

Digging Deeper with PostgreSQL

Automating processes and partitioning data with inheritance

Case Study Overview

- Shopping experience
- Primary keys will always be 'id' column in tables
- All foreign keys will refer to: <table_name>_id

Case Study: Shopping site

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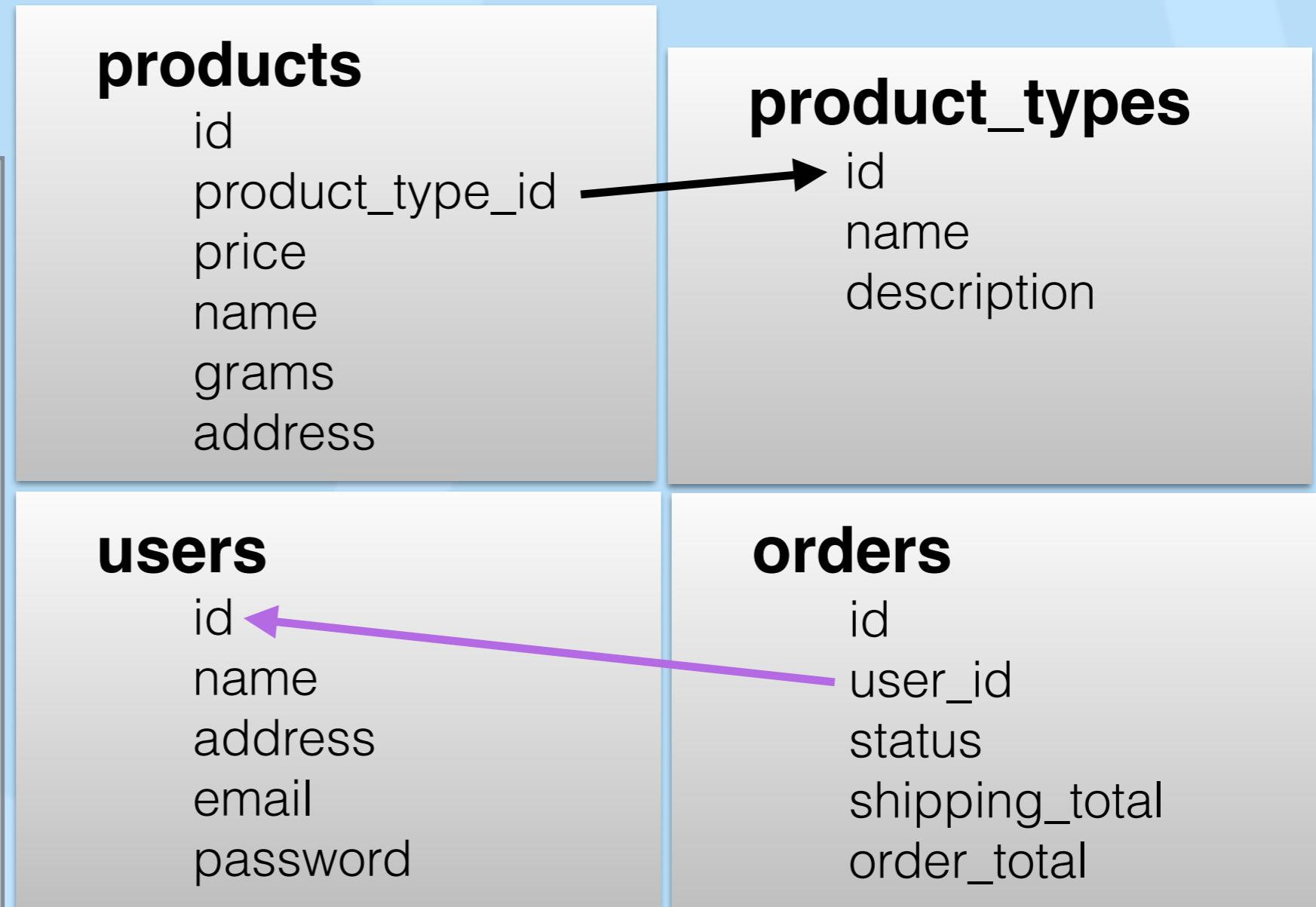
