

Lecture SQL05

Basic SQL – Part II

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Visual Quickstart Guide: SQL, Third Edition, by Chris Fehily

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Outline

- Last Time - Review
 - Projection, Selection, Cartesian Product, and Natural Join
- More Mapping **RA** to **SQL**
 - Set operations
 - Aggregate operations
 - Integrity constraints
- Tuple Variable
- NULL Values
- Nested Subqueries

Review - Creating a Table in SQL

```
CREATE TABLE    table-name
(
    nameofcolumn1    datatype1,
    nameofcolumn2    datatype2,
    ...
);
```

- **CREATE** and **TABLE** are reserved words
- **table-name**
 - A valid identifier chosen to name the table
- **nameofcolumnX**
 - A valid identifier chosen to name column
- Don't forget the trailing semicolon

Review - Adding Rows to a Table

```
INSERT INTO table-name  
  VALUES (value1, value2, ..., valueN) ;
```

```
INSERT INTO table-name  
  (column1, column2, ..., columnN)  
  VALUES (value1, value2, ..., valueN) ;
```

For clarity, column names should be listed in the order in which they appear in the table.

Review - Generic SQL Query

SELECT A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n
FROM R_1, R_2, \dots, R_m
WHERE $P;$

$\Pi_{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n} \sigma_P(R_1 \times R_2 \times \dots \times R_m)$

There are many modifiers that can be added to the above generic query

Review - Generic SQL Query

- Three clauses: **SELECT**, **FROM**, **WHERE**
- **SELECT** maps to **RA projection****
- **FROM** maps to **RA** Cartesian product
- **WHERE** maps to **RA** selection operator

****** *This can be confusing...*

Review - Generic SQL Query

SELECT A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n
FROM R_1 NATURAL JOIN R_2
WHERE P ;

$\Pi_{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n} \sigma_P(R_1 \bowtie R_2)$

Set Operations

customers

UID	Last Name	First Name
128	Smith	John
324	Doe	John
245	Jones	Mark
756	Smith	Jane
459	Moore	Sara
721	Parks	Ralph

vets

UID
324
245

accounts

UID	Balance
128	0
756	45
459	0
721	10

Relations

pets

UID	Pet Name	Type
128	Spot	Dog
324	Rex	Dog
756	Tiger	Cat
756	Fluffy	Cat
459	Tweety	Bird
721	Yippy	Dog
128	Rover	Dog
245	Stripes	Cat
324	Cupcake	Dog
459	Chewy	Dog

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Natural Join

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets;
```

```
128|Smith|John|Spot|Dog
128|Smith|John|Rover|Dog
324|Doe|John|Rex|Dog
324|Doe|John|Cupcake|Dog
245|Jones|Mark|Stripes|Cat
756|Smith|Jane|Tiger|Cat
756|Smith|Jane|Fluffy|Cat
459|Moore|Sara|Tweety|Bird
459|Moore|Sara|Chewy|Dog
721|Parks|Ralph|Yippy|Dog
```

```
sqlite>
```

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets WHERE type='Dog';
```

```
128|Smith|John|Spot|Dog
128|Smith|John|Rover|Dog
324|Doe|John|Rex|Dog
324|Doe|John|Cupcake|Dog
459|Moore|Sara|Chewy|Dog
721|Parks|Ralph|Yippy|Dog
```

```
sqlite>
```

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Natural Join

```
sqlite> SELECT lastname, firstname, petname, type FROM customers NATURAL JOIN  
pets WHERE type='Dog';
```

```
Smith|John|Spot|Dog  
Smith|John|Rover|Dog  
Doe|John|Rex|Dog  
Doe|John|Cupcake|Dog  
Moore|Sara|Chewy|Dog  
Parks|Ralph|Yippy|Dog
```

```
sqlite>
```

```
sqlite> SELECT lastname, firstname, petname FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets  
WHERE type='Dog';
```

```
Smith|John|Spot  
Smith|John|Rover  
Doe|John|Rex  
Doe|John|Cupcake  
Moore|Sara|Chewy  
Parks|Ralph|Yippy
```

```
sqlite>
```

