# Structured Query Language -Salt in a Food

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# Agenda

- Need of SQL
- Revisiting Basic SQL Concepts
  - Data Definition Commands
  - Data Manipulation Commands
  - Operators
  - Indexes
  - MySQL functions
- Basic SQL Queries & Analysis



# Why you should know SQL?

- Data Mining
- Data Manipulation
- Combine Data from Multiple Sources
- Manage Large Pools of Data
- Servers and Databases



# Why ML guys should know SQL?

- Data Exploration, Data Cleansing
  - Filling in missing data (imputing values)
  - Detecting and removing outliers
  - Smoothing
    - removing noise by averaging values together
  - Filtering, sampling
    - keeping only selected representative values
  - Feature extraction
    - e.g. in a photo database, which people are wearing glasses? which have more than one person? which are outdoors?











# & many more





# Revisiting SQL

| SQL Data Defination Commands |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|--|
| Command OR Option            | Description  |  |
| CREATE SCHEMA   DATABASE     | Creates a database schema  |  |
| CREATE TABLE                 | Creates new table with given name                                    |  |
| NOT NULL                     | Ensures that a column cannot have NULL value                         |  |
| UNIQUE                       | Ensures that all values in a column are different                    |  |
| PRIMERY KEY                  | Uniquely identifies each row/record in a database table              |  |
| FOREIGN KEY                  | Uniquely identifies a row/record in any of the given database table  |  |
| DEFAULT                      | Provide a default value for a column                                 |  |
| CHECK                        | Ensures that all the values in a column satisfies certain conditions |  |
| CREATE INDEX                 | Creates an index for a table   |  |
| CREATE VIEW                  | Creates dynamic subset of data from one or more tables               |  |
| ALTER TABLE                  | Modifies table's definition  |  |
| CREATE TABLE AS              | Creates new table based on a query                                   |  |
| DROP TABLE                   | Permanently deletes a table (thus the data)                          |  |
| DROP INDEX                   | Permanently deletes an index   |  |
| DROP VIEW                    | Permanently deletes the view   |  |



# Revisiting SQL (continued)

| SQL Data Manipulation Commands |   |  |
|--------------------------------|---|--|
| Command OR Option Description  |   |  |
| INSERT                         | Insert row(s) into a table                                      |  |
| SELECT                         | Select attributes or rows in one or more tables or views        |  |
| WHERE                          | Restricts the selection of rows based on conditional expression |  |
| GROUP BY                       | Groups selected rows based on one or more attributes            |  |
| HAVING                         | Restricts the selection of grouped rows based on a condition    |  |
| ORDER BY                       | Orders the selected rows based on the attributes                |  |
| UPDATE                         | Modifies attribute's values in one or more table's rows         |  |
| DELETE                         | Deletes one or more rows from table                             |  |
| COMMIT                         | Permanently saves data changes                                  |  |
| ROLLBACK                       | Restores data to original values                                |  |



# Revisiting SQL (continued)

| SQL Data Manipulation Commands (Cont.) |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| Comparison Operators                   | Description  |  |
| =,<,>,<=,>=,<>                         | Used in conditional expression                             |  |
| Logical Operators                      |  |  |
| AND / OR / NOT                         | Used in conditional expression                             |  |
| Special Operators                      | Used in conditional expression                             |  |
| BETWEEN                                | Checks whether the value is within range                   |  |
| IS NULL                                | Checks whether the value is null                           |  |
| LIKE                                   | Checks whether the value mathces given string pattern      |  |
| IN                                     | Checks whether value matches any value within a value list |  |
| EXISTS                                 | Checks whether a subquery returns any rows                 |  |
| DISTINCT                               | Limit values to unique values                              |  |
| Aggregate Functions                    | Used with SELECT to return mathematical summary            |  |
| COUNT                                  | Returns no of rows with NON-NULL values for a given column |  |
| MIN                                    | Returns minimium attribute value found in a given column   |  |
| MAX                                    | Returns maximum attribute value found in a given column    |  |
| SUM                                    | Returns sum of all values for a given column               |  |
| AVG                                    | Returns average of all values for a given column           |  |

# Revisiting SQL (continued)

| Common SQL Data Types |                         |  |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| DATA TYPE             | FORMAT                  | COMMENTS   |
| NUMERIC               |                         |  |
|                       | INTEGER   INT           | Stores 4 byte long integer value   |
|                       | BIGINT                  | Stores 8 byte long integer value   |
|                       | SMALLINT                | Stores 2 byte long integer value   |
|                       | BOOLEAN   TINYINT       | Single byte integer value, Zero:False , NonZero:True                                 |
|                       | DECIMAL   NUMERIC (M,D) | Stores exact numeric data values, where M is the length and D is the precision       |
|                       | FLOAT   DOUBLE (M,D)    | Stores approximate numeric data values, where M is the length and D is the precision |
| STRING                |                         |  |
|                       | CHAR                    | Stores fixed length character data   |
|                       | VARCHAR                 | Stores variable length character data  |
| DATE                  |                         |  |
|                       | DATE                    | Stores date ('0000-00-00')   |
|                       | TIME                    | Stores time ('00:00:00')   |
|                       | DATETIME   TIMESTAMP    | Stores date and time ('0000-00-00 00:00:00')   |

# MySQL Functions:

#### • String:

• CONCAT, LOWER, UPPER, LENGTH, CHAR\_LENGTH, ASCII, FIELD, FORMAT, INSERT, REVERSE, STRCMP, SUBSTRING, TRIM....etc.

