



Additional Relational Database Features

BMI 535/635

SQL: Pattern Matching

3.3.4.7 Pattern Matching

MySQL provides standard SQL pattern matching as well as a form of pattern matching based on extended regular expressions similar to those used by Unix utilities such as **vi**, **grep**, and **sed**.

SQL pattern matching enables you to use **_** to match any single character and **%** to match an arbitrary number of characters (including zero characters). In MySQL, SQL patterns are case-insensitive by default. Some examples are shown here. Do not use **=** or **<>** when you use SQL patterns. Use the **LIKE** or **NOT LIKE** comparison operators instead.

<https://dev.mysql.com/doc/refman/5.7/en/pattern-matching.html>

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM Gene
      -> WHERE Name LIKE 'GABA%';
```

GeneId	Name	Biotype	Chr	Start	End	Strand
ENSG00000170296	GABARAP	protein_coding	17	7240014	7242770	-
ENSG00000139112	GABARAPL1	protein_coding	12	10212458	10223130	+
ENSG00000034713	GABARAPL2	protein_coding	16	75566351	75577881	+
ENSG00000238244	GABARAPL3	processed_pseudogene	15	90348844	90349197	-
ENSG00000279980	GABARAPL3	TEC	15	90347587	90349437	+

5 rows in set (0.00 sec)

SQL: Comparison Operators

Table 12.3 Comparison Operators

Name	Description
<u>BETWEEN ... AND ...</u>	Check whether a value is within a range of values
<u>COALESCE()</u>	Return the first non-NULL argument
<u>=</u>	Equal operator
<u><=></u>	NULL-safe equal to operator
<u>></u>	Greater than operator
<u>>=</u>	Greater than or equal operator
<u>GREATEST()</u>	Return the largest argument
<u>IN()</u>	Check whether a value is within a set of values
<u>INTERVAL()</u>	Return the index of the argument that is less than the first argument
<u>IS</u>	Test a value against a boolean
<u>IS NOT</u>	Test a value against a boolean
<u>IS NOT NULL</u>	NOT NULL value test
<u>IS NULL</u>	NULL value test
<u>ISNULL()</u>	Test whether the argument is NULL
<u>LEAST()</u>	Return the smallest argument
<u><</u>	Less than operator
<u><=</u>	Less than or equal operator
<u>LIKE</u>	Simple pattern matching
<u>NOT BETWEEN ... AND ...</u>	Check whether a value is not within a range of values
<u>!=, <></u>	Not equal operator
<u>NOT IN()</u>	Check whether a value is not within a set of values
<u>NOT LIKE</u>	Negation of simple pattern matching
<u>STRCMP()</u>	Compare two strings

Comparison operations result in a value of 1 (TRUE), 0 (FALSE), or NULL. These operations work for both numbers and strings. Strings are automatically converted to numbers and numbers to strings as necessary.

The following relational comparison operators can be used to compare not only scalar operands, but row operands:

SQL: NULL Values

3.3.4.6 Working with NULL Values

The `NULL` value can be surprising until you get used to it. Conceptually, `NULL` means “a missing unknown value” and it is treated somewhat differently from other values.

To test for `NULL`, use the `IS NULL` and `IS NOT NULL` operators, as shown here:

<https://dev.mysql.com/doc/refman/5.7/en/working-with-null.html>

```
mysql> SELECT DISTINCT p.Gene, g.GeneId
-> FROM PathwayGene p LEFT OUTER JOIN Gene g ON (p.Gene=g.Name)
-> WHERE g.GeneId IS NULL;
```

Gene	GeneId
AGPAT6	NULL
ANKRD57	NULL
FAM73B	NULL
FAM82A2	NULL
MOSC2	NULL
OBFC2A	NULL
PTRF	NULL
SDPR	NULL
SQRDL	NULL
FXB	NULL

Revisiting Pathway Table

```
mysql> DESCRIBE Gene;
```

Field	Type	Null	Key	Default	Extra
GeneId	char(15)	NO		NULL	
Name	varchar(20)	NO		NULL	
Biotype	varchar(50)	YES		NULL	
Chr	char(2)	YES		NULL	
Start	int(11)	YES		NULL	
End	int(11)	YES		NULL	
Strand	enum('-', '+')	YES		NULL	

7 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> DESCRIBE PathwayGene;
```

