

Title: DB Assignment 4

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# SQL Section

1. What is the average length of films in each category? List the results in alphabetic order of categories.

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109 -- Query 1 : Finding average length of films in each category and listing result in alphabetical order of categories
110 • select category.name, round(avg(length),2) as Average_Length
111 from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using (film_id)
112 group by category.name
113 order by category.name;
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name	Average_Length
Action	111.61
Animation	111.02
Children	109.80
Classics	111.67
Comedy	115.83
Documentary	108.75
Drama	120.84
Family	114.78
Foreign	121.70
Games	127.84
Horror	112.48
Music	113.65
New	111.13
Sci-Fi	108.20
Sports	128.20
Travel	113.32

This query aims to find the average length of films in each category by selecting the category name and using the avg function to find the average length of films, rounded to two decimal places for my Average\_Length column for my output. Then I joined three tables (category, film\_category and film) using inner join, then grouping by the category name, and ordering the result in ascending order.

## 2. Which categories have the longest and shortest average film lengths?

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116 -- Query 2: Finding which categories have the longest and shortest film lengths
117 -- Finding category with longest average film
118 (Select category.name, round(avg(length),2) as Average_Length
119 from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using(film_id)
120 group by category.name
121 having avg(length) >=all(
122     select avg(length)
123     from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using(film_id)
124     group by category.name)
125 )
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127 union
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129 -- Finding category with shortest average film
130 (Select category.name, round(avg(length),2) as Average_Length
131 from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using(film_id)
132 group by category.name
133 order by Average_Length
134 limit 1);
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Result Grid		Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:
	name	Average_Length		
►	Sports	128.20		
	Sci-Fi	108.20		

This query aims to find which categories have the longest and shortest film lengths by using a union set operation to join two queries into a single result set. It has the category name and average length as output. The first query looks to find the category with the maximum average film length by using the group by clause and having average length greater than all that is in the subquery to produce the first row in the result table. The second query looks to find the category with the minimum average film length, by ordering by Average\_Length column in ascending order and returning only the first row of data that would contain the shortest average length film. The resulting table shows the category name as well as the longest and shortest average film length.

### 3. Which customers have rented action but not comedy or classic movies?

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137 -- Query 3: Finding which customers rented action but not comedy or classic movies
138 • Select distinct customer.customer_id, customer.first_name, customer.last_name
139 from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using(film_id) inner join inventory using(film_id)
140 inner join rental using (inventory_id) inner join customer using(customer_id)
141 where category.name = 'Action' and customer.active=1 and customer.customer_id not in(
142 Select distinct customer.customer_id
143 from category inner join film_category using(category_id) inner join film using(film_id) inner join inventory using(film_id)
144 inner join rental using (inventory_id) inner join customer using(customer_id)
145 where category.name in('Comedy','Classics'));
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	customer_id	first_name	last_name
▶	17	DONNA	THOMPSON
	90	RUBY	WASHINGTON
	139	AMBER	DIXON
	164	JOANN	GARDNER
	171	DOLORES	WAGNER
	213	GINA	WILLIAMSON
	223	MELINDA	FERNANDEZ
	232	CONSTANCE	REID
	250	JO	FOWLER
	323	MATTHEW	MAHAN
	330	SCOTT	SHELLEY
	350	JUAN	FRALEY
	361	LAWRENCE	LAWTON
	432	EDWIN	BURK
	433	DON	BONE
	445	MICHEAL	FORMAN
	452	TOM	MILNER

This query finds which customers rented action films but not comedy or classic films. It does this by joining 5 tables(category, film\_category, film, inventory, rental and customer) where when joined, the category name associated to a film when joined would have to be action, and the customer would have to be considered active. Furthermore, the customer's id should not be in a subquery where the category name is in the set of comedy and classics. The result was a table with 17 rows of data, showing the customer id, as well as their first and last name. The select distinct was used to remove duplicate results of a customer id showing enabling just one result for a customer's name that rented action movies but not comedy or classic ones.

#### 4. Which actor has appeared in the most English-language movies?

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148 -- Query 4: Finding which actor has appeared in the most English-language movies
149 • Select distinct actor.actor_id, actor.first_name, actor.last_name, count(film_id) as Films
150 from actor inner join film_actor using(actor_id) inner join film using(film_id) inner join language using(language_id)
151 where language.name='English'
152 group by actor.actor_id
153 having count(film_id) >=all (
154     select count(film_id)
155     from actor inner join film_actor using(actor_id) inner join film using(film_id) inner join language using(language_id)
156     where language.name='English'
157     group by actor.actor_id
158 );
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Result Grid	Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:
actor_id	first_name	last_name	Films
▶ 107	GINA	DEGENERES	42

This query aims to find which actor appeared in the most English-language movies. Select distinct was used to remove duplicates of an actor's id appearing, and the actor's first name, last name, and count of the number of films were selected to be shown in the resulting table. Four tables were joined (actor, film\_actor, film, and language). The where clause specified that the language name had to be English, and it was grouped by the actor\_id. A subquery was then used to find and return the actor\_id with the highest film\_id count.

#### 5. How many distinct movies were rented for exactly 10 days from the store where Mike works?

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160 -- Query 5: How many distinct movies were rented for exactly 10 days from the store where Mike works
161 • Select count(distinct film_id) as Number_of_Movies
162 from film inner join inventory using(film_id) inner join store using(store_id) inner join staff using(store_id) inner join rental using(staff_id)
163 where staff.first_name = 'Mike' and datediff(rental.return_date,rental_date)=10;
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Result Grid	Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:
Number_of_Movies			
▶ 759			

This query aims to find the amount of movies that were rented for exactly 10 days from the store a staff named Mike works. This query does so by using the count function to count the distinct film ids. Five tables were joined (film, inventory, store, staff and rental) where the staff's first name has to be Mike and the datediff function, which calculates the difference between the return date and the rental date, returns a value equal to 10.

#### 6. Alphabetically list actors who appeared in the movie with the largest cast of actors.

--N/A due to errors

# ERD Diagram