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Union

```
sqlite> SELECT petname FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets WHERE type='Dog'
...> UNION
...> SELECT petname FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets WHERE type='Cat';
Chewy
Cupcake
Fluffy
Rex
Rover
Spot
Stripes
Tiger
Yippy
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith' UNION SELECT * FROM
customers WHERE firstname='John';
128|Smith|John
324|Doe|John
756|Smith|Jane
sqlite>
```

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Intersection

```
sqlite> SELECT petname FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets WHERE type='Dog'
...> INTERSECT
...> SELECT petname FROM customers NATURAL JOIN pets WHERE type='Cat';
sqlite>
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith' INTERSECT SELECT * FROM
customers WHERE firstname='John';
128|Smith|John
sqlite>
```

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Difference

```
qlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith';  
128|Smith|John  
756|Smith|Jane  
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE firstname='John';  
128|Smith|John  
324|Doe|John  
sqlite>  
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith' EXCEPT SELECT * FROM  
customers WHERE firstname='John';  
756|Smith|Jane  
sqlite>  
sqlite>
```

$R_1 \text{ EXCEPT } R_2 \Rightarrow$ Rows from R_1 that do not appear in R_2

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Delete Row

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers;  
128|Smith|John  
324|Doe|John  
245|Jones|Mark  
756|Smith|Jane  
459|Moore|Sara  
721|Parks|Ralph  
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith';  
128|Smith|John  
756|Smith|Jane  
sqlite> DELETE FROM customers WHERE lastname='Smith' and firstname='Jane';  
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers;  
128|Smith|John  
324|Doe|John  
245|Jones|Mark  
459|Moore|Sara  
721|Parks|Ralph  
sqlite>
```

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Update Row

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers;
128|Smith|John
324|Doe|John
245|Jones|Mark
756|Smith|Jane
459|Moore|Sara
721|Parks|Ralph
sqlite> UPDATE customers SET lastname='Simpson' WHERE lastname='Doe';
sqlite> .dump
BEGIN TRANSACTION;
CREATE TABLE customers (uid INTEGER, lastname TEXT, firstname TEXT);
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(128,'Smith','John');
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(324,'Simpson','John');
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(245,'Jones','Mark');
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(756,'Smith','Jane');
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(459,'Moore','Sara');
INSERT INTO "customers" VALUES(721,'Parks','Ralph');
COMMIT;
sqlite>
```


Aggregate Operations

Aggregate Operations

- Produces a single value result not a relation
- Cannot mix non-aggregate row-by-row and aggregate expressions in a SELECT clause
- Cannot nest aggregate operations
- Cannot express these operations in terms of Relational Algebra

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Count Rows

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM pets WHERE type='Dog';  
128|Spot|Dog  
324|Rex|Dog  
721|Yippy|Dog  
128|Rover|Dog  
324|Cupcake|Dog  
459|Chewy|Dog  
sqlite> SELECT COUNT(*) FROM pets WHERE type='Dog';  
6  
sqlite>
```

Returns a non-negative
number

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Count Rows

```
sqlite> SELECT uid FROM pets;
128
324
756
756
459
721
128
245
324
459
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT COUNT(uid) FROM pets;
10
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT uid) FROM pets;
6
sqlite>
```

Returns a non-negative
number

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Sum, Average

```
sqlite> SELECT balance FROM accounts;  
0  
45  
0  
10  
sqlite> SELECT SUM(balance) FROM accounts;  
55  
sqlite>  
sqlite> SELECT AVG(balance) FROM accounts;  
13.75  
sqlite>  
sqlite> SELECT AVG(DISTINCT balance) FROM accounts;  
18.333333333333333  
sqlite>
```

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Min, Max