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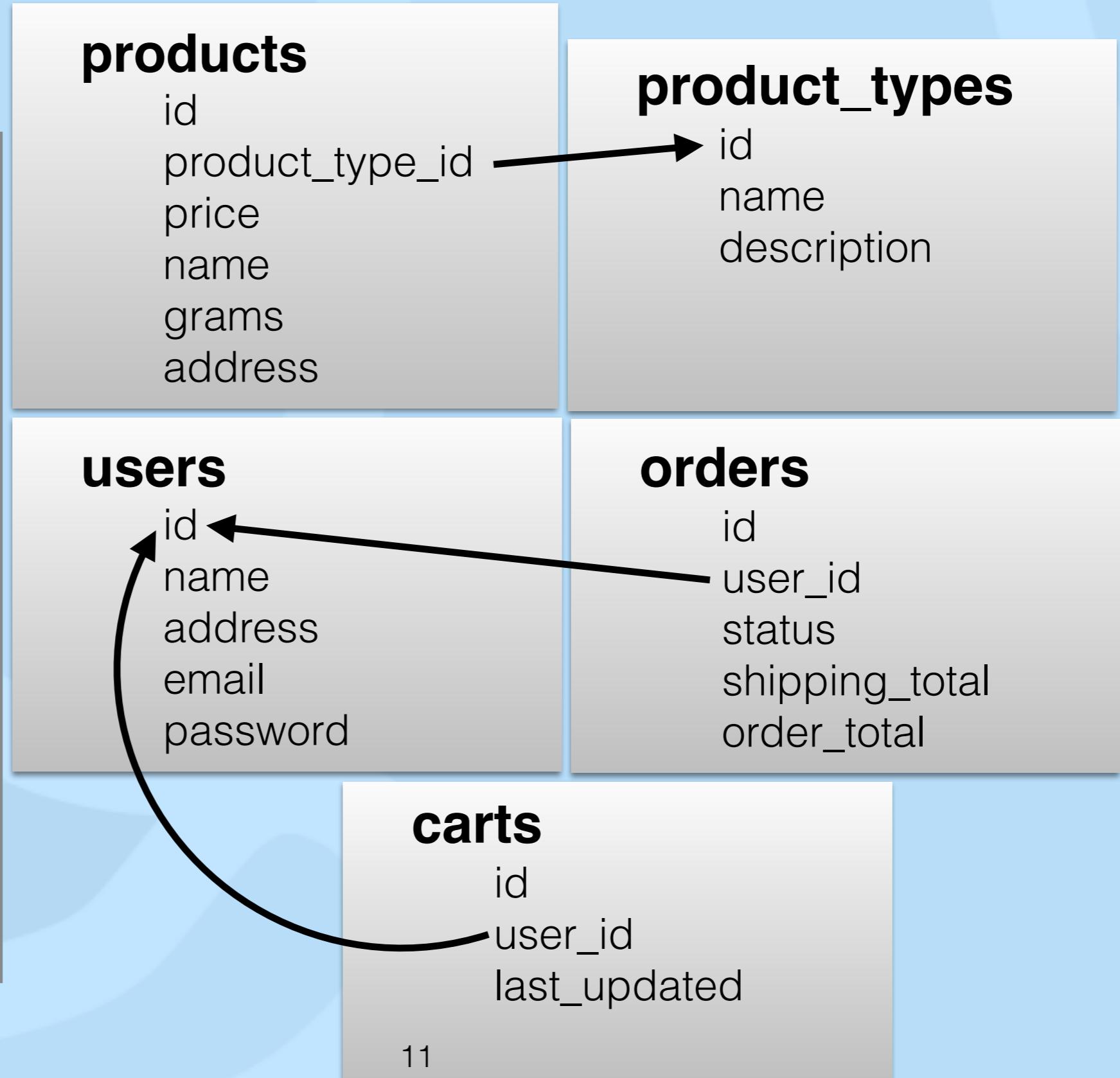
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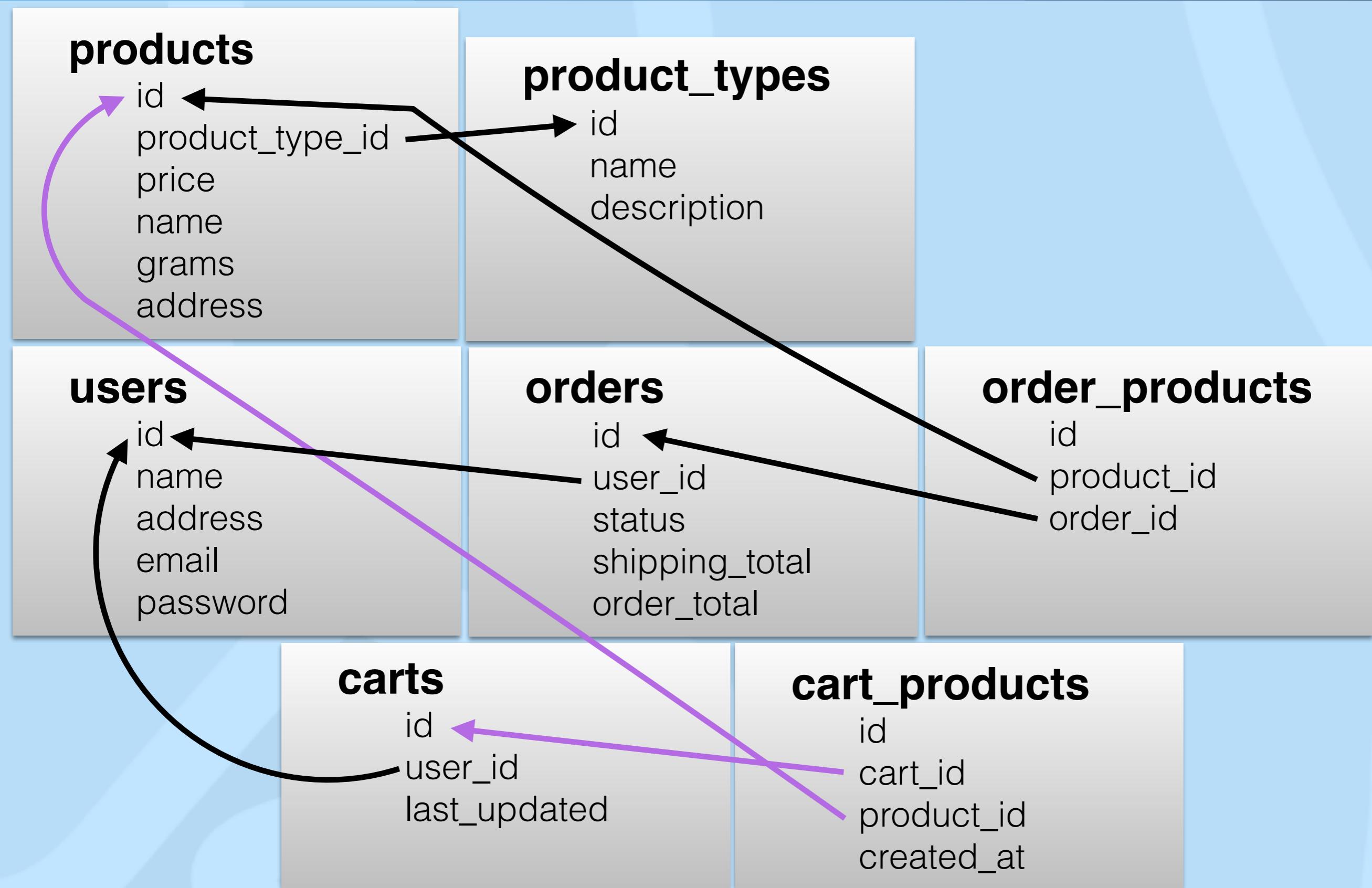
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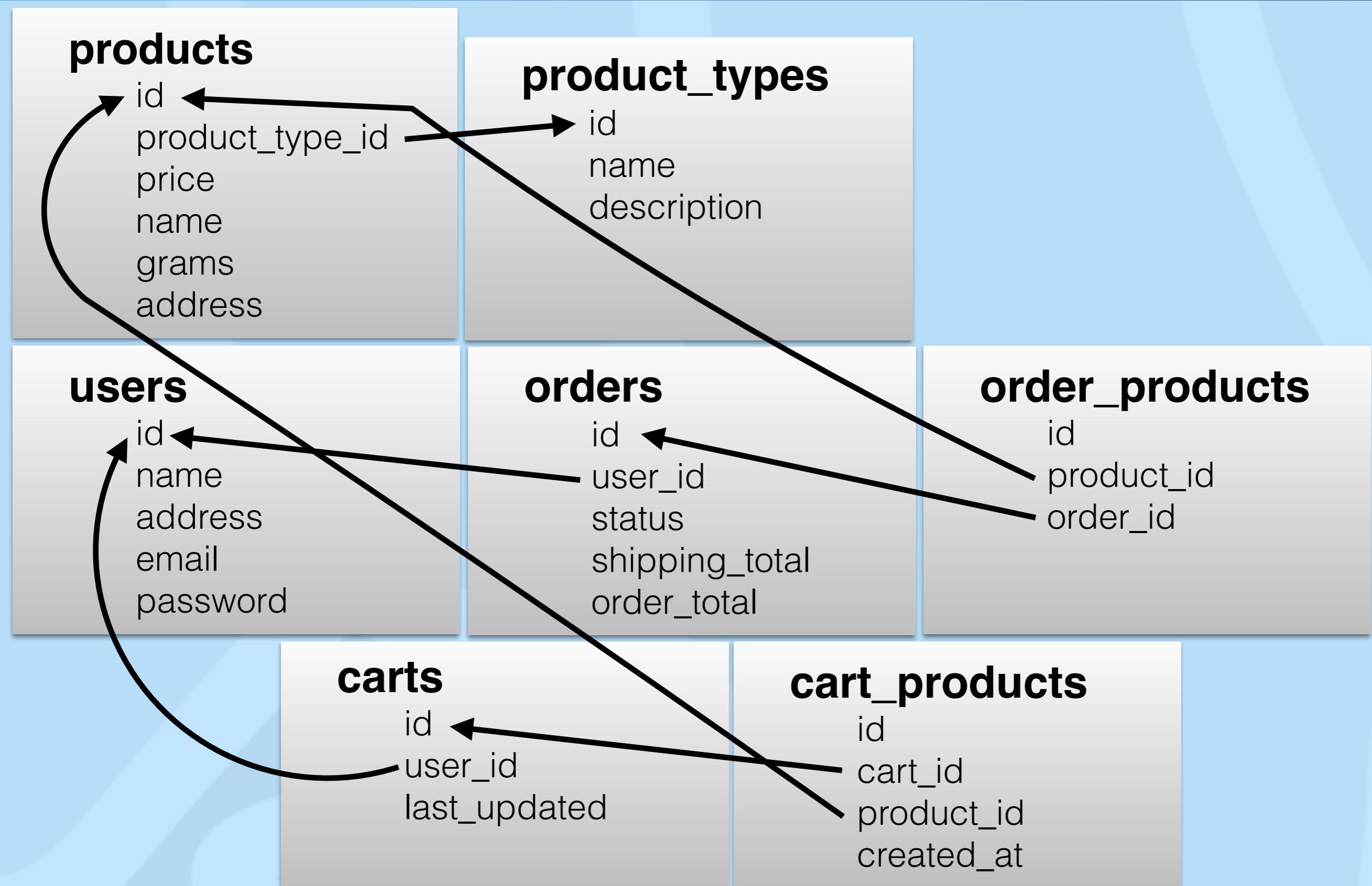
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product_id
created_at

