

Aim of Practical 5: Write and execute SQL queries-subqueries, joins.

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Practical 5 part 1

SQL Subqueries

What is a Subquery?

A **subquery** is a query inside another query, used to retrieve intermediate results before executing the main query.

Types of Subqueries:

1. **Single-row subqueries** → Return a single value.
2. **Multi-row subqueries** → Return multiple values.
3. **Correlated subqueries** → Reference columns from the outer query.

Example Database: Supermarket

Use a **SupermarketDB** with the following tables:

Customer (customer_id, name, email, phone, address)

Product (product_id, name, category, price, stock_quantity)

Order_Details (order_id, customer_id, order_date, total_amount)

Order_Item (order_id, product_id, quantity, subtotal)

Employeee (employee_id, name, role, salary, hire_date)

Customer Table

customer_id	name	email	phone	address
1	Alice Johnson	alice@gmail.com	9876543210	New York
2	Bob Smith	bob@yahoo.com	9123456789	Los Angeles
3	Charlie Brown	charlie@outlook.com	9998887776	Chicago
4	David Miller	david@gmail.com	8765432109	Miami
5	Emily Davis	emily@hotmail.com	7654321098	New York

Product Table

product_id	name	category	price (\$)	stock_quantity
1	Milk	Dairy	2.50	50
2	Bread	Bakery	1.80	30
3	Eggs	Dairy	3.20	40
4	Chicken	Meat	7.50	20
5	Apples	Fruit	1.20	60
6	Orange Juice	Beverage	3.50	25

Order_Details Table

order_id	customer_id	order_date	total_amount (\$)
101	1	2024-01-10	10.50
102	2	2024-01-12	55.20
103	3	2023-12-01	40.80
104	4	2023-11-05	30.00
105	5	2024-02-10	25.50

Order_Item Table

order_id	product_id	quantity	subtotal (\$)
101	1	2	5.00
101	2	3	5.40
102	3	1	3.20
102	4	2	15.00
103	5	5	6.00
104	6	2	7.00

Employee Table

employee_id	name	role	salary (\$)	hire_date
1	Michael Scott	Manager	75000.00	2020-05-10
2	Jim Halpert	Cashier	30000.00	2021-08-15
3	Pam Beesly	Sales Associate	28000.00	2022-02-20
4	Dwight Schrute	Supervisor	50000.00	2019-11-30
5	Kevin Malone	Cashier	29000.00	2023-03-10

Examples of Subqueries

Find customers who placed orders over \$50.00

```
SELECT * FROM Customer
WHERE customer_id IN (SELECT customer_id FROM Order_Details
WHERE total_amount > 50);
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| customer_id | name           | email                | phone    | address      |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|           1 | Alice Johnson | alice@example.com    | 1234567890 | 123 Elm St  |
|           3 | Charlie Brown | charlie@example.com  | 1122334455 | 789 Pine St |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
```

Retrieve products that cost more than the average product price

```
SELECT * FROM Product
WHERE price > (SELECT AVG(price) FROM Product);
```

product_id	name	category	price	stock_quantity
1	Milk	Dairy	2.50	100
4	Chicken	Meat	5.00	30

Find employees earning more than the lowest manager's salary

```
SELECT * FROM Employeee
WHERE salary > (SELECT MIN(salary) FROM Employeee WHERE role =
'Manager');
```

Program did not output anything!

Find employees hired after the most recent hire date of a cashier

```
SELECT * FROM Employeee
WHERE hire_date > (SELECT MAX(hire_date) FROM Employeee WHERE
role = 'Cashier');
```

Program did not output anything!

Find customers who haven't placed any orders

```
SELECT * FROM Customer
WHERE customer_id NOT IN (SELECT customer_id FROM
Order_Details);
```

Program did not output anything!

