

3.6

1. **Check for and clean dirty data:** Find out if the film table and the customer table contain any dirty data, specifically non-uniform or duplicate data, or missing values. Create a new “Answers 3.6” document and copy-paste your queries into it. Next to each query write 2 to 3 sentences explaining how you would clean the data (even if the data is not dirty).

Checking for duplicate value from the film table

The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL Query Editor window with the following SQL query:

```
1 SELECT film_id,
2        title,
3        description,
4        release_year,
5        language_id,
6        rental_duration,
7        rental_rate,
8        length,
9        replacement_cost,
10       rating,
11       COUNT(*)
12 FROM film
13 GROUP BY film_id,
14          title,
15          description,
16          release_year,
17          language_id,
18          rental_duration,
19          rental_rate,
20          length,
21          replacement_cost,
22          rating
23 HAVING COUNT(*) > 1;
```

The bottom of the window shows the "Data Output" tab with a table structure:

film_id	title	description	release_year	language_id	rental_duration	rental_rate	length	replacement_cost	rating	count
[PK] integer	character varying (255)	text	integer	smallint	smallint	numeric (4,2)	smallint	numeric (5,2)	mpaa_rating	bigint

Checking for duplicate value from the customer table

The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL Query Editor window with the following SQL query:

```
1 SELECT customer_id,
2        store_id,
3        first_name,
4        last_name,
5        email,
6        address_id,
7        COUNT(*)
8 FROM customer
9 GROUP BY customer_id,
10          store_id,
11          first_name,
12          last_name,
13          email,
14          address_id
15 HAVING COUNT(*) > 1;
```

The bottom of the window shows the "Data Output" tab with a table structure:

customer_id	store_id	first_name	last_name	email	address_id	count
[PK] integer	smallint	character varying (45)	character varying (45)	character varying (50)	smallint	bigint

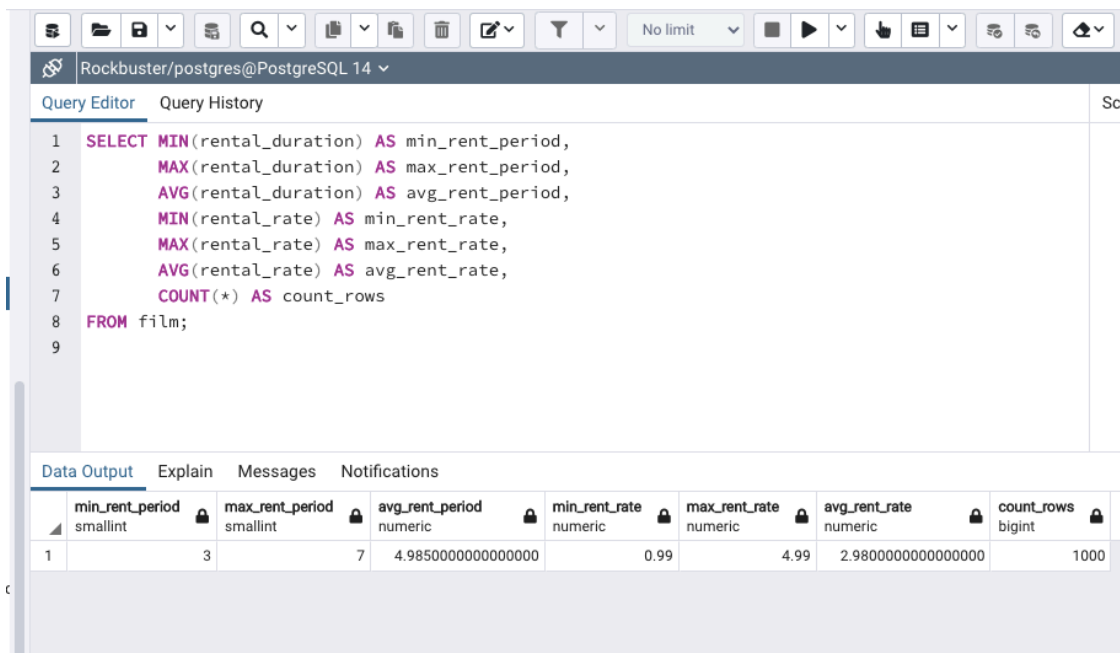
There is no returned duplicate value. Essentially, there are two ways of dealing with duplicate value if you have permission to alter the database.

- Create a virtual table “View” where unique records can be selected
- Delete duplicate record from the table or View

However, if altering table is not permitted, we can use GROUP BY or DISTINCT to select unique records.

2. **Summarize your data:** Use SQL to calculate descriptive statistics for both the film table and the customer table. For numerical columns, this means finding the minimum, maximum, and average values. For non-numerical columns, calculate the mode value. Copy-paste your SQL queries and their outputs into your answers document.

