

SQL

Selection & projection

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Full selection

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
1  | Anchorman     | 2004 | 10  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50  
3  | Terminator    | 1984 | 8.50
```

Sorting - ascending

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
ORDER BY price ASC
```

id	title	year	price
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50
1	Anchorman	2004	10

Sorting - descending

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
ORDER BY price DESC
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
1  | Anchorman     | 2004 | 10  
3  | Terminator    | 1984 | 8.50  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50
```

Sorting by multiple attributes

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
ORDER BY year DESC, price
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
1  | Anchorman     | 2004 | 10  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50  
3  | Terminator    | 1984 | 8.50
```

Elimination of duplicates

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT DISTINCT year
FROM movies
```

```
year
```

```
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```

```
2004
```

```
1984
```

Getting subsets of results

Movies

movie_id	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
LIMIT 2
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
1  | Anchorman     | 2004 | 10  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50
```

Getting subsets of results - offset

Movies

movie_id	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
LIMIT 2  
OFFSET 1
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50  
3  | Terminator    | 1984 | 8.50
```


Filtering results

Movies

movie_id	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
WHERE year = 1984
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
2  | Ghostbusters  | 1984 | 5.50  
3  | Terminator    | 1984 | 8.50
```

Complex filters

Movies

movie_id	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
WHERE year < 2000 AND price > 8
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
3  | Terminator     | 1984 | 8.50
```

Functions in SQL

Math

- `ROUND(x)` - rounds the number
- `ROUND(x,s)` - rounds the number to s significant digits
- `ABS(x)` - absolute value
- `SQRT(x)` - square root

Text

- `LENGTH(s)` - length of a string
- `UPPER(s)/LOWER(s)` - makes the string s uppercase/lowercase
- `LEFT(s, x)/RIGHT(s, x)` - extracts a number of characters from a string s starting from left/right
- `CONCAT(s1, s2)` - concatenates (merges) two strings
- `POSITION(p IN s)` - returns position on which pattern p is found in string s
- `SUBSTRING(s FROM x TO y)` - returns a substring from s, starting from position x, with length y

Functions in SQL

Dates

- `date - date = integer of days`
- `timestamp - timestamp = interval`
- `INTERVAL` is a data type, that stores the difference between two days, i.e. `'1 mon 3 days'`, `'1 day 8 hours'`
- `AGE(timestamp, timestamp) - interval`
- `EXTRACT(part FROM date) - extracts part (day, month, hour, ...) from date`
- `NOW() - current timestamp`

Pattern matching

- `s LIKE 'something'` - returns true, if `s` is equal to `'something'`
- Underscore `'_'` represents any single character
- `s LIKE '_smth'` - returns true, if `s` begins with any single letter, followed by `'smth'`, for example `'asmth'`, `'lsmth'` etc.
- `s LIKE '_sm_th'` - returns true, if `s` begins with any single letter, followed by `'sm'`, another single letter and `'th'`, for example `'asmbth'`
- Asteriks `'*'` represents string of any length (can be zero)
- `s LIKE 'abc*'` - returns true, if `s` starts with `'abc'` and then zero or more other characters, for example `'abcabc'`

Selection with filters

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT *  
FROM movies  
WHERE LENGTH(title) <= 10  
      AND SUBSTRING(title,1,2) = 'Te';
```

```
id | title          | year | price  
---+-----+-----+-----  
3  | Terminator     | 1984 | 8.50
```

Projection

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

- Selections - which rows are in the result
- Projection - which columns are in the result

```
SELECT title, price
FROM movies
```

```
title          | price
-----+-----
Anchorman      | 10
Ghostbusters   | 5.50
Terminator     | 8.50
```

Projection with SQL function

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT UPPER(title), ROUND(price*1.22)
FROM movies
```

```
upper      | round
-----+-----
ANCHORMAN  | 12
GHOSTBUSTERS | 7
TERMINATOR  | 10
```


Projection with aliases

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT UPPER(title), ROUND(price*1.22) AS price_with_tax
FROM movies
```

```
upper          | price_with_tax
-----+-----
ANCHORMAN      | 12
GHOSTBUSTERS   | 7
TERMINATOR     | 10
```

Selection with projection

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT title, price
FROM movies
WHERE price > 6
```

```
title          | price
-----+-----
Anchorman      | 10
Terminator     | 8.50
```

Selection with projection

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT title || ', ' || year AS title
FROM movies
WHERE price > 6
```

```
title
-----
Anchorman, 2004
Terminator, 1984
```

Selection with projection

Movies

<u>movie_id</u>	title	year	price
1	Anchorman	2004	10
2	Ghostbusters	1984	5.50
3	Terminator	1984	8.50

```
SELECT title, year
FROM movies
WHERE year > 2002 AND year < 2005;
```

```
title          | year
-----+-----
Anchorman      | 2004
```