


PostgreSQL Assignment Questions - Sure Pro Education

1. List the first name and last name of all customers.

→ Query: select first_name, last_name from customer;


Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|  | | |
| | first_name character varying (45) | last_name character varying (45) |
| 1 | Jared | Ely |
| 2 | Patricia | Johnson |
| 3 | Linda | Williams |
| 4 | Barbara | Jones |
| 5 | Elizabeth | Brown |
| 6 | Jennifer | Devia |
| Total rows: 599 Query complete 00:00:01.029 | | |

2. Find all the movies that are currently rented out.

→ Query: SELECT f.film_id, f.title
FROM film f
JOIN inventory i ON f.film_id = i.film_id
JOIN rental r ON i.inventory_id = r.inventory_id
WHERE r.return_date IS NULL;


Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
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|  | | |
| | film_id [PK] integer | title character varying (255) |
| 1 | 1 | Academy Dinosaur |
| 2 | 2 | Ace Goldfinger |
| 3 | 4 | Affair Prejudice |
| 4 | 5 | African Egg |
| 5 | 13 | Ali Forever |
| Total rows: 183 Query complete 00:00:00.676 | | |

3. Show the titles of all movies in the 'Action' category.

→ Query: Select f.title from film f
join film_category fc on f.film_id = fc.film_id
join category c on fc.category_id = c.category_id
where c.name LIKE '%Action%';

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
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|  | | |
| | title character varying (255) | |
| 1 | Amadeus Holy | |
| 2 | American Circus | |
| 3 | Antitrust Tomatoes | |
| 4 | Ark Ridgemont | |
| 5 | Barefoot Manchurian | |
| Total rows: 64 Query complete 00:00:00.254 | | |

4. Count the number of films in each category.

→ Query: `SELECT c.name AS category, COUNT(f.film_id) AS film_count
FROM category c
JOIN film_category fc ON c.category_id = fc.category_id
JOIN film f ON fc.film_id = f.film_id
GROUP BY c.name;`

Output:

| | category character varying (25) | film_count bigint |
|----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Family | 69 |
| 2 | Games | 61 |
| 3 | Animation | 66 |
| 4 | Classics | 57 |
| 5 | Documentary | 68 |
| Total rows: 16 | | Query complete 00:00:00.127 |

5. What is the total amount spent by each customer?

→ Query: `SELECT c.customer_id, CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) AS name, SUM(p.amount) AS
total FROM customer c
JOIN payment p ON c.customer_id = p.customer_id
GROUP BY c.customer_id;`

Output:

| | customer_id [PK] integer | name text | total numeric |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | 184 | Vivian Ruiz | 80.80 |
| 2 | 87 | Wanda Patterson | 137.72 |
| 3 | 477 | Dan Paine | 106.79 |
| 4 | 273 | Priscilla Lowe | 130.72 |
| 5 | 550 | Guy Brownlee | 151.69 |
| Total rows: 599 | | Query complete 00:00:00.209 | |

6. Find the top 5 customers who spent the most.

→ Query: `SELECT c.customer_id, CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) AS name,
SUM(p.amount) AS total
FROM customer c
JOIN payment p ON c.customer_id = p.customer_id
GROUP BY c.customer_id Order by total DESC LIMIT 5 ;`

Output:

| | customer_id [PK] integer | name text | total numeric |
|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | 148 | Eleanor Hunt | 211.55 |
| 2 | 526 | Karl Seal | 208.58 |
| 3 | 178 | Marion Snyder | 194.61 |
| 4 | 137 | Rhonda Kennedy | 191.62 |
| 5 | 144 | Clara Shaw | 189.60 |
| Total rows: 5 | | Query complete 00:00:00.183 | |

7. Display the rental date and return date for each rental.

→ Query: select rental_id, rental_date, return_date from rental group by rental_id;

