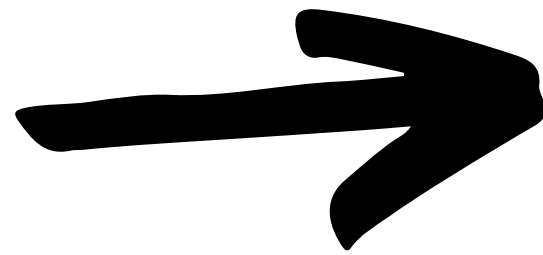




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MYSQL



# THE BIG 6 ELEMENTS OF A SQL SELECT STATEMENT



Necessary

Optional

- 1 **SELECT** COLUMN\_NAME(S)
- 2 **FROM** TABLE\_NAME
- 3 **WHERE** LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)
- 4 **GROUP BY** COLUMN\_NAME(S)
- 5 **HAVING** LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)
- 6 **ORDER BY** COLUMN\_NAME(S)

# LET'S FOCUS ON THE GROUP BY CLAUSE



Necessary

Optional

1

SELECT

COLUMN\_NAME(S)

2

FROM

TABLE\_NAME

3

WHERE

LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)

4

GROUP BY

COLUMN\_NAME(S)

5

HAVING

LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)

6

ORDER BY

COLUMN\_NAME(S)

# LET'S FOCUS ON THE GROUP BY CLAUSE



Necessary

Optional

1

SELECT

IDENTIFIES COLUMN(S)

2

FROM

IDENTIFIES TABLE

3

WHERE

RECORD-FILTERING CRITERIA

4

GROUP BY

SPECIFIES HOW TO GROUP DATA

5

HAVING

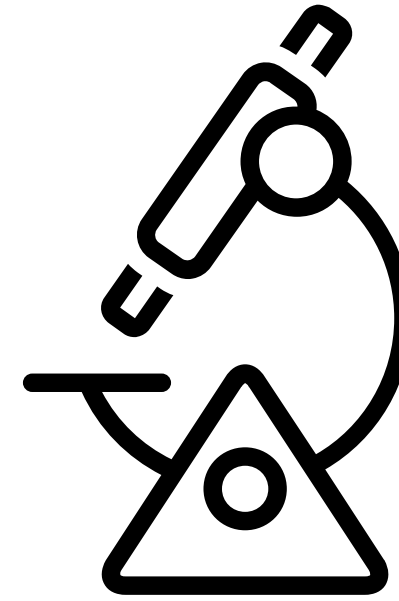
GROUP-FILTERING CRITERIA

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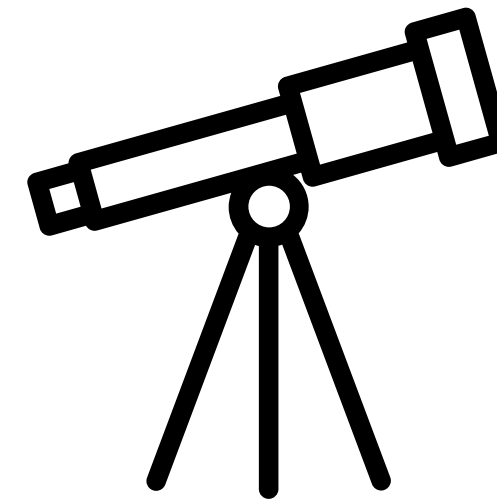
ORDER BY

SPECIFIES ORDER OF RESULTS

# SO WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT GROUP BY?

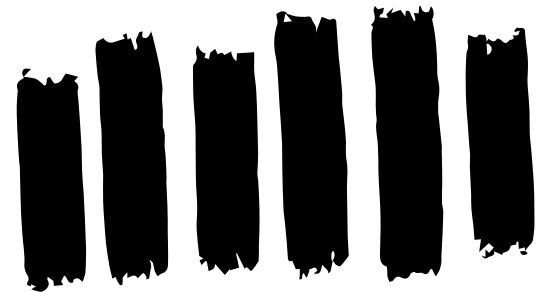


Zoom In



Zoom Out

# HOW DOES GROUP BY WORK?



What if I want to group  
the observations in my  
dataset by  
item\_name...

	item_name	item_price
0	Chips and Fresh Tomato Salsa	2.39
1	Izze	3.39
2	Nantucket Nectar	3.39
3	Chips and Tomatillo-Green Chili Salsa	2.39
4	Chicken Bowl	8.49
5	Chicken Bowl	10.98
6	Side of Chips	1.69
7	Steak Burrito	11.75
8	Steak Soft Tacos	9.25
9	Steak Burrito	9.25

