Assignment 1 - Part 3: SQL

Question 1

List all Employees whose salary is between **1,000 AND 2,000**. Show the **Employee Name, Department** and **Salary**

Query:

```
/*1*/
SELECT EMP.ENAME AS Employee_Name, DEPT.DNAME AS Department, EMP.SAL AS Salary FROM EMP
JOIN DEPT ON EMP.DEPTNO = DEPT.DEPTNO
WHERE EMP.SAL >= 1000 AND EMP.SAL <= 2000;</pre>
```

Description:

The data for this question is located in the employee (EMP) table and the department (DEPT) tables.

A join clause is used to combine rows where the employee department number equals the department number.

A where clause is used to filter the selection so that only employees with a salary in the specified range is selected.

I have assumed that when the question asks to list the department, it means the department name.

All my SQL can be found in the file queries.sql on codio.

```
Department
                             Salary
Employee_Name
                              1600.00
ALLEN
                SALES
WARD
                SALES
                              1250.00
MARTIN
                SALES
                              1250.00
                SALES
TURNER
                              1500.00
ADAMS
                RESEARCH
                              1100.00
MILLER
                ACCOUNTING
                              1300.00
rows in set (0.000 sec)
```

Question 1 Alternative

Query:

```
/*1 Alternative*/
SELECT EMP.ENAME AS Employee_Name, DEPT.DNAME AS Department, EMP.SAL AS Salary FROM EMP
JOIN DEPT ON EMP.DEPTNO = DEPT.DEPTNO
WHERE EMP.SAL BETWEEN 1000 AND 2000;
```

Description:

In this alternative, I make use of the BETWEEN operator in the WHERE clause. The result is the same.

Count the number of people in department **30** who receive a salary and the number of people who receive a commission

Query:

```
/*2*/
SELECT sal.*, com.* FROM

(SELECT COUNT(*) AS Employees_On_Salary FROM EMP WHERE DEPTNO = 30 AND SAL IS NOT NULL) AS sal,

(SELECT COUNT(*) AS Employees_On_Commission FROM EMP WHERE DEPTNO = 30 AND COMM IS NOT NULL) AS com;
```

Description:

For this question I use the COUNT function to select the number of employees with the department number 30.

I also use the COUNT function to select the number of employees in dept 30 that are on commission. By using a where clause which checks that the commission row is not empty (NULL), I verify that an employee takes home a commission.

I have assumed that an employee who has a commission that is not null receives a commission, this includes people who are due a commission but the commission value is 0.00.

I use the SQL AS command to create two aliases for tables that I combine to create the final result.

```
+-----+
| Employees_On_Salary | Employees_On_Commision |
+-----+
| 6 | 4 |
+----+
1 row in set (0.000 sec)
```

Find the name and salary of employees in Dallas

Query:

```
/*3*/
SELECT EMP.ENAME AS Employee_Name, EMP.SAL AS Salary FROM EMP
JOIN DEPT ON DEPT.DEPTNO = EMP.DEPTNO
WHERE DEPT.LOC = "DALLAS";
```

Description:

The data for this question is located in the employee (EMP) table and the department (DEPT) table.

I use a JOIN to combine data from the two tables WHERE the employee department number equals the departments department number.

A WHERE clause is used to filter the rows so that only employees in the department names "DALLAS" are selected.

Question 3 Alternative

Find the name and salary of employees in Dallas

Query:

```
/*3 Alternative*/
SELECT EMP.ENAME AS Employee_Name, EMP.SAL AS Salary FROM EMP
WHERE EMP.DEPTNO IN (SELECT DEPT.DEPTNO FROM DEPT WHERE DEPT.LOC = "DALLAS");
```

Description:

In this alternative I make use of a nested select statement as an alternative to the JOIN and WHERE filter.

I select all the departments with the location "DALLAS" then I select all the employees that have a department number returned from that sub query. The result is the same.

List all departments that do not have any employees

Query:

```
/*4*/
SELECT DNAME AS Departments_With_No_Employees FROM DEPT
WHERE DEPTNO NOT IN (SELECT DEPTNO FROM EMP);
```

Description:

I use two selects to make this query.

In the first select I select all the department numbers that are assigned to the employees.

Next, I select the name of the departments where the department name was not in the first selection. As such I filter out the departments that have employees.

List the department number and average salary of each department

Query:

```
/*5*/
SELECT DEPTNO, AVG(SAL) FROM EMP GROUP BY DEPTNO;
```

Description:

For this query, I use the GROUP by function to group all the employees by department number. Then I use the AVG function to find the average salary for each group.

```
+----+
| DEPTNO | AVG(SAL) |
+-----+
| 10 | 2916.666667 |
| 20 | 2175.000000 |
| 30 | 1566.666667 |
+-----+
3 rows in set (0.000 sec)
```

Question 5 Alternative

List the department number and average salary of each department

Query:

```
/*5 Alternative*/
SELECT EMP.DEPTNO, DEPT.DNAME, AVG(EMP.SAL) FROM EMP
JOIN DEPT ON DEPT.DEPTNO = EMP.DEPTNO GROUP BY DEPTNO;
```

Description:

In this alternative I also select the department name, as this may help make the results easier to read. This was not in the question so I left it as an alternative.