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| | rental_id [PK] integer | rental_date timestamp without time zone | return_date timestamp without time zone |
| 1 | 11233 | 2005-08-02 13:06:11 | 2005-08-08 15:02:11 |
| 2 | 4790 | 2005-07-08 16:25:27 | 2005-07-11 11:35:27 |
| 3 | 3936 | 2005-07-06 21:15:03 | 2005-07-08 17:45:03 |
| 4 | 12502 | 2005-08-18 13:16:31 | 2005-08-19 17:47:31 |
| 5 | 5468 | 2005-07-09 23:06:09 | 2005-07-13 00:48:09 |
| Total rows: 16044 | | Query complete 00:00:00.245 | |

8. List the names of staff members and the stores they manage.

→ Query: Select st.store_id, CONCAT(st.first_name, ' ', st.last_name) as names from staff st join store s on st.store_id = s.store_id ;

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| | store_id smallint | names text |
| 1 | 1 | Mike Hillyer |
| 2 | 2 | Jon Stephens |

9. Find all customers living in 'California'.

→ Query: SELECT customer_id, CONCAT(first_name, ' ', last_name) as names
FROM customer
WHERE address_id IN (
SELECT address_id FROM address WHERE district = 'California');

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | customer_id [PK] integer | names text |
| 1 | 2 | Patricia Johnson |
| 2 | 14 | Betty White |
| 3 | 51 | Alice Stewart |
| 4 | 112 | Rosa Reynolds |
| 5 | 182 | Renee Lane |
| Total rows: 9 | | Query complete 00:00:00.375 |

10. Count how many customers are from each city.

→ Query: `SELECT ci.city, COUNT(c.customer_id) AS total_customers
FROM customer c
JOIN address a ON c.address_id = a.address_id
JOIN city ci ON a.city_id = ci.city_id
GROUP BY ci.city;`

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | |
| | city character varying (50) | total_customers bigint |
| 1 | Southport | 1 |
| 2 | Taguig | 1 |
| 3 | Tokat | 1 |
| 4 | Atlixco | 1 |
| 5 | Mukateve | 1 |
| Total rows: 597 | | Query complete 00:00:02.363 |

11. Find the film(s) with the longest duration.

→ Query: `SELECT title, length
FROM film
WHERE length = (SELECT MAX(length) FROM film);`


Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | |
| | title character varying (255) | length smallint |
| 1 | Chicago North | 185 |
| 2 | Control Anthem | 185 |
| 3 | Darn Forrester | 185 |
| 4 | Gangs Pride | 185 |
| 5 | Home Pity | 185 |
| Total rows: 10 | | Query complete 00:00:00.407 |

12. Which actors appear in the film titled 'Alien Center'?

→ Query: `select CONCAT(first_name, ' ', last_name) as name from actor a
join film_actor fa on a.actor_id = fa.actor_id
join film f on fa.film_id = f.film_id
where f.title = 'Alien Center';`

Output:

| | name text |  |
|---------------|-------------------|---|
| 1 | Burt Dukakis | |
| 2 | Kenneth Paltro... | |
| 3 | Sidney Crowe | |
| 4 | Renee Tracy | |
| 5 | Humphrey Willis | |
| Total rows: 6 | | Query cor |

13. Find the number of rentals made each month.

→ Query: SELECT EXTRACT(MONTH FROM rental_date) AS month, COUNT(rental_id)
AS total_rentals FROM rental
GROUP BY month;

Output:

| | month numeric | total_rentals bigint |
|--|------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | 7 | 6709 |
| 2 | 8 | 5686 |
| 3 | 6 | 2311 |
| 4 | 2 | 182 |
| 5 | 5 | 1156 |
| Total rows: 5 Query complete 00:00:00.294 | | |

14. Show all payments made by customer 'Mary Smith'.

→ Query: select amount, payment_date from payment
join customer c on payment.customer_id = c.customer_id
where CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) = 'Mary Smith';