# HOW DOES GROUP BY WORK?



...such that each row  
represents one unique  
item\_name?

	item_name
0	6 Pack Soft Drink
1	Barbacoa Bowl
2	Barbacoa Burrito
3	Barbacoa Crispy Tacos
4	Barbacoa Salad Bowl
5	Barbacoa Soft Tacos
6	Bottled Water
7	Bowl
8	Burrito
9	Canned Soda
10	Canned Soft Drink
11	Carnitas Bowl
12	Carnitas Burrito
13	Carnitas Crispy Tacos
14	Carnitas Salad
15	Carnitas Salad Bowl
16	Carnitas Soft Tacos
17	Chicken Bowl

# HOW DOES GROUP BY WORK?



*I have 2 observations  
with the item\_name  
Crispy Tacos.*

	item_name	item_price
520	Crispy Tacos	7.4
521	Crispy Tacos	7.4



# HOW DOES GROUP BY WORK?



*I have 7 observations  
with the item\_name  
Veggie Soft Tacos.*

	item_name	item_price
738	Veggie Soft Tacos	11.25
781	Veggie Soft Tacos	8.75
1395	Veggie Soft Tacos	8.49
1699	Veggie Soft Tacos	11.25
2384	Veggie Soft Tacos	8.75
2851	Veggie Soft Tacos	8.49
3889	Veggie Soft Tacos	8.49

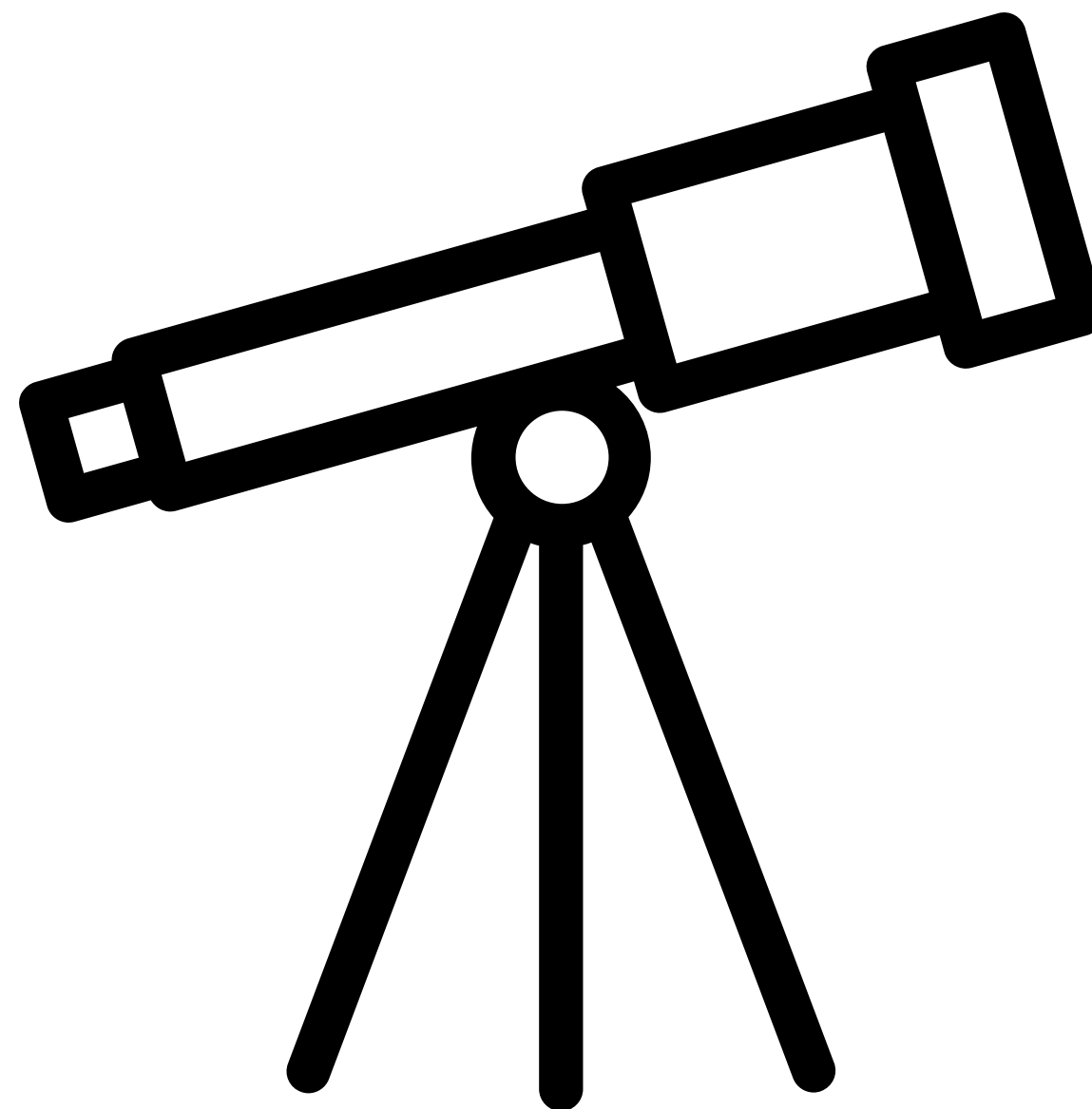
# HOW DOES GROUP BY WORK?



