

Intro to Database

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Example

curve

currency	name	date	df	df_tenor
USD	libor3	11/2/2012	0.95	100
USD	OIS	11/2/2012	0.99	100
AUD	aud3	11/2/2012	0.98	100
AUD	aud6	11/2/2012	0.98	100

Rule of Precedence

All comparison operators \rightarrow AND \rightarrow OR

Example:

SELECT *

FROM table_A

WHERE currency= 'AUD'

OR currency = 'USD'

AND name = 'OIS'

Condition1: currency = 'USD ' AND name = 'OIS'

Condition2: currency = 'AUD '

Example

currency	name	date	df	df_tenor
USD	OIS	11/2/2012	0.99	100
AUD	aud3	11/2/2012	0.98	100
AUD	aud6	11/2/2012	0.98	100

Rule of Precedence 2

All comparison operators \rightarrow AND \rightarrow OR

Example:

SELECT *

FROM SV

WHERE (currency = AUD'

OR currency = USD ')

AND name = 'OIS'

Condition1: currency = AUD ' OR currency = USD '

Condition2: name= 'OIS ')

Example

currency	name	date	df	df_tenor
USD	OIS	11/2/2012	0.99	100

Group Functions

- SUM
- AVG
- MAX, MIN
- COUNT
- STDEV, VAR: standard deviation, variance

Functions may be different in different type of database

Using group functions

```
SELECT [column,] group_function(column)  
FROM table  
[WHERE condition]  
GROUP BY column  
[ORDER BY column [ASC|DESC]]
```

- All columns in the SELECT clause must appear in the GROUP BY clause
- The GROUP BY column does not have to be in the SELECT list

Example

currency	name	date	df
USD	libor3	11/2/2013	0.95
USD	OIS	11/2/2013	0.96
USD	OIS	11/2/2013	0.97
AUD	libor1	11/2/2013	0.99

Select AVG(df) as p from curve
where currency = 'USD'
group by name

Example

p
0.95
0.965

The HAVING clause

```
SELECT [column,] group_function(column)  
FROM table  
[WHERE condition]  
GROUP BY column  
[HAVING group condition]  
[ORDER BY column [ASC|DESC]]
```

- Group conditions can only be restricted by the HAVING clause
- WHERE clause is used to pre-exclude rows before dividing them into groups
- Cannot use column alias in GROUP BY, HAVING

Example

currency	name	date	df
USD	libor3	11/2/2013	0.95
USD	OIS	11/2/2013	0.96
USD	OIS	11/2/2013	0.97
AUD	libor1	11/2/2013	0.99

Select AVG(df) as p from curve

where currency = 'USD'

group by name

Having name = 'OIS'

Example

p

0.965

Relational Algebra

- Algebra of sets concerned with operations over relations
- theoretical foundation for relational databases
- Basic guideline of query languages such as SQL.

Relational Algebra In SQL

- Union
- Intersection
- set difference
- cartesian product

Cartesian Product

- Basically, multiple table query

```
SELECT table1.column, table2.column  
FROM table1 [alias], table2 [alias]
```


Example

Table E

E_ID	ename	dept
1	Ron	A
2	Alex	C
3	Mary	A

Table D

D_ID	dname
A	Marketing
B	Sales
C	Legal

Select * from E,D

Example

Output

E_ID	ename	dept	D_ID	dname
1	Ron	A	A	Marketing
1	Ron	A	B	Sales
1	Ron	A	C	Legal
2	Alex	C	A	Marketing
2	Alex	C	B	Sales
2	Alex	C	C	Legal
3	Mary	A	A	Marketing
3	Mary	A	B	Sales
3	Mary	A	C	Legal

- Usually not useful in practice.
- Huge result.

Multiple table query

```
SELECT table1.column, table2.column  
FROM table1 [alias], table2 [alias]  
WHERE table1.column1 = table2.column2
```

- Write join condition in the WHERE clause
- Simplify queries by using table aliases (if a table alias is used for a particular table name in the FROM clause, then that table alias must be substituted for all the table name throughout the SQL statement)

Example

```
select * from E, D  
where dept = D_id
```

or use alias

```
Select * from E a, D b where  
a.Dept= b.D_id
```

Example

E_ID	ename	dept	D_ID	dname
1	Bill	A	A	Marketing
2	Sarah	C	C	Legal
3	John	A	A	Marketing

DB Designs

- Divides your information into subject-based tables to reduce redundant data.
- Accommodates your data processing and reporting needs.

General Process

- Find and organize the information required
- Divide the information into tables
- Turn information items into columns
- Specify primary keys
- Set up the table relationships
- Refine the design
- Apply the normalization rules

DB Designs

GOAL:

Design a DB that calculate Option Prices

- Determine the information required
- What kind of options prices?
- What are the market data?
- Where to store result?

Example

- Suppose its just simple textbook European Option Pricing we need

$s, \sigma, t, K, r,$

s will be from current stock table

σ will be from historical stock volatility

t is user input given

K is user input given

r is user input given

Example

- One table that holds for stock information
- One table holds user input
- One table holds for calculation result

Stock Table: Date,cusips,price

UsersInput Table:

Date,option_id, time_to_expire, rate_uused

Output Table:

Date, option_id, option_prices