Output:

| | amount numeric (5,2) | payment_date timestamp without time zone |
|---|-------------------------|---|
| 1 | 5.99 | 2007-02-14 23:22:38.996577 |
| 2 | 0.99 | 2007-02-15 16:31:19.996577 |
| 3 | 9.99 | 2007-02-15 19:37:12.996577 |
| 4 | 4.99 | 2007-02-16 13:47:23.996577 |
| 5 | 4.99 | 2007-02-18 07:10:14.996577 |
| Total rows: 30 Query complete 00:00:00.195 | | |

15. List all films that have never been rented.

→ Query: SELECT f.film_id, f.title
FROM film f
JOIN inventory i ON f.film_id = i.film_id
LEFT JOIN rental r ON i.inventory_id = r.inventory_id
WHERE r.rental_id IS NULL;

Output:

| | film_id [PK] integer | title character varying (255) |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | Academy Dinosaur |

16. What is the average rental duration per category?

→ Query: select avg(f.rental_duration) as avg_rental_duration ,c.name as category from film f
join film_category fc on fc.film_id = f.film_id
join category c on fc.category_id = c.category_id
group by c.name;

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | avg_rental_duration numeric | category character varying (25) |
| 1 | 5.1739130434782609 | Family |
| 2 | 5.0655737704918033 | Games |
| 3 | 4.8939393939393939 | Animation |
| 4 | 5.0701754385964912 | Classics |
| 5 | 4.7647058823529412 | Documentary |
| Total rows: 16 Query complete 00:00:00.214 | | |

17. Which films were rented more than 50 times?

→ Query: SELECT f.film_id, f.title, COUNT(r.rental_id) AS rental_count
FROM film f
JOIN inventory i ON f.film_id = i.film_id
JOIN rental r ON i.inventory_id = r.inventory_id
GROUP BY f.film_id, f.title
HAVING COUNT(r.rental_id) > 50;

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | film_id [PK] integer | title character varying (255) |
| | | rental_count bigint |

18. List all employees hired after the year 2005.

→ Query: SELECT staff_id, first_name, last_name, last_update
FROM staff
WHERE last_update > '2005-12-31';

Output:

| Data Output Messages Notifications | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | staff_id [PK] integer | first_name character varying (45) | last_name character varying (45) | last_update timestamp without time zone |
| 1 | 1 | Mike | Hillyer | 2006-05-16 16:13:11.79328 |
| 2 | 2 | Jon | Stephens | 2006-05-16 16:13:11.79328 |

19. Show the number of rentals processed by each staff member.

➔ Query: `SELECT s.staff_id, CONCAT(s.first_name, ' ', s.last_name) as name , COUNT(r.rental_id)
AS total_rentals FROM staff s
JOIN rental r ON s.staff_id = r.staff_id
GROUP BY s.staff_id, s.first_name, s.last_name;`

Output:

| | staff_id [PK] integer | name text | total_rentals bigint |
|---|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | Mike Hillyer | 8040 |
| 2 | 2 | Jon Stephens | 8004 |

20. Display all customers who have not made any payments.

➔ Query: `SELECT c.customer_id, CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) as name
FROM customer c
left JOIN payment p ON c.customer_id = p.customer_id
WHERE p.payment_id IS NULL;`

Output:

| | customer_id [PK] integer | name text |
|--|-----------------------------|--------------|
|--|-----------------------------|--------------|

21. What is the most popular film (rented the most)?

➔ Query: `SELECT f.film_id, f.title, COUNT(r.rental_id) AS rental_count
FROM film f

JOIN inventory i ON f.film_id = i.film_id
JOIN rental r ON i.inventory_id = r.inventory_id
GROUP BY f.film_id, f.title
order by rental_count desc limit 1;`

Output:

| | film_id [PK] integer | title character varying (255) | rental_count bigint |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | 103 | Bucket Brotherhood | 34 |

