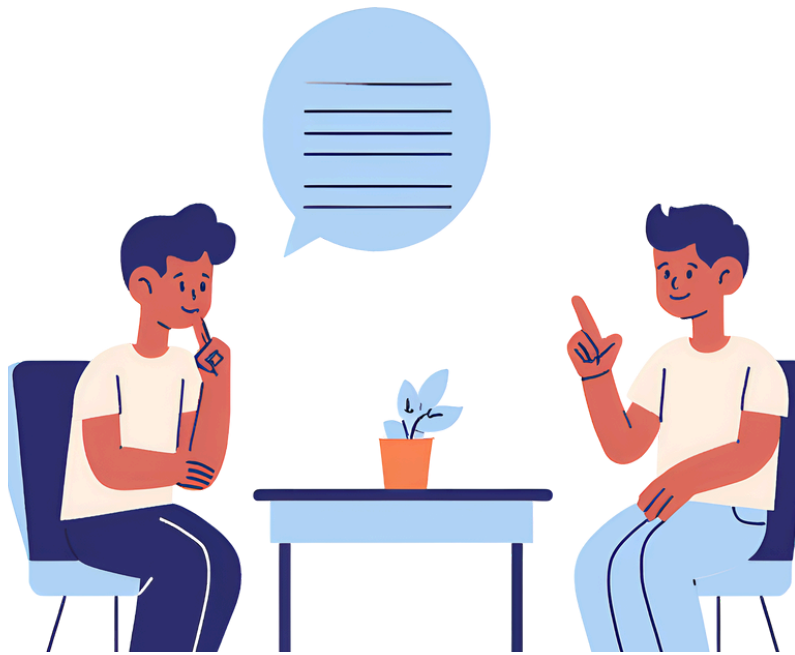


# SQL INTERVIEW

## QUESTION AND ANSWER



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**1. Show first name, last name, and gender of patients whose gender is 'M':**

Ans. SELECT first\_name, last\_name, gender  
FROM patients  
where gender = "M";

**2. Show first name and last name of patients who do not have allergies (null):**

Ans. SELECT first\_name, last\_name  
FROM patients  
WHERE allergies IS NULL;

**3. Show first name of patients that start with the letter 'C'**

Ans. SELECT first\_name  
FROM patients  
where first\_name like "C%";

**4. Show first name and last name of patients that weigh within the range of 100 to 120 (inclusive):**

Ans. SELECT first\_name, last\_name  
FROM patients  
WHERE weight BETWEEN 100 AND 120;



**5. Update the patients table for the allergies column. If the patient's allergies is null then replace it with 'NKA'**

Ans. UPDATE patients  
SET allergies = 'NKA'  
WHERE allergies IS NULL;

**6. Show first name and last name concatenated into one column to show their full name:**

Ans. SELECT CONCAT(first\_name, ' ', last\_name) AS  
full\_name  
FROM patients;

**8. Show how many patients have a birth\_date with 2010 as the birth year.**

Ans. SELECT COUNT(birth\_date)  
FROM patients  
WHERE birth\_date LIKE '%2010%';

**7. Show first name, last name, and the full province name of each patient:**

Ans. SELECT first\_name, last\_name,  
province\_name  
FROM patients

## 9. Show the first\_name, last\_name, and height of the patient with the greatest height

Ans. SELECT first\_name, last\_name, MAX(height)  
FROM patients  
GROUP BY first\_name, last\_name  
ORDER BY MAX(height) DESC  
LIMIT 1;  
OR if you want to use AS  
SELECT \*  
FROM patients  
WHERE patient\_id IN (1, 45, 534, 879, 1000);



## 10. Show all columns for patients who have one of these patient\_ids: 1, 45, 534, 879, 1000

Ans. SELECT \*  
FROM patients  
WHERE patient\_id IN (1, 45, 534, 879, 1000);

### **11. Show the total number of admissions.**

**Ans.** SELECT COUNT(admission\_date)  
FROM admissions;

### **12. Show all the columns from admissions where the patient was admitted and discharged on the same day.**

**Ans.** select \*  
from admissions  
where admission\_date = discharge\_date;

### **13. To show unique cities for patients in province 'NS':**

**Ans.** SELECT DISTINCT(city)  
FROM patients  
WHERE province\_id = 'NS';

### **14. To find the first name, last name, and birth date of patients with height greater than 160 and weight greater than 70:**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name, last\_name, birth\_date  
FROM patients  
WHERE height > 160 AND weight > 70;



**15. To find the first name, last name, and allergies of patients from 'Hamilton' with non-null allergies:**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name, last\_name, allergies  
FROM patients  
WHERE allergies IS NOT NULL AND city = 'Hamilton';

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**16. Show unique birth years from patients and order them by ascending.**

**Ans.** select distinct(year(birth\_date)) as  
birth\_year  
from patients  
order by birth\_year;

**17. Show unique first names from the patients table which only occurs once in the list.**

**For example, if two or more people are named 'John' in the first\_name column then don't include their name in the output list. If only 1 person is named 'Leo' then include them in the output.**

**Ans.** select first\_name  
from patients  
group by first\_name

OR

```
SELECT patient_id, first_name  
FROM patients  
WHERE first_name LIKE 's"-s%';
```

**18. Show patient \\_id, first \\_name, last \\_name from patients whose diagnosis is 'Dementia'. Primary diagnosis is stored in the admissions table.**

