### **MySQL** for Developers





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# Let's start MySQL © Installation



# Installing

- For Ubuntu/Debian :
- \$ Sudo apt-get install mysql-server mysql-client

#### Logging

- To Log into MySQL:
- \$ mysql -h hostname -u username -p



# Data Definition Language "DDL"



# **Creating Database**



#### **Database Objects**

- Objects belonging to a database
  - Table data and record of relationships
  - Views
  - Index
  - Stored procedures / Functions
  - Triggers
  - Events



## **Creating Databases (1/2)**

CREATE DATABASE statement

#### **Examples**

```
CREATE DATABASE mydb;
CREATE DATABASE IF NOT EXIST mydb;
```

- Optional clauses
  - CHARACTER SET (column setting)
  - COLLATE

#### **Example**

```
CREATE DATABASE mydb CHARACTER SET utf8

COLLATE utf8 danish ci;
```



# **Creating Databases (2/2)**

Using a database in mysql

```
USE mydb;
```

Displaying a database creation

```
SHOW CREATE DATABASE world\G

*******************************

Database: world

Create Database: CREATE DATABASE `world`

/*!40100 DEFAULT CHARACTER SET latin1 */
```



#### **Character Set & Collations**

A character set is a set of symbols and encodings.

A **collation** is a set of rules for comparing characters

in a character set.



#### **Character Set & Collations (Example)**

Suppose that we have an alphabet with four letters:

A, B, a, b.

We give each letter a number:

$$A = 0$$
,  $B = 1$ ,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 3$ 

The letter A is a symbol

the <u>number 0 is the encoding for A</u>,

the combination of all four letters and their encodings is a <u>character set</u>.



#### **Character Set & Collations Example**

To compare two string values, A and B.

1- look at the encodings: 0 for A and 1 for B. Because 0 is less than 1, we say A is less than B.

The <u>collation</u> is a set of rules (only one rule in this case): <u>"compare the encodings"</u>

We call this simplest of all possible collations a binary collation.



#### **Character Set & Collations Example**

2- if we want to say that the lowercase and uppercase letters are equivalent?

Then we would have at least two rules:

- treat the lowercase letters a and b as equivalent to A and B;
- then compare the encodings.

We call this a <u>case-insensitive collation</u>. It is a little more complex than a binary collation.



#### **Character Set & Collations**

MySQL can do these things for you:

- Store strings using a variety of character sets.
- Compare strings using a variety of collations.
- Mix strings with different character sets or collations in the same server, the same database, or even the same table.
- Enable specification of character set and collation at any level.



### **Altering Databases**

- ALTER DATABASE statement
- Examples

```
ALTER DATABASE mydb COLLATE utf8_polish_ci;
ALTER DATABASE mydb CHARACTER SET latin1
COLLATE latin1 swedish ci;
```

Affects new tables only



DROP DATABASE has no UNDO feature, so be cautious

when deleting an entire database!



#### **Dropping Databases**

- DROP DATABASE statement
- Examples

DROP DATABASE mydb;

DROP DATABASE IF EXISTS mydb;

Full or empty databases dropped





### **Using the Right Database**

To Select a database

```
use db_name;
```

Alternatively, you can do that when you log in:

```
mysql -D dbname -h hostname -u username -p
```

 You can also use qualified names that identify both the database and the table:

```
SELECT * FROM db name.tbl name;
```

To Know which database is selected:

```
SELECT DATABASE();
```



#### **Useful Commands**

Command	Use
mysql -u root -p	login
SHOW databases;	Display all databases
CREATE DATABASE os44;	Create new databases
USE os44;	Use specific database
SHOW tables;	Display all tables in the current DB
SELECT database();	Display the current database
SHOW character set;	Display all character sets
SHOW collate;	Display all collates
Describe table_name;	Display the mentioned table structure



# **Tables**



## **Creating a Table**

General syntax for creating a table



#### **Creating a Table**

Example

```
CREATE TABLE CountryLanguage (
CountryCode CHAR(3),
Language CHAR (30),
IsOfficial ENUM('True', 'False') NOT NULL DEFAULT 'False',
Percentage FLOAT (3,1) NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (CountryCode, Language)
) ENGINE = InnoDB COMMENT='Lists Language Spoken';
```



