CSE 302 Database Management Systems Sessional

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GROUP FUNCTIONS

Group Function

- Also known as "Multiple-Row Functions".
- They operates on set of rows to give one result per group.
- These set may be the whole table or the table split into groups.
- These are similar to the "aggregate functions" or "Group By" functions in Access

Group/ Aggregate Functions

- SUM
- AVG
- COUNT
- MIN
- MAX

Group Functions

GROUP BY clause

To identify groups of records to be processed

ORDER BY clause

To sort the records

HAVING clause

To restrict the groups displayed

SELECT * | column1, column2, ...
FROM tableName
WHERE Condition
GROUP BY column1, column2, ...
ORDER BY cloumn1, column2, ...
HAVING group condition

Group Functions

- Calculates the total amount in a numeric field for a group of records.
 - SUM(n) where n is a numeric column
 - SUM(ALL n) the same as above
 - SUM(DISTINCT n) / SUM(UNIQUE n) returns only the unique numeric values

• Display total salary of all employees.

Emp_name	Salary
А	200
В	300
С	200

SELECT SUM(Salary) "Total Salary" FROM Employee;

Total Salary	
700	

• Display total UNIQUE salary of all employees.

Emp_name	Salary
Α	200
В	300
С	200

SELECT SUM(DISTINCT Salary)
"Total Salary" FROM Employee;

Total Salary	
500	

Display total salary of the employees of Dhaka city.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	200	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	200	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka

SELECT SUM(Salary) "Total Salary of Dhaka Emp" FROM Employee

WHERE Employee_city='Dhaka';

Total Salary of Dhaka Emp
1000

AVG function

- AVG(column containing numeric data)
- AVG(DISTINCT [column containing numeric data])
 - DISTINCT keyword returns only unique values

AVG function

• Display average salary of all employees.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	200	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	200	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka

SELECT AVG(Salary) "Average Salary" FROM Employee;

Average Salary
300

MAX and MIN function

- Returns the largest and smallest values in a specified column.
- MAX(ALL c) or MIN(ALL c)
 - where c is any numeric, character, or date field
- MAX(c) or MIN(c)
 - the same result as above
- MAX(DISTINCT c) or MIN(DISTINCT c)
 - returns the highest or lowest distinct value

MAX and MIN function

• Display the maximum salary of employees.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	200	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	200	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka

SELECT MAX(Salary) "Highest Salary" FROM Employee;

Highest Salary
500

MAX and MIN function

• Display the minimum DOB of employees.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_dob
А	200	1/25/1999
В	300	2/21/1965
С	200	6/26/1996
D	500	6/21/1964

SELECT MIN(EMPLOYEE_DOB) FROM EMPLOYEE;

MIN(EMPLOYEE_DOB)
6/21/1964

COUNT function

- Counts the records that have non-NULL values
- Counts the total records meeting a specific condition

COUNT function

• Display the count of cities only.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	200	Dhaka
В	300	
С	200	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka

SELECT COUNT(EMP_CITY) FROM EMPLOYEE;

COUNT(EMP_DOB)	
3	

Group functions and NULL values

- All Group functions except COUNT(*) ignore null values in the column.
- Including the NULL values
 - COUNT(*) counts all the records, even
 NULLS
 - Whenever NULL values may affect the COUNT the function, use an * as the argument, rather than a column name.

COUNT Function - NULL Values

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	200	Dhaka
В	300	
С	200	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka

SELECT COUNT(*) FROM EMPLOYEE;

Count(*)
4

• Divides the table of information into smaller groups.

```
SELECT .....
FROM .....
GROUP BY column1, column2,...;
```

• Display the Average Salary of all employees according to their City.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city	
А	400	Dhaka	
В	300	Dhaka	
С	100	Khulna	
D	500	Dhaka	
Е	100	Khulna	
F	600	Rajshahi	

• Display the Average Salary of all employees according to their City.

```
SELECT Employee_city, Avg(Salary)
FROM Employee
GROUP BY Employee_city;
```

