

SQL Cheat Sheet: Basics

Command	Syntax	Description
SELECT	<code>SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table_name;</code>	<code>SELECT</code> statement is used to fetch data from a database.
WHERE	<code>SELECT column1, column2, ...FROM table_name WHERE condition;</code>	<code>WHERE</code> clause is used to extract only those records that fulfill a specified condition.
COUNT	<code>SELECT COUNT * FROM table_name ;</code>	<code>COUNT</code> is a function that takes the name of a column as argument counts the number of rows when the column is not NULL.
DISTINCT	<code>SELECT DISTINCT columnname FROM table_name;</code>	<code>DISTINCT</code> function is used to specify that the statement is a query which returns unique values in specified columns.
LIMIT	<code>SELECT * FROM table_name LIMIT number;</code>	<code>LIMIT</code> is a clause to specify the maximum number of rows the set must have.
INSERT	<code>INSERT INTO table name (column1,column2,column3...) VALUES(value1,value2,value3...);</code>	<code>INSERT</code> is used to insert new rows in the table.
UPDATE	<code>UPDATE table_name SET[[column1]=[VALUES]] WHERE [condition];</code>	<code>UPDATE</code> used to update the rows in the table.
DELETE	<code>DELETE FROM table_name WHERE [condition];</code>	<code>DELETE</code> statement is used to remove rows from the table which specified in the WHERE condition.

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Changelog

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