

Joins

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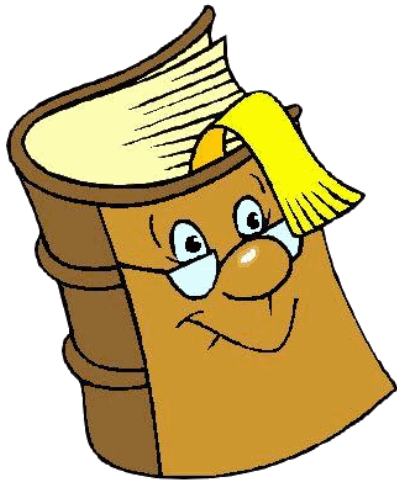
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Join

- Join is a special form of cross product of two tables.
- In Cartesian product we join a tuple of one table with the tuples of the second table. But in join there is a special requirement of relationship between tuples.

Example

- **For example** if there is a relation STUDENT and a relation BOOK then it may be required to know that how many books have been issued to any particular student. Now in this case the primary key of STUDENT that is stId is a foreign key in BOOK table through which the join can be made.



SQL Joins

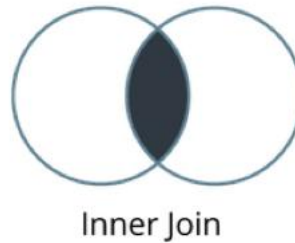
- SQL joins are used to get data from two or more tables based on relationship between some of the columns in tables.
- In most of the cases we will use primary key of first table and foreign key of secondary table to get data from tables

Overview of Join Types

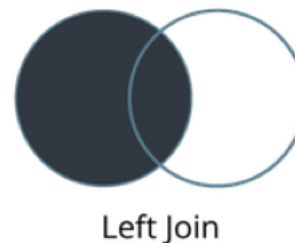
- Inner Join
- Left Join or Left Outer Join
- Right Join or Right Outer Join
- Full Outer
- Self Join

Overview of Join Types

- **Inner Join:** When you use an inner join to combine tables, the result is a table that contains values that have matches in both tables.

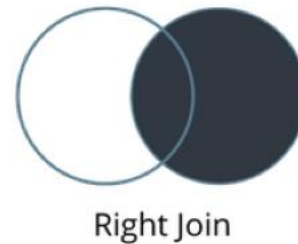


- **Left Join:** When you use a left join to combine tables, the result is a table that contains all values from the left table and corresponding matches from the right table.

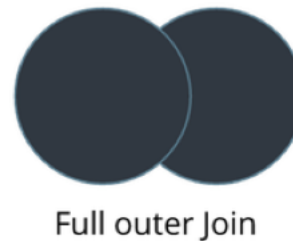


Overview of Join Types

- **Right Join:** When you use a right join to combine tables, the result is a table that contains all values from the right table and corresponding matches from the left table.



- **Full Outer Join:** When you use a full outer join to combine tables, the result is a table that contains all values from both tables.

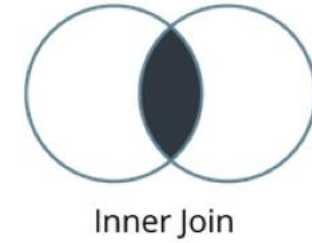


Tables for examples

EMPNO	ENAME	JOB	MGR	DEPTNO
111	Trishla	Analyst	444	10
222	Khilan	Clerk	333	20
333	Kaushik	Manager	111	10
444	Chaitali	Engineer	222	40

DEPTNO	DNAME	LOC
10	INVENTORY	Halifax
20	FINANCE	Ottawa
30	HR	Toronto

Inner Join

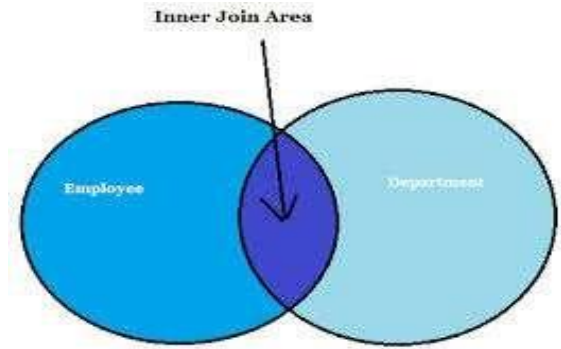


- Clause is used to combine rows from two or more tables, based on a common field between them.
- INNER JOIN creates a new result table by combining column values of two tables (table1 and table2) based upon the join-condition.
- Keyword used is INNER JOIN or simply JOIN.