Summary for numeric columns in film table



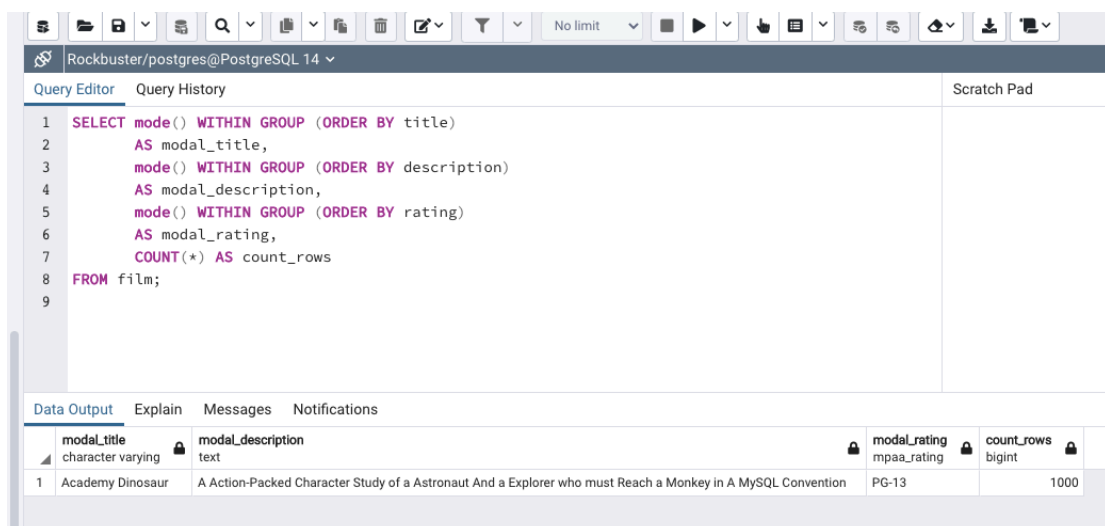
The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL query editor with the following SQL query:

```
1 SELECT MIN(rental_duration) AS min_rent_period,
2        MAX(rental_duration) AS max_rent_period,
3        AVG(rental_duration) AS avg_rent_period,
4        MIN(rental_rate) AS min_rent_rate,
5        MAX(rental_rate) AS max_rent_rate,
6        AVG(rental_rate) AS avg_rent_rate,
7        COUNT(*) AS count_rows
8 FROM film;
9
```

The query results are displayed in a table with the following columns: min_rent_period, max_rent_period, avg_rent_period, min_rent_rate, max_rent_rate, avg_rent_rate, and count_rows. The data is as follows:

min_rent_period	max_rent_period	avg_rent_period	min_rent_rate	max_rent_rate	avg_rent_rate	count_rows
3	7	4.9850000000000000	0.99	4.99	2.9800000000000000	1000

Summary for non-numeric columns in film table



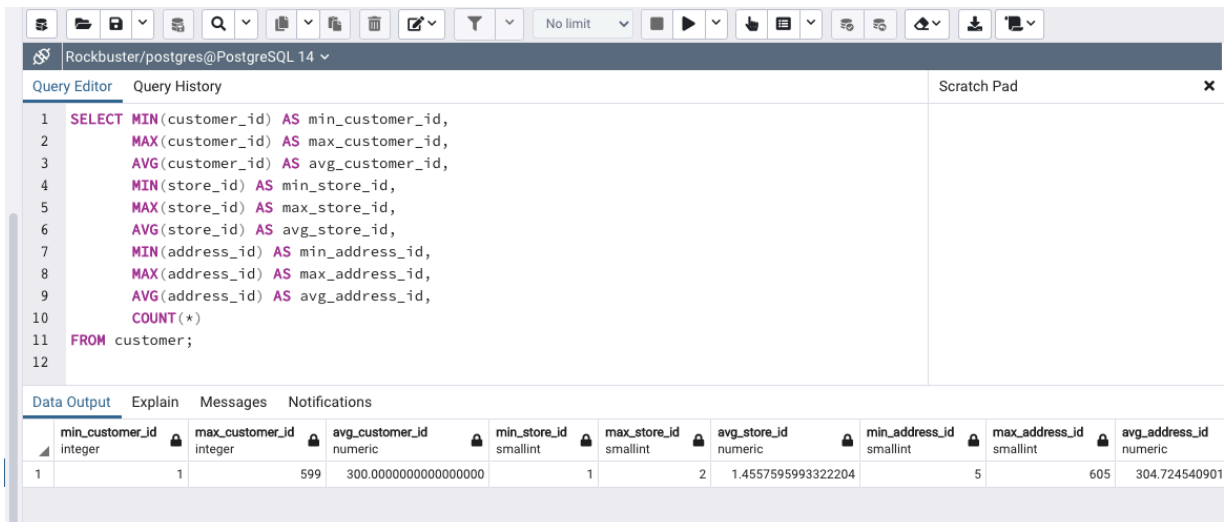
The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL query editor with the following SQL query:

```
1 SELECT mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY title)
2        AS modal_title,
3        mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY description)
4        AS modal_description,
5        mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY rating)
6        AS modal_rating,
7        COUNT(*) AS count_rows
8 FROM film;
9
```

