tape t, Movie m
WHERE c.mem_no = r.mem_no
AND r.tape_id = t.id
AND t.movie_id = m.id
AND NOT EXISTS
    (SELECT m1.id
     FROM Rental r1, Tape t1, Movie m1
     WHERE r1.tape_id = t1.id
     AND t1.movie_id = m1.id
     AND c.mem_no = r1.mem_no
     AND m1.id <> m.id);
```


SQL / DML: Aggregate functions

- ▶ Mathematical aggregate functions on data sets
- ▶ Example: *SUM*, *AVG*, *MIN*, *MAX*, *COUNT*
- ▶ Not in relational algebra

```
SQL> SELECT MIN(pricePDay) as MIN,  
2 MAX(pricePDay) as MAX, AVG(pricePDay)  
3 FROM Movie;
```

MIN	MAX	AVG(PRICEPDAY)
1.5	2.2	1.86666667

- ▶ Target list: only aggregate functions or none
 - Exception: *GROUP BY*

SQL / DML: Aggregate functions

► Comparison using aggregates: sub-queries

Movies with price above average

```
SQL> SELECT m.id, m.Title, m.pricepday
2  FROM Movie m
3  WHERE pricePDay >
4         (SELECT AVG(pricePDay)
5         FROM Movie);
```

ID	TITLE	PRICEPDAY
95	Psycho	2
345	Star Wars I	2
222	Psycho	2.2
290	Star Wars IV	2

SQL / DML: Aggregate functions

► Examples:

Movies with minimal price

```
SELECT m.Title, m.pricepday
FROM Movie m
WHERE pricePDay =
      (SELECT MIN(pricePDay)
       FROM Movie);
```

Movie with more than 2 tapes

```
SELECT m.id, m.title
FROM Movie m
WHERE 2 < (SELECT count(t.id)
           FROM tape t
           WHERE t.movie_id = m.id)
```

SQL / DML: Aggregate functions

► More examples:

Movies having tapes in one format only

```
SELECT m.id, m.title
FROM Movie m, Tape t1
WHERE m.id = t1.movie_id
AND 0 =
    (SELECT COUNT(*)
     FROM Tape t2
     WHERE t1.id <> t2.id
     AND t1.format <> t2.format
     AND t2.movie_id = m.id);
```

SQL / DML: Aggregate functions

▶ Additional qualification with `DISTINCT` | `ALL`

▶ Example:

Movies that are available in all formats

```
SELECT DISTINCT t1.movie_id
FROM Tape t1
WHERE
    (SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT format)
     FROM Tape t2
     WHERE t2.movie_id = t1.movie_id)
    =
    (SELECT COUNT(*)
     FROM Format);
```

SQL / DML: Grouping

▶ Syntax:

```
SELECT <targetlist>  
FROM <tablelist>  
[WHERE <predicate>]  
GROUP BY <attributelist>
```

▶ Groups all rows with same values in <attributelist>

▶ Target list: grouping attributes and aggregates

▶ Example:

Number of tapes in each format

```
SELECT t.format, count(t.id)  
FROM Tape t  
GROUP BY t.format;
```

SQL / DML: Grouping

- ▶ *Aggregates evaluated over groups*

Number of tapes for each movie

```
SQL> SELECT t.movie_id, count(*)  
2  FROM Tape t  
3  GROUP BY t.movie_id;
```

MOVIE_ID	COUNT(*)
95	1
100	1
112	1
222	1
290	1
345	4

SQL / DML: Grouping

Movie						
<u>id</u>	title	cat.	year	director	price	eng.
095	Psycho	...	...	Hitchcock	2.00	...
112	ET	...	...	Spielberg	1.50	...
345	Star Wars I	...	...	Lucas	2.00	...
222	Psycho	...	...	Van Sant	2.20	...
290	Star Wars IV	Lucas	2.00	...
100	Jaws	Spielberg	1.50	...
...

```
SELECT sum(price)
FROM movie;
```

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Implicit group: all tuples in table

SQL / DML: Grouping

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100	Jaws	Spielberg	1.50	...
...

