

DATABASE SYSTEMS LAB

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Course Description:

This Lab. practices the concepts introduced in the Database systems course using Oracle Database. The students are expected to implement a database project for some problem.

Course Title: Database Systems Lab

Credit Hour(1)

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Textbook: *Oracle Database 10g: SQL Fundamentals I, Volume I • Student Guide*

**Oracle Database 10g: SQL
Fundamentals I**

Volume I • Student Guide

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COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this course, students will have gained knowledge of the DBMS (Oracle) concepts and the ability to:

- Understand the concepts of relational databases and the Oracle Database 10g database technology.
- Use the powerful SQL programming language and its features.
- Identify features of Relational Database Management System (RDBMS).
- Categorize the main database objects
- Understand how constraints are created at the time of table creation
- Describe each data manipulation language (DML) statement
- List the capabilities of SQL SELECT statements
- Write SELECT statements to access data from more than one table using equijoins and non-equijoins
- Employ SQL functions to generate and retrieve customized data
- Identify when a subquery can help solve a question
- Write subqueries when a query is based on unknown values
- Use a set operator to combine multiple queries into a single query

COURSE SYLLABUS

| Week | Course Topic | Notes |
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| Week 1 | Creating and Managing Tables: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Database Objects- Naming Conventions- The Create Table Statement- Creating a Table by Using a Subquery- Querying the Data Dictionary- The Alter Table Statement- Truncating a Table- Adding Comments to a Table | |
| Week 2 | Including Constraints <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Defining Constraints<ul style="list-style-type: none">o The Not Null Constrainto The Unique Constrainto The Primary Key Constrainto The Foreign Key Constrainto The Check Constraint- Adding a Constraint- Dropping a Constraint- Enabling and Disabling Constraints- Viewing Constraints | |
| Week 3 | Manipulating Data <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Data Manipulating Language.- The Insert Statement- Copying Rows from another Table- The Update Statement- The Delete Statement- Database Transactions- Commit and Rollback Statements | |
| Week 4 | Writing Basic SQL Statements <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Selecting Specific Columns- Arithmetic Expressions- Concatenation Operator- Using Column Aliases- Eliminating Duplicate Rows | |

COURSE SYLLABUS

| Week | Course Topic | Notes |
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| Week 5 | Restricting and Sorting Data <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Where Clause- Comparison Operators- Special Operators- Logical Operator (And, Or, Not)- Order By Clause | |
| Week 6 | Displaying Data from Multiple Tables <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Cartesian Product.- Types of Joins- Table Aliases. | |
| Week 7 | Single-Row Functions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Character Functions.- Number Functions- Date Functions | |
| Week 8 | Midterm Exam | Midterm Exam |
| Week 9 | Project Proposal | |
| Week 10 | Single-Row Functions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Conversion Functions- General Functions | |

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| Week | Course Topic | Notes |
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| Week 11 | Aggregating Data using Group Functions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Types of Group Functions (AVG, SUM, MAX, MIN, COUNT).- Creating Groups of data: Group By Clause.- Excluding Group Results: Having Clause.- Nested Group Functions | |
| Week 12 | Subqueries <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Types of Subqueries<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Single-Row Subqueries▪ Multiple-Row Subqueries | |
| Week 13 | Multiple-Column Subqueries <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Column Comparisons- Null Values in a subquery- Using a subquery in the From Clause | |
| Week 14 | Using the Set Operators <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Union / Union All- Intersect- Minus | |
| Week 15 | Project Discussion | |
| Week 16 | Final Exam | Final Exam |

Week 6



Chapter 5:

Displaying Data from Multiple Tables



DISPLAYING DATA FROM MULTIPLE TABLES



Objectives

After completing this lesson, you should be able to do the following:

- *Write `SELECT` statements to access data from more than one table using equijoins and nonequijoins*
- *Join a table to itself by using a self-join*
- *View data that generally does not meet a join condition by using outer joins*
- *Generate a Cartesian product of all rows from two or more tables*

Obtaining Data from Multiple Tables

EMPLOYEES

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|
| 100 | King | 90 |
| 101 | Kochhar | 90 |
| ... | | |
| 202 | Fay | 20 |
| 205 | Higgins | 110 |
| 206 | Gietz | 110 |

DEPARTMENTS

| DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME | LOCATION_ID |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 10 | Administration | 1700 |
| 20 | Marketing | 1800 |
| 50 | Shipping | 1500 |
| 60 | IT | 1400 |
| 80 | Sales | 2500 |
| 90 | Executive | 1700 |
| 110 | Accounting | 1700 |
| 190 | Contracting | 1700 |



| EMPLOYEE_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-------------|---------------|-----------------|
| 200 | 10 | Administration |
| 201 | 20 | Marketing |
| 202 | 20 | Marketing |
| ... | | |
| 102 | 90 | Executive |
| 205 | 110 | Accounting |
| 206 | 110 | Accounting |

