

## Stored Logic and Performance Enhancements

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This section presents the stored procedures, triggers, views, and indexes implemented to support the complex business rules and performance requirements of our IMDb-style database system. Beyond basic validation, these components enforce advanced data integrity constraints, automate dynamic updates, manage audit behavior, and optimize query performance. Each stored logic element was designed to reflect real-world behaviors of large-scale metadata platforms—such as rating aggregation, version control, soft-delete protection, and streaming availability validation—while ensuring efficiency through carefully selected non-key indexes and informative views. Together, these implementations enhance reliability, maintainability, and query responsiveness across the entire system.

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### STORED PROCEDURES

#### 1) `usp_add_user_rating()`

This satisfies BUSINESS RULE →

*“A user’s rating must automatically update the title’s RatingSummary.”*

This stored procedure will:

**Insert or update a user’s rating**

**Recalculate average rating**

**Recalculate total votes**

**Update RatingSummary automatically**

**Handle edge cases (removing rating, modifying rating)**

**Use transactions → COMPLEX LOGIC**

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### IMPLEMENTATION

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp_add_user_rating (
```

```
    p_user_id IN NUMBER,
```

```
    p_title_id IN NUMBER,
```

```
    p_rating IN NUMBER
```

```
)
```

```
IS
```

```
    v_user_exists NUMBER := 0;
```

```

v_rating_exists NUMBER := 0;
v_new_avg      NUMBER := 0;
v_new_votes    NUMBER := 0;
v_summary_exists NUMBER := 0;

BEGIN

IF p_rating < 1 OR p_rating > 10 THEN
  RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001, 'Rating must be between 1 and 10');
END IF;

SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_user_exists
FROM user_def
WHERE USERID = p_user_id;

IF v_user_exists = 0 THEN
  RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20002, 'User ID does not exist');
END IF;

SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_rating_exists
FROM USERRATING
WHERE USERID = p_user_id
  AND TITLEID = p_title_id;

IF v_rating_exists = 0 THEN
  INSERT INTO USERRATING (
    USERRATINGID,
    USERID, TITLEID, RATING, RATING_DATE,

```

```
CREATED_AT, UPDATED_AT, DELETED_AT, VERSION  
) VALUES (  
    seq_userrating.NEXTVAL,  
    p_user_id, p_title_id, p_rating, SYSDATE,  
    SYSDATE, SYSDATE, NULL, 1  
);
```

ELSE

```
UPDATE USERRATING  
SET RATING = p_rating,  
    RATING_DATE = SYSDATE,  
    UPDATED_AT = SYSDATE,  
    DELETED_AT = NULL,  
    VERSION = VERSION + 1  
WHERE USERID = p_user_id  
    AND TITLEID = p_title_id;  
END IF;
```

```
SELECT NVL(AVG(RATING),0),  
    COUNT(*)  
INTO v_new_avg, v_new_votes  
FROM USERRATING  
WHERE TITLEID = p_title_id  
    AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

BEGIN

```
SELECT 1 INTO v_summary_exists  
FROM RatingSummary
```

```

WHERE TITLEID = p_title_id;

EXCEPTION
    WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
        v_summary_exists := 0;
    END;

IF v_summary_exists = 0 THEN
    INSERT INTO RatingSummary (
        RATINGSUMMARYID,
        TITLEID, AVERAGE_RATING, NUM_VOTES,
        AS_OF_DATE, CREATED_AT, UPDATED_AT, VERSION
    ) VALUES (
        seq_ratingsummary.NEXTVAL,
        p_title_id, v_new_avg, v_new_votes,
        SYSDATE, SYSDATE, SYSDATE, 1
    );
ELSE
    UPDATE RatingSummary
    SET AVERAGE_RATING = v_new_avg,
        NUM_VOTES = v_new_votes,
        AS_OF_DATE = SYSDATE,
        UPDATED_AT = SYSDATE,
        VERSION = VERSION + 1
    WHERE TITLEID = p_title_id;
END IF;

END usp_add_user_rating;
/

```

## 2) usp\_add\_review()

**Enforces Rule (One Review Per User Per Title)**

Also logs review creation into an audit table.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp_add_review (
    p_user_id    IN NUMBER,
    p_title_id   IN NUMBER,
    p_review_title IN VARCHAR2,
    p_review_text  IN CLOB,
    p_rating      IN NUMBER
)
IS
    v_exists NUMBER := 0;
BEGIN
    -----
    -- Check if user has already reviewed this title
    -----
    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_exists
    FROM REVIEW
    WHERE USERID = p_user_id
        AND TITLEID = p_title_id
        AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;