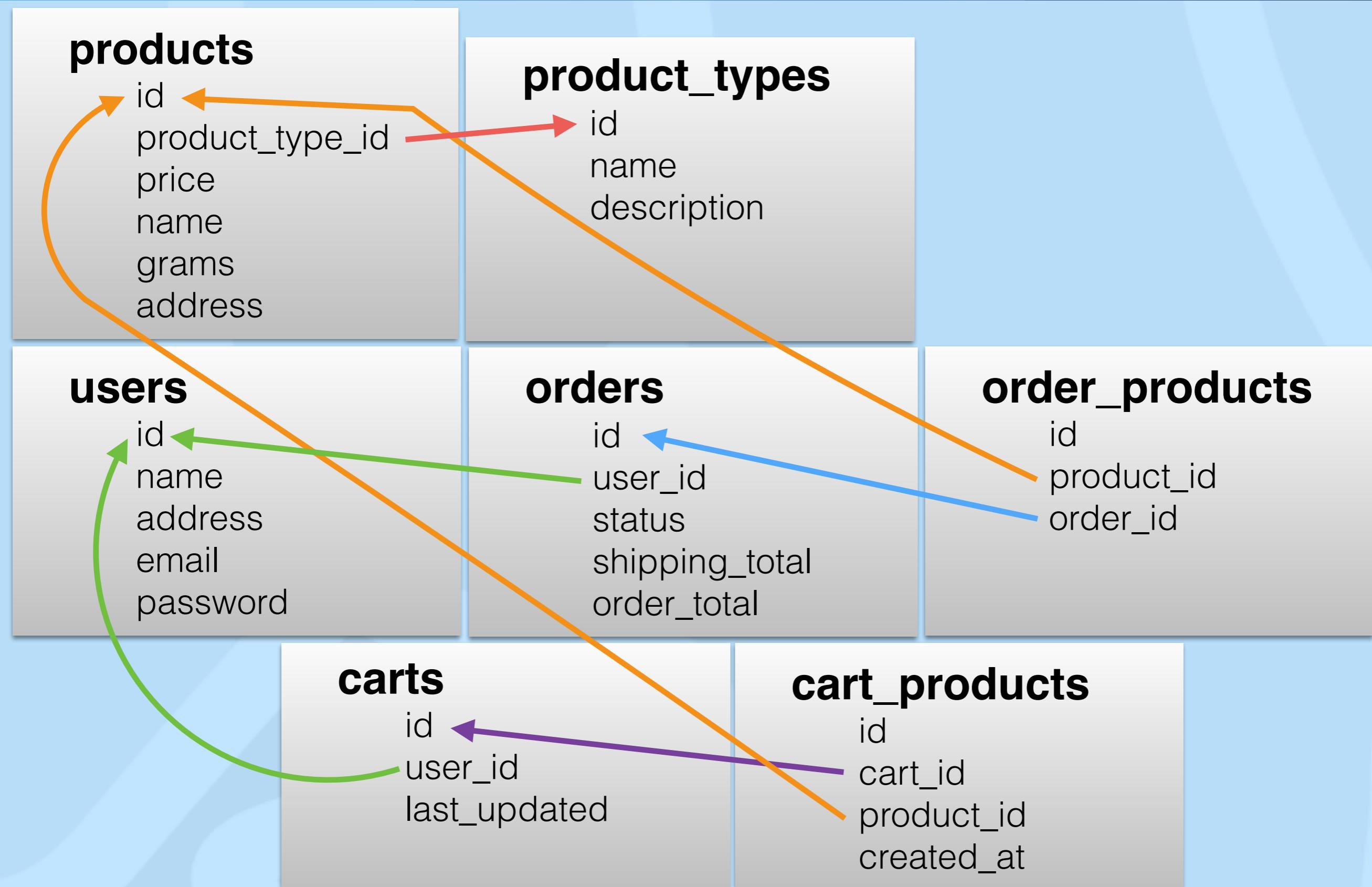
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PgAdmin4 Overview