And I have hundreds of  
observations with the  
item\_name  
Chicken Bowl.

	item_name	item_price
4	Chicken Bowl	8.49
5	Chicken Bowl	10.98
13	Chicken Bowl	11.25
19	Chicken Bowl	8.75
26	Chicken Bowl	8.49
...	...	...
4590	Chicken Bowl	11.25
4591	Chicken Bowl	8.75
4595	Chicken Bowl	8.75
4599	Chicken Bowl	8.75
4604	Chicken Bowl	8.75

ZOOM  
OUT

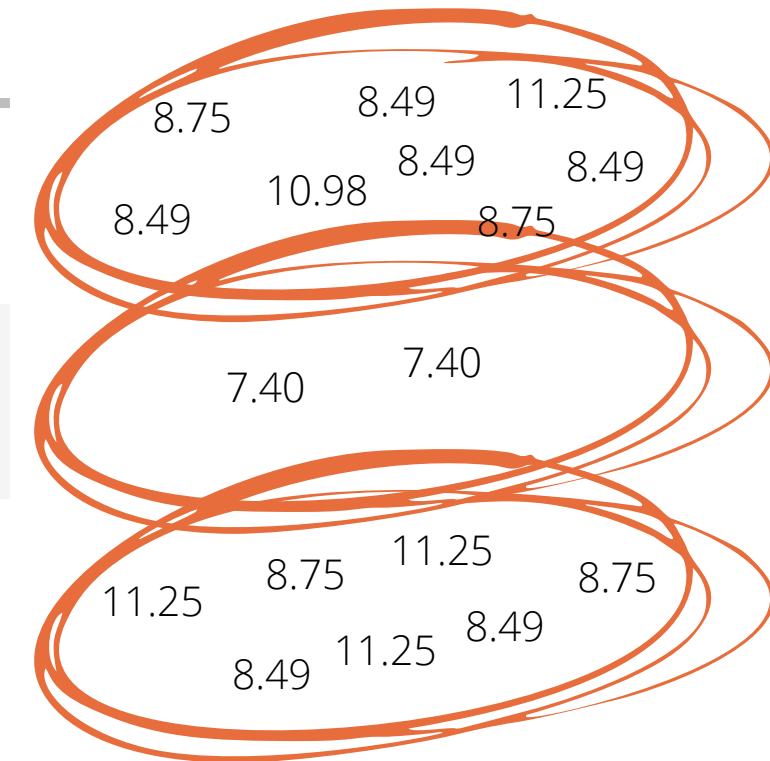


THESE  
VALUES  
CAN'T  
ALL FIT IN  
ONE CELL!



item_name
Chicken Bowl
Crispy Tacos
Veggie Soft Tacos

item\_price



# USE AN AGGREGATE FUNCTION TO SUMMARIZE



item_price_mean	
item_name	
Chicken Bowl	9.66
Crispy Tacos	7.40
Veggie Soft Tacos	9.35

