Introduction to Databases

What is a Database?

A database is an organized collection of data.

The data is typically organized to *model* relevant aspects of reality, in a way that supports processes requiring this information.

Source: Wikipedia (Emphasis Mine)

Types of Database

SQL

SQL (Relational)

- Highly Structured Data
- Using Tables, Columns and Rows
- One or more relationships exist between datas
- Constraints
 - -Primary Keys (a unique row identifier)
 - Unique Keys (one or more columns that must have unique values, either individually, or as a group)
 - Foreign Keys (a column value that must be derived from a column value in another table)
- Indexes
 - A lookup for one, or multiple columns aggregate data



NoSQL

NoSQL (Document/Key-Value/Graph)

- Sometimes called "Not Only SQL" because some NoSQL DBs have a SQL-like query language
- Not always non-relational
- Always unstructured
- Intended to provide higher scalability and higher availability
- Looser consistency models



Non-Relational

NoSQL (Document/Key-Value/Graph)

- NoSQL is non-relational
 - Document Stores
 - » Centers around the concept of a document, and it's related meta-data
 - » Collections of documents
 - » Hierarchies of documents
 - » Examples: Couchbase Server, CouchDB, MongoDB, Amazon SimpleDB, Oracle NoSQL DB
 - Key-Value Stores
 - » Data stored and accessible directly by a unique key
 - » Examples: Memcache, MongoDB, Couchbase Server, Cassandra, Riak, Amazon



Relational

NoSQL (Document/Key-Value/Graph)

- NoSQL is relational (say what?!)
 - -Graph Databases
 - » All data is related to N other data
 - » Relationships are in the data, not indexes
 - » Examples: Neo4J, OQGraph for MySQL
 - » Example Implementation: Facebook's Graph API





• Schema



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- Triggers



Data Types

Name	What				
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Name	What
int	exact whole numbers

Name	What
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decimal	exact decimal numbers (fixed length)

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text	text

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blob	binary data

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int	exact whole numbers
decimal	exact decimal numbers (fixed length)
text	text
blob	binary data
NULL	Null values

Create a Users Table



Unique Identifier



- Unique Identifier
- Username



- Unique Identifier
- Username
- Password



- Unique Identifier
- Username
- Password
- Email Address



- Unique Identifier
- Username
- Password
- Email Address
- Name or First Name/Last Name



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Column Names



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- Column Names
- Column Types



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Consider:

- Column Names
- Column Types



User	
id	int
username	text
password	text
email	text
first_name	text
last_name	text

Exercise 1: Create a User Table

User	
id	int
username	text
password	text
email	text
first_name	text
last_name	text

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User		(
id	int	•
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password	text	
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first_name	text	
last_name	text	

User		(
id	int	•
username	text	•
password	text	
email	text	
first_name	text	
last_name	text	

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username	text	•
password	text	•
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User		(
id	int	,
username	text	,
password	text	,
email	text	,
first_name	text	,
last_name	text	

User		(
id	int	,
username	text	,
password	text	,
email	text	,
first_name	text	,
last_name	text	



Users Table (Schema)

```
CREATE TABLE user (
  id INT,
  username TEXT,
  password TEXT,
  email TEXT,
  first_name TEXT,
  last name TEXT
```

SQL

SQL: Four Main Queries

- INSERT Create Data
- UPDATE Update Existing Data
- SELECT Fetch Data
- DELETE Delete Data



CRUD

CRUD

C reate	INSERT
Retrieve	SELECT
U pdate	UPDATE
Delete	DELETE

Conditions

Conditions

- Used with:
 - -SELECT
 - **-UDPATE**
 - -DELETE
 - -JOINs
- Preceded by the WHERE, ON, USING, or HAVING keyword



Operator	
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<>, !=	Inequality

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>=	Greater Than or Equal To
IS NULL	NULL Equality
IS NOT NULL	NULL Inequality
AND	Boolean AND
OR	Boolean OR
BETWEEN	Range Equality