22. Show all films longer than 2 hours.

➔ Query: `SELECT title, length
FROM film
WHERE length > '120';`

Output:

| | title character varying (255) | length smallint |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | African Egg | 130 |
| 2 | Agent Truman | 169 |
| 3 | Alamo Videotape | 126 |
| 4 | Alaska Phantom | 136 |
| 5 | Ali Forever | 150 |
| Total rows: 457 | | Query complete 00:00:00.256 |

23. Find all rentals that were returned late.

→ Query: `SELECT rental_id, rental_date, return_date
FROM rental
WHERE return_date > rental_date + INTERVAL '3 DAYS';`

Output:

| | rental_id [PK] integer | rental_date timestamp without time zone | return_date timestamp without time zone |
|-------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| 1 | 2 | 2005-05-24 22:54:33 | 2005-05-28 19:40:33 |
| 2 | 3 | 2005-05-24 23:03:39 | 2005-06-01 22:12:39 |
| 3 | 4 | 2005-05-24 23:04:41 | 2005-06-03 01:43:41 |
| 4 | 5 | 2005-05-24 23:05:21 | 2005-06-02 04:33:21 |
| 5 | 7 | 2005-05-24 23:11:53 | 2005-05-29 20:34:53 |
| Total rows: 11472 | | Query complete 00:00:00.315 | |

24. List customers and the number of films they rented.

→ Query: `SELECT c.customer_id, CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) AS name,
COUNT(r.rental_id) AS total_rentals
FROM customer c
JOIN rental r ON c.customer_id = r.customer_id
GROUP BY c.customer_id, c.first_name, c.last_name;`

Output:

| | customer_id [PK] integer | name text | total_rentals bigint |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | 87 | Wanda Patterson | 30 |
| 2 | 184 | Vivian Ruiz | 23 |
| 3 | 477 | Dan Paine | 22 |
| 4 | 273 | Priscilla Lowe | 35 |
| 5 | 550 | Guy Brownlee | 32 |
| Total rows: 599 | | Query complete 00:00:00.426 | |

25. Write a query to show top 3 rented film categories.

→ Query: `SELECT c.name AS category, COUNT(r.rental_id) AS
total_rentals FROM rental r
JOIN inventory i ON r.inventory_id = i.inventory_id
JOIN film f ON i.film_id = f.film_id
JOIN film_category fc ON f.film_id = fc.film_id
JOIN category c ON fc.category_id = c.category_id
GROUP BY c.name
ORDER BY total_rentals DESC
LIMIT 3;`

Output:

| | category character varying (25) | total_rentals bigint |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Sports | 1179 |
| 2 | Animation | 1166 |
| 3 | Action | 1112 |

26. Create a view that shows all customer names and their payment totals.

```
→ Query: CREATE VIEW Customer_View AS
SELECT
  CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) AS name,
  SUM(p.amount) AS total_payment
FROM customer c
JOIN payment p ON c.customer_id = p.customer_id
GROUP BY c.customer_id, name;

select * from Customer_View;
```

Output:

| | name text | total_payment numeric |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Jeffrey Spear | 65.83 |
| 2 | Jesse Schilling | 79.78 |
| 3 | Jacqueline Long | 146.68 |
| 4 | Warren Sherrod | 152.69 |
| 5 | Scott Shelley | 60.82 |
| Total rows: 599 | | Query complete 00:00:00.254 |

27. Update a customer's email address given their ID.

```
→ Query: UPDATE customer
SET email = 'new_email@example.com'
WHERE customer_id = 1;
```

Output:

UPDATE 1 Query returned successfully in 162 msec.

| | | | | | |
|-----|-----|---|--------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 598 | 599 | 2 | Austin | Cintron | austin.cintron@sakilacustomer.org |
| 599 | 1 | 1 | Mary | Smith | new_email@example.com |

28. Insert a new actor into the actor table.

```
→ Query: Insert into actor values('201', 'John' , 'Thomas' , now()::timestamp(2));
```