# USE AN AGGREGATE FUNCTION TO SUMMARIZE



item_count	
item_name	
Chicken Bowl	726
Crispy Tacos	2
Veggie Soft Tacos	7

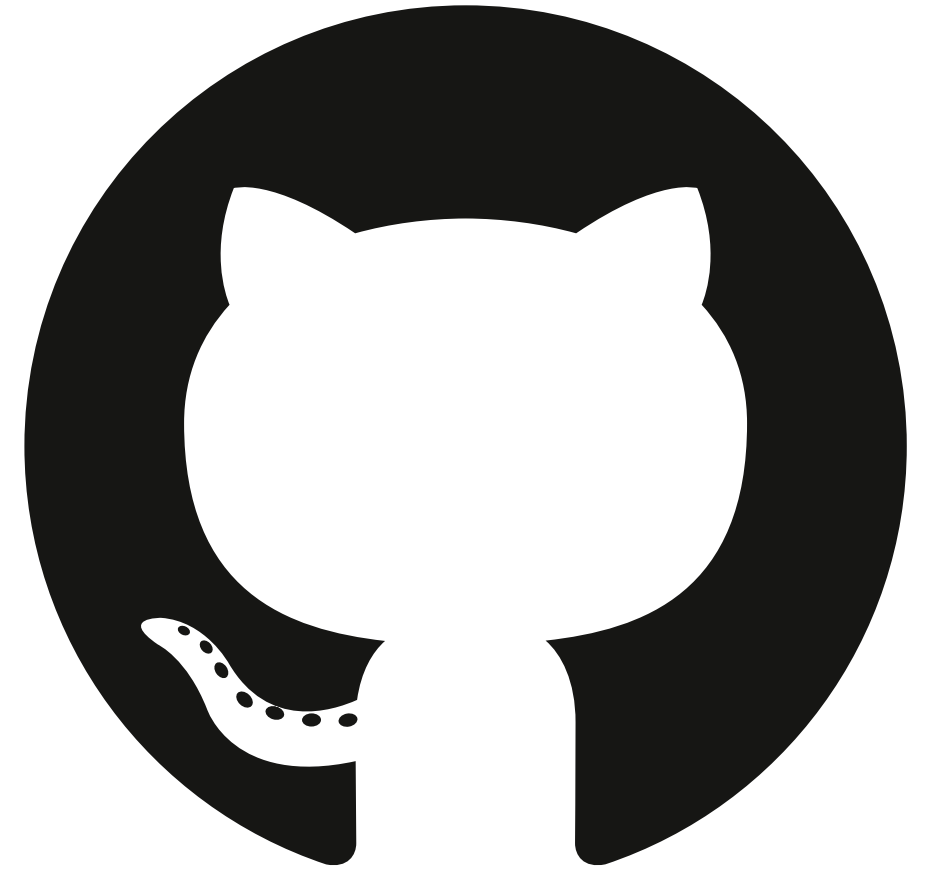
# USE AN AGGREGATE FUNCTION TO SUMMARIZE



item_price_sum	
item_name	
Chicken Bowl	7011.51
Crispy Tacos	14.80
Veggie Soft Tacos	65.47

