

SQL (Structured Query Language)

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String & Date Functions

STRING Functions

The following functions perform an operation on a string input value and return a string or numeric value:

ASCII	NCHAR	STR
CHAR	REPLACE	SPACE
LEFT	REPLICATE	SUBSTRING
LEN	REVERSE	UPPER
LOWER	RIGHT	
LTRIM	RTRIM	

STRING Functions

- Select ASCII('A');
- Select CHAR(6);
- Select CHARINDEX('C','ABCD',1);
- Select LEFT('SQL Session',3);
- Select RIGHT('SQL Session',7);
- Select LEN('SQL Session');
- Select LTRIM(' SQL Session');
- Select RTRIM('SQL Session ');
- Select LOWER('SQL Session');
- Select UPPER('SQL Session');
- Select SPACE(10)+ UPPER('SQL Session'); -- Concat is using + operator
- Select REPLACE('ABCD','BC','FG');
- Select REPLICATE('ABCD',2);
- Select REVERSE('ABCD');
- Select STR(65.45,2,1);--converts float, len, decimal optional
- Select SUBSTRING('ABCD',1,2);

DATE Functions

The following functions perform an operation on a string input value and return a string or numeric value:

Function	Description
GETDATE()	Returns the current date and time
DATEPART()	Returns a single part of a date/time
DATEADD()	Adds or subtracts a specified time interval from a date
DATEDIFF()	Returns the time between two dates
CONVERT()	Displays date/time data in different formats

TOP Clause

The SQL TOP clause is used to fetch a TOP N number or X percent records from a table.

Syntax:

SELECT TOP number|percent column_name(s) FROM table_name WHERE [condition];

Example:

SELECT TOP 3 * FROM CUSTOMERS;

SQL Alias

SQL Aliases are defined for columns and tables. Basically aliases is created to make the column selected more readable.

Aliases is more useful when

- There are more than one tables involved in a query,
- Functions are used in the query,
- The column names are big or not readable,
- More than one columns are combined together

SQL Alias-Example

Example:

SELECT CustomerName AS Customer, ContactName AS [Contact Person] FROM Customers;

Displaying Data From Multiple Tables-Joins

SQL Joins

- SQL Joins are used to relate information in different tables.
- A Join condition is a part of the sql query that retrieves rows from two or more tables.
- A SQL Join condition is used in the SQL WHERE Clause of select, update, delete statements.

Types of Joins

JOINs in SQL Server can be classified as follows:

- INNER JOIN
- OUTER JOIN
- Non Eqijoins
- Self Join
- CROSS JOIN

The Syntax for joining two tables

```
SELECT col1, col2, col3...
FROM table_name1, table_name2
WHERE table_name1.col2 = table_name2.col1;
```

INNER JOIN

• Inner joins return rows only when there is at least one row from both tables that matches the join condition.

• Inner joins eliminate the rows that do not match with a row from the other table.

INNER -Example

SELECT orders1.ordernumber,customers.City

FROM Orders1

INNER JOIN Customers

ON

orders1.Customernumber=customers.Customernumber;

LEFT OUTER JOIN

Left Outer joins return all rows from the left table referenced with a left outer join and matching rows from other table.

Unmatched records will be NULL.

LEFT OUTER JOIN-Example

SELECT customers.CustomerNumber, orders1.Amount,items.Description

FROM customers

LEFT OUTER JOIN orders1

ON

(customers.CustomerNumber=orders1.CustomerNumber)

RIGHT OUTER JOIN

Right Outer joins return all rows from the right table referenced with a right outer join and matching rows from other table.

Unmatched records will be NULL.

RIGHT OUTER JOIN-Example

SELECT customers.CustomerNumber, orders1.Amount

FROM orders1

RIGHT OUTER JOIN customers

ON

customers.CustomerNumber=orders1.CustomerNumber

FULL OUTER JOIN

Full Outer joins return all rows from both the tables. Unmatched records will be NULL.

