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Topic: JOINING RELATIONS (INNER, OUTER)

Session - 10











AIM OF THE SESSION



To familiarize students how to join the relations in PostgresQL

To aware the students to define views and compound statements

To grasp the students the concept of user defined statements in PostgresQL

INSTRUCTIONAL OBJECTIVES



This Session is designed to get the enough knowledge to join the

relations and user defined functions

LEARNING OUTCOMES



At the end of this session, you should be able to write the compound statements

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JOINING RELATIONS

Why PostgresQL JOIN:

- As the name shows, JOIN means to combine something. In case of SQL, JOIN means "to combine two or more tables".
- > The PostgresQL JOIN clause takes records from two or more tables in a database and combines it together.
- In the process of joining, rows of both tables are combined in a single table.
- > To access more than one table through a select statement.

ANSI standard PostgresQL defines five types of JOIN:

- 1) Inner Join
- 2) Left Outer Join
- 3) Right Outer Join
- 4) Full Outer Join
- 5) Cross Join



1) Inner Join: The INNER JOIN keyword selects records that have matching values in both tables.

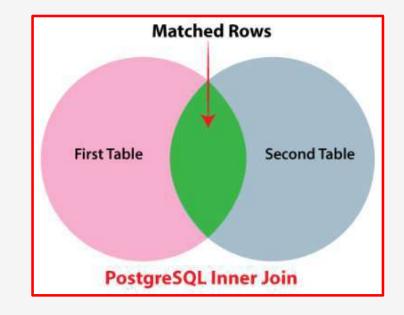
Syntax:

SELECT column_name(s)

FROM table1

INNER JOIN table2

ON table1.column_name = table2.column_name;



Example:

1. Orders table

9	OrderID	CustomerID	EmployeeID	OrderDate	ShipperID
	10308	2	7	1996-09-18	3
	10309	37	3	1996-09-19	1
	10310	77	8	1996-09-20	2



2. Customers table

CustomerID	CustomerName	ContactName	Address	City	PostalCode	Country
1	Alfreds Futterkiste	Maria Anders	Obere Str. 57	Berlin	12209	Germany
2	Ana Trujillo Emparedados y helados	Ana Trujillo	Avda. de la Constitución 2222	México D.F.	05021	Mexico
3	Antonio Moreno Taquería	Antonio Moreno	Mataderos 2312	México D.F.	05023	Mexico

Query:

SELECT Orders.OrderID, Customers.CustomerName

FROM Orders

INNER JOIN Customers ON Orders.CustomerID = Customers.CustomerID;

Note: Before running the query, insert the records into the tables.

Output:

	OrderID	CustomerName
	10248	Wilman Kala
;	10249	Tradição Hipermercados
	10250	Hanari Carnes
	10251	Victuailles en stock
	10252	Suprêmes délices



2) Left Outer Join: In some databases LEFT OUTER JOIN is called LEFT JOIN. The LEFT JOIN keyword returns all records from the left table (table1), and the matching records from the right table (table2). The result is 0

records from the right side, if there is no match.

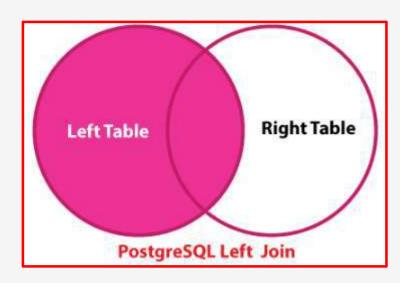
Syntax:

SELECT column_name(s)

FROM table1

LEFT JOIN table2

ON table1.column_name = table2.column_name;





Query:

SELECT Customers.CustomerName, Orders.OrderID

FROM Customers

LEFT JOIN Orders ON Customers.CustomerID = Orders.CustomerID

ORDER BY Customers.CustomerName;

The LEFT JOIN keyword returns all records from the left table (Customers), even if there are no matches in the right table (Orders).

Output:

CustomerName	OrderID
Alfreds Futterkiste	null
Ana Trujillo Emparedados y helados	10308
Antonio Moreno Taquería	10365
Around the Horn	10355
Around the Horn	10383



3) Right Outer Join: In some databases RIGHT OUTER JOIN is called RIGHT JOIN. The RIGHT JOIN keyword returns all records from the right table (table2), and the matching records from the left table (table1). The

result is 0 records from the left side, if there is no match.

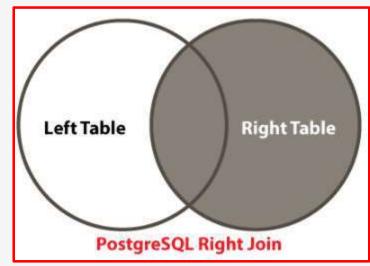
Syntax:

SELECT column_name(s)

FROM table1

RIGHT JOIN table2

ON table1.column_name = table2.column_name;





Query:

SELECT Orders.OrderID, Employees.LastName, Employees.FirstName

FROM Orders

RIGHT JOIN Employees ON Orders.EmployeeID = Employees.EmployeeID

ORDER BY Orders.OrderID;

The RIGHT JOIN keyword returns all records from the right table (Employees), even if there are no matches in the left table (Orders).

