

# **Live from New York... It's a Saturday Night Live Database**

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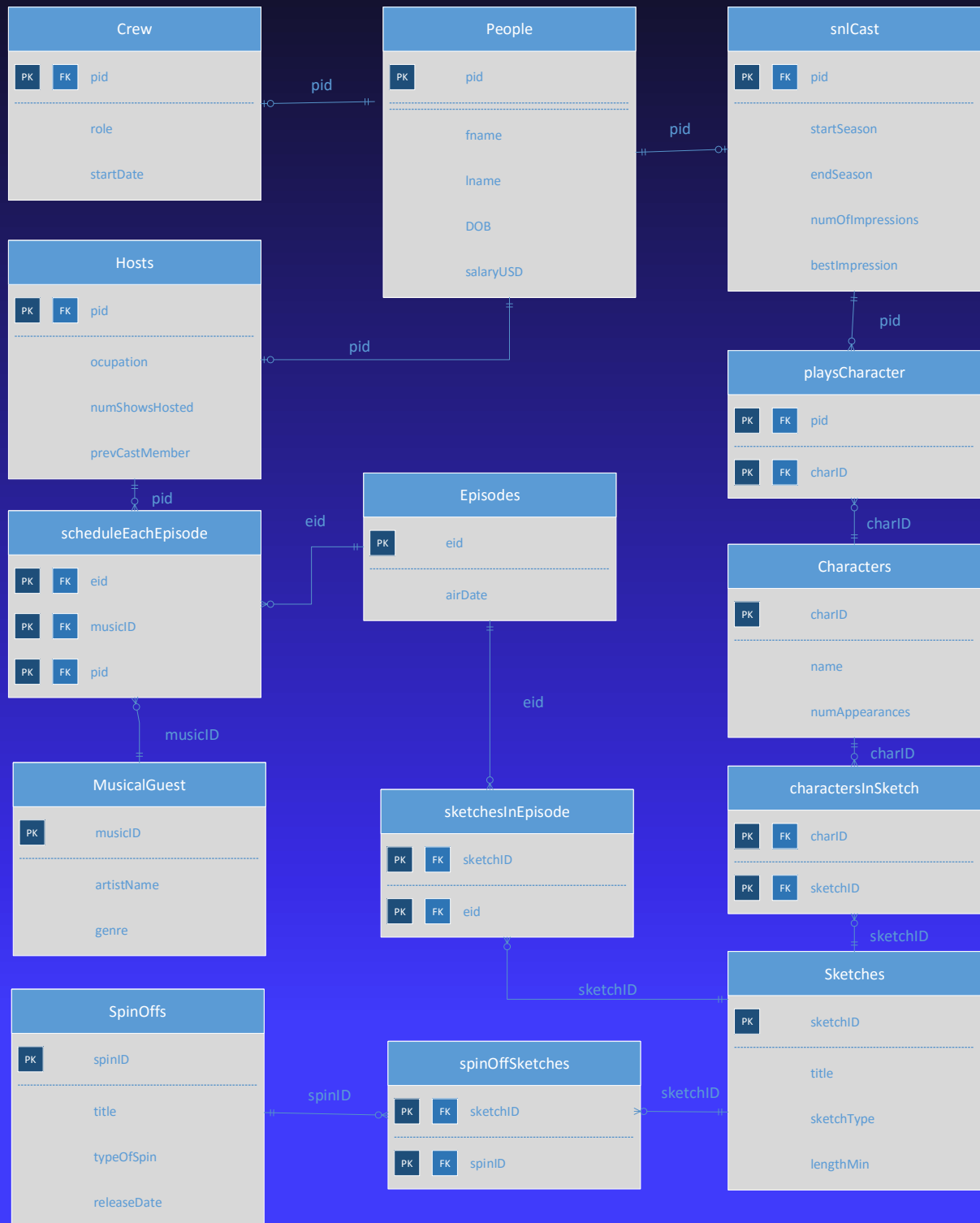
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# Executive Summary

This project depicts the design and functionality of a database created for Saturday Night Live. Since its premiere in 1975, there have been 42 seasons of SNL with upwards of 800 episodes and thousands of skits. Therefore, this database has been compiled contains only certain instances of the show which could scale to a larger implementation the database. The general public are the assumed users, but more specifically, the staff and members of the show.