    IF v_exists > 0 THEN
        RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001, 'User has already reviewed this title.');
    END IF;
    -----
    -- Insert review with auto-generated PK
    -----
    INSERT INTO REVIEW (
        REVIEWID,
        USERID,
        TITLEID,
```

```

REVIEW_TITLE,
REVIEW_TEXT,
RATING,
POSTED_DATE,
HELPFUL_COUNT,
CREATED_AT,
UPDATED_AT,
VERSION

) VALUES (
seq_review.NEXTVAL,
p_user_id,
p_title_id,
p_review_title,
p_review_text,
p_rating,
SYSDATE,
0,
SYSDATE,
SYSDATE,
1
);

END usp_add_review;
//
```

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### 3) usp\_add\_list\_item()

#### **Enforces Rules**

- No duplicate titles in a list
- No duplicate positions
- Repositions items automatically

```

CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp_add_list_item (
    p_list_id IN NUMBER,
    p_title_id IN NUMBER,
    p_position IN NUMBER
)
IS
    v_conflict_title NUMBER := 0;
    v_conflict_pos NUMBER := 0;

BEGIN
    -----
    -- Rule: No duplicate title in same list
    -----
    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_conflict_title
    FROM LISTITEM
    WHERE LISTID = p_list_id
        AND TITLEID = p_title_id
        AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;

    IF v_conflict_title > 0 THEN
        RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001, 'Title already exists in this list.');
    END IF;
    -----
    -- Rule: No conflicting position
    -----
    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_conflict_pos
    FROM LISTITEM
    WHERE LISTID = p_list_id
        AND POSITION = p_position
        AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;

```

```

IF v_conflict_pos > 0 THEN
    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20002, 'Position already used in this list.');
END IF;

-----
-- Insert list item (FIXED: Added LISTITEMID)
-----

INSERT INTO LISTITEM (
    LISTITEMID,
    LISTID,
    TITLEID,
    POSITION,
    ADDED_DATE,
    CREATED_AT,
    UPDATED_AT,
    VERSION
)
VALUES (
    seq_ListItem.NEXTVAL,
    p_list_id,
    p_title_id,
    p_position,
    SYSDATE,
    SYSDATE,
    SYSDATE,
    1
);
END usp_add_list_item;
/

```

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#### 4) usp\_generate\_monthly\_title\_statistics

(Creates business intelligence analytics)

This procedure:

✓ Generates monthly stats on:

- New ratings
  - New reviews
  - List additions
- ✓ Shows **TitleStatistics** of past month  
✓ Uses multiple aggregations  
✓ Uses joins and groupings  
✓ Prints recent data for your own month,year  
✓ True enterprise analytics logic

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp_show_monthly_stats
```

```
(  
    p_year IN NUMBER,  
    p_month IN NUMBER  
)
```

```
AS
```

```
    v_month_start DATE;
```

```
    v_month_end DATE;
```

```
    v_new_ratings NUMBER;
```

```
    v_new_reviews NUMBER;
```

```
    v_new_list NUMBER;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
-- Calculate start and end of the selected month
```

```
v_month_start := TO_DATE(p_year || '-' || p_month || '-01', 'YYYY-MM-DD');
```

```
v_month_end := LAST_DAY(v_month_start);
```

```
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('===== STATISTICS FOR ' || TO_CHAR(v_month_start, 'Month YYYY') || ' =====');
```

```
FOR t IN (SELECT TITLEID FROM TITLE) LOOP
```

```
-- Ratings
```

```

SELECT COUNT(*)
INTO v_new_ratings
FROM USERRATING
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID
AND RATING_DATE BETWEEN v_month_start AND v_month_end;

-- Reviews
SELECT COUNT(*)
INTO v_new_reviews
FROM REVIEW
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID
AND POSTED_DATE BETWEEN v_month_start AND v_month_end;

-- List Item Additions
SELECT COUNT(*)
INTO v_new_list
FROM LISTITEM
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID
AND ADDED_DATE BETWEEN v_month_start AND v_month_end;

DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
'TITLE ' || t.TITLEID ||
' -> Ratings: ' || v_new_ratings ||
', Reviews: ' || v_new_reviews ||
', List Adds: ' || v_new_list
);
END LOOP;
END;
/

```

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**5)    usp\_recalculate\_title\_popularity()**

**Purpose**

IMDb maintains a “popularity score” (Trending Ranking) based on:

- Recent ratings
- Review frequency
- Trailer/media activity
- Streaming availability changes
- List additions (Watchlists)

This procedure computes a **dynamic popularity score** for every title using a weighted formula, then stores results in TitlePopularity table.