OrderID	LastName	FirstName
	West	Adam
10248	Buchanan	Steven
10249	Suyama	Michael
10250	Peacock	Margaret
10251	Leverling	Janet



4) Full Outer Join: In some databases FULL OUTER JOIN is called FULL JOIN. The FULL OUTER JOIN keyword returns all records when there is a match in left (table1) or right (table2) table records. The FULL OUTER JOIN

can potentially return very large result-sets.

Syntax:

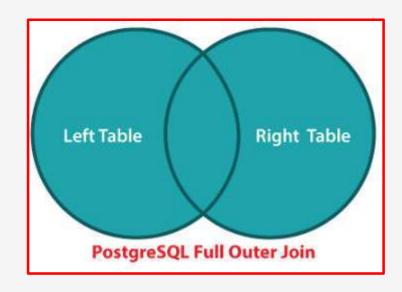
SELECT column_name(s)

FROM table1

FULL OUTER JOIN table 2

ON table1.column_name = table2.column_name

WHERE condition;





Query:

SELECT Customers.CustomerName, Orders.OrderID

FROM Customers

FULL OUTER JOIN Orders ON Customers.CustomerID=Orders.CustomerID

ORDER BY Customers.CustomerName;

The FULL OUTER JOIN keyword returns all matching records from both tables whether the other table matches or not. So, if there are rows in "Customers" that do not have matches in "Orders", or if there are rows in "Orders" that do not have matches in "Customers", those rows will be listed as well.

Output:

CustomerName	OrderID
Null	10309
Null	10310
Alfreds Futterkiste	Null
Ana Trujillo Emparedados y helados	10308
Antonio Moreno Taquería	Null



5) Cross Join: CROSS JOIN is also known as the Cartesian product / Cartesian join. Cross join defines where the number of rows in the first table multiplied by a number of rows in the second table. Cross Join applies to all columns.

If we add a WHERE clause (if table 1 and table 2 has a relationship), the CROSS JOIN will produce the

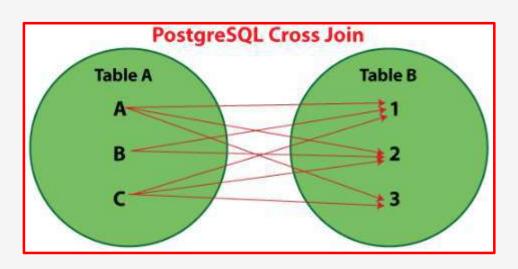
same result as the INNER JOIN clause:

Syntax:

SELECT column_name(s)

FROM table1

CROSS JOIN table2;





Query:

SELECT Customers.CustomerName, Orders.OrderID

FROM Customers

CROSS JOIN Orders;

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Output:

CustomerName	OrderID
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Ana Trujillo Emparedados y helados	10248
Antonio Moreno Taquería	10248
Around the Horn	10248
Berglunds snabbköp	10248



CREATING AND DROPPING VIEWS

- A view can contain all rows of a table or selected rows from one or more tables. A view can be created from one or many tables, which depends on the written PostgreSQL query to create a view.
- ❖ Views, which are kind of virtual tables, allow users to do the following:
 - a. Structure data in a way that users or classes of users find natural or intuitive.
 - b. Restrict access to the data such that a user can only see limited data instead of complete table.
 - c. Summarize data from various tables, which can be used to generate reports.

Creating Views: The PostgreSQL views are created using the CREATE VIEW statement. The PostgreSQL views can be created from a single table, multiple tables, or another view.

Syntax:

```
CREATE [TEMP | TEMPORARY] VIEW view_name AS SELECT column1, column2....
FROM table_name WHERE [condition];
```



CREATING AND DROPPING VIEWS

Example: Consider, the following COMPANY table is having the following records:

```
address
                            salary
name
Paul
              California
                             20000
Allen
                             15000
              Texas
Teddy
              Norway
                             20000
Mark
              Rich-Mond
                             65000
David
                             85000
              Texas
Kim
              South-Hall
                             45000
James
              Houston
                             10000
```

To create a view from COMPANY table. This view would be used to have only few columns from COMPANY table:

```
testdb=# CREATE VIEW COMPANY_VIEW AS
SELECT ID, NAME, AGE
FROM COMPANY;
```

We can query COMPANY_VIEW in a similar way as we query an actual table as the following:

```
testdb=# SELECT * FROM COMPANY_VIEW;
```