- The query execution goes like this:
 - The records in the Employee table are grouped by City
 - The average Salary for each City is calculated.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	400	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	100	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka
Е	100	Khulna
F	600	Rajshahi

Emp_n ame	Salary Emp_c		
А	400	Dhaka	
В	300		
D	500		

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	
С	100	Khulna	
E	100		

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_cit y
F	600	Rajshahi

EMPLOYEE_CITY	AVG(SALARY)
Dhaka	400
Khulna	100
Rajshahi	600

• Display the Sum of All Salary of the Same City according to their account type.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
С	100	Khulna	Current
D	500	Dhaka	Savings
E	100	Khulna	Current
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

 Display the Sum of All Salary of the Same City according to their account type.

SELECT Emp_city, SUM(Salary), Acc_type FROM Employee GROUP BY Emp_city, Acc_type;

- The GROUP BY first groups the results by emp_city
- Then groups the Account type within each employee City group.
- Then the SUM function calculates the salary total.

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city	Account Type
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
С	100	Khulna	Current
D	500	Dhaka	Savings
Е	100	Khulna	Current
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300		Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	Khulna	Current
E	100	Kiiuiiid	Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city	Account Type
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
С	100	Khulna	Current
D	500	Dhaka	Savings
E	100	Khulna	Current
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300		Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	V bulga	Current
Е	100	Khulna	Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300		Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	Khulna	Current
Е	100	Kiiuiiia	Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Final Output

Emp_city	Sum(Salary)	Account Type
Dhaka	400	Current
Dhaka	800	Savings
Khulna	200	Current
Rajshahi	600	Savings

 Display the Average Salary of all employees according to their City and order the result by average salary.

SELECT Employee_city, Avg(Salary)
FROM Employee
GROUP BY Employee_city
ORDER BY Avg(Salary);

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	400	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	100	Khulna
D	500	Dhaka
Е	100	Khulna
F	600	Rajshahi

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty
А	400	
В	300	Dhaka
D	500	

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty
С	100	V bulga
E	100	Khulna

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_cit y
F	600	Rajshahi

EMPLOYEE_CITY	AVG(SALARY)
Khulna	200
Dhaka	400
Rajshahi	600

HAVING Clause

HAVING Clause

- To further restrict groups returned by a query (Specifies which groups will be returned)
- Use a HAVING clause instead of a WHERE clause when group functions are involved.

HAVING(condition)

HAVING Clause

 Display the Sum of All Salary of the Same City according to their account type with total Salary>200.

```
SELECT Emp_city, SUM(Salary), Acc_type
FROM Employee GROUP BY Emp_city,
Acc_type WHERE SUM(Balance)>200;
```



HAVING Clause

 Display the Sum of All Salary of the Same City according to their account type with total Salary>200.

SELECT Emp_city, SUM(Salary), Acc_type FROM Employee GROUP BY Emp_city, Acc_type HAVING SUM(Salary)>200;

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city	Account Type
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
С	100	Khulna	Current
D	500	Dhaka	Savings
Е	100	Khulna	Current
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
Α	400		Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	Khulna	Current
E	100		Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

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А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
С	100	Khulna	Current
D	500	Dhaka	Savings
Е	100	Khulna	Current
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
А	400	Dhaka	Current
В	300		Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	Khulna	Current
Е	100		Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_typ e
А	400		Current
В	300	Dhaka	Savings
D	500		Savings

Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty	Acc_ty pe
С	100	Khulna	Current
Е	100		Current

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_city	Acc_type
F	600	Rajshahi	Savings

Final Output

Emp_city	Sum(Salary)	Account Type
Dhaka	400	Current
Dhaka	800	Savings
Khulna	200	Current
Rajshahi	600	Savings

Emp_city	Sum(Salary)	Account Type
Dhaka	400	Current
Dhaka	800	Savings
Rajshahi	600	Savings

Both can be used in the same query.

