



**CSE 4410**  
**Database Management Systems II**  
**Lab 3**

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## Introduction

In this lab, we explored various SQL queries on a database containing tables for movie, reviewer, rating, mtype, direction, etc. The following are the tasks and queries that were completed

## Task 1

Write a procedure that will take a mov\_title and show the required time (–hour –minute) to play that movie in a cinema hall. Let’s say, there will be an intermission of 15 minutes after every 70 minutes only if the remaining movie time is greater than 30 minutes.

## Code

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1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE FIND_TIME(TITLE IN VARCHAR2)
2 IS
3     time MOVIE.MOV_TIME%TYPE;
4     total_time MOVIE.MOV_TIME%TYPE;
5 BEGIN
6     SELECT MOV_TIME INTO TIME FROM MOVIE WHERE MOV_TITLE = TITLE;
7     total_time := TIME + trunc(TIME/70) * 15;
8
9     IF (MOD(TIME, 70) < 30) THEN
10
11         total_time := total_time - 15;
12
13     END IF;
14
15     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(TRUNC(total_time/60)|| ' hrs and '|| TRUNC(MOD(total_time, 60))
16         || ' minutes ');
17 END;
18 /
19 set serveroutput on;
20 begin
21     FIND_TIME('Blade Runner');
22 end;
23 /
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## Difficulties

Not using truncate can return values that we cannot use for hours and minutes.

## Task 2

Write a procedure to find the N top-rated movies (average rev\_stars of a movie is higher than other movies). The procedure will take N as input and print the mov\_title up to N movies. If N is greater than the number of movies, then it will print an error message.

## Code

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE FIND_TOP_RATED(N IN NUMBER)
2 IS
3 begin
4     FOR I IN
5         (SELECT * FROM (SELECT MOV_TITLE, AVG(REV_STARS) AS REV
6             FROM MOVIE NATURAL JOIN RATING
7             GROUP BY MOV_TITLE ORDER BY REV DESC) WHERE ROWNUM<=N) LOOP
8         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(I.MOV_TITLE || ' ' || I.REV);
9     END loop;
10 end;
11 /
12
13 set serveroutput on;
14
15 begin
16     FIND_TOP_RATED(10);
17 end;
18 /
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## Difficulties

In order to use rownum after results are ordered a nested query is needed as rownum cannot be used using having clause after group by clause.

## Task 3

Suppose, there is a scheme that for each rev\_stars greater than or equal to 6, a movie will receive \$10. Now write a function to calculate the yearly earnings (total earnings/year between the current date and release date) of a movie that is obtained from user reviews.

## Code

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION YEARLY_EARNING(TITLE VARCHAR2)
2 RETURN NUMBER
3 IS
4     EARNING NUMBER;
5     YEARS NUMBER(8,2);
6     RELEASE_DATE MOVIE.MOV_RELEASEDATE%TYPE;
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7     YEARLY_EARNING NUMBER(8,2);
8 BEGIN
9     FOR I IN
10        (SELECT RATING.REV_STARS, MOVIE.MOV_RELEASEDATE
11         FROM MOVIE NATURAL JOIN RATING WHERE MOV_TITLE = TITLE)
12     LOOP
13         IF(I.REV_STARS >= 6) THEN
14             EARNING:= EARNING+10;
15         END IF;
16         RELEASE_DATE:= I.MOV_RELEASEDATE;
17     END LOOP;
18     SELECT MONTHS_BETWEEN(SYSDATE, RELEASE_DATE) / 12 INTO YEARS FROM DUAL;
19     YEARLY_EARNING := EARNING / YEARS;
20 RETURN YEARLY_EARNING;
21 END;
22 /
23
24 set serveroutput on;
25
26 begin
27     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(YEARLY_EARNING('Blade Runner'));
28 end;
29 /

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## Difficulties

Table name has to be clearly mentioned in case of calling table attributes in query.

## Task 4

Write a function, that given a genre (gen\_id) will return genre status, additionally the review count and average rating of that genre.

## Code

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1 CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION GENRE_STATUS(GENID GENRES.GEN_ID%TYPE)
2 RETURN VARCHAR2 AS
3     T_AVG_RATING FLOAT;
4     T_REV_COUNT NUMBER;
5     REVIEW_COUNT NUMBER;
6     AVG_RATING FLOAT;
7
8 BEGIN
9     SELECT COUNT(*), AVG(RATING.REV_STARS) INTO T_REV_COUNT, T_AVG_RATING
10    FROM GENRES, MTYPE, RATING
11   WHERE GENRES.GEN_ID = MTYPE.GEN_ID AND MTYPE.MOV_ID = RATING.MOV_ID;
12     SELECT COUNT(*), AVG(RATING.REV_STARS) INTO REVIEW_COUNT, AVG_RATING
13    FROM GENRES, MTYPE, RATING
14   WHERE GENRES.GEN_ID = MTYPE.GEN_ID AND MTYPE.MOV_ID = RATING.MOV_ID AND GENRES.GEN_ID
15         = GENID;

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16     IF (REVIEW_COUNT > T_REV_COUNT AND AVG_RATING < T_AVG_RATING) THEN
17         RETURN 'WIDELY WATCHED';
18     ELSIF(REVIEW_COUNT < T_REV_COUNT AND AVG_RATING > T_AVG_RATING) THEN
19         RETURN 'HIGHLY RATED';
20     ELSIF(REVIEW_COUNT > T_REV_COUNT AND AVG_RATING > T_AVG_RATING) THEN
21         RETURN 'PEOPLES FAVOURITE';
22     ELSE
23         RETURN 'SO SO';
24     END IF;
25 END;
26 /
27 begin
28     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(GENRE_STATUS(903))
29 end;
30 /

```

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## Difficulties

Difficult to understand the question.

## Task 5

Write a function, that given two dates will return the most frequent genre of that time (according to movie count) along with the count of movies under that genre that had been released in the given time range.

## Code

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1  CREATE OR REPLACE TYPE MOVIE_TYPE AS OBJECT(
2      GEN_TITLE VARCHAR2(100),
3      NUM NUMBER
4  );
5  /
6
7  CREATE OR REPLACE TYPE MOVIE_TABLE AS TABLE OF MOVIE_TYPE;
8  /
9
10 CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION FREQUENT_GENRE(
11     DATE1 DATE, DATE2 DATE)
12     RETURN MOVIE_TABLE
13     IS
14     M MOVIE_TABLE;
15 BEGIN
16     SELECT MOVIE_TYPE(GEN_TITLE, NUM) BULK COLLECT INTO M FROM(
17         SELECT GEN_TITLE, count(MOV_ID) AS NUM FROM
18         GENRES NATURAL JOIN MTYPE WHERE MOV_ID IN(
19             SELECT MOV_ID FROM MOVIE WHERE MOVIE.MOV_RELEASEDATE BETWEEN DATE1 AND DATE2
20         )GROUP BY GEN_TITLE ORDER BY NUM DESC
21     ) WHERE ROWNUM<=1;
22
23 RETURN M;
24 END;

```

## Difficulties

Function cannot return more than one values so we had to create a multivalued attribute in order to complete this query.