INSERT

INSERT

```
INSERT INTO table name (
    list,
    of,
    columns
) VALUES (
    "list",
    "of",
    "values"
```

Exercise 2: Insert a User

INSERT

```
INSERT INTO users (
    id,
    username,
    password,
    email,
    first_name,
    last_name
 VALUES (
    1,
    "dshafik",
    "$2y$10$0l/KS4/Bhs5ENUh70pIDL.Gs1SIWDG.rPaBkPAjjQ2UTITI60YDmG",
    "davey@engineyard.com",
    "Davey",
    "Shafik"
```

UPDATE

UPDATE

```
UPDATE
  table name
SET
  column = "some",
  name = "value"
```

UPDATE

```
UPDATE
  table name
SET
  column = "some",
  name = "value"
```

WHERE

some condition;

WARNING:

Don't forget your conditions!
Otherwise you update every row in the table!

Exercise 3: Update a User

UPDATE

id = 1;

UPDATE users SET username = "davey", email = "davey@engineyard.com" WHERE

SELECT

```
SELECT
list,
of,
columns
FROM
table
```

SELECT list, of, columns FROM table

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"
```

```
SELECT
list,
of,
columns
FROM
table
```

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"
```

ORDER BY some ASC, columns DESC

```
SELECT
list,
of,
columns
FROM
table
```

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"

ORDER BY some ASC, columns DESC

LIMIT start, offset;
```

Exercise 4: Select one User with a given username and password

SELECT

```
SELECT
 *
FROM
 users
WHERE
 username = "davey"
 AND password = "$2y$10$01..."
LIMIT 1;
```

Exercise 5: Select the First 10 Users

SELECT

```
SELECT
  first_name, last_name, email
FROM
  users
ORDER BY first_name, last_name
LIMIT 0, 10;
```

Exercise 6: Select the Next 10 Users

SELECT

```
SELECT
  first_name, last_name, email
FROM
  users
ORDER BY first_name, last_name
LIMIT 10, 10;
```

DELETE FROM table

```
DELETE
FROM
table
```

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"
```

```
DELETE
FROM
table
```

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"
```

ORDER BY some ASC, columns DESC

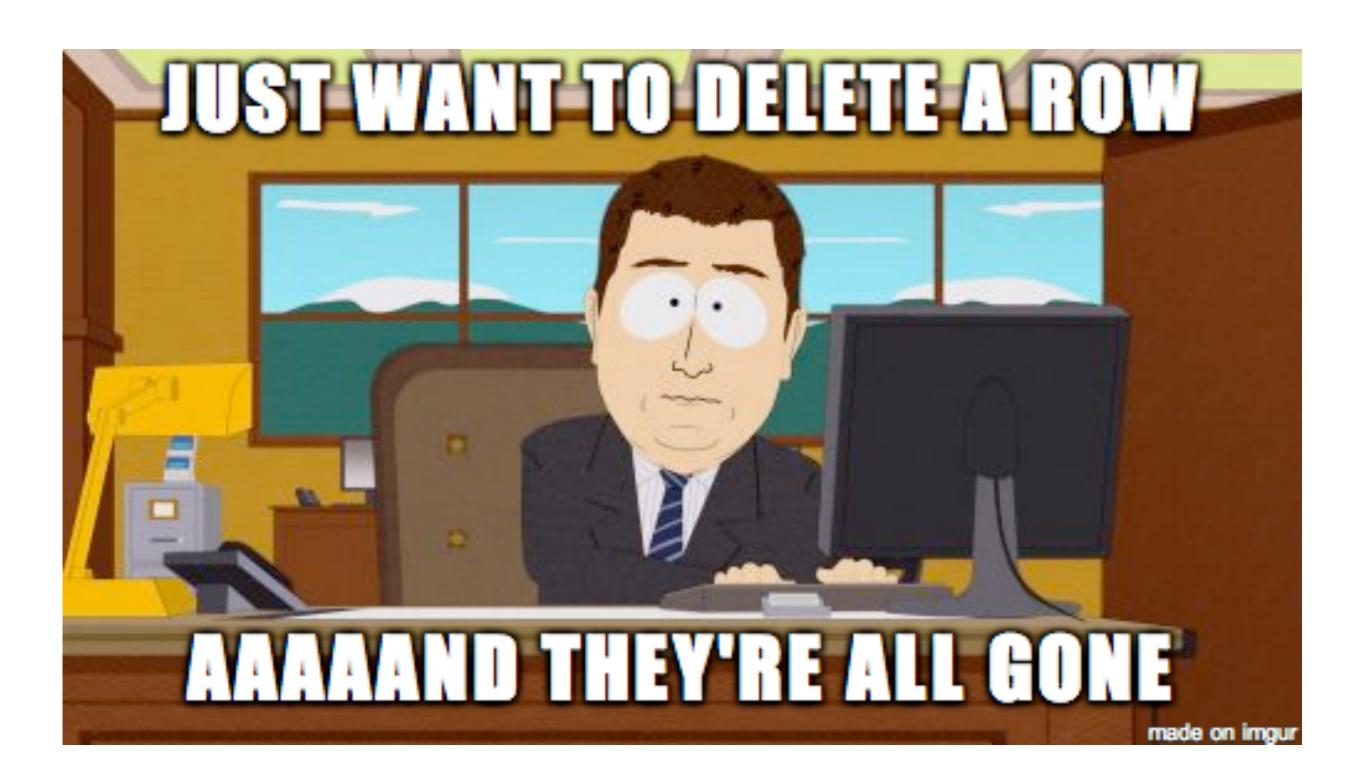
```
DELETE
FROM
table
```