#### Numeric Functions:

 ABS, SIN, COS..., AVG, CEIL, DEGREES, DIV, FLOOR, LOG, MAX, MIN, MOD, POW, ROUND, SUM...etc.

#### Date Functions:

 DATE, NOW, DATEDIFF, DATE\_ADD, DATE\_SUB, DATE\_FORMAT, HOUR, MINUTE\_MONTH, WEEK, YEAR, TIMESTAMP, TO\_DAYS, FROM\_DAYS...etc.

#### Advanced Functions:

• CAST, COALESCE, CASE, IF, ISNULL, IFNULL, CONVERT ...etc.



# Indexing in MySQL:

- **REALLY** important to speed up query processing time.
- When primary key is declared, DBMS automatically creates unique index
- Multiple-Column index (col1, col2, col3):
  - (col1)
  - (col1, col2)
  - (col1, col2, col3)



# DB Schema:

"student" data table

| Column Name | Data Type |
|-------------|-----------|
| id*         | Integer   |
| name        | Text      |

"term\_gpa" data table

| Column Name | Data Type |
|-------------|-----------|
| id*         | Integer   |
| term*       | Integer   |
| gpa         | Float     |

"degrees" data table

| Column Name | Data Type |
|-------------|-----------|
| id*         | Integer   |
| term        | Integer   |
| degree*     | Char(5)   |



 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  Indicates primary key of the table

# Data Snapshot:

#### "student"

| $\operatorname{id}$ | name         |
|---------------------|--------------|
| 1                   | Edith Warton |
| 2                   | Dorian Gray  |
| 3                   | Ophelia      |
| 4                   | Henry James  |
| 5                   | Harper Lee   |

### " $term\_gpa$ "

| $\operatorname{id}$ | $_{ m term}$ | gpa  |
|---------------------|--------------|------|
| 1                   | 2011         | 3.32 |
| 1                   | 2012         | 3.51 |
| 2                   | 2011         | 2.22 |
| 2                   | 2013         | 1.70 |
| 3                   | 2011         | 3.70 |
| 4                   | 2011         | 3.10 |
| 4                   | 2012         | 3.21 |
| 4                   | 2013         | 3.30 |
| 5                   | 2013         | 2.99 |

### "degrees"

| $\operatorname{id}$ | $_{ m term}$ | $_{ m degree}$ |
|---------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1                   | 2012         | EconS          |
| 3                   | 2011         | MathS          |
| 3                   | 2011         | CompS          |
| 4                   | 2012         | EngLT          |



## Q: Get the students data(name, gpa, degree)

### Query:

```
SELECT s.id AS id, s.name AS
       name, t.gpa AS gpa,
       d.degree AS degree,
       t.term as term
FROM student AS s
JOIN term gpa AS t
       ON s.id=t.id
LEFT JOIN degrees AS d
       ON d.id=s.id AND
       t.term=d.term;
```

```
mysql> SELECT s.id AS id , s.name AS name , t
    -> FROM student AS s JOIN term gpa AS t
       LEFT JOIN degrees AS d ON d.id=s.id A
  id
                              degree
                      gpa
       Edith Warton
                      3.32
                              NULL
                                       2011
       Edith Warton
                      3.51
                              EconS
                                       2012
       Dorian Gray
                      2.22
                              NULL
                                       2011
       Dorian Gray
                      1.70
                              NULL
                                       2013
       Ophelia
                      3.70
                              CompS
                                       2011
       Ophelia
                      3.70
                              MathS
                                       2011
       Henry James
                      3.10
                              NULL
                                       2011
       Henry James
                      3.21
                              EngLT
                                       2012
       Henry James
                      3.30
                              NULL
                                       2013
       Harper Lee
                      2.99
                              NULL
                                       2013
10 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```



### Q: Get the students data(name, gpa, degree) for term 2012

```
Query:
   SELECT s.id AS id , s.name AS
       name, t.gpa AS gpa,
       d.degree AS degree, t.term as
       term
   FROM student AS s
   JOIN term gpa AS t
              ON s.id=t.id
   LEFT JOIN degrees AS d
       ON d.id=s.id AND
       t.term=d.term
   WHERE t.term=2012;
```

```
mysql> SELECT s.id AS id , s.name AS name , t.gpa AS gpa , d.degree
    -> FROM student AS s
    -> JOIN term_gpa AS t ON s.id=t.id
    -> LEFT JOIN degrees AS d ON d.id=s.id AND t.term=d.term
    -> WHERE t.term=2012;
      Edith Warton | 3.51 | EconS
                                     2012
      Henry James
                     3.21 | EngLT
                                      2012
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)
mysql>
```



### Q: Get the students data(name, gpa, degree) for term 2012