Syntax

```
SELECT table1.column1, table2.column2...  
FROM table1 INNER JOIN table2  
ON table1.common_field = table2.common_field;
```

Example



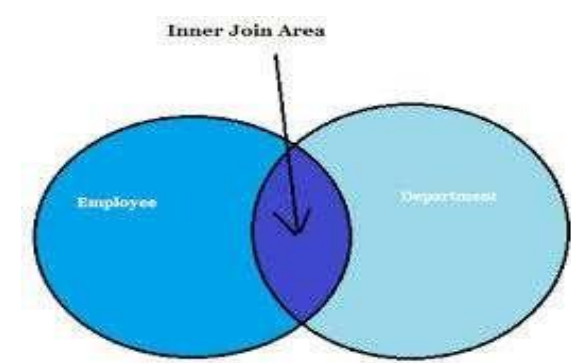
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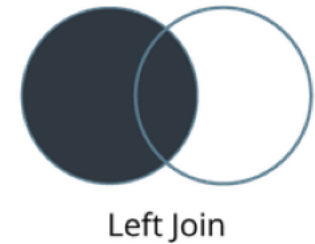
```
SELECT emp.ename,emp.job,dept.dname,dept.loc
FROM EMPLOYEE emp INNER JOIN DEPARTMENT dept
ON emp.deptno = dept.deptno;
```

Example - Result

ENAME	JOB	DNAME	LOC
Trishla	Analyst	INVENTORY	Halifax
Khilan	Clerk	FINANCE	Ottawa
Kaushik	Manager	INVENTORY	Halifax



Left Join/Left Outer Join



- LEFT JOIN returns all rows from the left table (table1), even if there are no matches in the right table(table2).
- If there are no matches found in right table the result is null in the right table.
- Keyword used is LEFT JOIN.

Syntax

```
SELECT table1.column1, table2.column2...
```

```
FROM table1
```

```
LEFT JOIN table2 ON table1.common_field = table2.common_field;
```

Example

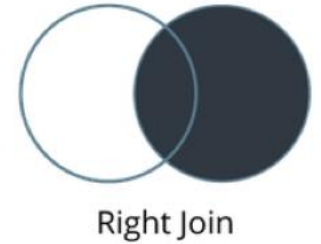
ENAME	JOB	DNAME	LOC
Trishla	Analyst	Inventory	Halifax
Khilan	Clerk	Finance	Ottawa
Kaushik	Manager	Inventory	Halifax
Chaitali	Engineer	NULL	NULL

```
SELECT emp.ename, emp.job, dept.dname, dept.loc from EMPLOYEE emp LEFT JOIN  
DEPARTMENT dept ON emp.deptno = dept.deptno;
```

OR

```
SELECT emp.ename, emp.job, dept.dname, dept.loc from EMPLOYEE emp ,  
DEPARTMENT dept WHERE emp.deptno(+) = dept.deptno;
```

Right Join/Right Outer Join



- RIGHT JOIN returns all rows from the right table (table2), even if there are no matches in the left table(table1).
- If there are no matched found in let table the result is null in the left table.
- Keyword used is RIGHT JOIN

Syntax

```
SELECT table1.column1, table2.column2... FROM table1  
RIGHT JOIN table2 ON table1.common_field = table2.common_field;
```

Example

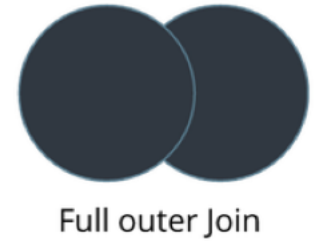
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Trishla	Analyst	Inventory	Halifax
Khilan	Clerk	Finance	Ottawa
Kaushik	Manager	Inventory	Halifax
NULL	NULL	HR	Toronto

```
SELECT emp.ename,emp.job,dept.dname,dept.loc from EMPLOYEE emp RIGHT JOIN DEPARTMENT  
dept ON emp.deptno =dept.deptno;
```

OR

```
SELECT emp.ename,emp.job,dept.dname,dept.loc from EMPLOYEE emp,  
DEPARTMENT dept WHERE emp.deptno = dept.deptno(+);
```

Full Join



- The SQL FULL JOIN combines the results of both left and right outer joins.
- The joined table will contain all records from both tables, and fill in NULLs for missing matches on either side.
- Keyword used is FULL JOIN. In some data bases it is also known as FULL OUTER JOIN.

Syntax

```
SELECT table1.column1, table2.column2... FROM table1  
FULL JOIN table2 ON table1.common_field = table2.common_field;
```

Example

ENAME	JOB	DNAME	LOC
Trishla	Analyst	Inventory	Halifax
Khilan	Clerk	Finance	Ottawa
Kaushik	Manager	Inventory	Halifax
NULL	NULL	HR	Toronto
Chaitali	Engineer	NULL	NULL

```
SELECT emp.ename, emp.job, dept.dname, dept.loc from EMPLOYEE emp FULL JOIN  
DEPARTMENT dept ON emp.deptno = dept.deptno;
```

Self Join

- SELF JOIN is used to join a table to itself as if the table were two tables

Syntax -> `SELECT a.column_name, b.column_name... FROM table1 a, table1 b WHERE a.common_field = b.common_field`

Example

ENAME	JOB	MANAGER
Trishla	Analyst	Chaitali
Khilan	Clerk	Kaushik
Kaushik	Manager	Ramesh
Chaitali	Engineer	Khilan

```
SELECT emp1.ename, emp1.job, emp2.ename as manager FROM EMPLOYEE  
emp1, EMPLOYEE emp2 where emp1.mgr = emp2.empno;
```

