Big Data Engineering

An overview of SQL

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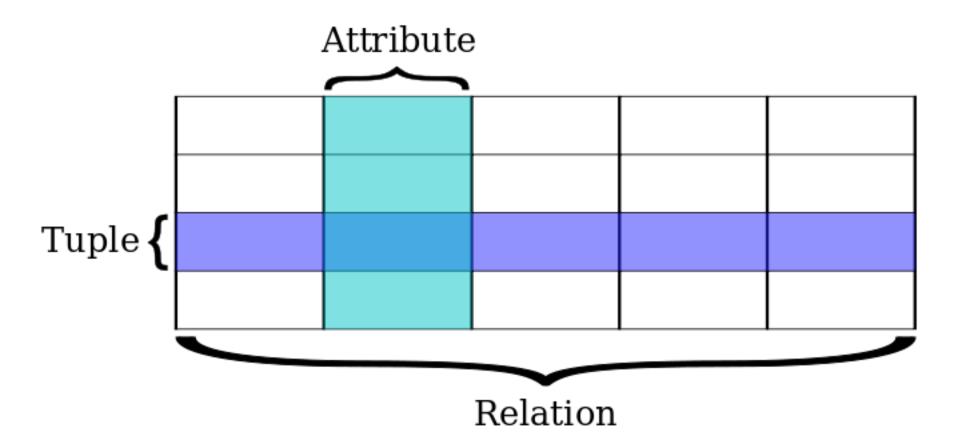


Structured Query Language

- Pronounced "Sequel"
 - Originally called Sequel but changed for trademark reasons
- Dates to 1974
 - Written by IBM (Chamberlin and Boyce)
 - Based on "A Relational Model of Data for Large Shared Data Banks" by Edward Codd
 - First commercialised by Oracle
 - Standardised in 1986



Relational terminology (from Codd)





Relational Database

- Every row in a table has the same attributes (columns)
 - Relations are either tables or views on those tables
- A primary key for each row uniquely identifies it
- A foreign key points to another table's primary key

Relational database

Id	Firstname	Lastname	birthdate
2587	John	Hopkins	5/12/1973
7789	Henry	Gleeson	1/5/1985
22398	Eleanor	Gleeson	10/6/1996

Why are we looking at SQL today?

- SQL and variations are widely used
 - Not just for relational databases
- Hive / SparkSQL
 - SQL over big data using map-reduce techniques
- Siddhi / KSQL / StreamingSQL
 - SQL queries over real-time streaming data
- Other SQL interfaces



Entity Relationship Diagram

PERSON				
PK	id	INT	-	
	firstname	VARCHAR(40)		
	lastname	VARCHAR(40)		
	birthdate	DATE		

		MANAGE	:R
	PK, FK	id	INT
4	FK	manager	INT

SQL STATEMENTS

corresponding to the previous diagram

```
CREATE TABLE Person (Manager (
id INT,
                       id INT,
firstname
                       manager INT,
VARCHAR(40),
                       PRIMARY KEY (id),
 lastname
                       FOREIGN KEY (id)
VARCHAR(40),
                         REFERENCES
birthdate DATE,
                      Person(id)
                       FOREIGN KEY
 PRIMARY KEY (id)
                      (manager)
                         REFERENCES
                      Person(id)
```



INSERT

```
INSERT INTO Person
  (id, firstname, lastname, birthdate)
  values
  (564, "Henry", "Gleeson", "1968-12-5");
INSERT INTO Person
  (id, firstname, lastname, birthdate)
  values
  (2343, "Eleanor", "Gleeson", "1995-1-9");
```



SELECT * FROM Person;

id	firstname	lastname	birthdate
564	Henry	Gleeson	1968-12-5
2343	Eleanor	Gleeson	1995-1-9

SELECT * FROM Person WHERE id = 564;

id firstname lastname birthdate
----564 Henry Gleeson 1968-12-5

SELECT * FROM Person WHERE firstname = "Eleanor";

```
id firstname lastname birthdate
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2343 Eleanor Gleeson 1995-1-9
```

SELECT firstname, lastname FROM Person ORDER BY firstname;

firstname lastname

Eleanor Smith

Henry Gleeson

SELECT lastname FROM Person ORDER BY firstname;

lastname

Gleeson

Gleeson



duplicate rows means that an SQL database is not really a relational database

SELECT DISTINCT lastname FROM Person ORDER BY firstname;

lastname

Gleeson

SELECT firstname, lastname FROM Person ORDER BY lastname LIMIT 1;

firstname lastname

Henry Gleeson

SELECT AVG(birthdate) FROM Person;