#### **Table Properties**

- Add table options to CREATE TABLE statement
- Several options available
  - ENGINE
  - COMMENT
  - CHARACTER SET
  - COLLATE
- Example

```
CREATE TABLE CountryLanguage (
) ENGINE=InnoDB COMMENT='Lists Language Spoken'
CHARSET utf8 COLLATE utf8 unicode ci;
```



# Column Options (1/2)

- Add column options to CREATE TABLE statement
- Several options available
  - NULL
  - NOT NULL
  - DEFAULT
  - AUTO\_INCREMENT
- Constraints
  - Primary Key
  - Foreign Key
  - Unique



## Column Options (2/2)

Column options example

```
CREATE TABLE City (
ID int (11) AUTO INCREMENT,
Name char (35) NOT NULL,
CountryCode char(3) NOT NULL,
District char (20) NOT NULL,
Population int(11) NOT NULL DEFAULT '0
PRIMARY KEY (ID)
```



## Column Options (2/2)

Column options example

```
CREATE TABLE City (
ID int(11) PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,
Name char(35) NOT NULL,
CountryCode char(3) NOT NULL,
District char(20) NOT NULL,
Population int(11) NOT NULL DEFAULT '0'
```



#### **SHOW CREATE TABLE**

Viewing the exact statement used to create a table

• Example SHOW CREATE TABLE City\G

```
*****************************

Table: City

Create Table: CREATE TABLE `City` (
  `ID` int(11) auto_increment,
  `Name` char(35) NOT NULL,
  `CountryCode` char(3) NOT NULL,
  `District` char(20) NOT NULL,
  `Population` int(11) NOT NULL default '0',
  PRIMARY KEY (`ID`)

ENGINE=MyISAM DEFAULT CHARSET=latin1
1 row in set (#.## sec)
```





## **Creating Tables from Existing Tables**

• CREATE TABLE...SELECT will create a new table to fit and store the result set returned by the SELECT

CREATE TABLE CityCopy1

AS

**SELECT** \* **FROM** City;



## **Creating Tables from Existing Tables**

• CREATE TABLE LIKE creates a structurally equivalent table (no foreign keys), but does not copy any data

#### **Example**

```
CREATE TABLE t

(i INT NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT,

PRIMARY KEY (i));

CREATE TABLE copy1 SELECT * FROM t WHERE 0;

CREATE TABLE copy2 LIKE t;
```



#### Alter Table - Add a Column

```
ALTER TABLE City
```

ADD COLUMN LocalName VARCHAR (35) NOT NULL

```
COMMENT 'local name of City';
```

#### Structure Change

#### DESCRIBE City;



#### Alter Table - Remove a Column

Example

ALTER TABLE City

DROP COLUMN LocalName;



### **Alter Table - Modifying Columns**

Example

ALTER TABLE City

MODIFY ID BIGINT NOT NULL AUTO\_INCREMENT;





#### **Renaming Tables**

Examples

```
ALTER TABLE t1 RENAME TO t2;

RENAME TABLE t1 TO t2;

RENAME TABLE t1 TO tmp, t2 TO t1, tmp TO t2;
```



#### The DROP TABLE Command

- Remove a table
- Full or empty table
- IF EXISTS to avoid error

DROP TABLE has no UNDO feature, so be cautious when deleting an entire table!

Examples:

```
DROP TABLE table1;
```

DROP TABLE IF EXISTS table1;





## **Creating Foreign Key Constraints**

```
CREATE TABLE City (
ID INT,
Name CHAR (35) NOT NULL,
CountryCode CHAR (3) NOT NULL,
District CHAR (20) NOT NULL,
Population INT NOT NULL,
PRIMARY KEY (ID),
FOREIGN KEY (CountryCode) REFERENCES Country (Code));
```



## **Creating Foreign Key Constraints**

Alternatively they can be added to existing tables using an ALTER TABLE statement

```
ALTER TABLE City ADD FOREIGN KEY (CountryCode)

REFERENCES Country (Code);
```

- The InnoDB engine is currently the only supported engine that provides a foreign key implementation

```
ALTER TABLE City ENGINE = InnoDB;
```