```
WHERE
    column = "some"
    AND name = "value"
    OR other_column = "other value"
```

ORDER BY some ASC, columns DESC

```
LIMIT number;
```

DELETE FROM users;



Exercise 7: Delete a User

DELETE FROM

users

WHERE

id = 1;

Constraints

- IDs should be unique
- Usernames should be unique
- Passwords should not be unique
- Email Address should be unique
- First Name should not be unique
- Last Name should not be unique
- · All column should not be NULL



Users

Users		Constraints
id	int	

Users		Constraints
id	int	not null, unique

Users		Constraints
id	int	not null, unique
username	text	

Users		Constraints
id	int	not null, unique
username	text	not null, unique

Users		Constraints
id	int	not null, unique
username	text	not null, unique
password	text	

Users		Constraints
id	int	not null, unique
username	text	not null, unique
password	text	not null

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id	int	not null, unique
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password	text	not null
email	text	

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Constraints: Users Table Schema

```
DROP TABLE user;
CREATE TABLE user (
  id INT NOT NULL UNIQUE,
  username TEXT NOT NULL UNIQUE,
  password TEXT NOT NULL,
  email TEXT NOT NULL UNIQUE,
  first_name TEXT NOT NULL,
  last name TEXT NOT NULL
```

Auto Increment

Users Table: Auto Increment

- ID should be auto increment
- ID should be the Primary Key



Features: Users Table Schema

```
CREATE TABLE users (
  id INTEGER PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT NOT
NULL,
  username TEXT NOT NULL UNIQUE,
  password TEXT NOT NULL,
  email TEXT NOT NULL UNIQUE,
  first_name TEXT NOT NULL,
  last name TEXT NOT NULL
```

Entries



Unique Identifier



- Unique Identifier
- Title



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- Article



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Must link to the Users table



- Unique Identifier
- Title
- Article

Consider:

Must link to the Users table



Entry

Entryid

Entry	
id	int PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT
users_id	

Entry	
id	int PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT
users_id	int

Entry	
id	int PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT
users_id	int
title	TEXT

Entry	
id	int PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT
users_id	int
title	TEXT
article	

Entry	
id	int PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT
users_id	int
title	TEXT
article	TEXT

Entry Table Schema