Types of Joins

Joins that are compliant with the SQL:1999 standard include the following:

- *Cross joins*
- *Natural joins*
- *USING clause*
- *Full (or two-sided) outer joins*
- *Arbitrary join conditions for outer joins*

Joining Tables Using SQL:1999 Syntax

Use a join to query data from more than one table:

```
SELECT    table1.column, table2.column
FROM      table1
[NATURAL JOIN table2] |
[JOIN table2 USING (column_name)] |
[JOIN table2
    ON (table1.column_name = table2.column_name)] |
[LEFT|RIGHT|FULL OUTER JOIN table2
    ON (table1.column_name = table2.column_name)] |
[CROSS JOIN table2];
```

Creating Natural Joins

- *The `NATURAL JOIN` clause is based on all columns in the two tables that have the same name.*
- *It selects rows from the two tables that have equal values in all matched columns.*
- *If the columns having the same names have different data types, an error is returned.*

Retrieving Records with Natural Joins

```
SELECT department_id, department_name,  
       location_id, city  
FROM   departments  
NATURAL JOIN locations ;
```

| DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME | LOCATION_ID | CITY |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------------|
| 60 | IT | 1400 | Southlake |
| 50 | Shipping | 1500 | South San Francisco |
| 10 | Administration | 1700 | Seattle |
| 90 | Executive | 1700 | Seattle |
| 110 | Accounting | 1700 | Seattle |
| 190 | Contracting | 1700 | Seattle |
| 20 | Marketing | 1800 | Toronto |
| 80 | Sales | 2500 | Oxford |

8 rows selected.

Creating Joins with the USING Clause

- *If several columns have the same names but the data types do not match, the `NATURAL JOIN` clause can be modified with the `USING` clause to specify the columns that should be used for an equijoin.*
- *Use the `USING` clause to match only one column when more than one column matches.*
- *Do not use a table name or alias in the referenced columns.*
- *The `NATURAL JOIN` and `USING` clauses are mutually exclusive.*

Joining Column Names

EMPLOYEES

| EMPLOYEE_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID |
|-------------|---------------|
| 200 | 10 |
| 201 | 20 |
| 202 | 20 |
| 124 | 50 |
| 141 | 50 |
| 142 | 50 |
| 143 | 50 |
| 144 | 50 |
| 103 | 60 |
| 104 | 60 |
| 107 | 60 |
| 149 | 80 |
| 174 | 80 |
| 176 | 80 |

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DEPARTMENTS

| DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|---------------|-----------------|
| 10 | Administration |
| 20 | Marketing |
| 20 | Marketing |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 50 | Shipping |
| 60 | IT |
| 60 | IT |
| 60 | IT |
| 80 | Sales |
| 80 | Sales |
| 80 | Sales |

...

Foreign key

Primary key

Retrieving Records with the USING Clause

```
SELECT employees.employee_id, employees.last_name,  
       departments.location_id, department_id  
FROM   employees JOIN departments  
USING (department_id) ;
```

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | LOCATION_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------------|
| 200 | Whalen | 1700 | 10 |
| 201 | Hartstein | 1800 | 20 |
| 202 | Fay | 1800 | 20 |
| 124 | Mourgos | 1500 | 50 |
| 141 | Rajs | 1500 | 50 |
| 142 | Davies | 1500 | 50 |
| 144 | Vargas | 1500 | 50 |
| 143 | Matos | 1500 | 50 |

...

19 rows selected.

Qualifying Ambiguous Column Names

- *Use table prefixes to qualify column names that are in multiple tables.*
- *Use table prefixes to improve performance.*
- *Use column aliases to distinguish columns that have identical names but reside in different tables.*
- *Do not use aliases on columns that are identified in the `USING` clause and listed elsewhere in the SQL statement.*

Using Table Aliases

- *Use table aliases to simplify queries.*
- *Use table aliases to improve performance.*

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name,  
       d.location_id, department_id  
FROM   employees e JOIN departments d  
USING (department_id) ;
```

Creating Joins with the ON Clause

- *The join condition for the natural join is basically an equijoin of all columns with the same name.*
- *Use the ON clause to specify arbitrary conditions or specify columns to join.*
- *The join condition is separated from other search conditions.*
- *The ON clause makes code easy to understand.*

Retrieving Records with the ON Clause

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, e.department_id,  
       d.department_id, d.location_id  
FROM   employees e JOIN departments d  
ON     (e.department_id = d.department_id);
```

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID | LOCATION_ID |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| 200 | Whalen | 10 | 10 | 1700 |
| 201 | Hartstein | 20 | 20 | 1800 |
| 202 | Fay | 20 | 20 | 1800 |
| 124 | Mourgos | 50 | 50 | 1500 |
| 141 | Rajs | 50 | 50 | 1500 |
| 142 | Davies | 50 | 50 | 1500 |
| 143 | Matos | 50 | 50 | 1500 |

...