Display the employee city and average salary of employees Whose name start with A by grouping them according to their city with avg salary>500

SELECT Emp_city, AVG(Salary)
FROM Employee WHERE Emp_name like 'A%' GROUP BY Emp_city
HAVING Avg(Salary)>500;

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	400	Dhaka
В	300	Dhaka
С	100	Khulna
AA	500	Dhaka
Е	100	Khulna
AF	600	Rajshahi



Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
A	400	Dhaka
AA	500	Dhaka
AF	600	Rajshahi

Emp_name	Salary	Emp_city
А	400	Dhaka
AA	500	Dhaka
AF	600	Rajshahi



Emp_n ame	Salary	Emp_ci ty
А	400	Dhaka
AA	500	Dhaka

Emp_na me	Salary	Emp_cit y
AF	600	Rajshahi

EMPLOYEE_CITY	AVG(SALARY)
Dhaka	450
Rajshahi	600



EMPLOYEE_CITY	AVG(SALARY)
Rajshahi	600

Nesting Group Functions

 Group Functions can be nested to a depth of two.

SELECT Max(Avg(Salary))
FROM Employee
GROUP BY Employee_city;

Some general rules

- For using a mixture of individual items(Employee_city) and group functions (AVG) in the same SELECT statement, you must include a GROUP BY Clause that specifies the individual items.
- You can't use WHERE Clause to restrict groups.
- You have to use the HAVING Clause to restrict groups.

Practice Problems for Group Functions

 Write a query to display the number of customer with the same city.

• Display the Manager Number and the Salary of the lowest paid employee for that manager.

• Display the Manager Number and the difference between the highest and the lowest Salary of the employee for that manager.

 Display the minimum, maximum, sum and average salary for each group of employee having the same city.

FUNCTIONS

CASE Based Functions

CASE CONVERSION FUNCTIONS

- To convert letters to lower or upper case
- Most database administrators rarely need to use character functions
- Application developers frequently include them to create user-friendly database interfaces
- In Oracle, the comparisons of data are casesensitive.

CASE CONVERSION FUNCTIONS

Emp_name	Emp_city
Α	Dhaka
В	Dhaka
С	Khulna
D	Dhaka

SELECT Emp_name FROM Employee WHERE Emp_city = "DHAKA";

- Executing it No rows will be returned.
 - Why?
 - The employee city we're looking for is stored in as "Dhaka". But the search key has been entered in upper case as "DHAKA".

CASE CONVERSION FUNCTIONS

- 2 Functions
 - LOWER Converts character strings to lowercase
 - UPPER Converts character strings to uppercase

LOWER

SELECT Emp_name FROM Employee

WHERE LOWER(Emp_city) = "dhaka";

Emp_name	Emp_city
А	Dhaka
В	Dhaka
С	Khulna
D	Dhaka

Emp_name	Emp_city
А	dhaka
В	dhaka
С	khulna
D	dhaka

Output:

Emp_name
А
В
D

UPPER

Emp_name	Emp_city
Α	Dhaka
В	Dhaka
С	Khulna
D	Dhaka

SELECT UPPER(Emp_city) FROM Employee;

Emp_city	
DHAKA	
DHAKA	
KHULNA	
DHAKA	

INITCAP

• To convert character strings to mixed case, with each word beginning with a capital letter.

SELECT INITCAP (Emp_name)
"EMPLOYEE NAME AS INITCAP" FROM
Employee

Emp_name		Emp_name
Afia <mark>a</mark> njum		Afia <mark>A</mark> njum
Anika Binte Islam		Anika Binte Islam
sharifa Rania		Sharifa Rania
umme habiba		Umme <mark>h</mark> abiba

CHARACTER MANIPULATION FUNCTIONS

SUBSTR

Used to return a substring, or portion of a string

SUBSTR(character string or column name, beginning character position, length of string to be returned)

SELECT branch_name,
 SUBSTR(branch_name,1,3) FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	SUBSTR
Downtown	Dow
Redwood	Red
Perryridge	Per
Mianus	Mia
Brighton	Bri

SUBSTR

• SELECT branch_name,
SUBSTR(branch_name,4,2) FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	SUBSTR
Downtown	
Redwood	
Perryridge	
Mianus	
Brighton	