The goal of this database is to provide snl staff and enthusiasts with information to manage the many elements such as skits, characters, hosts, musical guests that go into scheduling a show that has such a long run and impact on television history.

# ER Diagram



# Tables

## People

CREATE TABLE People(

pid integer not null,

fname text not null,

lname text not null,

DOB date,

salaryUSD integer,

primary key(pid)

);

Functional Dependencies:

People (pid) →

fname, lname, DOB,  
salaryUSD

	pid integer	fname text	lname text	dob date	salaryusd integer
1	1	John	Belushi	1949-01-24	4000
2	2	Kristen	Wiig	1973-08-22	12500
3	3	Will	Ferrell	1967-07-16	17500
4	4	Chris	Farley	1964-02-15	5000
5	5	Bill	Hader	1978-06-07	12500
6	6	Dan	Aykroyd	1952-07-01	4000
7	7	Gilda	Radner	1946-06-28	4000
8	8	Adam	Sandler	1966-09-09	5000
9	9	Bill	Murray	1950-09-21	4000
10	10	Mike	Meyers	1963-05-25	4000
11	11	Jimmy	Fallon	1963-05-25	10000
12	15	Tom	Richards	1972-09-14	1000
13	16	Doug	Abeles	1963-05-25	10000
14	17	Lorne	Michaels	1944-11-17	350000000
15	18	James	Downey	1956-08-29	5000
16	12	Martin	Short	1950-03-26	
17	13	Richard	Pryor	1940-12-01	
18	14	Leslie	Nielson	1926-02-11	

## Crew

CREATE TABLE Crew(

pid integer not null references People(pid),

role text not null,

startDate date,

primary key(pid)

);

	pid integer	role text	startdate date
1	15	Camera Man	1988-06-09
2	17	Creator	1975-08-02
3	18	Writer	1998-12-09
4	16	Director	1980-02-11

Functional Dependencies:

Crew (pid) → role, startDate

## Hosts

CREATE TABLE Hosts(

pid integer not null references People(pid),

occupation text not null,

numShowsHosted integer not null,

prevCastMemb boolean,

primary key(pid)

);

	pid integer	occupation text	numshowshosted integer	prevcastmemb boolean
1	12	Comedian	3	t
2	13	Comedian	1	f
3	14	Actor	1	f
4	11	Actor	2	t
5	2	Actor	1	t
6	9	Actor	7	t
7	10	Actor	1	t
8	3	Actor	3	t
9	6	Actor	1	t

Functional Dependencies:

Hosts (pid) →

occupation, numShowsHosted, prevCastMember

## MusicalGuest

```
CREATE TABLE musicalGuest(  
    musicID          integer not null,  
    artistName       text not null,  
    genre            text,  
    primary key(musicID)  
);
```

Functional Dependencies:  
musicalGuest (musicID) →  
artistName, genre

	musicid integer	artistname text	genre text
1	1	No Doubt	Pop Punk
2	2	Gil Scott-Heron	soul
3	3	Cowboy Junkies	Rock
4	4	Justin Timberlake	Pop
5	5	The xx	R & B

## scheduleEachEpisode

```
CREATE TABLE scheduleEachEpisode(  
    eid          decimal(4,2) not null references Episodes(EID),  
    musicID      integer not null references musicalGuest(musicID),  
    pid          integer not null references People(pid),  
    primary key(eid, musicID, pid)  
);
```

Functional Dependencies:  
scheduleEachEpisode  
(eid, musicID, pid) →

	eid numeric(4,2)	musicid integer	pid integer
1	22.08	1	12
2	1.07	2	13
3	14.13	3	14
4	14.13	4	11
5	39.10	5	2

## snlCast

```
CREATE TABLE snlCast(
```

```
    pid            integer not null references People(pid),
    startSeason    integer not null,
    endSeason      integer not null,
    numOfImpressions integer,
    bestImpression text
```

```
--foreign key(pid)
```

```
);
```

Functional Dependencies:

Cast (pid) → startSeason , endSeason, numOfImpressions, bestImpression

	pid integer	startseason integer	endseason integer	numofimpressions integer	bestimpression text
1	1	1	4	11	Joe Cocker
2	2	31	37	24	Paula Deen
3	3	22	27	24	Alex Trebek
4	4	16	23	27	Meat Loaf
5	5	31	38	82	Al Pacino
6	6	1	4	25	Julia Child
7	7	1	4	20	Barbra Walters
8	8	16	20	21	Bruce Springsteen
9	9	2	5	22	Walter Cronkite
10	10	14	20	39	Mick Jagger
11	11	24	29	71	Adam Sandler
12	12	10	11	8	Ed Grimley