Find the name of the highest-paid employee

```
SELECT name FROM Employeee
WHERE salary = (SELECT MAX(salary) FROM Employeee);
```

```

+-----+
| name   |
+-----+
| Liam Johnson |
+-----+

```

Retrieve the total revenue generated from orders placed in January 2024

```

SELECT SUM(total_amount)
FROM Order_Details
WHERE order_date BETWEEN TO_DATE('2024-01-01', 'YYYY-MM-DD')
                        AND TO_DATE('2024-01-31', 'YYYY-MM-DD');

```

Program did not output anything!

Find the most ordered product

```

SELECT name FROM Product
WHERE product_id = (SELECT product_id FROM (
    SELECT product_id, SUM(quantity) AS total_sold
    FROM Order_Item
    GROUP BY product_id
    ORDER BY total_sold DESC
)
WHERE ROWNUM = 1
);

```

```

+-----+
| name  |
+-----+
| Apple |
+-----+

```

♦ Step-by-Step Execution

1 Analyze the `Order_Item` Table

Before writing the query, let's check the data from `Order_Item` :

order_id	product_id	quantity	subtotal (\$)
101	1	2	5.00
101	2	3	5.40
102	3	1	3.20
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2 Query Breakdown

The **inner subquery** calculates the **total quantity** sold for each product:

sql

```
SELECT product_id, SUM(quantity) AS total_sold
FROM Order_Item
GROUP BY product_id
ORDER BY total_sold DESC;
```

✓ This returns:

product_id	total_sold
5	5
2	3
1	2
4	2
6	2
3	1

3 Select the Top 1 Product

Now, we limit the results to only the top product using `WHERE ROWNUM = 1`:

sql

```
SELECT product_id FROM (  
    SELECT product_id, SUM(quantity) AS total_sold  
    FROM Order_Item  
    GROUP BY product_id  
    ORDER BY total_sold DESC  
)  
WHERE ROWNUM = 1;
```

✓ This gives us:

product_id

5

4 Retrieve the Product Name

Now, we use this `product_id` to fetch the product name from the `Product` table:

```
sql

SELECT name FROM Product
WHERE product_id = (SELECT product_id FROM (
    SELECT product_id, SUM(quantity) AS total_sold
    FROM Order_Item
    GROUP BY product_id
    ORDER BY total_sold DESC
)
WHERE ROWNUM = 1);
```

✓ This gives us:

name
Apples

Retrieve employees who earn above the average salary of all employees

```
SELECT * FROM Employeee
WHERE salary > (SELECT AVG(salary) FROM Employeee);
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| employee_id | name          | role    | salary | hire_date |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|          2 | Liam Johnson | Manager | 5000.00 | 2022-08-15 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
```

Find customers who placed orders only in 2023 but not in 2024

```
SELECT * FROM Customer
WHERE customer_id IN (
    SELECT customer_id FROM Order_Details
```

```

WHERE order_date BETWEEN TO_DATE('2023-01-01', 'YYYY-MM-DD')
                        AND TO_DATE('2023-12-31', 'YYYY-MM-DD')
)
AND customer_id NOT IN (
    SELECT customer_id FROM Order_Details
    WHERE order_date BETWEEN TO_DATE('2024-01-01', 'YYYY-MM-DD')
                        AND TO_DATE('2024-12-31', 'YYYY-MM-DD')
);

```

Program did not output anything!

Subquery Tasks

1. Find customers who placed orders over **\$50**.

```

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    WHERE total_amount > 50
);

```

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2. Retrieve products that cost more than the **average product price**.

```

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3. Find employees hired after the **most recent hire date of a cashier**.

```

SELECT * FROM Employee
WHERE hire_date > (

```

```

SELECT MAX(hire_date) FROM Employeee
WHERE role = 'Cashier'
);

```

Program did not output anything!

4. List customers who **haven't placed any orders**.

```

SELECT * FROM Customer
WHERE customer_id NOT IN (
    SELECT DISTINCT customer_id FROM Order_Details
);

```

Program did not output anything!

5. Retrieve employees who earn **above the average salary**.

```

SELECT * FROM Employeee
WHERE salary > (SELECT AVG(salary) FROM Employeee);

```

employee_id	name	role	salary	hire_date
2	Liam Johnson	Manager	5000.00	2022-08-15