## **Creating Foreign Key Constraints**

- DELETE rule specifies what should happen to the referencing rows in case a referenced row is removed
  - CASCADE means that the DELETE must be propagated to any referencing rows
  - NO ACTION means that a DELETE of a row from the referenced table must not occur if there are still referencing rows
  - RESTRICT means the same as NO ACTION
  - SET NULL means that the referencing columns in the referencing rows are changed to NULL
  - UPDATE rule similar rules as those used for DELETE



## **Comments on Database Objects**

CREATE TABLE `CountryLanguage`

Table comments

```
COMMENT 'Lists Languages Spoken'

    Column comments

   CREATE TABLE `CountryLanguage` (
       CountryCode CHAR(3) NOT NULL
         COMMENT 'The code that identifies the Country',
     Language CHAR (30) NOT NULL
     COMMENT 'The name of the language spoken in the
             Country',
```



# **Data Types**



## **Numeric Data Types**

- Store numeric data
- Types
  - Integer
  - Floating-Point
- Precision and scale



## **Integer Types**

- Whole numbers
- Types
  - TINYINT
  - SMALLINT
  - MEDIUMINT
  - INT
  - BIGINT
- Example
  - World database, City table, Population column Population INT (11)
  - Largest value output (uses 8, 11 allowed)

10500000





# **Integer Type Comparison**

Column Type	Storage	Signed	Unsigned
TINYINT	1 byte	-128 to 127	0 to 255
SMALLINT	2 bytes	-32,768 to 32,767	0 to 65,535
MEDIUMINT	3 bytes	-8,388,608 to 8,388,607	0 to 16,777,215
INTEGER	4 bytes	-2,147,483,648 to 2,147,483,647	0 to 4,294,967,295
BIGINT	8 bytes	-9,223,372,036,854,775,808 to 9,223,372,036,854,775,807	0 to 18,446,744,073,709,551,615



## Floating-Point Types

- Used for approximate-value numbers
  - Integer, Fractional or both
- Types
  - FLOAT
  - DOUBLE
- May declare with precision and scale
- Example
  - World database, Country table, GNP entity GNP FLOAT (10,2)

8510700.00





# **Float Type Comparison**

Column Type	Storage	Range
FLOAT	4 bytes	-3.402823466E+38 to -1.175494351E-38, 0 and 1.175494351E-38 to 3.402823466E+38
DOUBLE REAL DOUBLE PRECISION	8 bytes	-1.7976931348623157E+308 to -2.2250738585072014E-308, 0 and 2.2250738585072014E-308 to 1.7976931348623157E+308



## **Character String Data Types**

- Sequence of alphanumeric characters
- Used to store text or integer data
- Factors to consider when choosing type

Comparison Values	Туре	Description
Text	CHAR	Fixed-length character string
	VARCHAR	Variable-length character string
	TEXT	Variable-length character string
Integer	ENUM	Enumeration consisting of a fixed set of legal values
	SET	Set consisting of a fixed set of legal values



## **Text Types**

- CHAR/VARCHAR
  - CHAR
  - VARCHAR

- Example
  - World database, CountryLanguage table, Language entity

    Language CHAR (30)
  - Largest value output (uses 25, 30 allowed)
    Southern Slavic Languages



## **Text Types**

- TEXT
  - TINYTEXT
  - TEXT
  - MEDIUMTEXT
  - LONGTEXT



## **Text Type Summary**

Туре	Storage Required	Maximum Length
CHAR(M)	M characters	255 characters
VARCHAR(M)	#characters plus 1 or 2 bytes	65,535 bytes (subject to limitations)
TINYTEXT	#characters + 1 byte	255 bytes
TEXT	#characters + 2 bytes	65,535 bytes
MEDIUMTEXT	#characters + 3 bytes	16,777,215 bytes
LONGTEXT	#characters + 4 bytes	4,294,967,295 bytes



## **Structured Character String Types**

- ENUM
  - Enumeration

#### Example

```
Continent ENUM ('Asia', 'Europe', 'North America', 'Africa', 'Oceania', 'Antarctica', 'South America')
```



## **Temporal Data Types (1/2)**

- TIME
  - HH:MM:SS > 12:59:02
- YEAR
  - Two or Four digit > 2006
- DATE
  - YYYY-MM-DD > 2006-08-04
- DATETIME
  - YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS > 2006-08-04 12:59:02
- TIMESTAMP > 2006-08-04 12:59:02