Output:

| | actor_id [PK] integer | first_name character varying (45) | last_name character varying (45) | last_update timestamp without time zone |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 197 | 197 | Reese | West | 2013-05-26 14:47:57.62 |
| 198 | 198 | Mary | Keitel | 2013-05-26 14:47:57.62 |
| 199 | 199 | Julia | Fawcett | 2013-05-26 14:47:57.62 |
| 200 | 200 | Thora | Temple | 2013-05-26 14:47:57.62 |
| 201 | 201 | John | Thomas | 2025-07-12 16:09:34.858707 |
| Total rows: 201 | | Query complete 00:00:00.201 | | |

29. Delete all records from the rentals table where return_date is NULL.

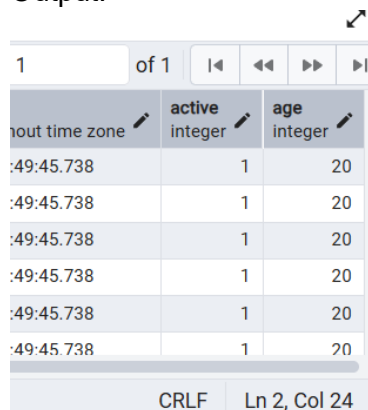
```
→ Query: DELETE FROM rental
WHERE return_date IS NULL
AND rental_id NOT IN (SELECT rental_id FROM payment);
```

Output: DELETE 0 Query returned successfully in 171 msec.

30. Add a new column 'age' to the customer table.

→ Query: alter table customer
add age int default 20 not null;

Output:



| last_name | first_name | email | phone_number | address_id | password_hash | active | age |
|-----------|------------|-----------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|--------|-----|
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |
| DEHAENE | JOHANNA | JOHANNA.D@COMPANY.COM | 011-555-4444 | 1 | XXXXXXXXXX | 1 | 20 |

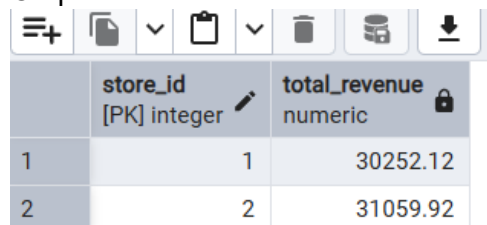
31. Create an index on the 'title' column of the film table.

→ Query: create index film_title on film(title);
Output: relation "film_title" already exists

32. Find the total revenue generated by each store.

→ Query: SELECT s.store_id, SUM(p.amount) AS total_revenue
FROM store s
JOIN staff st ON s.store_id = st.store_id
JOIN payment p ON st.staff_id = p.staff_id
GROUP BY s.store_id;

Output:



| store_id | total_revenue |
|----------|---------------|
| 1 | 30252.12 |
| 2 | 31059.92 |

33. What is the city with the highest number of rentals?

→ Query: SELECT ci.city, COUNT(r.rental_id) AS rental_count
FROM rental r
JOIN customer c ON r.customer_id = c.customer_id
JOIN address a ON c.address_id = a.address_id
JOIN city ci ON a.city_id = ci.city_id
GROUP BY ci.city
ORDER BY rental_count DESC
LIMIT 1;

Output:



| city | rental_count |
|--------|--------------|
| Aurora | 50 |

34. How many films belong to more than one category?

→ Query:

```
SELECT COUNT(*) AS multi_category_films
FROM (
  SELECT film_id
  FROM film_category
  GROUP BY film_id
  HAVING COUNT(category_id) > 1 );
```

Output:

| | multi_category_films |
|---|----------------------|
| | bigint |
| 1 | 0 |

35. List the top 10 actors by number of films they appeared in.

→ Query:

```
SELECT
  CONCAT(a.first_name, ' ', a.last_name) AS name,
  COUNT(f.film_id) AS no_of_films
FROM actor a
JOIN film_actor fa ON a.actor_id = fa.actor_id
JOIN film f ON f.film_id = fa.film_id
GROUP BY a.actor_id, a.first_name, a.last_name
ORDER BY no_of_films DESC
LIMIT 10;
```