SUBSTR

• SELECT branch_name, **SUBSTR(branch_name,4,2)** FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	SUBSTR
Downtown	nt
Redwood	wo
Perryridge	ry
Mianus	nu
Brighton	gh

LENGTH

LENGTH(character string)

SELECT branch_name, LENGTH(branch_name) FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	LENGTH(BRANCH_NAME)
Downtown	8
Redwood	7
Perryridge	10
Mianus	6

LPAD

LPAD(string to be padded, length of string after padding, symbol used to pad)

SELECT branch_name, LPAD(branch_name,12,'*') FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	LPAD(BRANCH_NAME,12,'*')
Downtown	****Downtown
Mianus	*****Mianus
Round Hill	**Round Hill
Pownal	*****Pownal

RPAD

RPAD(string to be padded, length of string after padding, symbol used to pad)

SELECT branch_name, **RPAD(branch_name,12,'*')** FROM branch;

BRANCH_NAME	RPAD(BRANCH_NAME,12,'*')
Downtown	Downtown****
Perryridge	Perryridge**
Mianus	Mianus****
Round Hill	Round Hill**
Pownal	Pownal*****

LTRIM

 Removes a specific string of characters from the left side of the data

LTRIM(data, specific string to be removed from the left side of the data)

SELECT LTRIM(cust_id,'C') FROM customer;

CUST_ID	LTRIM(CUST_ID,'C')
C0000000001	000000001
CC0000000002	0000000002
CCC0000000003	0000000003
CCCC00000000004	0000000004

RTRIM

• Removes a specific string of characters from the Right side of the data

RTRIM(data, specific string to be removed from the right side of the data)

SELECT RTRIM(cust_id,'C') FROM customer;

CUST_ID	RTRIM(CUST_ID,'C')
000000001C	000000001
0000000002CC	0000000002
0000000003CCC	0000000003
0000000004CCCC	0000000004

REPLACE

• Similar to "search and replace" in some application programs

REPLACE(column, string to be found, string replacement)

SELECT REPLACE(cust_id, 'Cooo', 'Cust') FROM customer;

CUST_ID		REPLACE(CUST_ID,'C000','CUST')
C0000000001		Cust0000001
C0000000002		Cust0000002
C0000000003	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Cust0000003
C0000000004		Cust0000004

CONCAT

- Concatenates the data from two columns
- Combines only two items (columns or string literals)

CONCAT(column or string, column or string)

SELECT cust_name, CONCAT('Customer Number: ', cust_id) "Customer ID" FROM customer;

 To concatenate more than two items, you must nest a CONCAT function inside another CONCAT function

TRY YOURSELF

CONCAT

SELECT cust_name, CONCAT('Customer Number: ', cust_id) "Customer ID" FROM customer;

CUST_NAME	Customer ID
Jones	Customer Number: C0000000001
Smith	Customer Number: C0000000002
Hayes	Customer Number: C0000000003
Curry	Customer Number: C0000000004
Lindsay	Customer Number: C0000000005