# **Temporal Data Types (2/2)**

Туре	Storage Required	Range
DATE	3 bytes	'1000-01-01' to '9999-12-31'
TIME	3 bytes	'-838:59:59' to '838:59:59'
DATETIME	8 bytes	'1000-01-01 00:00:00' to '9999-12-31 23:59:59'
TIMESTAMP	4 bytes	'1970-01-01 00:00:00' to mid-year 2037
YEAR	1 byte	1901 to 2155 (for YEAR(4)), 1970 to 2069 (for YEAR(2))





# Data Manipulation Language "DML"



## The INSERT Statement

 The INSERT statement is a common method for adding new rows of data into a table

```
INSERT INTO table_name (column_list)
VALUES(row_list);
```

## **Example:**

```
INSERT INTO City (ID, Name, CountryCode)

VALUES (NULL, 'Essaouira', 'MAR'),

(NULL, 'Sankt-Augustin', 'DEU');
```



#### **INSERT ... SET**

 The INSERT ... SET clause can also be used to indicate column names and values

```
INSERT INTO City (ID, Name, CountryCode)
   VALUES (NULL, 'Essaouira', 'MAR'),
            (NULL, 'Sankt-Augustin', 'DEU');
- The above example can also be written with SET as follows;
      INSERT INTO City
      SET ID=NULL, Name='Essaouira',
      CountryCode='MAR';
      INSERT INTO City
      SET ID=NULL, Name='Sankt-Augustin',
      CountryCode='DEU';
```



#### **INSERT ... SELECT**

 The INSERT...SELECT syntax is useful for copying rows from an existing table, or (temporarily) storing a result set from a query

```
INSERT INTO Top10Cities (ID, Name, CountryCode)
SELECT ID, Name, CountryCode FROM City
ORDER BY Population DESC LIMIT 10;
```



## The DELETE Statement

Emptying a table completely

```
DELETE FROM table name
```

Remove specific rows of data

```
DELETE FROM table_name [WHERE where condition]
```

Example

**DELETE FROM** CountryLanguage **WHERE** IsOfficial='F'

- The DELETE statement removes entire rows
  - Does not include a specification of columns



## The UPDATE Statement

Modifies contents of existing rows

```
UPDATE table_name SET column=expression(s)
[WHERE where_condition
```

- Use with the SET clause for column assignments
- Optionally use WHERE
- Example

```
UPDATE Country SET Population = Population * 1.1;
Query OK, 232 rows affected (#.## sec)
Rows matched: 239 Changed: 232 Warnings:0
```



## The TRUNCATE TABLE Statement

- Always removes all records
- General syntax
   TRUNCATE TABLE table\_name;
- DELETE vs. TRUNCATE TABLE

TRUNCATE TABLE
annot delete specific rows, deletes <i>all</i> rows
sually executes more quickly
lay return a row count of zero
lay reset AUTO_INCREMENT
ot Transactional
1



## **Transactions**



## What is a Transaction? (1/2)

- In database programming, a transaction is a collection of data manipulation execution steps that are treated as a single unit of work
  - Execution steps are performed as if there were a single specialized command that accomplishes exactly that combination of actions

#### **Non-Transactional Executions**

Remove \$1000 from account #10001

Write to database

Deposit \$1000 into account #10243

Write to database

#### Transactional Executions

Remove \$1000 from account #10001

Deposit \$1000 into account #10243

Write to database



## What is a Transaction? (2/2)

- All of the data manipulation steps must be carried out
- If any portion fails, action must be taken to:
  - Permanently retain those operations that did succeed
    - - or -
  - Disregard those operations that did succeed

#### **Non-Transactional Executions**

Remove \$1000 from account #10001

Write to database

Deposit \$1000 into account #10243

#### **Transactional Executions**

Remove \$1000 from account #10001

Deposit \$1000 into account #10243



#### **ACID**

#### Atomic

- All statements execute successfully or are canceled as a unit
- All steps that make up the transaction must succeed or the entire transaction rolls back.

#### Consistent

- Database that is in a consistent state when a transaction begins,
   is left in a consistent state by the transaction
- The transaction should make no changes that violate the rules or constraints placed on the data.

#### Isolated

- One transaction does *not* affect another, Transactions can run concurrently only if they don't interfere with each other.