```
SELECT s.id AS id , s.name AS name ,
   t.gpa AS gpa, d.degree AS
   degree, t.term as term
FROM student AS s
JOIN term_gpa AS t
   ON s.id=t.id
LEFT JOIN degrees AS d
   ON d.id=s.id AND
   t.term=d.term
WHERE t.term=2012;
```

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   t.gpa AS gpa, d.degree AS
   degree, t.term as term
FROM student AS s
JOIN term_gpa AS t
   ON s.id=t.id
LEFT JOIN degrees AS d
   ON d.id=s.id AND
   t.term=d.term
   AND t.term=2012;
```



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       AND t.term=2012;
                             degree
                     gpa
                                      term
                     3.32
      Edith Warton
                             NULL
                                      2011
      Edith Warton
                     3.51
                             EconS
                                      2012
      Dorian Gray
                     2.22
                             NULL
                                      2011
      Dorian Gray
                     1.70
                             NULL
                                      2013
      Ophelia
                     3.70
                             NULL
                                      2011
                            NULL
      Henry James
                     3.10
                                      2011
      Henry James
                     3.21
                             EngLT
                                      2012
      Henry James
                     3.30
                             NULL
                                      2013
      Harper Lee
                             NULL
                     2.99
                                      2013
 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```



### Q: Get the data of students who have failed at least once.

```
Query:
```

```
SELECT s.id AS id , MAX( s.name ) AS name , AVG( t.gpa ) AS gpa FROM student AS s JOIN term_gpa AS t ON s.id=t.id WHERE t.gpa < 3 GROUP BY s.id HAVING count(t.gpa) >= 1;
```



### Q: Find the second highest grades

### Query 1:

```
SELECT MAX(gpa) AS GPA
FROM term_gpa AS t
WHERE t.gpa not in ( SELECT MAX(gpa) FROM term_gpa );
```

### Query 2:

```
SELECT t1.gpa AS GPA
FROM term_gpa AS t1
WHERE 2 = (
```

```
Query \ No of Rows
                                                        12.5 Million
                           50k
                                     100k
                                              3.5 Lac
                          0.2 Sec
                                    0.23 sec
                                               0.3 Sec
                                                             81 Sec
          Q1
                                    300 Sec | ? > 2+ Hrs
          Q2
                           69 Sec
                                                          ? > 3+ Hrs
          Q3
                          0.2 Sec
                                     0.2 Sec | 0.27 Sec |
                                                             41 Sec
```

```
SELECT COUNT ( DISTINCT ( gpa ) ) FROM term_gpa AS t2 WHERE t1.gpa <= t2.gpa );
```

### Query 3:

```
SELECT GPA
FROM ( SELECT gpa FROM term_gpa AS t ORDER BY gpa DESC LIMIT 2 )
AS temp_table
ORDER BY GPA
LIMIT 1;
```



# Case example: Categorizing data

```
SELECT id, name, avg gpa, CASE
        WHEN avg gpa >= 3.5 THEN 2
        WHEN avg gpa < 3.5 AND avg gpa
                         >=3.0 THEN 1
        ELSE 0
        END AS gpa_type
FROM (
        SELECT t.id as id, MAX(s.name) AS
        name, AVG(gpa) AS avg_gpa
        FROM term gpa as t
        JOIN student as s ON t.id = s.id
        GROUP BY id
        ) AS avg_gpa_table
```

```
/sql> SELECT id, name,avg_gpa, CASE WHEN a
 name, AVG( gpa ) AS avg_gpa FROM term_gpa
                                gpa_type
id
     name
                    avg_gpa
     Edith Warton
                    3.415000
     Dorian Gray
                    1.960000
     Ophelia
                    3.700000
     Henry James
                    3.203333
     Harper Lee
                    2.990000
rows in set (0.00 sec)
/sql>
```

# Pattern Matching:

### LIKE Operator:

- % The percent sign represents zero, one, or multiple characters
- \_ The underscore represents a single character

#### WildCard Characters:

- [charlist] Defines sets and ranges of characters to match
- [^charlist] or [!charlist] Defines sets and ranges of characters NOT to match



# Pattern Matching E.g.:

SELECT id , name
FROM student AS s
WHERE name LIKE 'Dorian'%';

| Before Indexing | 39 Sec   |
|-----------------|----------|
| After Indexing  | 0.27 Sec |

SELECT id , name
FROM student AS s
WHERE name LIKE '%Gray';

| Before Indexing | 39 Sec             |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| After Indexing  | First run: 5.2 Sec |
|                 | Next runs: 1.2 Sec |



# Logical Processing Order

```
SELECT select_list [ INTO new_table ]

[ FROM table_source ]

[ WHERE search_condition ]

[ GROUP BY group_by_expression ]

[ HAVING search_condition ]

[ ORDER BY order_expression [ ASC | DESC ] ]
```

- 1. FROM
- 2. ON
- 3. JOIN
- 4. WHERE
- 5. GROUP BY
- 6. WITH CUBE or WITH ROLLUP
- 7. HAVING
- 8. SELECT
- 9. DISTINCT
- 10. ORDER BY
- 11. TOP/ LIMIT/ ROWNUM



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