```
SELECT director, sum(price)
FROM movie
Group by director;
```

Hitchcock	2.0
Spielberg	3.0
Lucas	4.0
Van Sant	2.2

SQL / DML: Grouping

Total receipts of each tape within the last year

```
SQL> SELECT t.id, count(*)
2  FROM Tape t, Rental r
3  WHERE t.id = r.tape_id
4  AND to_char(r.from_date, 'yyyy') >= 2005
5  GROUP BY t.id;
```

ID	COUNT(*)
1	1
2	1
3	2
4	2
5	1
11	1
12	1

SQL / DML: Grouping

Total receipts of each movie within the last year

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SQL> SELECT t.movie_id, count(*)
2  FROM Tape t, Rental r
3  WHERE t.id = r.tape_id
4  AND to_char(r.from_date, 'yyyy') >= 2005
5  GROUP BY t.movie_id;
```

MOVIE_ID	COUNT(*)
95	1
100	1
112	1
222	2
290	1
345	3

SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

► Qualifying predicate for groups

```
SQL> SELECT f.name, sum(charge)
  2     FROM Rental r, Tape t, format f
  3     WHERE t.id = r.tape_id
  4     AND t.format=f.name
  5     GROUP BY f.name;
```

NAME	SUM(CHARGE)
Beta	
DVD	
VHS	

```
SQL> SELECT f.name, sum(charge)
  2     FROM Rental r, Tape t, format f
  3     WHERE t.id = r.tape_id
  4     AND t.format=f.name
  5     GROUP BY f.name
  6     having count(f.name)>2;
```

NAME	SUM(CHARGE)
DVD	8
VHS	0

SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

Movie						
id	title	cat.	year	director	price	eng.
095	Psycho	...	...	Hitchcock	2.00	...
112	ET	...	...	Spielberg	1.50	...
345	Star Wars I	...	...	Lucas	2.00	...
222	Psycho	...	...	Van Sant	2.20	...
290	Star Wars IV	...	...	Lucas	2.00	...
100	Jaws	...	...	Spielberg	1.50	...
...

```
SELECT director, sum(price)
FROM movie
Group by director
HAVING sum(price)>2.00;
```

Hitchcock	2.0
Spielberg	3.0
Lucas	4.0
Van Sant	2.2

SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

Movie						
id	title	cat.	year	director	price	eng.
095	Psycho	Hitchcock	2.00	...
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100	Jaws	Spielberg	1.50	...
...

```

SELECT director, sum(price)
FROM movie
Group by director
HAVING max(price)>2.00;
    
```

		max
Hitchcock	2.0	2.0
Spielberg	3.0	1.5
Lucas	4.0	2.0
Van Sant	2.2	2.2

SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

Movie						
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100	Jaws	Spielberg	1.50	...
...

```

SELECT director,title, sum(price)
FROM movie
Group by director, title
HAVING max(price) > 2.00;
    
```

		max
Hitchcock, Psycho	2.0	2.0
Spielberg, ET	1.5	1.5
Lucas, SW I	2.0	2.0
Van Sant, Psycho	2.2	2.2
Lucas, SW IV	2.0	2.0
Spielberg, Jaws	1.5	1.5

SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

- ▶ **HAVING** without **GROUP BY**
 - Implicit single group contains all tuples

```
SQL> SELECT sum(charge)
      2     FROM Rental r, Tape t, format f
      3     WHERE t.id = r.tape_id
      4     AND t.format=f.name
      5     having count(f.name)>2;
```

```
SUM(CHARGE)
-----
          8
```


SQL / DML: Grouping + Having

▶ Query evaluation order:

1. FROM-clause
2. WHERE-clause
3. GROUP BY-clause
4. HAVING-clause
5. SELECT-clause

Number of rentals for all customers named Anna or Tina,
which rented some tapes more than once

```
SELECT c.mem_no, count(*)
FROM Rental r, Customer c
WHERE r.mem_no= c.mem_no
AND c.first_name = 'Anna'
OR c.first_name='Tina'
GROUP BY c.mem_no
HAVING count(DISTINCT r.tape_id)<count(*);
```