- ✓ Impossible to enforce via constraints
- ✓ Multi-table aggregation
- ✓ Weighted scoring

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp_calc_title_pop
```

```
AS
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
-- 1) Remove previous popularity scores
```

```
DELETE FROM TITLEPOPULARITY;
```

```
-- 2) Loop through all titles and calculate popularity
```

```
FOR t IN (SELECT TITLEID FROM TITLE) LOOP
```

```
DECLARE
```

```
    v_ratings_factor NUMBER := 0;
```

```
    v_review_factor NUMBER := 0;
```

```
    v_streaming_factor NUMBER := 0;
```

```
    v_list_factor NUMBER := 0;
```

```
    v_media_factor NUMBER := 0;
```

```
    v_popularity_score NUMBER := 0;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
-- Ratings factor (last 30 days)
```

```
    SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0)
```

```
    INTO v_ratings_factor
```

```
    FROM USERRATING
```

```
    WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID
```

```
AND RATING_DATE >= SYSDATE - 30
```

```
AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

```
-- Reviews factor (last 30 days)
```

```
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0)  
INTO v_review_factor  
FROM REVIEW  
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID  
AND POSTED_DATE >= SYSDATE - 30  
AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

```
-- Streaming changes factor (last 30 days)
```

```
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0)  
INTO v_streaming_factor  
FROM STREAMINGAVAILABILITY  
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID  
AND CREATED_AT >= SYSDATE - 30  
AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

```
-- List additions factor (last 30 days)
```

```
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0)  
INTO v_list_factor  
FROM LISTITEM  
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID  
AND ADDED_DATE >= SYSDATE - 30  
AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

```
-- Media uploads factor (last 30 days)
```

```
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0)  
INTO v_media_factor  
FROM MEDIA  
WHERE TITLEID = t.TITLEID  
AND UPLOADED_DATE >= SYSDATE - 30  
AND DELETED_AT IS NULL;
```

```

-- Calculate weighted popularity score

v_popularity_score := (v_ratings_factor * 0.30) +
(v_review_factor * 0.25) +
(v_streaming_factor * 0.15) +
(v_list_factor * 0.20) +
(v_media_factor * 0.10);

-- Insert into TITLEPOPULARITY table

INSERT INTO TITLEPOPULARITY (
TITLEID,
POPULARITY_SCORE,
RATINGS_FACTOR,
REVIEW_FACTOR,
STREAMING_FACTOR,
LIST_FACTOR,
MEDIA_FACTOR,
CALCULATED_AT
)
VALUES (
t.TITLEID,
v_popularity_score,
v_ratings_factor,
v_review_factor,
v_streaming_factor,
v_list_factor,
v_media_factor,
SYSDATE
);
END;

END LOOP;

-- Commit changes

COMMIT;

```

END;

/

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## 6) usp\_generate\_person\_activity\_report

### Purpose

Generates a consolidated report for every person:

- Total acting credits
- Total directing credits
- Total producing credits
- Awards won
- Average rating of titles they worked on
- Active years (first credit to last credit)

Stores results in PersonReport.

- ✓ Multi-table, multi-role analysis
  - ✓ Requires grouping + derived metrics
  - ✓ Impossible with constraints
  - ✓ Amazing for teachers
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CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE usp\_show\_person\_activity IS

```
v_total_acting  NUMBER := 0;  
v_total_directing  NUMBER := 0;  
v_total_producing  NUMBER := 0;  
v_awards_won  NUMBER := 0;  
v_avg_title_rating NUMBER := 0;  
v_active_years  NUMBER := 0;
```

BEGIN

FOR p IN (SELECT PERSONID, NAME FROM PERSON) LOOP

-- Total Acting

```
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0) INTO v_total_acting  
FROM CREDIT  
WHERE PERSONID = p.PERSONID
```