Field	Type	Null	Key	Default	Extra
Name	varchar(50)	NO	PRI	NULL	
Gene	varchar(10)	NO	PRI	NULL	

2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> SELECT DISTINCT p.Gene, g.GeneId
-> FROM PathwayGene p LEFT OUTER JOIN Gene g ON (p.Gene=g.Name)
-> WHERE g.GeneId IS NULL;
```

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MOSC2	NULL
OBFC2A	NULL
PTRF	NULL
SDPR	NULL
SQRDL	NULL
FXR	NULL

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGene (  
->  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> Gene VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> PRIMARY KEY (Name, Gene)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGene (Name, Gene);
```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGene (  
->  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> Gene VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> PRIMARY KEY (Name, Gene)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGene (Name, Gene);
```

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)
```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
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-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)  
Records: 7324 Deleted: 0 Skipped: 128 Warnings: 256
```


Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
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->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
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```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> SHOW WARNINGS;
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+
| Level | Code | Message                                     |
+-----+-----+-----+
| Warning | 1048 | Column 'GeneId' cannot be null             |
| Warning | 1452 | Cannot add or update a child row: a foreign key constraint fails (`zheng`.`PathwayGeneId`, CONSTRAINT `PathwayGeneId_ibfk_2` FOREIGN KEY (`GeneId`) REFERENCES `Gene` (`GeneId`)) |
| Warning | 1048 | Column 'GeneId' cannot be null             |
| Warning | 1452 | Cannot add or update a child row: a foreign key constraint fails (`zheng`.`PathwayGeneId`, CONSTRAINT `PathwayGeneId_ibfk_2` FOREIGN KEY (`GeneId`) REFERENCES `Gene` (`GeneId`)) |
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Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
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->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)  
Records: 7324 Deleted: 0 Skipped: 128 Warnings: 256
```

```
mysql> SELECT DISTINCT COUNT(p.Gene)  
-> FROM PathwayGene p LEFT OUTER JOIN Gene g ON (p.Gene=g.Name)  
-> WHERE g.GeneId IS NULL;  
+-----+  
| COUNT(p.Gene) |  
+-----+  
|          128 |  
+-----+  
1 row in set (6.45 sec)
```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/EMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)  
Records: 7324 Deleted: 0 Skipped: 128 Warnings: 256
```

User-Defined Variables

Store a user-defined variable in one statement and refer to it in a later statement

- @var_name
- not case sensitive
- session specific
- assignment
 - SET (=, :=)
 - SELECT (:=)

```
mysql> SET @t1=1, @t2=2, @t3="bird";
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT @t1, @t2, @t3, @t4 := @t1+@t2;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| @t1  | @t2  | @t3  | @t4 := @t1+@t2 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1    | 2    | bird | 3              |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)
```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/EMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)  
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```

User-Defined Variables

```
mysql> SELECT @GeneName;
+-----+
| @GeneName |
+-----+
| SRP14      |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (
->   -> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
->   -> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,
->   -> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,
->   -> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),
->   -> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)
->   -> );
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)

mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/bmis305/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)
Records: 7324 Deleted: 0 Skipped: 128 Warnings: 256
```



User-Defined Functions

User defined function

- extend built-in functions, returns a value, used in SELECT
- setting different DELIMITER
- DECLARE local variable

```
mysql> DELIMITER //
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> CREATE FUNCTION Squared ( val INT ) RETURNS INT
```

```
->
```

```
-> BEGIN
```

```
->
```

```
->     DECLARE result INT;
```

```
->
```

```
->     SET result = 0;
```

```
->
```

```
->     SET result = ( val * val );
```

```
->
```

```
->     RETURN result;
```

```
->
```

```
-> END//
```

```
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> DELIMITER ;
```

User-Defined Functions

```
mysql> DELIMITER //
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> CREATE FUNCTION Squared ( val INT ) RETURNS INT
```