#### Durable

- All changes made by transaction that complete successfully are recorded properly in database--Changes are *not* lost
- A transaction that is committed is guaranteed to remain committed



#### **Transaction Control Statements**

- START TRANSACTION (or BEGIN)
  - Begins a new transaction
- COMMIT
  - Commits the current transaction, making its changes permanent
- ROLLBACK
  - Rolls back the current transaction, canceling its changes
- SET AUTOCOMMIT
  - Disables or enables the default autocommit mode for the current connection

Set autocommit = 0;



## **AUTOCOMMIT Mode (1/2)**

- Determines how and when new transactions are started
- Autocommit enabled
  - A single SQL statement implicitly starts a new transaction by default
    - The transaction is automatically committed if the statement executes successfully
    - If the statement does not execute successfully, the transaction is automatically rolled back
  - Transactions can still be started explicitly using the START TRANSACTION statement
- Autocommit disabled
  - Transactions span multiple statements by default
  - Transactions can be explicitly committed or rolled back
  - A new transaction is implicitly started after termination of previous



## **AUTOCOMMIT Mode (2/2)**

- Autocommit disabled
  - Transactions span multiple statements by default
  - Transactions must be explicitly committed or rolled back
  - A new transaction is implicitly started after successful termination of previous transaction
  - Unsuccessful statements will result in any potential changes by that statement being undone
    - The transaction continues to remain open until committed or rolled back as a whole



# **Controlling AUTOCOMMIT Mode (2/2)**

- By default, autocommit is enabled
  - Disable if transactions that span multiple statements are required
- Server configuration default behavior can be changed

```
SET AUTOCOMMIT = 0
```

Determining current autocommit setting

```
SELECT @@autocommit;
```



## Implicit COMMIT's

- COMMIT explicitly commits the current transaction
- Other statements that cause commit's
  - START TRANSACTION
  - SET AUTOCOMMIT = 1 (or ON)
- Statements that have the potential to cause commit's
  - Data definition statements (ALTER, CREATE, DROP)
  - Data access and user management statements (GRANT, REVOKE,
     SET PASSWORD)
  - Locking statements (LOCK TABLES, UNLOCK TABLES)
- DML statements that cause implicit commit's
  - TRUNCATE TABLE



## **Transaction Demo: ROLLBACK**

```
START TRANSACTION;
SELECT name FROM City WHERE id=3803;
 name
 -----+
| San Jose |
+------
DELETE FROM City WHERE id=3803;
Query OK, 1 row affected (#.## sec)
SELECT name FROM City WHERE id=3803; Empty set (#.## sec)
ROLLBACK;
SELECT name FROM City WHERE id=3803;
 ----+
 name
| San Jose |
```



## **View Available Storage Engines**

Check for a Transactional Storage Engine

```
SHOW ENGINES\G
Engine: MyISAM
 Support: YES
 Comment: Default engine as of MySQL 3.23 with great
       performance
Engine: MEMORY
 Support: YES
 Comment: Hash based, stored in memory, useful for
       temporary tables
Engine: InnoDB
 Support: DEFAULT
 Comment: Supports transactions, row-level locking, and
 foreign keys
```



## **Locking Concepts**

- A Locking Mechanism Prevents Problems with Concurrent Data Access
- Locks are Managed By the Server
  - Allows access to one client and locks others out
- Locking Depends on Access Type
  - READ vs. WRITE



# Data Retrieval Language "DRL"



### The SELECT Statement (1/2)

- Most commonly used command for queries
- Retrieves rows from tables in a database
- General syntax

```
SELECT [<clause options>] <column list>
[FROM] 
[<clause options>];
```



### The SELECT Statement (2/2)

Examples

```
SELECT Name FROM Country;
 Name
    ______
Afghanistan
 Netherlands
 French Southern Territories
Unites States Minor Outlying Islands
239 rows in set (#.## sec)
SELECT 1+2;
 1+2
1 row in set (#.## sec)
```





#### **Basic Uses of SELECT**

- Clauses used to yield specific results
  - DISTINCT
  - FROM
  - WHERE
  - ORDER BY
  - LIMIT
- Syntax example:

```
SELECT DISTINCT values to display · Use of * (all row data) can
FROM table name
WHERE expression
ORDER BY how to sort
      row count;
```