Output:

Dropping Views: To drop a view, simply use the DROP VIEW statement with the view_name. The basic DROP VIEW syntax is as follows:

```
testdb=# DROP VIEW COMPANY_VIEW;
```

```
name
             age
    Paul
              32
    Allen
              25
    Teddy |
              23
    Mark
              25
    David
              27
    Kim
              22
    James
              24
rows)
```



COMPOUND STATEMENTS

Example:

A Compound Statement is in principal the essential block of the SQL/PSM language (PSM --> "Persistent, Stored Modules" allows us to store procedures as database schema elements. PSM = a mixture of conventional statements (if, while, etc.) and SQL). It enables us to enter the sequence of statements, declare local variables, conditions and subroutines, errors (exceptions) and warnings handling. The declaration of variables can not be intersected by the declaration of cursors, errors handling, etc. The variables can be set to the default value. The range of a compound statement is determined by the pair BEGIN END.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION report()
RETURNS void AS
  bl:BEGIN
      DECLARE done boolean DEFAULT false;
      DECLARE a, b integer;
      DECLARE cx CURSOR FOR SELECT f.a, f.b FROM Foo f;
      DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET done = true:
      OPEN cx:
      FETCH cx INTO bl.a, bl.b;
      WHILE NOT done
      DO
       PRINT bl.a, bl.b;
        FETCH cx INTO bl.a, bl.b;
      END WHILE;
      CLOSE cx;
    END bl;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgpsm;
```



USER DEFINED FUNCTIONS

PostgreSQL uses the CREATE FUNCTION statement to develop user-defined functions.

```
Syntax:

CREATE FUNCTION function_name(p1 type, p2 type)

RETURNS type AS

BEGIN

-- logic

END;

LANGUAGE language_name;
```

Details of syntax:

- a. First, specify the name of the function after the CREATE FUNCTION keywords.
- b. Then, put a comma-separated list of parameters inside the parentheses following the function name.
- c. Next, specify the return type of the function after the RETURNS keyword.
- d. After that, place the code inside the BEGIN and END block.

 The function always ends with a semicolon (;) followed by the END keyword.
- e. Finally, indicate the procedural language of the function e.g., plpgsql in case PL/pgSQL is used.



USER DEFINED FUNCTIONS

Example: We will develop a very simple function named inc that increases an integer by 1 and returns the result.

```
CREATE FUNCTION inc(val integer) RETURNS integer AS $$
BEGIN
RETURN val + 1;
END; $$
LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;
```

If the function is valid, PostgreSQL will create the function and return the CREATE FUNCTION statement as the following.

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CREATE FUNCTION

Output

We can call the **inc** function like any built-in functions as follows:

```
SELECT inc(20); inc integer

1 21
```

If we call the **inc** function 2 times (nested), the result is as the following:

```
SELECT inc(inc(20)); integer

1 22
```



ACTIVITIES/ CASE STUDIES/ IMPORTANT FACTS RELATED TO THE SESSION

- 1) Create two tables (employee personal and payroll) and execute different types joins.
- 2) Create a view for a table student and execute it.
- 3) Create a user defined function and execute it.



EXAMPLES

1. INNER JOIN: The following statement joins the first table (basket_a) with the second table (basket_b) by matching the values in the fruit_a and fruit_b columns:

2. View: Consider the 'Price' table given below:

```
Demo=# SELECT * FROM Price;
id | price
---+-----
1 | 200
2 | 250
4 | 190
3 | 300
(4 rows)

Demo=#
```

Let us create a view from the above table:

```
CREATE VIEW Price_View AS
SELECT id, price
FROM Price
WHERE price > 200;
```

The above command will create a view based on the SELECT statement. Only the records where the price is greater than 200 will be added to the view. The view has been given the name Price_View. Let us query it to see its contents:

```
SELECT *
FROM Price_View;
```

```
SELECT

a,
fruit_a,
b,
fruit_b

FROM
basket_a

INNER JOIN basket_b
ON fruit_a = fruit_b;
```



SUMMARY

- The PostgreSQL Joins clause is used to combine records from two or more tables in a database. A JOIN is a means for combining fields from two tables by using values common to each.
- A PostgreSQL view is a logical table that represents data of one or more underlying tables through a SELECT statement.
- A user defined PostgreSQL function is a group of arbitrary SQL statements designated to perform some task.



1. Which join refers to join records from the write table that have no matching key in the left table are include in the result set:

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- (a) Join View
- (b) Datable Join View
- (c) Updatable Join View
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Answer: C) Updatable Join View

Answer: B) Right Outer Join

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TERMINAL QUESTIONS

- 1. Describe types of joins in PostgresQL.
- 2. How can you a view in PostgresQL?
- 3. Analyze user defined function with suitable example.



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