```
  ->
```

```
  -> BEGIN
```

```
  ->
```

```
  ->   DECLARE result INT;
```

```
  ->
```

```
  ->   SET result = 0;
```

```
  ->
```

```
  ->   SET result = ( val * val );
```

```
  ->
```

```
  ->   RETURN result;
```

```
  ->
```

```
  -> END//
```

```
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> DELIMITER ;
```

```
mysql> SELECT Squared(@t2);
```

Squared(@t2)
4

```
1 row in set (0.00 sec)
```



```
mysql> SELECT @t2;
```

@t2
2

```
1 row in set (0.00 sec)
```

Stored Procedures

Stored Procedure

- CALL a list of commands

```
mysql> DELIMITER //
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> CREATE PROCEDURE PathwayQuery ()
```

```
    ->
```

```
    -> BEGIN
```

```
    ->
```

```
    ->     SELECT DISTINCT COUNT(p.Gene)
```

```
    ->     FROM PathwayGene p LEFT OUTER JOIN Gene g ON (p.Gene=g.Name)
```

```
    ->     WHERE g.GeneId IS NULL;
```

```
    -> END //
```

```
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)
```



```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> DELIMITER ;
```

```
mysql>
```

```
mysql> CALL PathwayQuery;
```

```
+-----+
```

COUNT(p.Gene)
128

```
+-----+
```

```
1 row in set (0.03 sec)
```



```
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)
```

Table Views

Views

- a query result encapsulated in a virtual table

```
mysql> CREATE VIEW PathwayQueryView
-> AS
-> SELECT Gene, COUNT(Name) AS NumberOfPathways
-> FROM PathwayGene
-> GROUP BY Gene;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> DESCRIBE PathwayQueryView;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Field          | Type          | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Gene           | varchar(10)   | NO   |     | NULL    |       |
| NumberOfPathways | bigint(21)    | NO   |     | 0        |       |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT * FROM PathwayQueryView LIMIT 10;
+-----+-----+
| Gene | NumberOfPathways |
+-----+-----+
| A2M  | 2                |
| AAAS | 1                |
| AADAT | 1                |
| AARS | 1                |
```

Revisiting Pathway Tables

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE PathwayGeneId (  
->  
-> Id INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
-> Name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
-> GeneId CHAR(15) NOT NULL,  
-> FOREIGN KEY (Name) REFERENCES Pathway(Name),  
-> FOREIGN KEY (GeneId) REFERENCES Gene(GeneId)  
->  
-> );  
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.01 sec)  
  
mysql> LOAD DATA LOCAL INFILE '/home/courses/BMI535/data/genedb/pathwayGene.txt'  
-> INTO TABLE PathwayGeneId (Name, @GeneName)  
-> SET Id=NULL, GeneId = (SELECT GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name=@GeneName LOCK IN SHARE MODE);  
Query OK, 7196 rows affected, 256 warnings (2 min 56.08 sec)  
Records: 7324 Deleted: 0 Skipped: 128 Warnings: 256
```

Database Locks

14.5.2.4 Locking Reads

If you query data and then insert or update related data within the same transaction, the regular `SELECT` statement does not give enough protection. Other transactions can update or delete the same rows you just queried. InnoDB supports two types of **locking reads** that offer extra safety:

- `SELECT ... LOCK IN SHARE MODE`

Sets a shared mode lock on any rows that are read. Other sessions can read the rows, but cannot modify them until your transaction commits. If any of these rows were changed by another transaction that has not yet committed, your query waits until that transaction ends and then uses the latest values.

- `SELECT ... FOR UPDATE`

For index records the search encounters, locks the rows and any associated index entries, the same as if you issued an `UPDATE` statement for those rows. Other transactions are blocked from updating those rows, from doing `SELECT ... LOCK IN SHARE MODE`, or from reading the data in certain transaction isolation levels. Consistent reads ignore any locks set on the records that exist in the read view. (Old versions of a record cannot be locked; they are reconstructed by applying **undo logs** on an in-memory copy of the record.)