SQL / DML: Nested aggregation with groups

▶ Nested aggregation using groups

Most loaned movie

```
SELECT t.movie_id, count(t.movie_id)
FROM Rental r, Tape t
WHERE r.tape_id = t.id
GROUP BY t.movie_id
HAVING COUNT(t.movie_id) > = ALL
      (SELECT count(t1.movie_id)
       FROM Rental r1, Tape t1
       WHERE r1.tape_id = t1.id
       Group BY t1.movie_id);
```

SQL / DML: Nested aggregation with groups

Movie with maximal number of tapes, show number of tapes

```
SELECT m.id, m.title, t1.t_no
FROM (SELECT t.movie_id, count(*) as t_no
      FROM tape t
      GROUP BY t.movie_id) t1, movie m
WHERE m.id=t1.movie_id
AND t1.t_no = (SELECT max(count(*))
              FROM tape t
              GROUP by t.movie_id);
```

SQL / DML: Output improvement

Core
SQL:1999

- ▶ Select values depending on condition
- ▶ Complete CASE form:

```
CASE
  WHEN <condition1> THEN <result1>
  [ WHEN <condition2> THEN <result2>
  [ WHEN <condition3> THEN <result3> ]]
  [ ELSE <elseresult> ]
END
```

- ▶ Example:

```
SELECT length,
CASE WHEN length is NULL then 'not defined'
      WHEN length < 90 THEN 'short'
      ELSE 'long'
END
FROM Movie;
```

SQL / DML: Output improvement

Core
SQL:1999

▶ Simple CASE form

```
CASE <operand>  
  WHEN <value1> THEN <result1>  
  [ WHEN <value2> THEN <result2>  
  [ WHEN <value3> THEN <result3> ] ]  
  [ ELSE <elseresult> ]  
END
```

▶ Example:

```
select f.name,  
       case f.name  
         when 'DVD' then 'DISC'  
         when 'Beta' then 'TAPE'  
         when 'VHS' then 'TAPE'  
         else NULL  
       end  
from Format f;
```

SQL / DML: Transitive closure

enhanced
SQL:1999

▶ Recursive queries

- Name recursion expression
- Use name in associated query expression

▶ SYNTAX:

```
WITH RECURSIVE
    <queryname1> AS <query1>[ ,
    <queryname2> AS <query2> , ... ]
SELECT ...
FROM <queryname1>[ , <queryname2> ... ]
WHERE ...
```

SQL / DML: Transitive closure

enhanced
SQL:1999

- ▶ Example: All lectures required for lecture XYZ

```
create table lecture(  
  lnr integer primary key,  
  name varchar(20));
```

```
    create table requires(  
      pre integer references lecture(lnr),  
      suc integer references lecture(lnr),  
      constraint req_pk primary key(pre, suc));
```

```
WITH RECURSIVE preLecture(pre, suc)  
  AS (SELECT pre,suc FROM requires)  
SELECT l.lnr as prerequisite  
FROM preLecture p1, preLecture p2, lecture l  
WHERE p2.suc = l.lnr  
AND    l.name = 'databases'  
AND    p1.suc = p2.pre;
```

SQL / DML: Transitive closure

► Different implementation in oracle:

Lecture:

LNR	NAME
1	databases
2	algorithms I
3	algorithms II

Requires:

PRE	SUC
2	3
3	1

```
SQL> SELECT r.pre
2 FROM requires r, lecture l
3 WHERE l.name= 'databases'
4 START WITH r.suc = l.lnr
5 CONNECT BY PRIOR pre = suc;
```

PRE

3

2

SQL / DML: Structuring

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SQL:1999

- ▶ Difficult structuring of complex queries
- ▶ No naming of commands / relations for re-use

▶ Temporary table

```
CREATE TABLE <tablename>  
    {global temporary | local temporary }  
    <table structure>  
    [ON COMMIT {PRESERVE ROWS | DELETE ROWS}]
```

- Stores temporal query result
- LOCAL: Only visible to owner
- Dropped at end of session

SQL / DML: Temporary table

▶ Example:

```
CREATE TABLE testsource(id integer);  
CREATE GLOBAL TEMPORARY TABLE  
test1(id integer)  
ON COMMIT PRESERVE ROWS;
```