NUMERIC FUNCTIONS

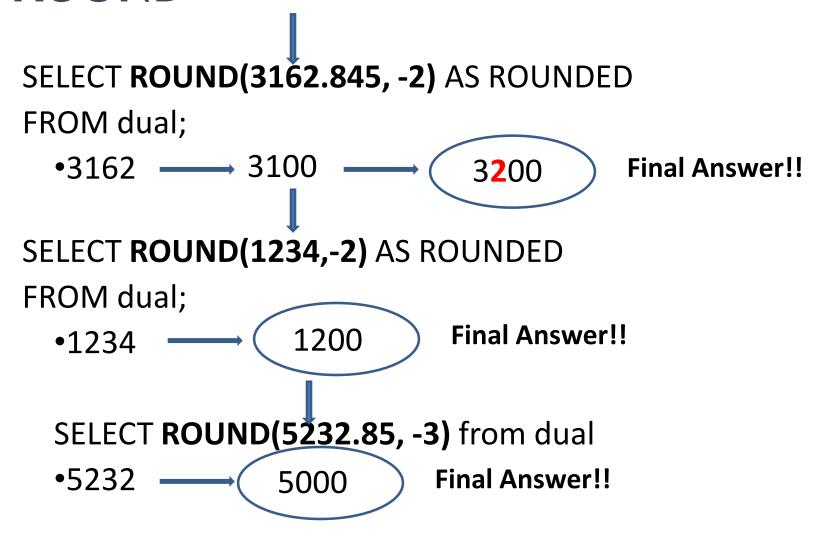
ROUND

- To round numeric fields to the stated precision
 - If position is a positive number, it refers to the right side of the decimal point.
 - If position is a negative number, function rounds to the left side of the decimal point.

ROUND(numeric field to be rounded, position of the digit to which the data should be rounded)

ROUND

ROUND



TRUNC

- To truncate a numeric value to a specific position
 - If position is a positive number, it refers to the right side of the decimal point.
 - If position is a negative number, function rounds to the left side of the decimal point.

TRUNC (numeric field, position of the digit from which the data should be removed)

TRUNC

```
SELECT TRUNC(15.79,1) "Truncate" FROM DUAL;
```

•15.7

SELECT **TRUNC(123456.76,-4)** "Truncate" FROM DUAL;

•123456

120000

Final Answer!!

DATE FUNCTIONS

Difference between Two dates in Days

SELECT Emp_id, Emp_dob, Emp_startdate, Emp_startdate – Emp_dob FROM Employee;

E_ID	E_DOB	E_STARTDATE	E_S_DATE - E_DOB
E000002	01/22/1958	01/22/1978	7305
E000010	04/21/1956	04/21/1986	10957

Difference between Two dates (Weeks)

 The delay between the two dates in weeks:

```
SELECT Employee_id, Employee_dob,
Employee_startdate,
(Employee_startdate - Employee_dob)/7
"DELAY IN WEEKS"
FROM Employee;
```

Difference between Two dates

EMP_ID	EMP_DOB	EMP_S_DATE	DELAY IN WEEKS
E000002	01/22/1958	01/22/1978	1043.57142
E000010	04/21/1956	04/21/1986	1565.285714

MONTHS_BETWEEN

Determines the number of months between two dates

MONTHS_BETWEEN(later date, earlier date)

SELECT Employee_id,

MONTHS_BETWEEN (Employee_startdate,
Employee_dob) "No. of Months"

FROM Employee;

ADD_MONTHS

ADD_MONTHS(beginning date, number of months to add to the date)

SELECT Employee_id, Employee_startdate, ADD_MONTHS (Employee_startdate, 60) FROM Employee;

ADD_MONTHS

EMP_ID	EMP_STARTDATE	ADD_MONTHS(EMP_STARTDATE,60)
E0000002	01/22/1978	01/22/1983
E0000003	02/23/1982	02/23/1987

NEXT_DAY

 Determines the next occurrence of a specific day of the week after a given date – Output is a DATE

NEXT_DAY(starting date, day of week to be identified)

SELECT Employee_id, NEXT_DAY(Employee_startdate, 'MONDAY') "First Monday After Joining" FROM Employee;

NEXT_DAY

SELECT next_day('3/31/2020','TUESDAY') from dual

next_day('3/31/2020','TUESDAY')

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The Nesting of Functions

A function is used as an argument inside another function

Rules

- One must include all arguments for each function.
- For every open parenthesis, there must be a corresponding closed parenthesis.
- The inner function is resolved first, then the outer function.

The Nesting of Functions

To determine the Number of months between the Employee_startdate and Employee_dob, we use the MONTHS_BETWEEN function.

SELECT Employee_id, MONTHS_BETWEEN (Employee_startdate, Employee_dob) "Delay in Months" FROM Employee;

The Nesting of Functions

To suppress the decimal places generated by the Months_Between function, we can use the result of the Months_Between function as an input to the TRUNC function.

SELECT Employee_id, TRUNC(MONTHS_BETWEEN (Employee_startdate, Employee_dob),0) "Delay in Months" FROM Employee;

THE END