#### **SELECT Tips**



- Commands (and clauses) are not case-sensitive (unless host is set as such)
- Use \c to abort a command
- Use \G in place of the ;) to return results by the row
- give random results and waste resources
- Keep clauses in proper order of precedence

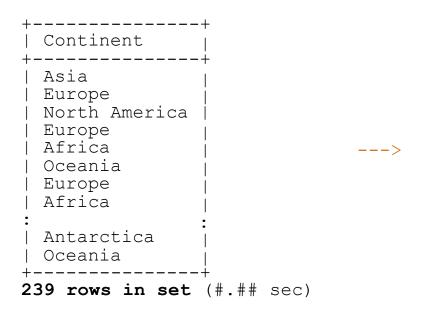


#### SELECT/DISTINCT

Removes duplicate rows

#### SELECT Continent

#### FROM Country;



#### SELECT **DISTINCT** Continent

#### FROM Country;



#### SELECT/WHERE

- Operators used with WHERE
  - Arithmetic
  - Comparison
  - Logical
- Arithmetic

Comparison

- Logical
  - AND, OR, XOR, NOT
- Additional Options
  - IN, BETWEEN, etc.



#### SELECT/WHERE

```
SELECT Name, Population
FROM Country
WHERE Population > 5000000
AND (Continent = 'Europe'
OR Code = 'USA');
 Name
                 Population |
 United Kingdom
             | 59623400 |
                 57680000 I
 Italy
                 59225700 l
 France
                 82164700 I
Germany
Ukraine
          | 50456000 |
Russian Federation | 146934000
United States | 278357000
7 rows in set (0.31 sec)
```



#### SELECT/WHERE

```
SELECT ID, Name, District
FROM city
WHERE Name IN ('New York', 'Rochester', 'Syracuse');
            | Name | District |
        ΤD
       +----+
       | 3793 | New York | New York |
       | 3871 | Rochester | New York |
       | 3935 | Syracuse | New York |
       3 rows in set (#.## sec)
```



#### **SELECT/ORDER BY**

**SELECT** Name

FROM Country

ORDER BY Name;

	Name	
+-		1
	Afghanistan	
	Albania	
	Algeria	
	American Samoa	
	Andorra	
	Angola	
	Anguilla	
	Antarctica	
	Antiqua and Barbuda	



#### **SELECT/ORDER BY**

- Ascending order is default
- Specify order with ASC and DESC
- Example

SELECT Name FROM Country ORDER BY Name DESC;



#### **SELECT/ORDER BY**

SELECT Name, Continent

FROM Country

ORDER BY Continent DESC, Name ASC;

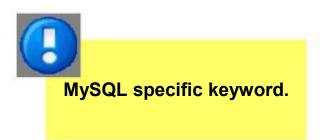
Name	Continent			
+	++			
Argentina	South America			
Bolivia	South America			
Brazil	South America			
Chile	South America			
:	:			
Uzbekistan	Asia			
Vietnam	Asia			
Yemen	Asia			
+	++			
239 rows in set (#.## sec)				





#### SELECT/LIMIT

**SELECT** Name **FROM** Country **LIMIT** 8;





#### SELECT/LIMIT

#### Use with ORDER BY for ordered output

```
SELECT name, population
FROM country
ORDER BY population DESC
LIMIT 5;
```





### Why Use Aggregate Functions? (1/2)

- Summary functions
  - Perform summary operations on a set of values
- Returns single value based on group of values
  - Turn many rows into one value
- Only NON NULL

Aggregate Functions:	Definition:
MIN()	Find the smallest value
MAX()	Find the largest value
SUM()	Summarize numeric value totals
AVG()	Summarize numeric value averages
STD()	Returns the population standard deviation
COUNT ()	Counts rows, non-null values, or the number of distinct values



### Why Use Aggregate Functions? (2/2)

#### Examples

```
SELECT COUNT (*) FROM Country;
+----+
| COUNT(*) |
 239 |
+----+
1 row in set (#.## sec)
SELECT COUNT (Capital) FROM Country;
+----+
| COUNT(Capital) |
  232 |
1 row in set (#.## sec)
```