**Ans.** SELECT p.patient\_id, p.first\_name,  
p.last\_name  
FROM patients AS p  
JOIN admissions AS a ON p.patient\_id =  
a.patient\_id  
WHERE diagnosis = 'Dementia';

**19. Display every patient's first \\_name. Order the list by the length of each name and then alphabetically.**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name  
FROM patients  
ORDER BY LENGTH(first\_name), first\_name ASC;



**20. Show the total amount of male patients and the total amount of female patients in the patients table. Display the two results in the same row.**

**Ans.** SELECT COUNT(CASE WHEN gender = 'M' THEN 1  
END) AS Male,  
COUNT(CASE WHEN gender = 'F' THEN 1 END) AS  
Female  
FROM patients;

**21. Show first and last name, allergies from patients who have allergies to either 'Penicillin' or 'Morphine'. Show results ordered ascending by allergies then by first \\_name then by last \\_name.**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name, last\_name, allergies  
FROM patients  
WHERE allergies = 'Penicillin' OR allergies =  
'Morphine'  
ORDER BY allergies, first\_name, last\_name;





**22. Show patient \\_id, diagnosis from admissions. Find patients admitted multiple times for the same diagnosis.**

**Ans.** SELECT patient\_id, diagnosis  
FROM admissions  
GROUP BY patient\_id, diagnosis  
HAVING COUNT(patient\_id = diagnosis) > 1;

**13. Show the city and the total number of patients in the city. Order from most to least patients and then by city name ascending.**

**Ans.** SELECT city, COUNT(\*) AS number\_of\_patients  
FROM patients  
GROUP BY city  
ORDER BY number\_of\_patients DESC, city;

**14. Show first name, last name, and role of every person that is either patient or doctor. The roles are either "Patient" or "Doctor."**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name, last\_name, "Patient" AS  
role  
FROM patients  
UNION ALL  
SELECT first\_name, last\_name, "Doctor" AS role  
FROM doctors;

**15. Show all allergies ordered by popularity.  
Remove NULL values from the query.**

**Ans.** SELECT allergies, COUNT(\*) AS  
popular\_allergies  
FROM patients  
WHERE allergies IS NOT NULL  
GROUP BY allergies  
ORDER BY popular\_allergies DESC;

**16. Show all patient's first \\_name, last \\_name,  
and birth \\_date who were born in the 1970s  
decade. Sort the list starting from the earliest  
birth \\_date.**

**Ans.** SELECT first\_name, last\_name, birth\_date  
FROM patients  
WHERE birth\_date LIKE "%197%"  
ORDER BY birth\_date asc;

**17. Displays each patient's full name in a single column, formatting the last name in uppercase and the first name in lowercase, separated by a comma. The results are ordered by first name in descending order.**

Ans. `select concat(upper(last_name), ",",  
lower(first_name)) as full_name  
from patients  
order by first_name desc;`

**18. Retrieves province IDs and the sum of patient heights for those provinces where the total height sum is greater than or equal to 7,000.**

Ans. `Select province_id, sum(height)  
From patients  
Group By province_id  
Having sum(height) >= 7000;`

**19. Calculates the difference between the maximum and minimum weight for patients with the last name 'Maroni'.**

Ans. `select (max(weight) - min(weight)) as  
weight_diff  
from patients  
where last_name = "Maroni";`

**20. Shows the count of admission dates for each day of the month (1-31), ordered by the number of admissions in descending order.**

Ans. `select day(admission_date) as day_num,  
count(patient_id) as num_of_addmission  
from admissions  
group by day_num  
order by num_of_addmission Desc;`

**21. Retrieves all columns for patient ID 542's most recent admission date.**

Ans. `select *  
from admissions  
where patient_id = 542  
order by admission_date desc  
limit 1;`

**22. This query retrieves the first name, last name, and the total number of admissions attended by each doctor.**

Ans. `SELECT d.first_name, d.last_name,  
COUNT(a.admission_date) AS  
admissions_attended  
FROM admissions a  
JOIN doctors d ON a.attending_doctor_id =  
d.doctor_id  
GROUP BY d.doctor_id;`

**23. This query displays each doctor's ID, full name, and the first and last admission dates they attended.**

Ans

```
SELECT d.doctor_id,  
       CONCAT(d.first_name, ' ', d.last_name) AS  
full_name,  
       MIN(a.admission_date) AS  
first_date_attended,  
       MAX(a.admission_date) AS  
last_date_attended  
FROM admissions a  
JOIN doctors d ON a.attending_doctor_id =  
d.doctor_id  
GROUP BY d.doctor_id;
```

**24. This query shows the total number of patients for each province, ordered in descending order.**

Ans.

```
SELECT pr.province_name, COUNT(p.patient_id)  
AS total_patients  
FROM patients p  
JOIN province_names pr ON p.province_id =  
pr.province_id  
GROUP BY pr.province_name  
ORDER BY total_patients DESC;
```

**25. This query retrieves the patient's full name, admission diagnosis, and the full name of the doctor who diagnosed the problem for every admission.**

```
Ans  SELECT CONCAT(p.first_name, ' ',  
p.last_name) AS patient_full_name,  
        a.diagnosis,  
        CONCAT(d.first_name, ' ', d.last_name) AS  
doc_full_name  
FROM patients p  
JOIN admissions a ON p.patient_id =  
a.patient_id  
JOIN doctors d ON a.attending_doctor_id =  
d.doctor_id;
```

```
Ans.  select first_name, last_name, count(*) as  
num_of_duplicates  
from patients  
group by first_name, last_name  
having count(*) > 1;
```

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