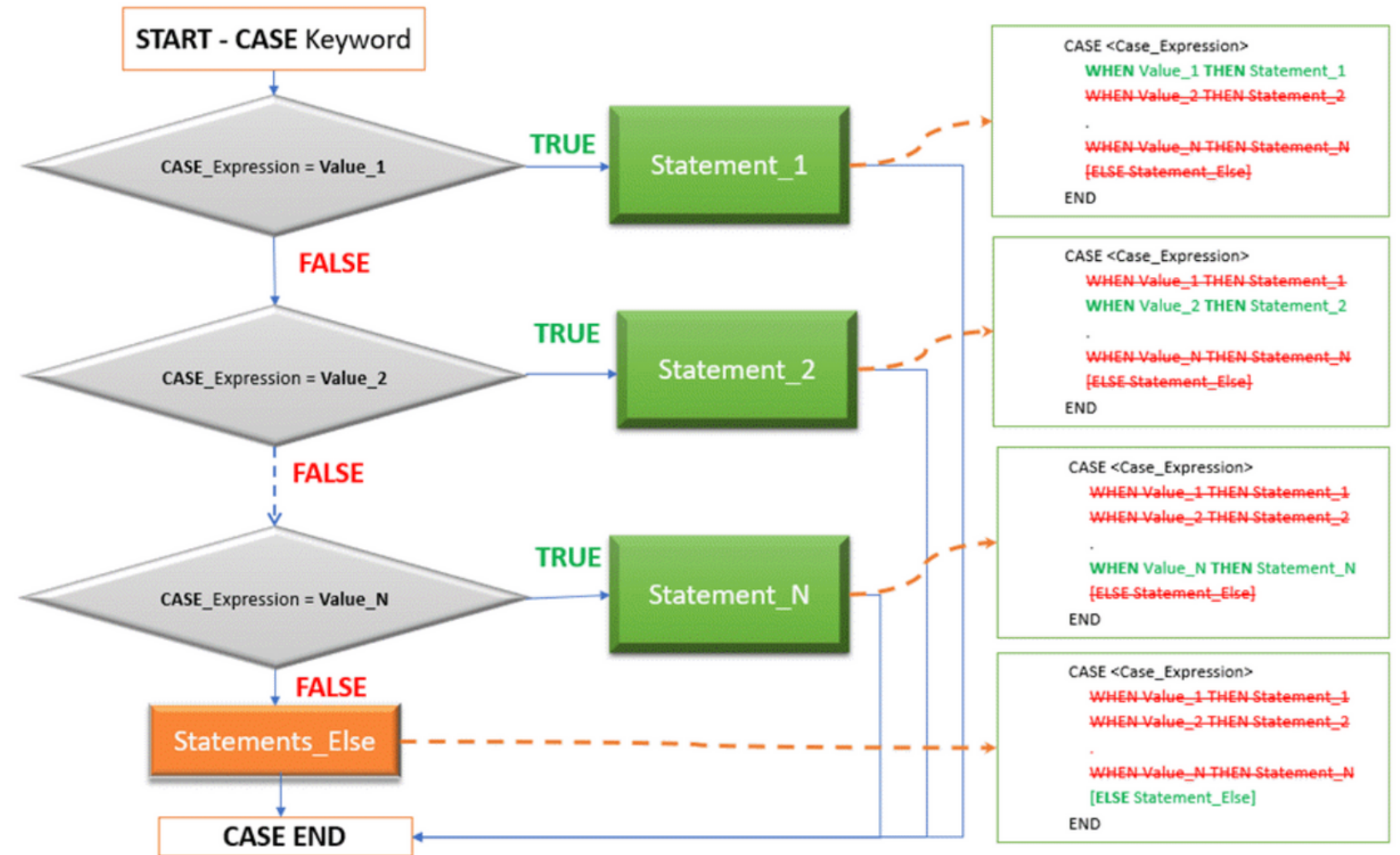


CHECK  
OUT MY  
NOTEBOOK  
HERE





# LET'S LOOK AT CASE STATEMENTS



# WHERE DO CASE STATEMENTS FIT INTO OUR BIG 6 ELEMENTS?



Necessary

Optional

1

SELECT

COLUMN\_NAME(S),

CASE

WHEN COLUMN\_NAME CONDITION\_A THEN VALUE\_1

WHEN COLUMN\_NAME CONDITION\_B THEN VALUE\_2

ELSE VALUE\_3

END AS NEW\_COLUMN\_NAME

2

FROM

TABLE\_NAME

3

WHERE

LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)

4

GROUP BY

COLUMN\_NAME(S)

5

HAVING

LOGICAL\_CONDITION(S)

6

ORDER BY

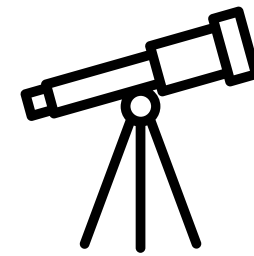
COLUMN\_NAME(S)

USE THE SAME  
CONDITIONAL  
OPERATORS AS  
IN WHERE  
CLAUSES



Operator	What it Means
=	Equals
<>	Does NOT Equal
>	Greater Than
<	Less Than
>=	Greater Than Or Equal To
<=	Less Than Or Equal To
BETWEEN	A Range Between Two Values
LIKE	Matching a Pattern Like This
IN()	Equals One of These Values

# WHY DO WE USE CASE STATEMENTS?



WHEN I WANT TO ZOOM OUT OR  
REDUCE THE NOISE IN MY DATA

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WHEN I WANT TO BUCKET OR BIN  
MY VALUES

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# WHEN DO WE USE CASE STATEMENTS?