Database Locks

Locking

- specific rows
- specific tables

```
LOCK TABLES
    tbl_name [[AS] alias] lock_type
    [, tbl_name [[AS] alias] lock_type]

lock_type:
    READ [LOCAL]
    | [LOW_PRIORITY] WRITE

UNLOCK TABLES
```

<https://dev.mysql.com/doc/refman/5.7/en/lock-tables.html>

Usage

- exclusive usage (keep in mind database performance)
 - updates
 - access across multiple tables
- maintain concurrency and consistency
- at times used to mimic transactions

Database Transactions

Transactions

- sequential group of database manipulation operations to be performed as a single unit of work

These statements provide control over use of `transactions`:

- `START TRANSACTION` or `BEGIN` start a new transaction.
- `COMMIT` commits the current transaction, making its changes permanent.
- `ROLLBACK` rolls back the current transaction, canceling its changes.
- `SET autocommit` disables or enables the default autocommit mode for the current session.

<https://dev.mysql.com/doc/refman/5.7/en/commit.html>

Database Transactions

START TRANSACTION – obtain database snapshot, turn off auto-commit

ROLLBACK – finish transaction, do not commit statements

COMMIT – finish transaction, commit all statements

```
mysql> START TRANSACTION;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql>
mysql> INSERT INTO Gene (GeneId, Name) VALUES ("NewId", "NewGene");
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT * FROM Gene WHERE GeneId="NewId";
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| GeneId | Name   | Biotype | Chr  | Start | End   | Strand |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| NewId  | NewGene | NULL    | NULL | NULL  | NULL  | NULL    |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> ROLLBACK;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT * FROM Gene WHERE GeneId="NewId";
Empty set (0.00 sec)
```

Database Transactions

```
mysql> START TRANSACTION;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql>
mysql> INSERT INTO Gene (GeneId, Name) VALUES ("NewId", "NewGene");
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT @GeneId:=GeneId FROM Gene WHERE Name = "NewGene";
+-----+
| @GeneId:=GeneId |
+-----+
| NewId           |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> INSERT INTO Transcript (TranscriptId, Name) VALUES ("NewId", "NewTranscript");
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT @TranscriptId:=TranscriptId FROM Transcript WHERE Name="NewTranscript";
+-----+
| @TranscriptId:=TranscriptId |
+-----+
| NewId                       |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.10 sec)

mysql> INSERT INTO TranscriptGene (TranscriptId, GeneId) VALUES (@TranscriptId, @GeneId);
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> SELECT * FROM TranscriptGene WHERE TranscriptId="NewId";
+-----+-----+
| TranscriptId | GeneId |
+-----+-----+
| NewId       | NewId  |
+-----+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> COMMIT;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)
```

Database Transactions

START TRANSACTION – obtain database snapshot, turn off auto-commit

ROLLBACK – finish transaction, do not commit statements

COMMIT – finish transaction, commit all statements

Other users will only be able to see your changes after the COMMIT statement.

ACID Compliant

Four properties of database transactions

- Atomicity
 - all or none of the statements are committed
- Consistency
 - database is not left in half finished/updated state
- Isolation
 - keeps transactions separate from one another
- Durability
 - log changes so can properly recover if needed

Summary

User defined function

- extend built-in functions, returns a value, used in SELECT

Stored Procedure

- CALL a list of commands

Views

- a query result encapsulated in a virtual table

Transactions

- a set of SQL statements to be performed as a unit



Relational Database Normalization

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Data Table

GeneName	CodingType	TranscriptName
ABC	protein coding	ABC_1
ABC	protein coding	ABC_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_1
DEF	noncoding	DEF_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_3

Data Table

GeneName	CodingType	TranscriptName
ABC	protein coding	ABC_1
ABC	protein coding	ABC_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_1
DEF	noncoding	DEF_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_3

Redundancy

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DEF	noncoding	DEF_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_3

Problems with redundancy?

Data Table

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ABC	protein coding	ABC_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_1
DEF	noncoding	DEF_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_3

Problems with redundancy?

- increases storage
- decreases performance
- difficult to maintain data changes/integrity

Database Normalization

Process developed by E.F. Codd in 1970 to organize a database into tables and columns. Normal forms were developed to reduce the amount of redundancy and inconsistent dependencies. Normalization organizes data into tables where each item in a row and the attribute of the item are in columns.