Test1:

No rows

```
INSERT INTO testsource values(1);
```

No rows

```
INSERT INTO test1  
SELECT *  
FROM testsource;
```

1

```
INSERT INTO testsource values(2);
```

1

```
COMMIT;
```

1

SQL / DML: Temporary table

▶ Example:

```
CREATE TABLE testsource(id integer);  
CREATE GLOBAL TEMPORARY TABLE  
test2(id integer)  
ON COMMIT DELETE ROWS;
```

Test2:

No rows

```
INSERT INTO testsource values(1);
```

No rows

```
INSERT INTO test2  
SELECT *  
FROM testsource;
```

1

```
INSERT INTO testsource values(2);
```

1

```
COMMIT;
```

No rows

SQL / DML: View

Important concept

- ▶ SQL-object (virtual relation)
- ▶ Important for
 - Tailoring database schema for different applications
 - Access protection, Privacy
 - Structuring complex queries
- ▶ Relational concept for external schema

▶ Syntax:

```
CREATE VIEW <viewname> AS <query>;
```

▶ Example:

```
CREATE VIEW rental_overview AS
  SELECT r.mem_no, c.last_name, r.tape_id
  FROM rental r, customer c
  WHERE r.mem_no = c.mem_no;
```

SQL / DML: View updates

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► Updateable views:

1. No `SELECT DISTINCT`
2. No duplicate attribute in target list
3. Only one table reference
4. No `GROUP BY`
5. No aggregates
6. No set operators (`INTERSECT`, `EXCEPT`, `UNION`)

► Formal:

$$u(V(B)) = V(c_u(B))$$

- $V(B)$ view on base tables B
- $u(V(B))$ update on view
- c_u : equivalent update(s) on base relations must exist

SQL / DML: View updates

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► Examples:

- Not updateable (distinct, group by):

```
CREATE VIEW movieformats (movie, numFormats)
  AS SELECT  movie_id, count(distinct format)
  FROM  Tape t
  GROUP BY movie_id;
```

- Updateable:

```
CREATE VIEW movies (movie, name)
  AS SELECT  id, title
  FROM  Movie
  WHERE id > 100;
```

u: INSERT INTO movies VALUES (47, 'The Fugitive');

C_u: INSERT INTO movie (id, title)
 VALUES (47, 'The Fugitive');

SQL / DML: View updates

▶ Additional conditions:

- If u does not have an effect, then c_u should not
- No side effects: c should only effect tuples in B which are represented in V
- Inverse update: For a view update u there should be an inverse update w such that $w(u(V(B))) = V(B)$
- No constraint on base tables must be violated by u

SQL / DML: View updates

- ▶ Views with check option
 - CHECK OPTION prevent side effects on base tables
- ▶ Syntax:

```
CREATE VIEW <viewname>  
AS <query>  
WITH CHECK OPTION;
```
- ▶ Theoretically more views updateable
 - e.g. UNIQUE columns in joins
- ▶ Enhanced SQL:
 - 1999 additional complex conditions for view update

SQL / DML: Remarks about NULL

- ▶ NULL treated as "unknown"
- ▶ Predicates:
 - NULL AND TRUE = NULL
 - NULL OR TRUE = TRUE
 - predicate evaluates to NULL for row $r \rightarrow r$ not returned
- ▶ Arithmetical expression:
 - If NULL involved \rightarrow expression evaluates to NULL
- ▶ Aggregates:
 - Count(*) counts also NULL
 - $\text{avg}(\ast) \neq \text{sum}(\ast) / \text{count}(\ast)$

SQL / DML: Summary

- ▶ SQL as Data manipulation language
 - Declarative language
 - Relational complete query language
- ▶ Important terms and concepts:
 - Insert, update, delete data
 - Basic query pattern
 - **DISTINCT, ALL**
 - Set combination (**UNION, INTERSECT, EXCEPT**)
 - Joins
 - Sub-queries (**IN, EXISTS, SOME, ALL**)
 - Aggregate functions
 - **GROUP BY, HAVING**
 - View, view updates