#### **Grouping with SELECT/GROUP BY**

Use GROUP BY for sub-group

```
SELECT Continent, AVG (Population)
```

- -> FROM Country
- -> GROUP BY Continent;

```
Continent
                AVG (Population)
 Asia
                  72647562.7451
                 15871186.9565
 Europe
 North America
                   13053864.8649
                   13525431.0345
 Africa
 Oceania
                    1085755.3571
 Antarctica
                          0.0000
 South America | 24698571.4286
7 rows in set (#.## sec)
```



# **SQL** expressions



### **String Expressions (1/3)**

- Literal strings are quoted
  - Single or double quotes
  - ANSI\_QUOTES sql mode special
- Data types
- Comparison operations

Operator:	Definition:
<	Less than
<=	Less than or equal to
=	Equal to
<=>	Equal to (works even for <b>NULL</b> values)
<> or !=	Not equal to
>=	Greater than or equal to
>	Greater than
BETWEEN <x and="" y=""></x>	Indicate a range of numerical values



### **String Expressions (2/3)**

Function examples

```
SELECT CONCAT('abc','def',REPEAT('X',3));
 CONCAT('abc','def',REPEAT('X',3))
   abcdefXXX
SELECT 'abc' | | 'def';
     'abc' || 'def'
    1 row in set, 2 warnings (#.## sec)
```



### String Expressions (3/3)

Function examples (continued)



### **Using LIKE for Pattern Matching (1/2)**

- Comparisons based on similarity
- Use LIKE pattern-matching operator
  - Percent character '%'
  - Underscore character ' '
- NOT LIKE opposite comparison



### Using LIKE for Pattern Matching (2/2)

Examples (LIKE vs. NOT LIKE)

235 rows in set (#.## sec)



## **Built in functions**



#### **Built in Functions**

The Multi row functions are categorized according to the mode of action and argument's data type into the following:

- Comparison Functions
- Control Flow Functions
- Cast Functions
- Managing Different Types of Data



# **Comparison functions**



### **Comparison Functions**

- Test relative values or membership value
- Functions
  - LEAST() returns the smallest value from a set
  - GREATEST() returns the largest value from a set

#### Examples

```
SELECT LEAST (4,3,8,-1,5), LEAST ('cdef','ab','ghi');

| LEAST (4,3,8,-1,5) | LEAST ('cdef','ab','ghi') |

| The state of the state of
```



### **Control Flow functions**



### Flow Control Functions (IF / Case)

- Choose between different values based on the result of an expression
- IF() tests the expression
  - Examples



#### **Flow Control Functions**

- CASE/WHEN provides branching flow control
- General syntax

```
CASE
WHEN when_expr THEN result

[WHEN when_expr THEN result] ...

[ELSE result]

END
```





According to the input data type they can be classified into

#### **String functions:**

- ASCII() Functions
- •CHAR\_LENGTH(), CHARACTER\_LENGTH(), and LENGTH() Functions
- CHARSET() and COLLATION() Functions
- CONCAT() and CONCAT\_WS() Functions
- INSTR() and LOCATE() Functions
- LCASE(), LOWER(), UCASE(), and UPPER() Functions
- LEFT() and RIGHT() Functions
- REPEAT() and REVERSE() Functions
- SUBSTRING() Function



According to the input data type they can be classified into

- Numeric functions
  - CEIL(), CEILING(), and FLOOR() Functions
  - COT() Functions
  - MOD() Function
  - POW() and POWER() Functions
  - ROUND() and TRUNCATE() Functions
  - SQRT() Function



According to the input data type they can be classified into

- Date time functions
  - ADDDATE(), DATE\_ADD(), SUBDATE(), DATE\_SUB(), and EXTRACT() Functions
  - DATE(), MONTH(), MONTHNAME(), and YEAR() Functions
  - DATEDIFF() and TIMEDIFF() Functions
  - DAY(), DAYOFMONTH(), DAYNAME(), DAYOFWEEK(), and DAYOFYEAR() Functions
  - SECOND(), MINUTE(), HOUR(), and TIME() Functions



# **String functions**



#### **String Functions**

INSTR(), LOCATE() and POSITION()

```
SELECT INSTR('Alice and Bob', 'and'), 7

LOCATE('and', 'Alice and Bob'), 7

POSITION('and' IN 'Alice and Bob') \G 7
```



### **String Functions**

- Perform operations on strings
- LENGTH()

SELECT **LENGTH** ('MySQL')