- PG Admin4 intro

Key Concept Review

- Select Functions
- Casting & data types
- Sets
- Creating tables

Key Concept Review

- select functions
 - distinct and group by
 - math and date functions
 - case statements
 - aliasing

Key Concept Review

- distinct and group by

```
SELECT DISTINCT product_type_id FROM products;
```

```
SELECT product_type_id FROM products  
ORDER BY product_type_id  
GROUP BY product_type_id;
```

Key Concept Review

- math functions: avg, count, sum; date functions
 - `SELECT SUM(shipping_total) as shipping_total,
COUNT(*) as total_orders, AVG(order_total) as
avg_order,
EXTRACT(MONTH FROM created_at) as month,
EXTRACT(YEAR FROM created_at) as year
FROM orders
GROUP BY year, month
ORDER BY year, month;`

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 - ex: `SELECT o.shipping_total AS total FROM orders o;`

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```
SELECT o.shipping_total AS total FROM
FROM orders o
JOIN order_products op on op.order_id = o.id
JOIN cart_products cp on cp.product_id =
op.product_id
```

Casting: Data Types

- Casting values - common 'types'
 - Text - a 'string' of characters, words/characters (i.e. from a keyboard)
 - Integer - whole number
 - Decimal - Float (i.e. floating point)
 - Date - a calendar date
 - Timestamp - a date with specific time, can also have a specific timezone

Casting

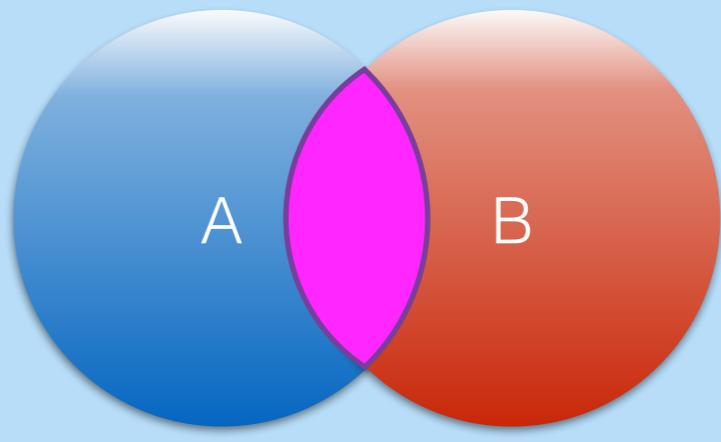
- Casting values
 - 2 methods:
 - **CAST(<column/result> AS <type>)**
 - **<column/result>::<type>**
 - SELECT
CAST(o.shipping_total AS int) as int_total,
o.shipping_total::INTEGER as int_total_v2
FROM orders o;

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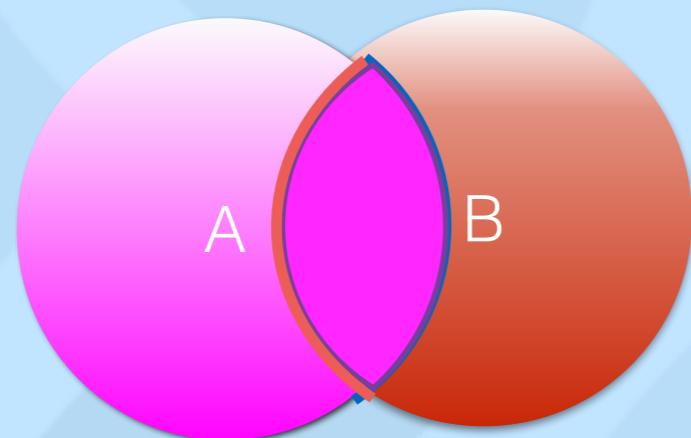
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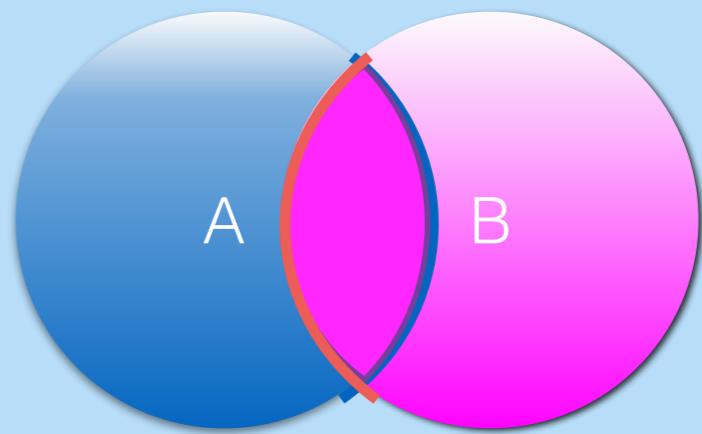
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A INNER JOIN B



A LEFT OUTER B



A RIGHT OUTER B

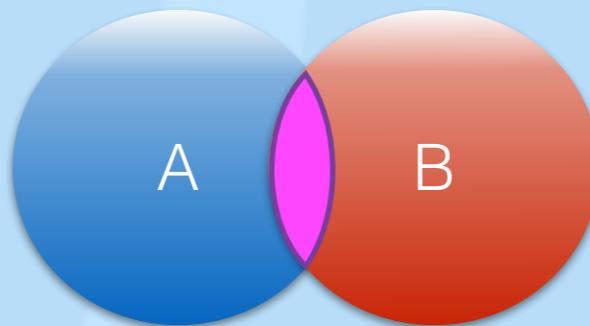
Inner Join

A = Users

id	integer
name	text
address	text
created_at	date

B = Orders

id	integer
user_id	integer
order_total	float
address	text



