



#### YESTERDAY...

What is a database?

A database is made up of what?

Each column represents...

Each row represents....

How do we get data out of the database?

What if we want to filter the results?

# **SELECT** to get data



#### **ORDERING** results

SYNTAX: ORDER BY col1 [ASC | DESC], col2 [ASC | DESC]

SELECT [code],[name],[lifeexpectancy] FROM [World].[dbo].[country] **order by lifeexpectancy desc, name** 

SELECT [code],[name],[lifeexpectancy] FROM [World].[dbo].[country] where lifeexpectancy > 70 order by lifeexpectancy desc, name



## **LIMITING** results

**SYNTAX:** TOP *n* 

SELECT **TOP 5** [code],[name],[lifeexpectancy] FROM [Module\_2].[dbo].[country] where lifeexpectancy > 70 order by lifeexpectancy desc, name





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# **AVGERAGE (AVG)**

**SYNTAX:** AVG([column])

SELECT AVG(lifeexpectancy) AS 'Average Lifespan' FROM [Module\_2].[dbo].[country]



# **SUM**

**SYNTAX:** SUM([colum])

SELECT **sum(gnp)** AS 'Gross National PRoduct' FROM [Module\_2].[dbo].[country]



# COUNT

**SYNTAX:** COUNT([colum])

select **count(name)** from country where lifeexpectancy > 60



#### MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM

**SYNTAX:** MIN([column])

MAX([column])

select max(lifeexpectancy) as 'Max',min(lifeexpectancy) as 'Min' from country



#### **AGGREGATE FUNCTIONS**

- AVG returns the average value of a numeric column
- **SUM** returns the total sum of a numeric column
- COUNT returns the number of rows matching criteria
- MIN returns the smallest value of the selected column
- MAX returns the largest value of the selected column



#### **GROUP BY**

- Group records into summary rows and return one record for each group
- Can be used when applying aggregate functions

**SYNTAX:** SELECT expression1, expression2, ... expression\_n, aggregate\_function (aggregate\_expression) FROM tables [where condition\_expression] **GROUP BY expression1, expression2, ... expression\_n** ORDER BY;



### **HAVING**

Kind of like where for aggregates

**SYNTAX:** SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE condition GROUP BY column\_name(s) HAVING condition ORDER BY column\_name(s);



# CONCATENATING



# Are you ready?





# **SUBQUERIES**

#### You can use queries within queries

select \* from city where countrycode in (select code from country where headofstate='Beatrix')



# **SUBQUERIES**

- Subqueries can only return one column
  - select code from country where headofstate='Beatrix' <= that's ok</li>
  - select code,name from country where headofstate='Beatrix' <= that's not</li>
- Most frequently used in Where clauses (and more on day 4)
- Can be used with the keyword IN or NOT IN



# LET'S CODE!





# WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU HAVE?