```
CREATE TABLE entry (
  id INT NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,
  users_id INT NOT NULL,
  title TEXT NOT NULL,
  article TEXT NULL,
);
```

INSERT

```
INSERT INTO entry (
    users_id,
    title,
    entry
) VALUES (
    "How to Write SQL",
    "Writing SQL in PHP is fun and easy!"
```

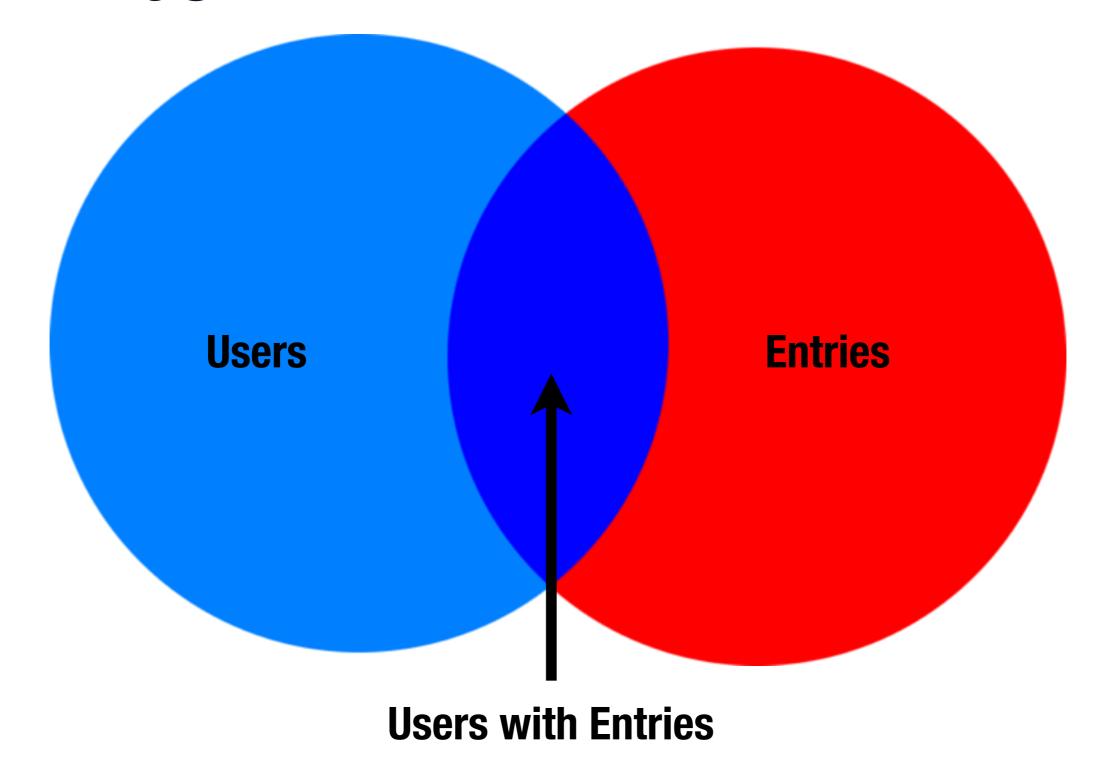