AVG(birthdate)

1981.5

Functions

- MIN
- MAX
- AVG
- COUNT
- SUM



OTHER COMMANDS

DELETE

DELETE FROM person WHERE ID=564;

UPDATE

UPDATE PERSON

SET firstname = Henrietta WHERE ID=564;

JOIN

SELECT DISTINCT lastname, firstname FROM Person INNER JOIN Manager ON Person(id) = Manager(id)

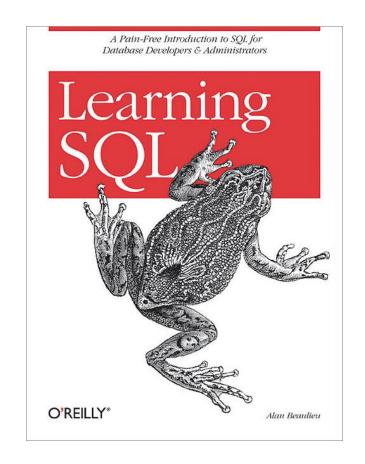
firstname lastname

Eleanor Smith

What does this tell us about Eleanor Smith?

This is a very brief introduction!

- We will learn more from the exercises
- There are lots of resources on the Web





Apache Hive

http://hive.apache.org



- Just like SQL except it generates Map Reduce jobs
- Works on Hadoop and Spark
 - Embedded into Spark as SparkSQL
- Includes DDL (Data Definition Language) as well as SQL
- Makes many processing tasks very simple



Hive example

```
CREATE TABLE page_view(viewTime INT, userid BIGINT,
                  page_url STRING, referrer_url STRING,
                  ip STRING COMMENT 'IP Address of the User')
COMMENT 'This is the page view table'
PARTITIONED BY(dt STRING, country STRING)
STORED AS SEQUENCEFILE;
LOAD DATA LOCAL INPATH /tmp/pv_2008-06-08_us.txt INTO TABLE page_view PARTITION(date='2008-06-08', country='US')
INSERT OVERWRITE TABLE xyz_com_page_views
SELECT page_views.*
FROM page_views
WHERE page_views.date \Rightarrow '2008-03-01' AND page_views.date \Rightarrow '2008-03-
31' AND
      page_views.referrer_url like '%xyz.com';
```



SparkSQL

- Integrates into existing Spark programs
 - Mixes SQL with Python, Scala or Java
- Integrates data from CSV, Avro, Parquet, JDBC, ODBC, JSON, etc
 - Including joins across them
- Fully supports Apache Hive
 - If you build it with Hive support
- Fits into the resilient scalable model



Spark SQL example

```
from pyspark.sql import SQLContext, Row
sqlContext = SQLContext(sc)
lines = sc.textFile("examples/src/main/resources/people.txt")
parts = lines.map(lambda l: l.split(","))
people = parts.map(lambda p: Row(name=p[0], age=int(p[1])))
schemaPeople = sqlContext.createDataFrame(people)
schemaPeople.registerTempTable("people")
teenagers = sqlContext.sql("SELECT name FROM people WHERE age >= 13
AND age <= 19")
teenNames = teenagers.map(lambda p: "Name: " + p.name)
for teenName in teenNames.collect():
  print(teenName)
```

DataFrame

Based on Python and R dataframes

- Column based object used by SQL
- Offers SQL like programming
- Supports algebraic optimisation and code gen
- E.g. in Scala:

And they run up to 2-5x faster than equivalent computations expressed via the functional API.



More SQL

```
df.
 select('postcode','id').
 withColumn('first_pc',
  split(df.postcode, '\s'[0]).
  where ((col("first_pc") == 'SW11') or
          (col("first_pc") == 'OX1')).
   groupBy('first_pc').
   agg({"id": "count"}).show()
```

User Defined Functions

- In SQL a User Defined Function is an extension that helps perform other functions in SQL
- In Spark we can add our own functions (e.g. written in Python)

```
def squared(s):
    return s * s
sqlContext.udf.register("squared", squared)
SELECT squared(age) as agesquared from PERSON
```



Questions?