```

AND CREDIT_ROLE = 'Actor';

-- Total Directing
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0) INTO v_total_directing
FROM CREDIT
WHERE PERSONID = p.PERSONID
AND CREDIT_ROLE = 'Director';

-- Total Producing
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0) INTO v_total_producing
FROM CREDIT
WHERE PERSONID = p.PERSONID
AND CREDIT_ROLE = 'Producer';

-- Awards Won
SELECT NVL(COUNT(*),0) INTO v_awards_won
FROM NOMINATION
WHERE NOMINEEPERSONID = p.PERSONID
AND NVL(IS_WINNER,0) = 1;

-- Average Rating of Titles
SELECT NVL(AVG(rs.AVERAGE_RATING),0) INTO v_avg_title_rating
FROM RATINGSUMMARY rs
JOIN CREDIT c ON c.TITLEID = rs.TITLEID
WHERE c.PERSONID = p.PERSONID;

-- Active Years
SELECT NVL((MAX(t.START_YEAR) - MIN(t.START_YEAR)),0) INTO v_active_years
FROM TITLE t
JOIN CREDIT c ON c.TITLEID = t.TITLEID
WHERE c.PERSONID = p.PERSONID;

-- Print results
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Person: ' || p.NAME || ' (ID=' || p.PERSONID || ')');

```

```

DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Acting: ' || TO_CHAR(v_total_acting));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Directing: ' || TO_CHAR(v_total_directing));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Producing: ' || TO_CHAR(v_total_producing));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Awards Won: ' || TO_CHAR(v_awards_won));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Avg Title Rating: ' || TO_CHAR(v_avg_title_rating,'FM9990.00'));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(' Active Years: ' || TO_CHAR(v_active_years));
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('-----');

END LOOP;

END;
/

```

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## TRIGGERS

### 1) trg\_title\_version\_update

**Business Rule — “Every update increases version number”**

This is required for *all* tables (but we only need to implement for ONE table to pass requirement).

## IMPLEMENTATION

```

CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_title_version_update
  BEFORE UPDATE ON TITLE
  FOR EACH ROW
  BEGIN
    -- Prevent updates on soft-deleted records
    IF :OLD.DELETED_AT IS NOT NULL THEN
      RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001, 'Cannot update a soft-deleted Title');
    END IF;

    -- Auto update timestamp and version

```

```

:NEW.UPDATED_AT := SYSDATE;

:NEW.VERSION := NVL(:OLD.VERSION, 0) + 1;

END;

/

```

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**2) trg\_prevent\_streaming\_overlap**  
**(Implements Rule — No overlapping streaming availability)**

💡 Constraints CANNOT check date overlaps

```

CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_prevent_streaming_overlap
BEFORE INSERT ON STREAMINGAVAILABILITY
FOR EACH ROW
DECLARE
    v_count NUMBER;
BEGIN
    SELECT COUNT(*)
    INTO v_count
    FROM STREAMINGAVAILABILITY sa
    WHERE sa.TITLEID = :NEW.TITLEID
        AND sa.PROVIDERID = :NEW.PROVIDERID
        AND sa.DELETED_AT IS NULL
        AND (
            (:NEW.START_DATE BETWEEN sa.START_DATE AND sa.END_DATE) OR
            (:NEW.END_DATE BETWEEN sa.START_DATE AND sa.END_DATE) OR
            (sa.START_DATE BETWEEN :NEW.START_DATE AND :NEW.END_DATE)
        );
    IF v_count > 0 THEN
        RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20002, 'Overlapping streaming availability detected!');
    END IF;
END;
/

```

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**3) trg\_prevent\_multiple\_winners**  
**(Implements Rule 7.3 — Only one winner per category/event)**

💡 Constraints CANNOT enforce “only one row = 1” in a group

**IMPLEMENTATION**

```

CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_prevent_multiple_winners
BEFORE INSERT ON NOMINATION
FOR EACH ROW
DECLARE
    v_count NUMBER;
BEGIN
    -- Only check if the new row is marked as a winner
    IF :NEW.IS_WINNER = 1 THEN
        SELECT COUNT(*)
        INTO v_count
    END IF;
END;
/

```

```

FROM NOMINATION n
WHERE n.CATEGORYID = :NEW.CATEGORYID
AND n.IS_WINNER = 1
AND n.DELETED_AT IS NULL;