 CONCAT() and CONCAT\_WS() examples SELECT CONCAT ('See', 'spot', 'run'); CONCAT('See','spot','run')| Seespotrun SELECT CONCAT\_WS(' ', 'See', 'spot', 'run'); CONCAT\_WS(' ','See','spot','run') See spot run



SUBSTRING()



LEFT() and RIGHT()

```
SELECT LEFT ('Alice and Bob', 5);

LEFT('Alice and Bob', 5) |

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HIGHT('Alice and Bob', 3);

HIGHT('Alice and Bob', 3) |

HIGHT('Alice and Bob', 3) |
```



INSERT() and REPLACE()

```
SELECT REPLACE ('Alice & Bob', '&', 'and');

+-----+
| REPLACE ('Alice & Bob', '&', 'and') |
+-----+
| Alice and Bob |
+----+

SELECT INSERT ('Alice and Bob', 6, 5, ', Carol & ');
+-----+
| INSERT ('Alice and Bob', 6, 5, ', Carol & ');
+-----+
| Alice, Carol & Bob |
| Alice, Carol & Bob |
```



## **Numeric functions**



### **Numeric Functions (1/4)**

- Mathematical operations
- Common functions
  - TRUNCATE()
  - FLOOR()
  - CEILING()
  - ROUND()
  - ABS()
  - SIGN()
  - SIN(), COS(), TAN()



### **Numeric Functions (2/4)**

ROUND examples



### **Numeric Functions (3/4)**

FLOOR/CEILING examples

```
SELECT FLOOR (-14.7), FLOOR (14.7);

+-----+
| FLOOR (-14.7) | FLOOR (14.7) |
+-----+
| -15 | 14 |
+-----+

SELECT CEILING (-14.7), CEILING (14.7);
+------+
| CEILING (-14.7) | CEILING (14.7) |
+------+
| -14 | 15 |
+------+
```



### **Numeric Functions (4/4)**

ABS/SIGN examples



# **Date/Time functions**



### **Temporal Functions (1/5)**

- Time, Date, Year
- Perform many operations
- Functions

Functions	Definition
NOW()	Current date and time as set on the client host (in <b>DATETIME</b> format)
CURDATE ()	Current date as set on the client host ( in DATE format)
CURTIME()	Current time as set on the client host ( in TIME format)
YEAR()	Year in YEAR format, per value indicated (can use NOW() function within parenthesis to get current year per client)
MONTH ()	Month of the year in integer format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
DAYOFMONTH() or DAY()	Day of the month in integer format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
DAYNAME() (English)	Day of the week in string format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
HOUR()	Hour of the Day in integer format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
MINUTE()	Minute of the Day in integer format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
SECOND()	Second of the Minute in integer format, per value indicated (can use <b>NOW()</b> as above)
GET_FORMAT()	Returns a <i>date format string</i> , per values indicated for date-type and international format.



### **Temporal Functions (2/5)**

View current date and time



### **Temporal Functions (3/5)**

Extracting parts of date/time examples



### **Temporal Functions (3/5)**

Extracting parts of date/time examples

```
SELECT DAYOFYEAR('2010-04-15');

+-----+
| DAYOFYEAR('2010-04-15') |
+-----+
| 105 |
+-----+
```

```
SELECT HOUR('09:23:57'), MINUTE('09:23:57'), SECOND('09:23:57');

+------+

| HOUR('09:23:57') | MINUTE('09:23:57') | SECOND('09:23:57') |

+------+

| 9 | 23 | 57 |
```



### **Temporal Functions (4/5)**

Composite dates/times examples

```
SELECT MAKEDATE (2010, 105);
+-----+
| MAKEDATE (2010, 105) |
+----+
| 2010-04-15 |
+----+

SELECT MAKETIME (9, 23, 57);
+-----+
| MAKETIME (9, 23, 57) |
+-----+
| 09:23:57 |
```



### **Temporal Functions (5/5)**

Current dates/times examples



#### **NULL-Related Functions**

- Specifically for use with NULL
- ISNULL()/IFNULL() examples



### **Comments in SQL Statements**

MySQL supports three forms of syntax

```
- '#'
- /* or /*!
- --
```

Examples

```
/* this is a comment */
/*
  this
  is a
  comment,
  too
*/
```