The query results are displayed in a table with the following columns: modal_title, modal_description, modal_rating, and count_rows. The data is as follows:

modal_title	modal_description	modal_rating	count_rows
Academy Dinosaur	A Action-Packed Character Study of a Astronaut And a Explorer who must Reach a Monkey in A MySQL Convention	PG-13	1000

Summary for numeric columns in customer table



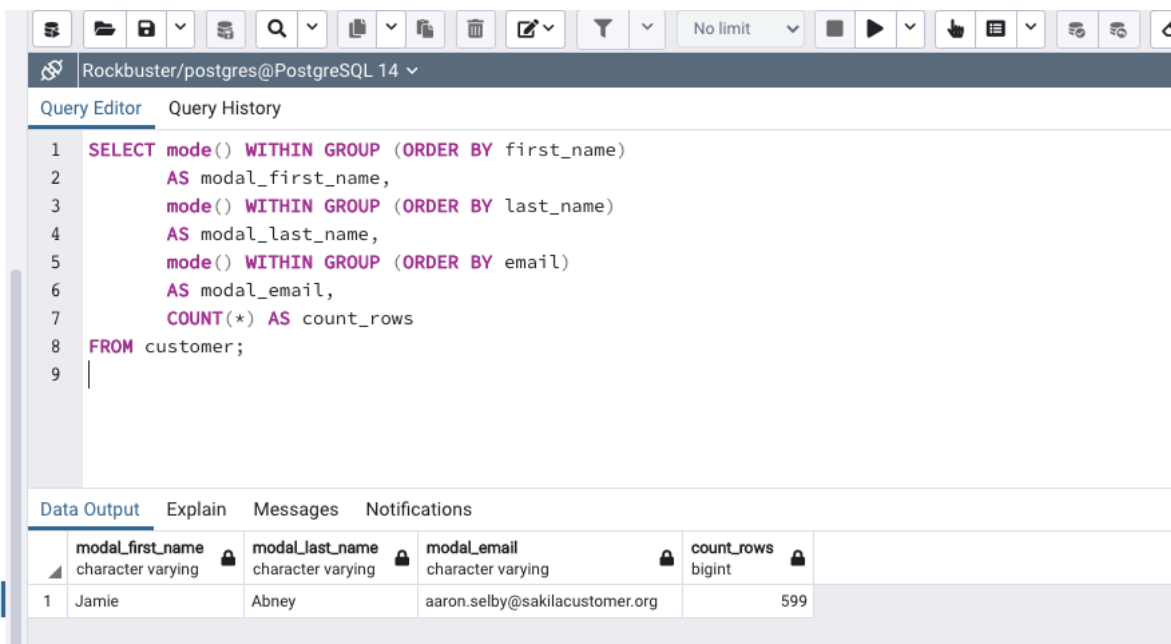
The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL query editor with the following query:

```
1 SELECT MIN(customer_id) AS min_customer_id,
2        MAX(customer_id) AS max_customer_id,
3        AVG(customer_id) AS avg_customer_id,
4        MIN(store_id) AS min_store_id,
5        MAX(store_id) AS max_store_id,
6        AVG(store_id) AS avg_store_id,
7        MIN(address_id) AS min_address_id,
8        MAX(address_id) AS max_address_id,
9        AVG(address_id) AS avg_address_id,
10       COUNT(*)
11 FROM customer;
```

The results are displayed in a table with the following columns and values:

	min_customer_id integer	max_customer_id integer	avg_customer_id numeric	min_store_id smallint	max_store_id smallint	avg_store_id numeric	min_address_id smallint	max_address_id smallint	avg_address_id numeric
1	1	599	300.000000000000000000	1	2	1.4557595993322204	5	605	304.724540901

Summary for non-numeric columns in customer table



The screenshot shows a PostgreSQL query editor with the following query:

```
1 SELECT mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY first_name)
2        AS modal_first_name,
3        mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY last_name)
4        AS modal_last_name,
5        mode() WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY email)
6        AS modal_email,
7        COUNT(*) AS count_rows
8 FROM customer;
```

The results are displayed in a table with the following columns and values:

	modal_first_name character varying	modal_last_name character varying	modal_email character varying	count_rows bigint
1	Jamie	Abney	aaron.selby@sakilacustomer.org	599

- 3. Reflect on your work:** Back in Achievement 1 you learned about data profiling in Excel. Based on your previous experience, which tool (Excel or SQL) do you think is more effective for data profiling, and why? Consider their respective functions, ease of use, and speed. Write a short paragraph in the running document that you have started.

Excel works perfectly with small data size. With this it will be easy to view the data using the pivot table. However, renaming the output (Aliasing) for aggregate column would take more time in excel. Essentially, it is easy to work with huge data in SQL. Using SQL data profiling becomes much easier and faster. Specific result/query to details would be returned in a glance with the right

syntax. Conclusively, SQL works perfectly for data profiling based on the speed and ability to work with huge data.