19 rows selected.

Self-Joins Using the ON Clause

EMPLOYEES (WORKER)

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | MANAGER_ID |
|-------------|-----------|------------|
| 100 | King | |
| 101 | Kochhar | 100 |
| 102 | De Haan | 100 |
| 103 | Hunold | 102 |
| 104 | Ernst | 103 |
| 107 | Lorentz | 103 |
| 124 | Mourgos | 100 |

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EMPLOYEES (MANAGER)

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME |
|-------------|-----------|
| 100 | King |
| 101 | Kochhar |
| 102 | De Haan |
| 103 | Hunold |
| 104 | Ernst |
| 107 | Lorentz |
| 124 | Mourgos |

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**MANAGER_ID in the WORKER table is equal to
EMPLOYEE_ID in the MANAGER table.**

Self-Joins Using the ON Clause

```
SELECT e.last_name emp, m.last_name mgr
FROM   employees e JOIN employees m
ON     (e.manager_id = m.employee_id);
```

| EMP | MGR |
|-----------|------|
| Hartstein | King |
| Zlotkey | King |
| Mourgos | King |
| De Haan | King |
| Kochhar | King |

...

19 rows selected.

Applying Additional Conditions to a Join

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, e.department_id,  
       d.department_id, d.location_id  
FROM   employees e JOIN departments d  
ON     (e.department_id = d.department_id)  
AND    e.manager_id = 149 ;
```

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID | LOCATION_ID |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| 174 | Abel | 80 | 80 | 2500 |
| 176 | Taylor | 80 | 80 | 2500 |

Creating Three-Way Joins with the ON Clause

```
SELECT employee_id, city, department_name
FROM   employees e
JOIN   departments d
ON     d.department_id = e.department_id
JOIN   locations l
ON     d.location_id = l.location_id;
```

| EMPLOYEE_ID | CITY | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 103 | Southlake | IT |
| 104 | Southlake | IT |
| 107 | Southlake | IT |
| 124 | South San Francisco | Shipping |
| 141 | South San Francisco | Shipping |
| 142 | South San Francisco | Shipping |
| 143 | South San Francisco | Shipping |
| 144 | South San Francisco | Shipping |

...

19 rows selected.

Nonequijoins

EMPLOYEES

| LAST_NAME | SALARY |
|-----------|--------|
| King | 24000 |
| Kochhar | 17000 |
| De Haan | 17000 |
| Hunold | 9000 |
| Ernst | 6000 |
| Lorentz | 4200 |
| Mourgos | 5800 |
| Rajs | 3500 |
| Davies | 3100 |
| Matos | 2600 |
| Vargas | 2500 |
| Zlotkey | 10500 |
| Abel | 11000 |
| Taylor | 8600 |

...

20 rows selected.

JOB_GRADES

| GRA | LOWEST_SAL | HIGHEST_SAL |
|-----|------------|-------------|
| A | 1000 | 2999 |
| B | 3000 | 5999 |
| C | 6000 | 9999 |
| D | 10000 | 14999 |
| E | 15000 | 24999 |
| F | 25000 | 40000 |

← Salary in the **EMPLOYEES** table must be between lowest salary and highest salary in the **JOB_GRADES** table.

Retrieving Records with Nonequijoins

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.salary, j.grade_level
FROM   employees e JOIN job_grades j
ON     e.salary
      BETWEEN j.lowest_sal AND j.highest_sal;
```

| LAST_NAME | SALARY | GRA |
|-----------|--------|-----|
| Matos | 2600 | A |
| Vargas | 2500 | A |
| Lorentz | 4200 | B |
| Mourgos | 5800 | B |
| Rajs | 3500 | B |
| Davies | 3100 | B |
| Whalen | 4400 | B |
| Hunold | 9000 | C |
| Ernst | 6000 | C |

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20 rows selected.

Outer Joins

DEPARTMENTS

| DEPARTMENT_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID |
|-----------------|---------------|
| Administration | 10 |
| Marketing | 20 |
| Shipping | 50 |
| IT | 60 |
| Sales | 80 |
| Executive | 90 |
| Accounting | 110 |
| Contracting | 190 |

8 rows selected.