```
SELECT * FROM
users INNER JOIN orders ON users.id = orders.user_id
```

AA

id	name	address	created_at	id	user_id	order_total	address
1	John Nob...	123 nowhe...	2016-03-19	8	1	147.33	678 nowhe...
2	John Som...	234 a pla...	2016-05-23	23	2	43.27	372 other...
3	John Doe	345 Doesv...	2016-05-22	52	3	57.9	345 Doesv...

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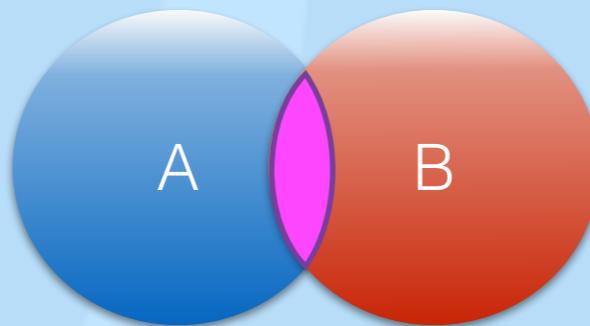
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SELECT * FROM
    users, orders
WHERE users.id = orders.user_id
```

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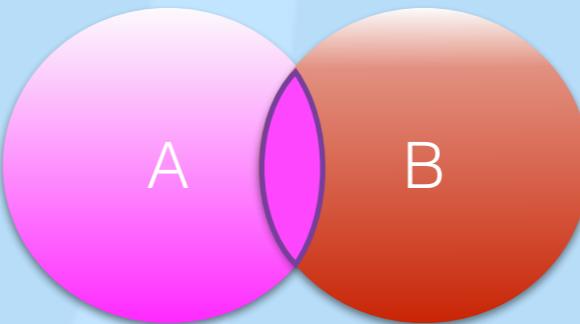
Left Outer Join

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id	integer
name	text
address	text
created_at	date

B = Orders

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user_id	integer
order_total	float
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```
SELECT * FROM users
LEFT OUTER JOIN orders ON users.id = orders.user_id
```

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17	Janet Farm	402 lastt...	2018-01-24	null	null	null	null

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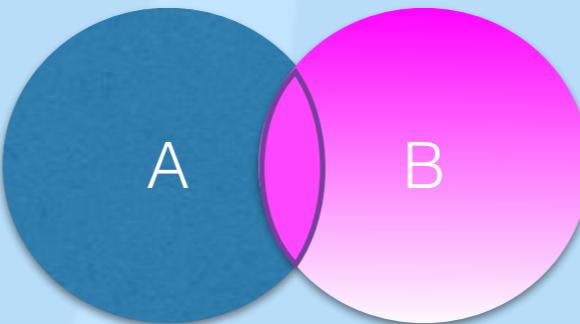
Right Join

A = Users

id	integer
name	text
address	text
created_at	date

B = Orders

id	integer
user_id	integer
order_total	float
address	text