# Characters

CREATE TABLE Characters(  
charID integer not null references Characters(charID),  
name text not null,  
numAppearances integer,  
primary key(charID)  
);

Functional Dependencies:  
Characters (charID) →  
name, numAppearances

	charid integer	name text	numappearances integer
1	1	Gilly	6
2	2	Roseanne Roseannadanna	17
3	3	Stefon	18
4	4	Samurai Futaba	17
5	5	Matt Foley	8
6	6	Opraman	10
7	7	Alex Trebek	7
8	8	Nick the Lounge Singer	9
9	9	Wayne Campbell	21
10	10	MacGruber	6
11	11	Ronnie the Mechanic	1
12	12	Joliet Jake Blues	5
13	13	Elwood Blues	5
14	14	Police Officer	1

## playsCharacter

CREATE TABLE playsCharacter(  
pid integer not null references People(pid),  
charID integer not null references Characters(charID),  
primary key(pid, charID)  
);

Functional Dependencies:  
playsCharacter (pid, charID) →

	pid integer	charid integer
1	2	1
2	7	2
3	1	4
4	4	5
5	8	6
6	3	7
7	9	8
8	10	9
9	5	10
10	4	11
11	1	12
12	6	13
13	13	14

## Sketches

```
CREATE TABLE Sketches(  
    sketchID      integer not null,  
    title          text not null,  
    sketchType     text not null  
                  check(sketchType ='coldOpen' or  
                        sketchType ='commercial' or  
                        sketchType ='weekendUpdate' or  
                        sketchType ='skit'),  
    lengthMin decimal (3,2) not null,  
    primary key(sketchID)  
);
```

Functional Dependencies:

Episodes (sketchID) → title, sketchType, lengthMin

## charactersInSketch

```
CREATE TABLE charactersInSketch(  
    charID         integer not null references Characters(charID),  
    sketchID       integer not null references Sketches(sketchID),  
    primary key(charID, sketchID)  
);
```

Functional Dependencies:

Episodes (charID, sketchID) →

	charid integer	sketchid integer
1	4	1
2	7	2
3	9	3
4	11	4
5	12	5
6	13	5
7	10	6
8	14	1

## Episodes

```
CREATE TABLE Episodes(  
    eid          decimal(4,2) not null,  
    airDate     date not null,  
    primary key(eid)  
);
```

	<b>eid</b> numeric(4,2)	<b>airdate</b> date
<b>1</b>	22.08	1996-12-17
<b>2</b>	1.07	1975-12-13
<b>3</b>	14.13	1989-02-18
<b>4</b>	39.10	2013-12-21
<b>5</b>	42.07	2013-12-21

Functional Dependencies:  
Episodes (eid) → airDate

## sketchesInEpisode

```
CREATE TABLE sketchesInEpisode(  
    sketchID    integer not null references Sketches(sketchID),  
    eid         decimal(4,2) not null references Episodes(EID),  
    primary key(sketchID,eid)  
);
```

	<b>sketchid</b> integer	<b>eid</b> numeric(4,2)
<b>1</b>	2	22.08
<b>2</b>	1	1.07
<b>3</b>	3	14.13

Functional Dependencies:  
Episodes (eid, sketchID) →

## SpinOffs

```
CREATE TABLE SpinOffs(  
    spinID        integer not null,  
    title         text not null,  
    typeOfSpin    text not null check(typeOfSpin='movie' or typeOfSpin ='tvShow'),  
    releaseDate   integer not null,  
    primary key(spinID)  
);
```

Functional Dependencies:

SpinOffs (spinID) → title, typeOfSpin, releaseDate

	spinid integer	title text	typeofspin text	releasedate integer
1	1	Superstar	movie	1999
2	2	Waynes World	movie	1992
3	3	Coneheads	movie	1993
4	4	MacGruber	movie	2010
5	5	A Night at the Roxbury	movie	1998
6	6	Blues Brothers	movie	1980