Goals of normalization

- eliminate redundancy
- avoid insertion/update/deletion anomalies
- consistent data dependencies
- optimize queries

Normalization

GeneName	CodingType	TranscriptName
ABC	protein coding	ABC_1
ABC	protein coding	ABC_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_1
DEF	noncoding	DEF_2
DEF	noncoding	DEF_3

Update anomaly

- multiple rows may need to be updated
- potential for data inconsistencies/errors
 - update 'ABC', 'DEF' multiple times
 - update 'protein coding' multiple times

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Deletion anomaly

- information may be lost upon deletion
 - if we delete all NULL transcript, we will lose associated gene information

Database Normalization

Process developed by E.F. Codd in 1970 to organize a database into tables and columns. Normal forms were developed to reduce the amount of redundancy and inconsistent dependencies. Normalization organizes data into tables where each item in a row and the attribute of the item are in columns.

Normal Forms

- First normal form
- Second normal form
- Third normal form
- Boyce-Codd (BCNF, 3.5 NF)
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 - GeneName is not dependent on Id*
 - CodingTypeId is not dependent on Id*
 - CodingType is not dependent on Id*

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foreign key

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DEF	2	noncoding
GHI	3	mitochondrial
XYZ	1	protein

<u>GeneName*</u>	<u>TranscriptName*</u>
ABC	ABC_1
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ABC	ABC_3
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decomposition

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- all non-key columns are dependent on the primary key
- decomposition
 - create separate tables for values that apply to multiple records
 - relate tables with foreign keys

Third Normal Form

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- 2NF
- eliminate transitive functional dependencies on the primary key
 - A dependent on B
 - B dependent on C
 - C is transitively dependent on A via B

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Do we have any functional dependencies on our primary keys?

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CodingType is dependent on CodingTypeId which is dependent on GeneName

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Third Normal Form

		foreign key		foreign key	
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2	noncoding	DEF	2	ABC	ABC_2
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Third Normal Form

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- 2NF
- eliminate transitive functional dependencies on the primary key
- helps to maintain consistent one-to-many relationships

Advanced Normal Forms

Boyce-Codd (BCNF, 3.5 NF)

- eliminate multiple composite keys which overlap

Fourth Normal Form

- eliminate multi-valued dependencies
 - A related to B; A related to C; B is not related to A

Fifth Normal Form

- ensures all original relationships can be reconstructed

Benefits of Database Normalization

Improved data integrity

- no insert/update/delete anomalies

Decreased storage requirements

- no redundant storage of data

More efficient database querying

- smaller tables
- more directed searching

Downsides of Database Normalization

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Complex database schemas

- lots of tables
- lots of relationships
- lots of foreign keys

Difficult to describe/communicate

- differ from your initial ER diagram
- upgrade/change schema

Complex queries

- large number of joins
- query time (particularly on large tables)

Database Design

Keep normalization in mind

- do not replicate data
- ensure data integrity

If you break a normalization rule

- know why you are breaking it
- do it for a good reason

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Dramatic increase in data

- running out of storage space
- query slows down

Relational Database

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- add more storage space
- replicate data across different servers
 - master/slave setup
- partition subsets of data across different servers
 - sharding

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Potential database solutions

- de-normalize tables to increase query efficiency
- drop secondary indexes to increase loading efficiency
- pre-materialize popular queries (no longer real time)

Relational Database

When are relational databases not appropriate?

- volume of data
 - too big
 - too small
- data model/characteristics
 - does not fit into rows and tables
 - data sparsity
 - data variety
 - data velocity

NoSQL Databases

Term coined in 2009

- open-sourced, distributed computing non-relational databases

Driven by the need of big data


- volume, variety, velocity, ...

NoSQL Databases

To accommodate big data, many

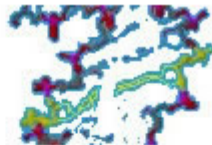
- works with clusters, distributed computing environments
- have no fixed/rigid database schemas
- do not support secondary indexes
- are not ACID compliant
- do not have structure query languages
 - simple command line/API-like interfaces

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