Output:

| | name | no_of_films |
|---|----------------|-------------|
| | text | bigint |
| 1 | Gina Degeneres | 42 |
| 2 | Walter Torn | 41 |
| 3 | Mary Keitel | 40 |
| 4 | Matthew Carrey | 39 |
| 5 | Sandra Kilmer | 37 |
| 6 | Scarlett Damon | 36 |
| Total rows: 10 Query complete 00:00:00.129 | | |

36. Retrieve the email addresses of customers who rented 'Matrix Revolutions'.

→ Query:

```
SELECT DISTINCT c.email
FROM customer c
JOIN rental r ON c.customer_id = r.customer_id
JOIN inventory i ON r.inventory_id = i.inventory_id
JOIN film f ON i.film_id = f.film_id
WHERE f.title = 'Matrix Revolutions';
```

Output:

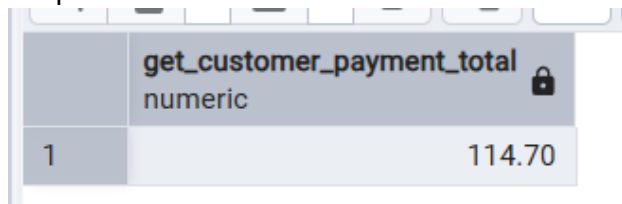
| | email |
|--|------------------------|
| | character varying (50) |

37. Create a stored function to return customer payment total given their ID.

→ Query: CREATE FUNCTION get_customer_payment_total(cust_id INT)
RETURNS NUMERIC AS \$\$
BEGIN
RETURN (
SELECT SUM(amount)
FROM payment
WHERE customer_id = cust_id
);
END;
\$\$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;

SELECT get_customer_payment_total(1);

Output:



| | get_customer_payment_total | |
|---|----------------------------|--|
| | numeric | |
| 1 | 114.70 | |

38. Begin a transaction that updates stock and inserts a rental record.

→ Query: BEGIN;

UPDATE inventory
SET last_update = CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
WHERE inventory_id = 1;

INSERT INTO rental (rental_date, inventory_id, customer_id, return_date, staff_id,
last_update)
VALUES (CURRENT_TIMESTAMP, 1, 1, NULL, 1, CURRENT_TIMESTAMP);

COMMIT;

rollback;

Output: COMMIT

Query returned successfully in 81 msec.

39. Show the customers who rented films in both 'Action' and 'Comedy' categories.

→ Query:

```
SELECT c.customer_id, CONCAT(c.first_name, ' ', c.last_name) AS name
FROM customer c
JOIN rental r ON c.customer_id = r.customer_id
JOIN inventory i ON r.inventory_id = i.inventory_id
JOIN film_category fc ON i.film_id = fc.film_id
JOIN category cat ON fc.category_id = cat.category_id
WHERE cat.name IN ('Action', 'Comedy')
GROUP BY c.customer_id, c.first_name, c.last_name
HAVING COUNT(DISTINCT cat.name) = 2;
```

Output:

| | customer_id [PK] integer | name text |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | Mary Smith |
| 2 | 3 | Linda Williams |
| 3 | 4 | Barbara Jones |
| 4 | 5 | Elizabeth Brown |
| 5 | 6 | Jennifer Davis |
| 6 | 7 | Maria Miller |
| Total rows: 419 | | Query complete 00:00:00.141 |

40. Find actors who have never acted in a film.

→ Query:

```
SELECT a.actor_id, CONCAT(a.first_name, ' ', a.last_name) AS name
FROM actor a
LEFT JOIN film_actor fa ON a.actor_id = fa.actor_id
WHERE fa.film_id IS NULL;
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| | actor_id [PK] integer | name text |
|---|--------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | 201 | John Thomas |

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