Example:

SELECT customers.CustomerNumber+2, orders1.Amount FROM customers FULL OUTER JOIN orders1 ON customers.CustomerNumber+2=orders1.CustomerNumber

Non Equijoins Joins

■ **SQL Non equijoins:** It is a Sql join condition which makes use of some comparison operator other than the equal sign like >, <, >=, <=

SELECT name, age FROM employee WHERE salary != 30000

Self Joins

Example SQL Self Join:

```
SELECT a.sales_person_id, a.name, a.manager_id, b.sales_person_id, b.name FROM sales_person a, sales_person b WHERE a.manager_id = b.sales_person_id;
```

CROSS JOIN

In cross joins, each row from first table joins with all the rows of another table.

If there are m rows from Table1and n rows from Table2, then result set of these tables will have m*n rows.

CROSS JOIN Example

SELECT Zip, FirstName, amount

FROM Orders1

CROSS JOIN Customers

Set Operators

Set Operators

According to SQL Standard there are following Set operator types:

- UNION
- UNION ALL
- INTERSECT
- EXCEPT (Minus in Oracle)

UNION Operator

- The UNION operator is used to combine the result-set of two or more SELECT statements.
- Notice that each SELECT statement within the UNION must have the same number of columns.
- The columns must also have similar data types. Also, the columns in each SELECT statement must be in the same order.

UNION Example

Union cities from table1 and table2

SELECT city FROM table1

UNION

SELECT city FROM table2;

Union ALL Operator

Union all allows all duplicate values in the output set.

Example:

SELECT city FROM table1

UNION ALL

SELECT city FROM table2;

Intersect Operator

Intersect returns only these rows, which are in both tables.

Example:

SELECT city FROM table1

INTERSECT

SELECT city FROM table2;

Except Operator (Minus)

Except returns unique rows that are returned by the first query but are NOT returned by the second query.

Example:

SELECT city FROM table1

EXCEPT

SELECT city FROM table2

SubQueries

Subquery

- Subquery or Inner query or Nested query is a query in a query.
- A subquery is usually added in the WHERE Clause of the Sql statement.
- Subqueries can be used with the following sql statements along with the comparison operators like =, <, >, >=, <= etc.

SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE

Subquery

A subquery can be used in the places of a query are

- Within the list of columns in the SELECT statement
- With the FROM clause
- With the WHERE clause
- With the HAVING clause
- With the GROUP BY clause.

Subquery Example

SELECT firstname, City

FROM customers

WHERE city IN ('Plano', 'Reo');

SELECT customernumber, lastname

FROM customers

WHERE state NOT IN ('CA');

Subquery Example

SELECT FirstName, Zip, State

FROM Customers

WHERE city IN (SELECT city

FROM Customers

WHERE city= 'Plano');

Correlated subquery

- A query is called correlated subquery when both the inner query and the outer query are interdependent.
- For every row processed by the inner query, the outer query is processed as well.
- The inner query depends on the outer query before it can be processed.

Correlated-Example

SELECT zip FROM customers

WHERE customernumber =

(SELECT CustomerNumber from customers where city ='Reo')

Correlated-Example

SELECT last_name, salary

FROM employee

WHERE salary >(SELECT salary FROM employee WHERE last_name = 'Able');

SELECT * FROM employee WHERE salary >(SELECT Min(salary) FROM employees)

Other Database Objects

Views

- In SQL, a view is a virtual table based on the result-set of an SQL statement.
- A view contains rows and columns, just like a real table. The fields in a view are fields from one or more real tables in the database.
- You can add SQL functions, WHERE, and JOIN statements to a view and present the data as if the data were coming from one single table.

Types of Views -Simple View

When we create a view on a single table, it is called simple view.

In simple view we can insert, update, delete data. We can only insert data in simple view if we have primary key and all not null fields in the view.

Simple View-Example

Syntax:

CREATE VIEW view_name AS SELECT column_name(s) FROM table_name WHERE condition

Example:

CREATE VIEW mycus AS SELECT * FROM customers

Types of Views -Complex View

When we create a view on more than one table, it is called complex view.

Example:

```
Create VIEW vw_Employee_Personal_Info
```

As

```
Select e.Emp_ID,
e.Emp_Name,e.Emp_Designation,p.DOB,p.Mobile
```

From Employee_Test123 e INNER JOIN Personal_Info p

On e.Emp_Name = p. Emp_Name;

Select * from vw_employee_personal_info

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