## spinOffSketches

```
CREATE TABLE spinOffSketches(  
    sketchID      integer not null references Sketches(sketchID),  
    spinID        integer not null references SpinOffs(spinID),  
    primary key(sketchID, spinID)  
);
```

	sketchid integer	spinid integer
1	3	2
2	4	3
3	5	6
4	6	4

Functional Dependencies:

spinOffSketches (sketchID, spinID) →

# Views

**episodeGuide:** Lists the number, celebrity host, musical guest and air date of each episode.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW episodeGuide as
SELECT  e.eid AS "Episode",
        e.airDate,
        p.fname AS "Host First Name",
        p.lname AS "Host Last Name",
        mg.artistName AS "Musical Guest"
FROM    people p, MusicalGuest mg,
        scheduleEachEpisode shed, episodes e
WHERE   shed.musicID = mg.musicID AND
        shed.pid = p.pid AND
        shed.eid = e.eid
ORDER BY e.eid ASC;
```

```
select * from episodeGuide;
```

	Episode numeric(4,2)	airdate date	Host First Name text	Host Last Name text	Musical Guest text
1	1.07	1975-12-13	Richard	Pryor	Gil Scott-Heron
2	14.13	1989-02-18	Leslie	Nielson	Cowboy Junkies
3	14.13	1989-02-18	Jimmy	Fallon	Justin Timberlake
4	22.08	1996-12-17	Martin	Short	No Doubt
5	39.10	2013-12-21	Kristen	Wiig	The xx

**characterCast:** Lists the cast member, the characters they play, and the corresponding sketch the character is in.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW characterCast as
SELECT sc.pid, c.name, c.charID
      FROM characters c
      INNER JOIN playsCharacter pc      ON c.charID  = pc.charID
      INNER JOIN snlCast sc            ON pc.pid    = sc.pid;

CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW peopleCast as
SELECT p.pid, p.fname, p.lname
      FROM people p
      INNER JOIN snlCast sc            ON p.pid      = sc.pid;

CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW characterSketch as
SELECT s.title, cS.charID
      FROM Sketches s
      INNER JOIN charactersInSketch cS  ON cS.sketchID = s.sketchID
      INNER JOIN characters c          ON cS.charID = c.charID;

select * FROM characterSketch;

Select pc.fname, pc.lname, cc.name, cS.title
from peopleCast pc
INNER JOIN characterCast cc      ON pc.pid      = cc.pid
INNER JOIN characterSketch cS   ON cS.charID   = cc.charID
ORDER BY lname ASC;
```

	fname text	lname text	name text	title text
1	Dan	Aykroyd	Elwood Blues	Blues Brothers
2	John	Belushi	Samurai Futaba	Samurai Hotel
3	John	Belushi	Joliet Jake Blues	Blues Brothers
4	Chris	Farley	Ronnie the Mechanic	Coneheads
5	Will	Ferrell	Alex Trebek	Celebrity Jeapordy
6	Bill	Hader	MacGruber	MacGruber
7	Mike	Meyers	Wayne Campbell	Wanes World

# Reports and Interesting Queries

1. Query to return the Spin Off movies created from SNL sketches including the title, release date, and name of the cast members in the movie.

```
SELECT so.title, s.title, so.releaseDate, s.sketchType, s.lengthMin, p.fname, p.lname
FROM SpinOffs so
LEFT OUTER JOIN spinOffSketches ss      ON ss.spinID = so.spinID
LEFT OUTER JOIN Sketches s              ON s.sketchID = ss.sketchID
LEFT OUTER JOIN charactersInSketch cs   ON cs.sketchID = s.sketchID
LEFT OUTER JOIN characters c            ON c.charID = cs.charID
LEFT OUTER JOIN playsCharacter pc       ON pc.charID = c.charID
LEFT OUTER JOIN people p                ON p.pid = pc.pid;
```

	title text	coalesce text	releasedate integer	coalesce text	coalesce numeric	coalesce text	coalesce text
1	Waynes World	Wanes World	1992	skit	3.27	Mike	Meyers
2	MacGruber	MacGruber	2010	skit	6.53	Bill	Hader
3	Coneheads	Coneheads	1993	skit	5.12	Chris	Farley
4	Blues Brothers	Blues Brothers	1980	skit	6.17	John	Belushi
5	Blues Brothers	Blues Brothers	1980	skit	6.17	Dan	Aykroyd
6	Superstar	None	1999	None	0	None	None
7	A Night at the Roxbury	None	1998	None	0	None	None

