

Experiment 2 – SQL SELECT Queries using WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, ORDER BY

Experiment

Experiment 1.2: Understanding and implementing SQL SELECT queries using WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, and ORDER BY clauses in PostgreSQL to analyze employee data.

Aim

To practice writing SQL SELECT statements to filter, group, sort, and calculate aggregate values for meaningful analysis of employee data.

Objective

- To practice writing SQL SELECT statements.
- To filter records using the WHERE clause.
- To group records using the GROUP BY clause.
- To filter grouped data using the HAVING clause.
- To sort query results using ORDER BY.
- To calculate average salary using the AVG() function.

Software Requirements

- Database: PostgreSQL
- Tool: pgAdmin or psql

Practical / Experiment Steps

1. Create the EMPLOYEE table.

2. Insert records into the EMPLOYEE table.
3. Display all records from the table.
4. Display department name and average salary of employees for each department.
5. Consider only employees with salary > 20000.
6. Display only departments where average salary > 30000.
7. Arrange the final output in descending order of average salary.

Input / Output Details

Input

- EMPLOYEE table with columns: emp_id, emp_name, department, salary, joining_date.
- SQL SELECT queries using WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, ORDER BY, and AVG().

Output

- Step 1: EMPLOYEE table created and records inserted.
- Step 2: Display all records.
- Step 3: Department-wise average salary.
- Step 4: Average salary by department for employees with salary > 20000.
- Step 5: Departments with average salary > 30000.
- Step 6: Departments with salary > 20000 and average salary > 30000 sorted descending.

SQL Queries

```
CREATE TABLE employee (
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emp_id INT PRIMARY KEY,  
  
emp_name VARCHAR(50),  
  
department VARCHAR(50),  
  
salary INT,  
  
joining_date DATE  
  
);  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (1, 'Ramesh', 'HR', 25000,  
'2022-01-10');  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (2, 'Suresh', 'HR', 35000,  
'2021-03-15');  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (3, 'Amit', 'IT', 40000,  
'2020-07-20');  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (4, 'Neha', 'IT', 18000,  
'2023-02-05');  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (5, 'Pooja', 'Finance', 45000,  
'2019-11-30');  
  
INSERT INTO employee VALUES (6, 'Rahul', 'Finance', 32000,  
'2022-06-18');  
  
SELECT * FROM employee;  
  
SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary  
FROM employee  
GROUP BY department;
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SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary  
FROM employee  
WHERE salary > 20000  
GROUP BY department;
```

```
SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary  
FROM employee  
GROUP BY department  
HAVING AVG(salary) > 30000;
```

```
SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary  
FROM employee  
WHERE salary > 20000  
GROUP BY department  
HAVING AVG(salary) > 30000  
ORDER BY avg_salary DESC;
```

Screenshots

- Step 1:: Table creation and insertion

```

class=# CREATE TABLE employee (
class=#     emp_id INT PRIMARY KEY,
class=#     emp_name VARCHAR(50),
class=#     department VARCHAR(50),
class=#     salary INT,
class=#     joining_date DATE
class=# );
CREATE TABLE
class=#
class=# -- Insert records
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (1, 'Ramesh', 'HR', 25000, '2022-01-10');
INSERT 0 1
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (2, 'Suresh', 'HR', 35000, '2021-03-15');
INSERT 0 1
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (3, 'Amit', 'IT', 40000, '2020-07-20');
INSERT 0 1
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (4, 'Neha', 'IT', 18000, '2023-02-05');
INSERT 0 1
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (5, 'Pooja', 'Finance', 45000, '2019-11-30');
INSERT 0 1
class=# INSERT INTO employee VALUES (6, 'Rahul', 'Finance', 32000, '2022-06-18');
INSERT 0 1

```

- Step 2: Display all records

```

class=#
class=# -- Display all records
class=# SELECT * FROM employee;
  emp_id | emp_name | department | salary | joining_date
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      1 | Ramesh   | HR         | 25000 | 2022-01-10
      2 | Suresh   | HR         | 35000 | 2021-03-15
      3 | Amit     | IT         | 40000 | 2020-07-20
      4 | Neha     | IT         | 18000 | 2023-02-05
      5 | Pooja    | Finance    | 45000 | 2019-11-30
      6 | Rahul    | Finance    | 32000 | 2022-06-18
(6 rows)

```

- Step 3: Department-wise average salary

```
class=#
class=# -- Department-wise average salary (salary > 20000)
class=# SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary
class=# FROM employee
class=# WHERE salary > 20000
class=# GROUP BY department
class=# HAVING AVG(salary) > 30000
class=# ORDER BY avg_salary DESC;
department |      avg_salary
-----+-----
IT          | 40000.000000000000
Finance    | 38500.000000000000
```

- Step 4: Final query with WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, ORDER BY

```
class=#
class=# -- Department-wise average salary (salary > 20000)
class=# SELECT department, AVG(salary) AS avg_salary
class=# FROM employee
class=# WHERE salary > 20000
class=# GROUP BY department
class=# HAVING AVG(salary) > 30000
class=# ORDER BY avg_salary DESC;
department |      avg_salary
-----+-----
IT          | 40000.000000000000
Finance    | 38500.000000000000
```

Learning Outcome

- Learned to create and manipulate tables in PostgreSQL.
- Learned to use SELECT queries for data retrieval.
- Learned to filter records using WHERE.
- Learned to group data using GROUP BY.
- Learned to filter grouped data using HAVING.
- Learned to sort query results using ORDER BY.
- Learned to use aggregate functions like AVG() for data analysis.