```
SELECT * FROM users
RIGHT OUTER JOIN orders ON users.id = orders.user_id
```

A

id	name	address	created_at		id	user_id	order_total	address
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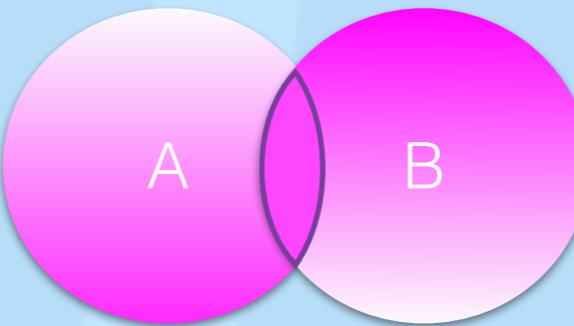
Full Join

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name	text
address	text
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B = Orders

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user_id	integer
order_total	float
address	text



Users FULL OUTER JOIN orders ON users.address =
orders.address

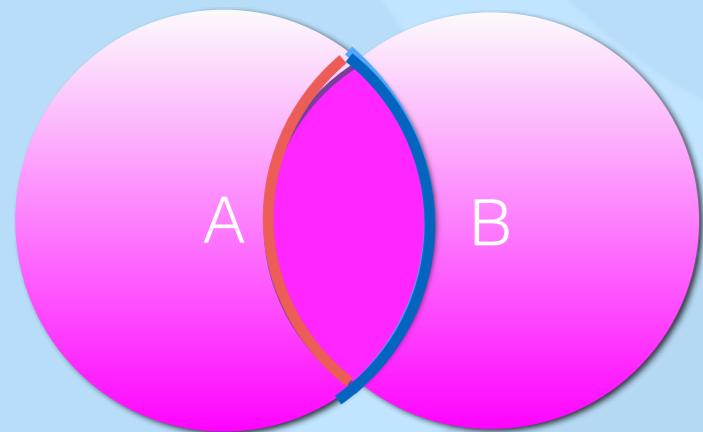
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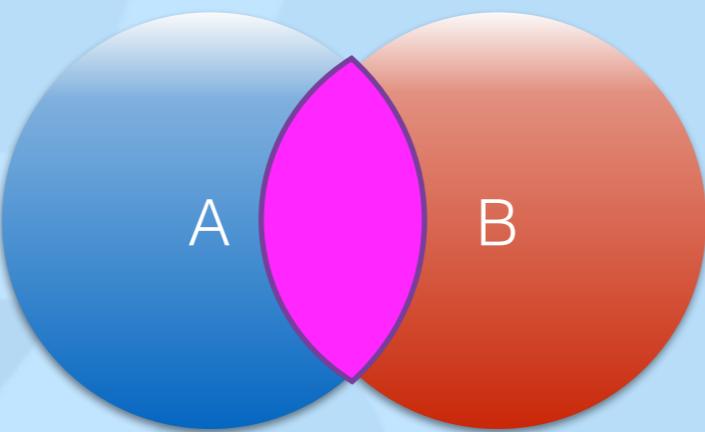
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4	John Moe	456	2016-05-22	61	4	74.99	456 somew..
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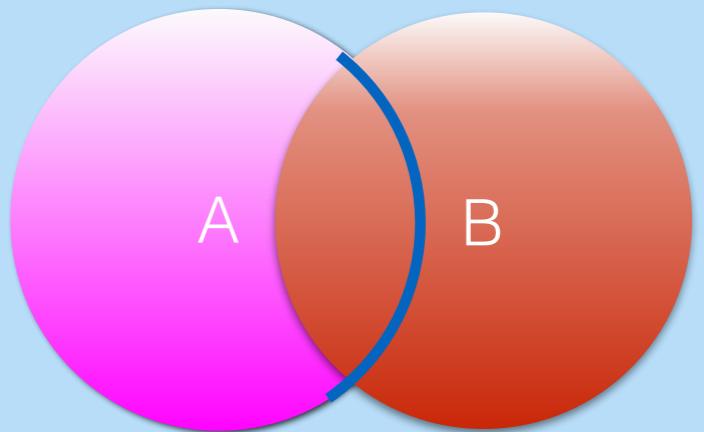
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A union B



A intersect B



A except B



Q & A

Advanced Functions

- Having
- String Functions
- Random

Having

- Having allows you to filter the results on the result of the rest of the query
 - Useful for filtering results of aggregate and math results only
 - Won't work with case statement results for example

Having

- Having allows you to filter the results on the RESULT of the rest of the query
- WHERE
Select product_id,
count(*) from
order_products
WHERE count(*) > 2
GROUP BY product_id
ORDER BY count desc
- HAVING
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order_products
GROUP BY product_id
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 - round - round to the nearest whole number
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- SELECT random_value,
round(random_value),
floor(random_value),
ceiling(random_value)
FROM (select random() * 10 AS random_value) random_query

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(HINT: 5 + <random whole # from 0-5>)
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PUT YOUR QUERY IN THE GROUP CHAT :)

Random: Quick Exercise

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SELECT 5 + round(random() * 5)  
SELECT floor(random() * 6) + 5
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Q & A

Functions and Scripts

- Purpose/use cases
 - Automation
 - Share/Create re-usable common translations/ process

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AS '<query>'
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IMMUTABLE/STABLE/VOLATILE
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(<plpgsql_statement>)
END \$\$
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LANGUAGE plpgsql
<IMMUTABLE/STABLE/VOLATILE>;

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Immutable Functions

- CREATE FUNCTION **test()**
RETURNS **TEXT**
AS '**SELECT "some text"**' ;
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query won't alter or read from the database
IMMUTABLE
;

Immutable Functions

- CREATE FUNCTION **hundred()**
RETURNS **INTEGER**
AS '**SELECT 100;**'
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query won't alter or read from the database
IMMUTABLE
;

SQL Functions: Quick Exercise

- Write a function to return Christmas Day of 2018 as a date (HINT use Cast/::DATE)

```
CREATE FUNCTION christmas()
RETURNS DATE
AS '<query>'
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query won't alter or read from the database
IMMUTABLE;
```

SQL Functions: Quick Exercise

- Write a function to return Christmas Day of 2018 as a date (HINT use Cast/::DATE, don't forget to escape ')

```
CREATE FUNCTION christmas()
RETURNS DATE
AS 'SELECT "2018-12-25"::DATE'
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query won't alter or read from the database
IMMUTABLE;
```

- --FILL IN BELOW; PASTE ANSWER INTO THE GROUP CHAT :)
- CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION christmas() --2018-12-25
- RETURNS DATE
- AS \$\$ select '2018-12-25'::DATE \$\$
- LANGUAGE SQL
- -- query won't alter or read from the database
- IMMUTABLE;

Immutable pgsql Functions

- use the PostgreSQL functions and calculations without selecting from the database
- CREATE FUNCTION **hundred()**
RETURNS **INTEGER**
AS 'SELECT 100;'
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query won't alter or read from the database
IMMUTABLE;

Immutable pgsql Functions

- Use the PostgreSQL functions and calculations without selecting from the database
- ```
CREATE FUNCTION hundred()
RETURNS INTEGER
AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN (100);
END $$

LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
IMMUTABLE; -- query won't alter or read from the db
```

# pg|sql Functions: Quick Exercise

- Write a function to return Christmas Day of 2018 as a date (HINT use Cast/::DATE)

```
CREATE FUNCTION pg_christmas()
RETURNS DATE
AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN (<result>)
END $$

LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
IMMUTABLE; -- query won't alter or read from the db
```

# pgplsql Functions: Quick Exercise

- Write a function to return Christmas Day of 2018 as a date (HINT use Cast/::DATE)

```
CREATE FUNCTION pg_christmas()
RETURNS DATE
AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN ('2018-12-25'::DATE);
END $$

LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
IMMUTABLE; -- query won't alter or read from the db
```



**Q & A**



# 10 Min Break

# Stable Functions

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<IMMUTABLE/**STABLE**/VOLATILE>;

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**STABLE**  
;

# Stable Functions

- Function to return the current time in your timezone

