1 CheatSheet: SQL & MySql

INTERVIEW

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1.1 SQL Problems

| Name | Problem |
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| Reference | Leetcode SQL problems |
| Use having with group-by | group by class having count(distinct student)>4 Leecode: Class |
| Update records with case clause | set sex = case when sex = 'm' then 'f' else 'm' end LeetCode: |
| Sum with case | sum(case when state = 'approved' then 1 else 0 end) LeetCode: |
| Subquery | where (customer_id, order_date) in (select LeetCode: Imme |
| Sql isnull and if | <pre>if(s1.id%2=0, s1.student, if(isnull(s2.student), s1.student,</pre> |
| round float | (round(accepts/requests, 2) Leecode: Friend Requests I: Overall Ac |
| Rank score | (select $@$ rank := 0, $@$ prev := -1) as rows LeetCode: Rank Scores |
| Select clause add an incremental id | select (@cnt1 := @cnt1 + 1) as id LeetCode: Students Report By Geogr |
| $MySQL DATE_{SUB}$ | DATE_SUB(record_date, INTERVAL 6 DAY) |
| Get accumulated sum for each group | LeetCode: Last Person to Fit in the Elevator |
| nth element in each group | LeetCode: Nth Highest Salary, LeetCode: Get the Second Most Recent |
| topn entris for each group | LeetCode: Department Top Three Salaries |
| union vs union all | LeetCode: Friend Requests II: Who Has the Most Friends |
| Convert float to int | cast(amount as SIGNED) |
| If no match show null | LeetCode: Second Highest Salary |
| Get maximum of multiple columns | LeetCode: Triangle Judgement |
| Tree hierarchy in SQL | LeetCode: All People Report to the Given Manager |
| Mysql distinct in having clause | LeetCode: Active Users |
| mysql doesn't support full outer join | LeetCode: Monthly Transactions II |
| When left join+groupby, group by which tables' field? | LeetCode: Team Scores in Football Tournament |
| <pre>sum(if(isnull(vs ifnull(sum(</pre> | LeetCode: Team Scores in Football Tournament |
| Three tables' inner join | LeetCode: Students and Examinations |
| Find Continuous Ranges | Find the Start and End Number of Continuous Ranges |
| Impressive sql problems | Leecode: Find Median Given Frequency of Numbers, LeetCode: Consecutive Consecu |
| Impressive sql problems | LeetCode: Rank Scores, LeetCode: Exchange Seats, LeetCode: Students |
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1.2 SQL Statement

| Name | Command |
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| Select with regexp in where clause | select * from expenses where date regexp '2013-0[4-5]' limit 2; |
| Select with like in where clause | select * from expenses where date like '2013-0%' limit 2; |
| Select unix timestamp | <pre>select unix_timestamp(createtime) from expenses limit 1;</pre> |
| Offset limit | select * from student limit 4 offset 9 |
| Use replace function | <pre>UPDATE tb1 SET f1=REPLACE(f1, 'abc', 'def');</pre> |
| Use if function | select Db, IF(IFNULL(User, "")="", DB, User) from db; |

1.3 Mysql Packages

| Name | Command |
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| Install mysql server | apt-get install mysql-server |
| Install mysql client | apt-get install mysql-client libmysqlclient-dev, yum install mysql-devel |
| Install python mysql library | easy_install mysql-python |

1.4 DB Management

| Name | Command |
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| mysql connect | mysql -u\$username -p\$password -P\$port -h\$dbhost \$dbname |
| database encoding | set names utf8; |
| List databases | show databases; |
| List tables for current db | show tables; |
| Check table definition | describe \$tablename; |
| Run sql in non-interactive way | mysql -uUSER -pPASSWORD databasename -e "select * from t lir |
| Import db | mysql -uUSER -pPASSWORD dbname < backup.sql |
| export db | mysqldump -uUSER -pPASSWORD DATABASE > backup.sql |
| export db without schema | mysqldump -uUSER -pPASSWORD DATABASEno-data=trueadd-di |
| Grant access | GRANT SUPER ON 'DBNAME'.'user' TO 'DBUSER'@'%' |
| Add column | ALTER TABLE expenses ADD COLUMN createtime timestamp not nul |
| Delete Column | ALTER TABLE expenses DROP COLUMN createtime; |
| Delete index | DROP INDEX indexname ON table_name; |
| Create index | <pre>create index idindex on table_name(col_name) using btree;</pre> |
| Reset password | UPDATE mysql.user SET Password=PASSWORD('MyNewPass') WH |
| ERROR 1396 (HY000): Operation CREATE USER | drop user 'braindenny'@'%'; flush privileges; CREATE USER |
| mysql8 create user with password | CREATE USER 'myuser'@'%' IDENTIFIED BY 'MYPASSWORD'; |
| mysql8 grant privileges to user | GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON mydbname.* TO 'myuser'@'%' WITH GRAN |

1.5 PSQL/Postgres

| Name | Command |
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| Install postgres in Ubuntu | apt-get install postgresql postgresql-client postgresql-contrib |
| Install postgres in Mac OS | brew install postgres |
| Check postgres status | service postgresql status |
| Check version | psqlversion |
| Connect postgresql | psql -U postgres |
| Create user | CREATE USER tom WITH PASSWORD "; |
| Grant access | GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON DATABASE launchpad_empty to tom; |
| Postgres configuration | /var/lib/pgsql/data/pg_hba.conf, /etc/postgresql/*/main/postgresql.conf |
| Promote to super admin | ALTER USER myuser WITH SUPERUSER; |
| List datbases | \1 |
| List all tables in a database | \d |
| Change database | \connect launchpad_dev; |
| Show tables | \ds |
| Copy databse | createdb -O root -T launchpad_dev launchpad_ustack_cn |
| Drop database | <pre>drop database launchpad_ustack_cn;</pre> |
| Connect db | psql -h myhost -d mydb -U myuser -W |
| Create user | CREATE USER tom WITH PASSWORD 'myPassword'; |
| Create db | CREATE DATABASE jerry; |

1.6 More Resources

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