JOINs

JOINs

- Used to JOIN multiple tables
 - INNER JOIN
 - LEFT or RIGHT OUTER JOIN

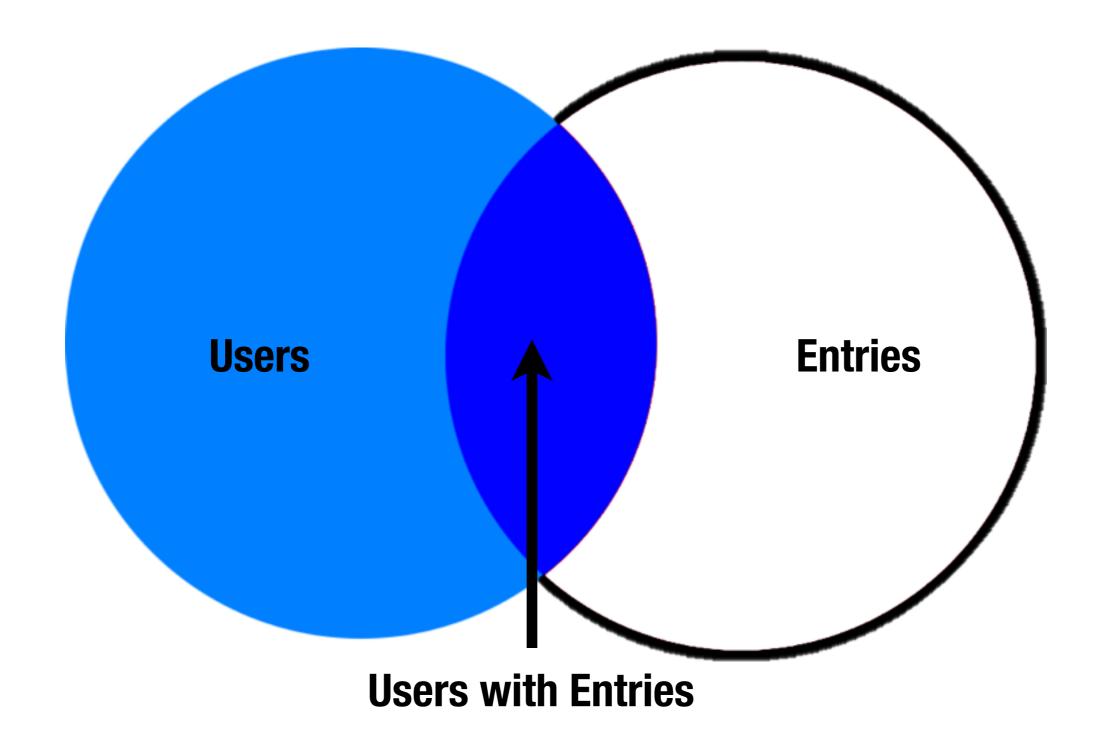


INNER JOIN

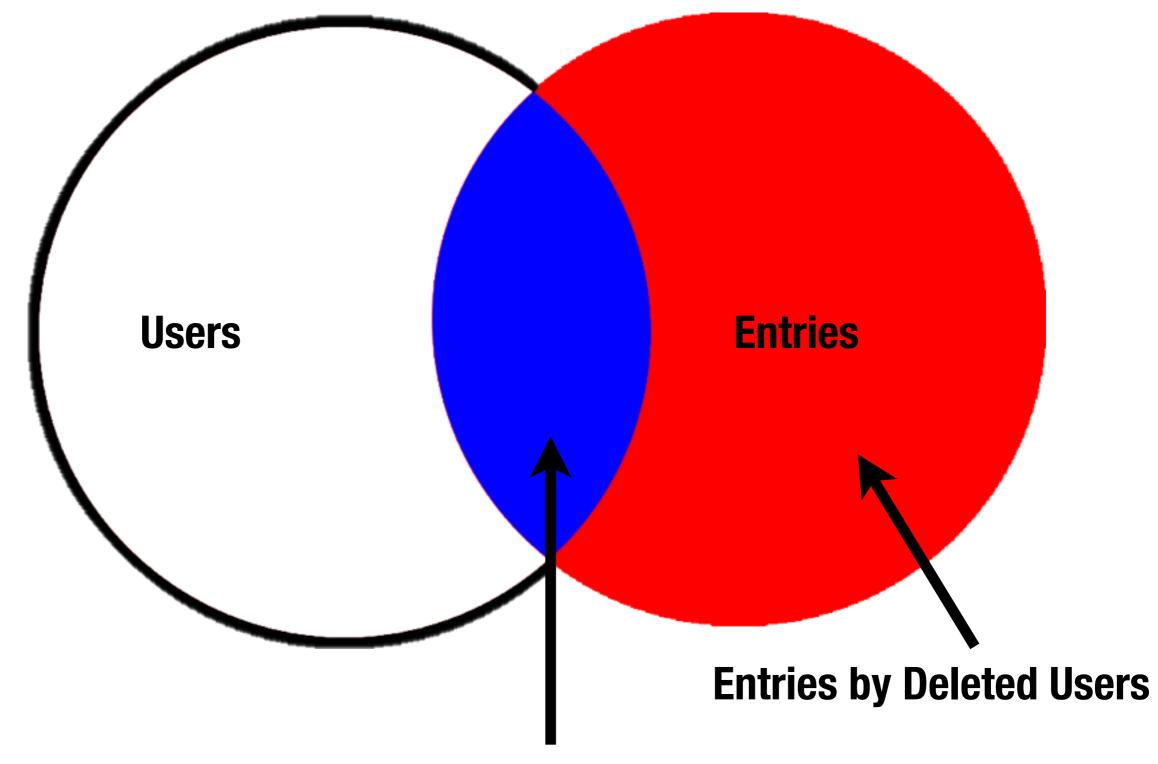


OUTER JOIN

LEFT OUTER JOIN



RIGHT OUTER JOIN



Entries with Users (Authors)

Exercise 8: Get a User and all their Entries

SELECT... INNER JOIN