```
CREATE FUNCTION now_with_timezone()
RETURNS timestamp
```

```
AS <'query'/plpgsql statement>
LANGUAGE <SQL/'plpgsql'>
-- query will interact with the DB
STABLE
```

```
;
```

# Stable Functions:

- Function to return the current time in your timezone

```
CREATE FUNCTION now_with_timezone()
RETURNS timestamp with time zone
AS 'SELECT now()::timestamp with time zone'
LANGUAGE SQL
-- query will interact with the DB
STABLE;
```

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- Function to return the current time in your timezone

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AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN <result>
END $$
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```

# Stable Functions:

- Function to return the current time in your timezone

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RETURNS timestamp
AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN now::timestamp with timezone
END $$;
LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
-- query will interact with the DB
STABLE;
```



**Q & A**

# Volatile Functions

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- VOLATILE - function read from database may change within the function:  
Ex: Use of these w/in a query:  
random(), currval(), timeofday()
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RETURNS <data type of result returned>  
AS <'query'/plpg statement>  
LANGUAGE <SQL/pgplsql'>  
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<IMMUTABLE/STABLE/**VOLATILE**>  
;

# Volatile Function

- use the PostgreSQL functions and calculations without selecting from the database
- CREATE FUNCTION **random\_to\_5()**  
RETURNS **float**  
AS '**SELECT random() \* 5**'  
LANGUAGE **SQL**  
**VOLATILE**; -- random could change w/in query

# Volatile plpgsql Function

- use the PostgreSQL functions and calculations without selecting from the database
- CREATE FUNCTION **random\_to\_5()**  
RETURNS **float**  
AS \$\$ BEGIN  
    (**random()** \* 5)  
END \$\$  
LANGUAGE '**plpgsql**'  
VOLATILE; -- random could change w/in query

# Volatile Function - Advanced Example

- Function to pick a random date in the next 30 days.

```
CREATE FUNCTION random_date_next_month()
RETURNS date
AS <'query'/plpgsql statement>
LANGUAGE <SQL/'plpgsql'>
-- query value could change
VOLATILE;
```

# Volatile Function - Advanced Example

- Function to pick a random date in the next 30 days.

```
CREATE FUNCTION random_date_next_month()
RETURNS date
AS '<query>';
LANGUAGE SQL
VOLATILE;
```

# Volatile Function - advanced

## Example

- Function to pick a random date in the next 30 days.

```
CREATE FUNCTION random_date_next_month()
RETURNS date
```

```
AS 'SELECT CAST(now() +
(round(random()*30) * interval "1 day") AS
DATE);'
```

```
LANGUAGE SQL
```

```
VOLATILE; -- random could change w/in query
```

# Function - Advanced Example

- Function to pick a random date in the next 30 days.

```
CREATE FUNCTION random_date_next_month()
RETURNS date
AS <plpgsql statement>
LANGUAGE 'plpgsql';
```

# Function - advanced

## Example

- Function to pick a random date in the next 30 days.

```
CREATE FUNCTION random_date_next_month()
RETURNS date
AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN (now() + (floor(random()*30) *
interval '1 day')::DATE) ;
END $$;
LANGUAGE SQL;
```



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AS <'query'/plpg statement>  
LANGUAGE <SQL/'pgplsql'>  
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- CREATE FUNCTION **sample(text, text, integer, integer)**  
RETURNS text  
    AS 'SELECT \$1 || \$2 || \$3 || \$4;'  
    LANGUAGE SQL  
    IMMUTABLE; -- optimize the query for the DB
- SELECT sample('first', 'second', 3, 4);

# Functions - Variables

- CREATE FUNCTION **<function\_name>(<data\_type>, ...)**  
RETURNS <data type of result>  
AS '<query>'  
LANGUAGE <SQL/pgplsql>  
-- **optionally can deal with null values specifically**  
**RETURNS NULL ON NULL INPUT;**

# Functions - Variables

- Example: Create a function for addition:

```
CREATE FUNCTION addition(<data_type>, ...)
RETURNS <data type of result>
AS <'query'/plpgsql statement>
LANGUAGE <SQL/'pgplsql'>

;
```

# Functions - Variables

- Example: Create a function for addition:

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RETURNS integer
```

```
AS 'SELECT $1 + $2;'
```

```
LANGUAGE SQL
```

```
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# Functions - Variables

- Example: Create a function to add two integers

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LANGUAGE SQL
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- *PUT YOUR ANSWER IN THE GROUP CHAT :)*

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RETURNS integer
AS '<query>'
LANGUAGE SQL
IMMUTABLE;
```

# Functions: Quick Exercise

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```
CREATE FUNCTION multiply(integer, integer)
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AS $$ BEGIN
 RETURN (<result>);
END; $$

LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
IMMUTABLE;
```

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END; $$

LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
IMMUTABLE;
```

# Functions - Variables

- Example: Create a function to add two integers - store the value into a variable

```
CREATE FUNCTION addition_w_tot(integer, integer)
RETURNS integer
AS $$
 DECLARE total integer;
BEGIN
 SELECT ($1 + $2) INTO total;
 RETURN total;
END; $$
LANGUAGE 'pgsql'
IMMUTABLE; -- query won't use DB
```



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```

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```
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RETURNS text AS $$ BEGIN
RETURN EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) || '_' ||
EXTRACT(WEEK from now());
END $$;
LANGUAGE 'plpgsql'
STABLE;
```



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# 10 Min Break

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IMMUTABLE;

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# Scripts

- Script can have any number of commands that will be ran.

# Functions and Scripts

- Advanced Use case:

Since carts can be updated at any time, want to keep history. Let's create a script that will create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.