2. Query to return the show hosts who were previous cast members as well as the season the cast member started, the number of impressions, best impressions, ordered by number of shows hosted

```
SELECT h.numShowsHosted, p.fname, p.lname,  
h.occupation, startSeason, numOfImpressions,  
bestImpression  
FROM hosts h  
INNER JOIN people p          ON p.pid = h.pid  
INNER JOIN snlCast sc       ON p.pid = sc.pid  
WHERE prevCastMemb = true  
ORDER BY numShowsHosted ASC;
```

	numshowshosted integer	fname text	lname text	occupation text	startseason integer	numofimpressions integer	bestimpression text
1	1	Dan	Aykroyd	Actor	1	25	Julia Child
2	1	Kristen	Wiig	Actor	31	24	Paula Deen
3	1	Mike	Meyers	Actor	14	39	Mick Jagger
4	2	Jimmy	Fallon	Actor	24	71	Adam Sandler
5	3	Martin	Short	Comedian	10	8	Ed Grimley
6	3	Will	Ferrell	Actor	22	24	Alex Trebek
7	7	Bill	Murray	Actor	2	22	Walter Cronkite



# Stored Procedures

skitsPerEpisode: Takes an episode number as an argument and returns the titles of the sketches for the given episode.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION skitsPerEpisode(decimal(4,2),
REFCURSOR)
RETURNS refcursor as $$
DECLARE
    episodeInput decimal(4,2) := $1;
    resultset REFCURSOR := $2;
BEGIN
    open resultset for
        SELECT s.title AS "Sketches"
        FROM sketches s
        INNER JOIN sketchesInEpisode se
        ON s.sketchID = se.sketchID
        INNER JOIN episodes e
        ON e.eid = se.eid
        WHERE episodeInput = se.eid;
    return resultset;
end;
$$
language plpgsql;
```

	<b>Sketches text</b>
<b>1</b>	Samurai Hotel

```
SELECT skitsPerEpisode('01.70', 'results');
FETCH ALL FROM results;
```

numbOfCharacters: Takes a cast member name as an argument and returns the number of characters they play.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION numbOfCharacters(text,
REFCURSOR)
RETURNS refcursor as $$
DECLARE
    castMemblInput text := $1;
    resultset REFCURSOR := $2;
BEGIN
    open resultset for
        SELECT count(pc.pid) AS "Number of Characters Played"
        FROM playsCharacter pc
        INNER JOIN people p
        ON p.pid = pc.pid
        WHERE castMemblInput = p.fname;
    return resultset;
end;
$$
language plpgsql;

SELECT numbOfCharacters('Adam', 'results');
FETCH ALL FROM results;
```

	Number of Characters Played bigint
1	1

seasonsInCast: Takes cast member name as a function and returns the number of seasons they were on SNL

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION seasonsInCast(text, REFCURSOR)
RETURNS refcursor as $$
DECLARE
    castInput text := $1;
    resultset REFCURSOR := $2;
BEGIN
    open resultset for
        SELECT p.fname, p.lname, sc.startSeason, sc.endSeason,
        (sc.endSeason - sc.startSeason) AS numOfSeasons
        FROM people p INNER JOIN snlCast sc on p.pid = sc.pid
            WHERE castInput = p.fname;
    return resultset;
end;
$$
language plpgsql;
```

```
SELECT seasonsInCast('Bill', 'results');
FETCH ALL FROM results;
```

	fname text	lname text	startseason integer	endseason integer	numofseasons integer
1	Bill	Hader	31	38	7
2	Bill	Murray	2	5	3

# Triggers

create or replace function quitShow() returns trigger as

\$\$

begin

if new.endSeason is not null

and (select endSeason

from snlCast

where pid = new.pid) is null

then

update snlCast

set endSeason = new.endSeason

where pid = new.pid;

end if;

return new;

end;

\$\$

language plpgsql;

create trigger quitShow

after update on snlCast

for each row

execute procedure quitShow();

# Security

```
CREATE ROLE admin;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLES  
IN SCHEMA PUBLIC  
TO admin;
```

```
CREATE ROLE user  
GRANT SELECT  
ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA PUBLIC  
TO user;
```

# Implementation Notes

# Known Problems & Future Enhancements