```
SELECT * FROM
  users
  INNER JOIN entry
  ON (
    entry.user_id = users.id
WHERE
  entry.title LIKE '%PHPEmbark%'
ORDER BY
  entry.title ASC;
```

Exercise9: Get Users who may or may not have Entries

SELECT... LEFT OUTER JOIN

```
SELECT * FROM
   users
   LEFT OUTER JOIN entry
   ON (
     entry.user_id = users.id
)
WHERE
   users.id = 1;
```

Exercise 10: Get a User, who might have posts, or have stuff tagged with 'PHP'

SELECT... RIGHT OUTER JOIN

```
SELECT * FROM
  user
  LEFT OUTER JOIN entry
  ON (
    entry.user_id = users.id
  RIGHT OUTER JOIN tag
  ON (
    entry.tag_id = tag.id
WHERE
  tag.name = 'PHP';
```

Databases and PHP

Connecting to Databases

Connecting to Databases

- PDO
 - MySQL
 - PostgreSQL
 - MSSQL
 - Oracle
 - SQLite
 - ODBC and DB2
 - Firebird
- DSN Data Source Name
 - Driver Name
 - Hostname & Port



Connecting to SQLite

```
<?php
try {
    $pdo = new \PDO("sqlite:/path/to/db.sqlite");
} catch (\PDOException $ex) {
    error_log($ex->getMessage());
}
```

Querying Data

Executing Queries

```
try {
  pdo = new \PDO(...);
  $query = $pdo -> prepare(
   "SELECT * FROM user WHERE id = :id"
  );
  $conditions = array(
   ':id' => 1
  );
  $result = $query->execute($conditions);
} catch (\PD0Exception $ex) {
  error_log($ex->getMessage());
```

Handling Results

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```
<?php
$result = $query->execute($conditions);
if ($result) {
  echo "Results Found: " .$query->rowCount();
 while ($row = $query->fetch()) {
    echo "<a href='/edit/" .$row['id']. "'>"
           .$row['first_name']. '
           . $row['last_name'] .'</a>';
```

Handling Results as Objects

```
<?php
$result = $query->execute($conditions);
if ($result) {
  echo "Results Found: " .$query->rowCount();
 while ($row = $query->fetchObject()) {
    echo "<a href='/edit/" .$row->id. "'>"
           .$row->first_name. ' '
           . $row->last_name .'</a>';
```

Handling Results as Custom Objects

```
class User {
  function getName() {
    return $this->first name
           . ' ' . $this->last_name;
if ($result) {
  echo "Results Found: " .$query->rowCount();
 while ($row = $query->fetchObject("User")) {
    echo "<a href='/edit/" .$row->id. "'>"
           .$row->getName().
         '</a>';
```