Practice 5: Overview

This practice covers the following topics:

- Writing queries that use the group functions
- Grouping by rows to achieve more than one result
- Restricting groups by using the HAVING clause

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At the end of this practice, you should be familiar with using group functions and selecting groups of data.

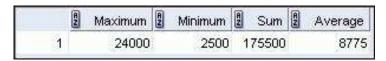
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Determine the validity of the following three statements. Circle either True or False.

- 1. Group functions work across many rows to produce one result per group. True/False
- 2. Group functions include nulls in calculations. True/False
- 3. The WHERE clause restricts rows before inclusion in a group calculation. True/False

The HR department needs the following reports:

4. Find the highest, lowest, sum, and average salary of all employees. Label the columns as Maximum, Minimum, Sum, and Average, respectively. Round your results to the nearest whole number. Save your SQL statement as lab 05 04.sql. Run the query.



5. Modify the query in lab_05_04.sql to display the minimum, maximum, sum, and average salary for each job type. Resave lab_05_04.sql as lab_05_05.sql. Run the statement in lab_05_05.sql.

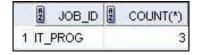
	JOB_ID	2 Maximum	8 Minimum	2 Sum	2 Average
1	IT_PROG	9000	4200	19200	6400
2	AC_MGR	12000	12000	12000	12000
3	AC_ACCOUNT	8300	8300	8300	8300
4	ST_MAN	5800	5800	5800	5800
5	AD_ASST	4400	4400	4400	4400
6	AD_VP	17000	17000	34000	17000
7	SA_MAN	10500	10500	10500	10500
8	MK_MAN	13000	13000	13000	13000
9	AD_PRES	24000	24000	24000	24000
10	SA_REP	11000	7000	26600	8867
11	MK_REP	6000	6000	6000	6000
12	ST_CLERK	3500	2500	11700	2925

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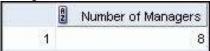
6. Write a query to display the number of people with the same job.



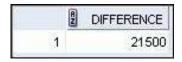
Generalize the query so that the user in the HR department is prompted for script to a file named lab 05 06.sql. Run the query. Enter IT PROG when prompted.



7. Determine the number of managers without listing them. Label the column as Number of Managers. Hint: Use the MANAGER_ID column to determine the number of managers.



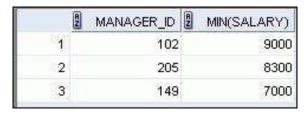
8. Find the difference between the highest and lowest salaries. Label the column DIFFERENCE.



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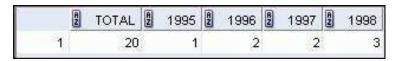
If you have time, complete the following exercises:

9. Create a report to display the manager number and the salary of the lowest-paid employee for that manager. Exclude anyone whose manager is not known. Exclude any groups where the minimum salary is \$6,000 or less. Sort the output in descending order of salary.



If you want an extra challenge, complete the following exercises:

10. Create a query to display the total number of employees and, of that total, the number of employees hired in 1995, 1996, 1997, and 1998. Create appropriate column headings.



11. Create a matrix query to display the job, the salary for that job based on department number, and the total salary for that job, for departments 20, 50, 80, and 90, giving each column an appropriate heading.