```
sqlite> SELECT balance FROM accounts;  
0  
45  
0  
10  
sqlite> SELECT MIN(balance) FROM accounts;  
0  
sqlite> SELECT MAX(balance) FROM accounts;  
45  
sqlite>  
sqlite> SELECT MIN(balance) , MAX(balance) FROM accounts;  
0|45  
sqlite>
```

Use with numbers, characters, and data-time

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Min, Max

```
sqlite> SELECT MIN(lastname), MAX(lastname) FROM customers;  
Doe|Smith  
sqlite> SELECT MIN(firstname), MAX(firstname) FROM customers;  
Jane|Sara  
sqlite>
```

Use with numbers, characters, and data-time

Integrity Constraints

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Attribute Check

```
sqlite>
sqlite> CREATE TABLE dummy
...> (
...>   uid INTEGER CHECK( uid > 0 ),
...>   name TEXT
...> );
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(123, 'HORSE');
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(-1, 'COW');
SQL error: constraint failed
sqlite>
```

Constrain the value of an attribute

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Tuple Check

```
sqlite> CREATE TABLE dummy
...> (
...>   uid INTEGER,
...>   studentname TEXT,
...>   previousgrade INTEGER,
...>   currentgrade INTEGER,
...>   CHECK(currentgrade >= previousgrade)
...> );
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(123, 'Homer Simpson', 10, 11);
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(234, 'Bart Simpson', 7, 6);
SQL error: constraint failed
sqlite>
```

Constrain multiple
attributes

Tuple Variables

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Tuple Variables

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM vets AS V, customers AS C WHERE V.uid=C.uid;  
324|324|Doe|John  
245|245|Jones|Mark  
sqlite>
```

NULL Values

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NULL Values

```
$ sqlite3
SQLite version 3.4.0
Enter ".help" for instructions
sqlite> CREATE TABLE dummy
...> ( uid INTEGER, name TEXT );
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(123, 'Homer');
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(456, 'Marge');
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(NULL, 'Bart');
sqlite> SELECT * FROM dummy;
123|Homer
456|Marge
|Bart
sqlite> SELECT SUM(uid) FROM dummy;
579
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT COUNT(*) FROM dummy;
3
sqlite> SELECT COUNT(uid) FROM dummy;
2
sqlite>
```

Aggregate operators other than **COUNT(*)** ignore NULL values

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NULL Values

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM dummy WHERE uid IS NULL;  
|Bart  
sqlite> SELECT * FROM dummy WHERE uid IS NOT NULL;  
123|Homer  
456|Marge  
sqlite>
```

Aggregate operators other than **COUNT(*)** ignore NULL values

Integrity Constraints and NULL Values

```
sqlite> CREATE TABLE dummy
...> (
...>   uid INTEGER,
...>   name TEXT,
...>   CHECK( uid IS NOT NULL AND uid > 0)
...> );
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(123, 'Homer Simpson');
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(000, 'Bart Simpson');
SQL error: constraint failed
sqlite> INSERT INTO dummy VALUES(NULL, 'Marge Simpson');
SQL error: constraint failed
sqlite> .dump
BEGIN TRANSACTION;
CREATE TABLE dummy
(
  uid INTEGER,
  name TEXT,
  CHECK( uid IS NOT NULL AND uid > 0)
);
INSERT INTO "dummy" VALUES(123,'Homer Simpson');
COMMIT;
sqlite>
```


Nested Subqueries

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Nested Queries

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE uid IN
...>      (SELECT uid FROM accounts WHERE balance>0);
756|Smith|Jane
721|Parks|Ralph
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE uid NOT IN
...>      (SELECT uid FROM accounts WHERE balance>0);
128|Smith|John
324|Doe|John
245|Jones|Mark
459|Moore|Sara
sqlite>
sqlite> SELECT * FROM customers WHERE lastname IN ('Jones', 'Parks');
245|Jones|Mark
721|Parks|Ralph
sqlite>
```