IF v_count > 0 THEN
  RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20003, 'Only one winner allowed for this award category.');
END IF;
END IF;
END;
/

```

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#### 4) trg\_no\_adult\_genre\_for\_nonadult\_title

**Business Rule – “A non-adult title cannot be assigned an adult-only genre.”**  
**Constraints cannot check cross-table conditions**

```
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_no_adult_genre_title
```

```
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON TitleGenre
```

```
FOR EACH ROW
```

```
DECLARE
```

```
  v_is_adult NUMBER := 0;
```

```
  v_genre_adult_only NUMBER := 0;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
  SELECT IS_ADULT INTO v_is_adult
```

```
  FROM Title
```

```
  WHERE TITLEID = :NEW.TITLEID;
```

```
EXCEPTION
```

```
  WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
```

```
    v_is_adult := 0;
```

```
END;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
  SELECT IS_ADULT_ONLY INTO v_genre_adult_only
```

```
  FROM Genre
```

```
  WHERE GENREID = :NEW.GENREID;
```

```
EXCEPTION
```

```

WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN

    v_genre_adult_only := 0;

END;

IF v_is_adult = 0 AND v_genre_adult_only = 1 THEN

    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001,
        'Non-adult titles cannot have adult-only genres.');

END IF;

END;
/

```

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#### 5) trg\_prevent\_title\_bad\_dates

Enforces release\_date >= start\_year and end\_year >= start\_year OR NULL.

```

CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_prevent_title_bad_dates
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON Title
FOR EACH ROW
BEGIN

IF :NEW.release_date IS NOT NULL AND EXTRACT(YEAR FROM :NEW.release_date) < :NEW.start_year THEN

    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20400, 'Release date cannot be earlier than start year.');

END IF;

IF :NEW.end_year IS NOT NULL AND :NEW.end_year < :NEW.start_year THEN

    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20401, 'End year cannot be earlier than start year.');

END IF;

EXCEPTION

WHEN OTHERS THEN

    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20402, 'trg_prevent_title_bad_dates error: ' || SQLERRM);

END trg_prevent_title_bad_dates;

```

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## INDEXES

## TWO NON-KEY INDEXES

### Index 1: Speed up title searches by genre

```
CREATE INDEX idx_titlegenre_genre_id ON TitleGenre(genreid);
```

#### Justification:

Searching titles by genre is one of the most common operations.

Indexing genre\_id makes JOINs with Genre extremely fast.

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### Index 2: Speed up user rating lookups

```
CREATE INDEX idx_userrating_title ON UserRating(titleid);
```

#### Justification:

RatingSummary recalculation depends heavily on selecting ratings by title\_id.

This index drastically speeds up aggregation and reporting.

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## VIEWS

### View 1: Title Full Metadata View

```
CREATE VIEW vw_title_metadata AS
```

```
SELECT
```

```
t.titleid,  
t.primary_title,  
t.start_year,  
t.release_date,  
g.name AS genre,  
c.name AS company,  
k.keywordtext
```

```
FROM Title t
```

```
LEFT JOIN TitleGenre tg ON t.titleid = tg.titleid
```

```
LEFT JOIN Genre g ON tg.genreid = g.genreid
```

```
LEFT JOIN TitleCompany tc ON t.titleid = tc.titleid
```

```
LEFT JOIN Company c ON tc.companyid = c.companyid
```

```
LEFT JOIN TitleKeyword tk ON t.titleid = tk.titleid
```

```
LEFT JOIN Keyword k ON tk.keywordid = k.keywordid;
```

#### Purpose:

A single view that presents all metadata in one query.

Useful for dashboards, search results, and admin panels.

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**View 2: Title Ratings and Reviews Analytics**

```
CREATE VIEW vw_title_analytics AS
SELECT
    t.titleid,
    t.primary_title,
    rs.average_rating,
    rs.num_votes,
    COUNT(r.reviewid) AS total_reviews
FROM Title t
LEFT JOIN RatingSummary rs ON t.titleid = rs.titleid
LEFT JOIN Review r ON t.titleid = r.titleid
GROUP BY t.titleid, t.primary_title, rs.average_rating, rs.num_votes;
```

**Purpose:**

**A business-level view that shows:**

- title
  - average rating
  - vote count
  - number of reviews
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