EMPLOYEES

| DEPARTMENT_ID | LAST_NAME |
|---------------|-----------|
| 90 | King |
| 90 | Kochhar |
| 90 | De Haan |
| 60 | Hunold |
| 60 | Ernst |
| 60 | Lorentz |
| 50 | Mourgos |
| 50 | Rajs |
| 50 | Davies |
| 50 | Matos |
| 50 | Vargas |
| 80 | Zlotkey |

...

20 rows selected.

There are no employees in department 190.

INNER Versus OUTER Joins

- *In SQL:1999, the join of two tables returning only matched rows is called an inner join.*
- *A join between two tables that returns the results of the inner join as well as the unmatched rows from the left (or right) tables is called a left (or right) outer join.*
- *A join between two tables that returns the results of an inner join as well as the results of a left and right join is a full outer join.*

LEFT OUTER JOIN

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name
FROM   employees e LEFT OUTER JOIN departments d
ON     (e.department_id = d.department_id) ;
```

| LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| Whalen | 10 | Administration |
| Fay | 20 | Marketing |
| Hartstein | 20 | Marketing |
| ... | | |
| De Haan | 90 | Executive |
| Kochhar | 90 | Executive |
| King | 90 | Executive |
| Gietz | 110 | Accounting |
| Higgins | 110 | Accounting |
| Grant | | |

20 rows selected.

RIGHT OUTER JOIN

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name
FROM   employees e RIGHT OUTER JOIN departments d
ON     (e.department_id = d.department_id) ;
```

| LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| Whalen | 10 | Administration |
| Fay | 20 | Marketing |
| Hartstein | 20 | Marketing |
| Davies | 50 | Shipping |
| ... | | |
| Kochhar | 90 | Executive |
| Gietz | 110 | Accounting |
| Higgins | 110 | Accounting |
| | 190 | Contracting |

20 rows selected.

FULL OUTER JOIN

```
SELECT e.last_name, d.department_id, d.department_name
FROM   employees e FULL OUTER JOIN departments d
ON     (e.department_id = d.department_id) ;
```

| LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| Whalen | 10 | Administration |
| Fay | 20 | Marketing |
| Hartstein | 20 | Marketing |
| ... | | |
| King | 90 | Executive |
| Gietz | 110 | Accounting |
| Higgins | 110 | Accounting |
| Grant | | |
| | 190 | Contracting |

21 rows selected.

Cartesian Products

- *A Cartesian product is formed when:*
 - A join condition is omitted
 - A join condition is invalid
 - All rows in the first table are joined to all rows in the second table
- *To avoid a Cartesian product, always include a valid join condition.*

Generating a Cartesian Product

EMPLOYEES (20 rows)

| EMPLOYEE_ID | LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_ID |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|
| 100 | King | 90 |
| 101 | Kochhar | 90 |
| ... | | |
| 202 | Fay | 20 |
| 205 | Higgins | 110 |
| 206 | Gietz | 110 |

20 rows selected.

DEPARTMENTS (8 rows)

| DEPARTMENT_ID | DEPARTMENT_NAME | LOCATION_ID |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 10 | Administration | 1700 |
| 20 | Marketing | 1800 |
| 50 | Shipping | 1500 |
| 60 | IT | 1400 |
| 80 | Sales | 2500 |
| 90 | Executive | 1700 |
| 110 | Accounting | 1700 |
| 190 | Contracting | 1700 |

8 rows selected.

Cartesian product:
20 x 8 = 160 rows

| EMPLOYEE_ID | DEPARTMENT_ID | LOCATION_ID |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| 100 | 90 | 1700 |
| 101 | 90 | 1700 |
| 102 | 90 | 1700 |
| 103 | 60 | 1700 |
| 104 | 60 | 1700 |
| 107 | 60 | 1700 |

160 rows selected.

Creating Cross Joins

- *The `CROSS JOIN` clause produces the cross-product of two tables.*
- *This is also called a Cartesian product between the two tables.*

```
SELECT last_name, department_name  
FROM   employees  
CROSS JOIN departments ;
```

| LAST_NAME | DEPARTMENT_NAME |
|-----------|-----------------|
| King | Administration |
| Kochhar | Administration |
| De Haan | Administration |
| Hunold | Administration |

...

160 rows selected.

Summary

In this lesson, you should have learned how to use joins to display data from multiple tables by using:

- *Equijoins*
- *Nonequijoins*
- *Outer joins*
- *Self-joins*
- *Cross joins*
- *Natural joins*
- *Full (or two-sided) outer joins*