

DATA QUERY LANGUAGE

Structured Query Language (SQL)

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Data Query Language (DQL)

DQL (*Data Query Language*) is a **subset** of **SQL** that is used to **query** and **retrieve data** from a **database**.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable ;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable ;
```



DQL with Conditions

DQL statements are used to **query** and **retrieve data** from a **database**. In this case, we are using a **condition** using the **WHERE** clause.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
WHERE name = 'John';
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
WHERE name = 'John';
```



DQL with Conditions by Strings

DQL has a **LIKE** operator that is used to **search** for a specified **pattern** in a **column**.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
WHERE name LIKE 'J%';
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
WHERE name LIKE 'J%';
```



DQL for Columns Projection

DQL could be used to **project** only the **columns** that are required.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT name AS full_name  
FROM myTable;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT name AS full_name  
FROM myTable;
```



DQL for Counting Operation

DQL could be used to **count** the number of rows in a table.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT COUNT(*)  
FROM myTable;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT COUNT(*)  
FROM myTable;
```



DQL for Sum Operation

DQL could be used to **sum** the values of a column.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT SUM(salary)  
FROM myTable;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT SUM(salary)  
FROM myTable;
```



DQL for Stats Operations

DQL could be used to **calculate** the **average**, **maximum**, and **minimum** values of a column.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT AVG( salary ), MAX( salary ), MIN( salary )  
FROM myTable ;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT AVG( salary ), MAX( salary ), MIN( salary )  
FROM myTable ;
```



DQL to Limit the number of results

DQL could be used to **limit** the number of results.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
LIMIT 10;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
LIMIT 10;
```



DQL for Sorting Results

DQL could be used to **sort** the results by any column or columns.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
ORDER BY name ASC;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT * FROM myTable  
ORDER BY name ASC;
```



DQL for Grouping Results

DQL could be used to **group** the results by any column.

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT country , COUNT(*)  
FROM myTable GROUP BY country ;
```

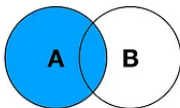
MySQL Example

```
SELECT country , COUNT(*)  
FROM myTable GROUP BY country ;
```

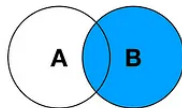


Table Joins

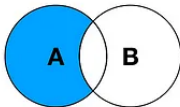
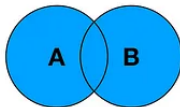
SQL JOINS



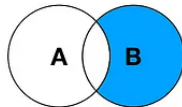
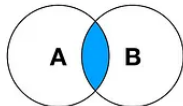
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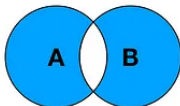
RIGHT JOIN

LEFT JOIN EXCLUDING
INNER JOIN

FULL OUTER JOIN

RIGHT JOIN EXCLUDING
INNER JOIN

INNER JOIN

FULL OUTER JOIN EXCLUDING
INNER JOIN

DQL for Joins

PostgreSQL Example

```
SELECT myTable.name, myOtherTable.email  
FROM myTable  
JOIN myOtherTable ON myTable.pk = myOtherTable.fk ;
```

MySQL Example

```
SELECT myTable.name, myOtherTable.email  
FROM myTable  
JOIN myOtherTable ON myTable.pk = myOtherTable.fk ;
```



Thanks!

Questions?



Repo: <https://github.com/EngAndres/ud-public/tree/main/courses/databases-foundations>