1

WHEN I HAVE MORE THAN TWO  
OPTIONAL VALUES

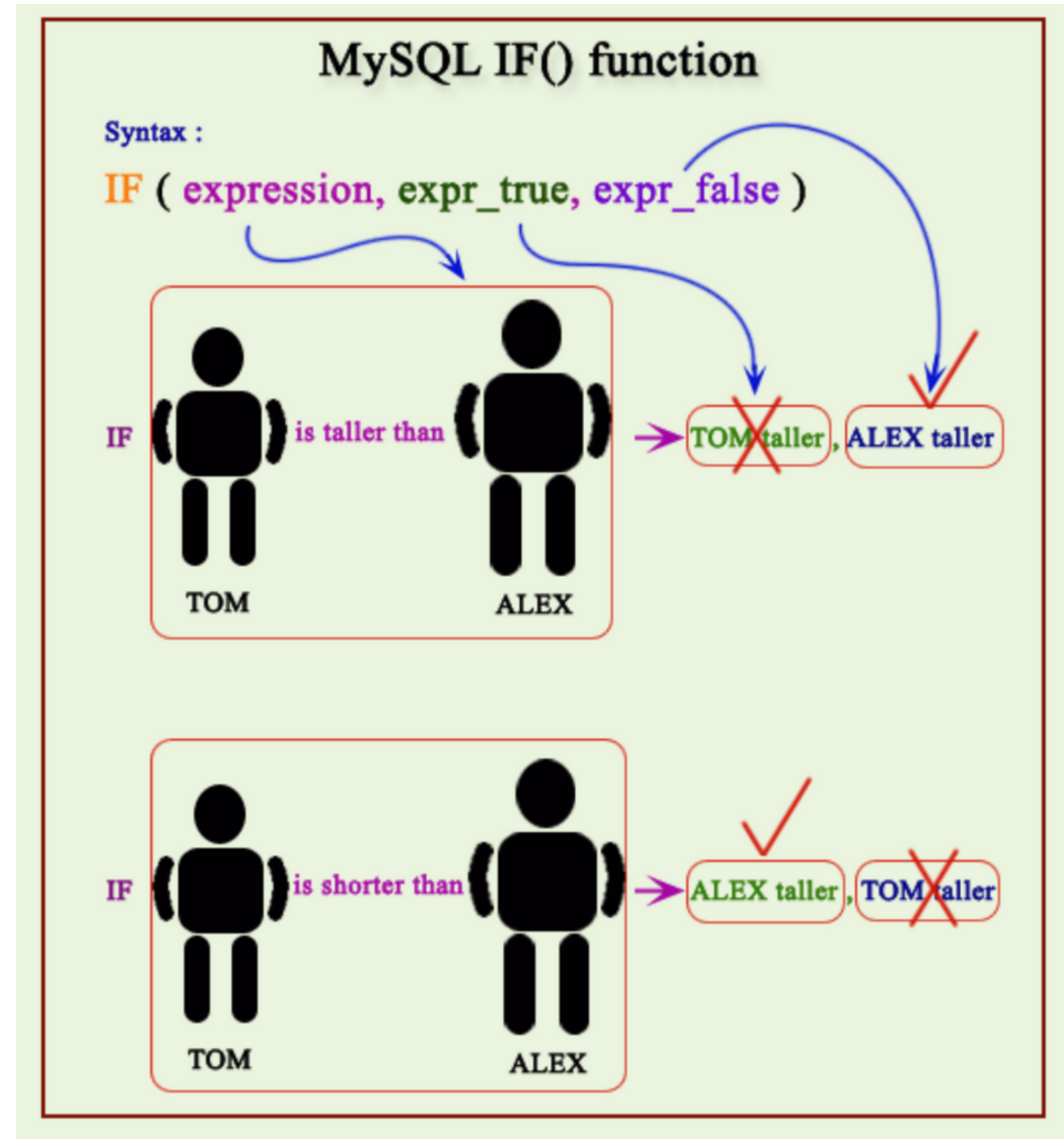
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2

WHEN I NEED MORE FLEXIBILITY  
IN MY CONDITIONAL TESTS

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# LET'S LOOK AT THE IF FUNCTION



# WHERE DOES THE IF FUNCTION FIT INTO OUR BIG 6 ELEMENTS?



Necessary

Optional

1	SELECT	COLUMN_NAME(S), IF (CONDITION, VAL_IF_TRUE, VAL_IF_FALSE) AS NEW_COLUMN
2	FROM	TABLE_NAME
3	WHERE	LOGICAL_CONDITION(S)
4	GROUP BY	COLUMN_NAME(S)
5	HAVING	LOGICAL_CONDITION(S)
6	ORDER BY	COLUMN_NAME(S)

# WHY DO WE USE THE IF FUNCTION?



1

WHEN I AM EVALUATING A SINGLE  
CONDITION TO TRUE OR FALSE

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2

IF I WANT A COLUMN OF BOOLEAN  
VALUES (DUMMY VARIABLE)

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