# Functions and Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 1: Query to get the current products in a cart.  
SELECT products.id as product\_id,  
products.price,  
products.grams,  
products.name as product,  
cart\_products.cart\_id,  
cart\_products.created\_at as cart\_added\_at  
FROM cart\_products  
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# Functions and Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 2: Include now() as the snapshot date  
SELECT products.id as product\_id,  
products.price,  
products.grams,  
products.name as product,  
cart\_products.cart\_id,  
cart\_products.created\_at as cart\_added\_at,  
**now() as snapshot\_date**  
FROM cart\_products  
JOIN products on products.id = cart\_products.product\_id

# Functions and Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 3: Create a table for with the results of the snapshot

**CREATE TABLE product\_details AS**

```
SELECT products.id as product_id,
products.price,
products.grams,
products.name as product,
cart_products.cart_id,
cart_products.created_at as cart_added_at,
now() as snapshot_date
FROM cart_products
JOIN products on products.id = cart_products.product_id
```

# Functions and Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 4: Ensure the table names are unique

```
CREATE TABLE product_details_YEAR_WEEK AS
SELECT products.id as product_id,
products.price,
products.grams,
products.name as product,
cart_products.cart_id,
cart_products.created_at as cart_added_at,
now() as snapshot_date
FROM cart_products
JOIN products on products.id = cart_products.product_id
```

# Functions and Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 5: Utilize a function to create the name - Start with query from earlier!

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION year_week()
 RETURNS text
 AS 'SELECT "EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) ||
 " - " || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'
 LANGUAGE SQL
STABLE;
```

```
SELECT product_detail_table();
```

# Functions and Scripts

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CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION **product\_detail\_tablename()**  
RETURNS text  
AS 'SELECT "**product\_detail\_**" ||  
EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) ||  
"\_" || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'  
LANGUAGE SQL  
STABLE;

**SELECT product\_detail\_tablename();**

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```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION product_detail_tablename()
```

```
RETURNS text
```

```
AS 'SELECT "product_detail_" ||
```

```
 EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) ||
```

```
 " _ " || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'
```

```
LANGUAGE SQL
```

```
STABLE;
```

```
SELECT product_detail_tablename();
```

- DO \$\$ BEGIN

```
EXECUTE 'CREATE TABLE ' || product_detail_tablename() ||
```

```
 ' AS SELECT 100 as hundred;';
```

```
END $$
```

# Scripts

- Create a snapshot of the products that are in a cart each week, and record the cart they are in with the date of the snapshot.
- Step 6: Bring it all together

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION product_detail_tablename()
RETURNS text
AS 'SELECT "product_detail_" ||
 EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) ||
 "_" || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'
LANGUAGE SQL
STABLE;
DO $$ BEGIN
EXECUTE 'CREATE TABLE ' || product_details_tablename() || ' AS
SELECT products.id as product_id,
 products.price,
 products.grams,
 products.name as product,
 cart_products.cart_id,
 cart_products.created_at as cart_added_at,
 now() as snapshot_date
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RETURNS text
AS 'SELECT "product_detail_" ||
 EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) || "_" || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'
LANGUAGE SQL
STABLE;
DO $$ BEGIN
EXECUTE 'DROP TABLE IF EXISTS ' || product_detail_tablename() || '
'; CREATE TABLE ' || product_details_tablename() || ' AS
SELECT products.id as product_id,
 products.price,
 products.grams,
 products.name as product,
 cart_products.cart_id,
 cart_products.created_at as cart_added_at,
 now() as snapshot_date
 FROM cart_products
 JOIN products on products.id = cart_products.product_id;';
END $$;
```



**Q & A**

# Schema

- Schemas are a named 'space' for data to be stored
  - If a database is like a large excel spreadsheet
  - Schema is like a single tab

# Schemas

- Common use cases:
  - separation of 'type' of data (from different sources or by concept)
  - need to 'segment'/separate data to improve performance
  - Simplify master queries, etc.

# Schema

- CREATE SCHEMA historical\_cart\_details;

# Schemas

- Referring to tables in the schema:
  - <schema>.<table>

# Schema

- CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION product\_detail\_tablename()  
RETURNS text  
AS 'SELECT "**historical\_cart\_details**.product\_detail\_" ||  
EXTRACT(YEAR from now()) || "\_" || EXTRACT(WEEK from now());'  
LANGUAGE SQL  
STABLE;  
DO \$\$ BEGIN  
EXECUTE EXECUTE 'DROP TABLE IF EXISTS ' || product\_detail\_tablename() ||  
'; CREATE TABLE ' || product\_details\_tablename() || ' AS  
SELECT products.id as product\_id,  
products.price,  
products.grams,  
products.name as product,  
cart\_products.cart\_id,  
cart\_products.created\_at as cart\_added\_at,  
now() as snapshot\_date  
FROM cart\_products  
JOIN products on products.id = cart\_products.product\_id';  
END \$\$;

# Inheritance

- Creating a table will 'inherit' the schema from the source table

# Inheritance

- First let's create a master table
- ```
CREATE TABLE cart_details
(product_id integer,
price double precision,
grams double precision,
product character varying(100),
cart_id integer,
cart_added_at timestamp without time zone,
snapshot_date timestamp with time zone)
```

Inheritance

- `CREATE TABLE historical_cart_details.test_table()
INHERITS(cart_details)`

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- `CREATE TABLE historical_cart_details.test_table
INHERITS(cart_details)`
- `SELECT * FROM historical_cart_details.test_table`

Inheritance

- **INSERT INTO historical_cart_details.test_table**
(SELECT 2000 as product_id,
0.00 as price,
0 as grams,
'test' as product,
2000 as cart_id,
now() as cart_added_at,
now()::DATE as snapshot_date
);

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- DO \$\$ BEGIN
EXECUTE 'DROP TABLE IF EXISTS ' || product_detail_tablename() ||
'; **CREATE TABLE** ' || **product_details_tablename()** || ' AS
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products.price,
products.grams,
products.name as product,
cart_products.cart_id,
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Inheritance

- **INSERT INTO <table>**
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'; **CREATE TABLE** ' || product_details_tablename() || ' **INHERITS**
cart_details;
INSERT INTO cart_details
(SELECT products.id as product_id,
products.price,
products.grams,
products.name as product,
cart_products.cart_id,
cart_products.created_at as cart_added_at,
now() as snapshot_date
FROM cart_products
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END \$\$;

Inheritance

- Now I can select from the parent table and see rows from both child tables.

```
SELECT * FROM cart_details;
```



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Day 2 Wrap-up