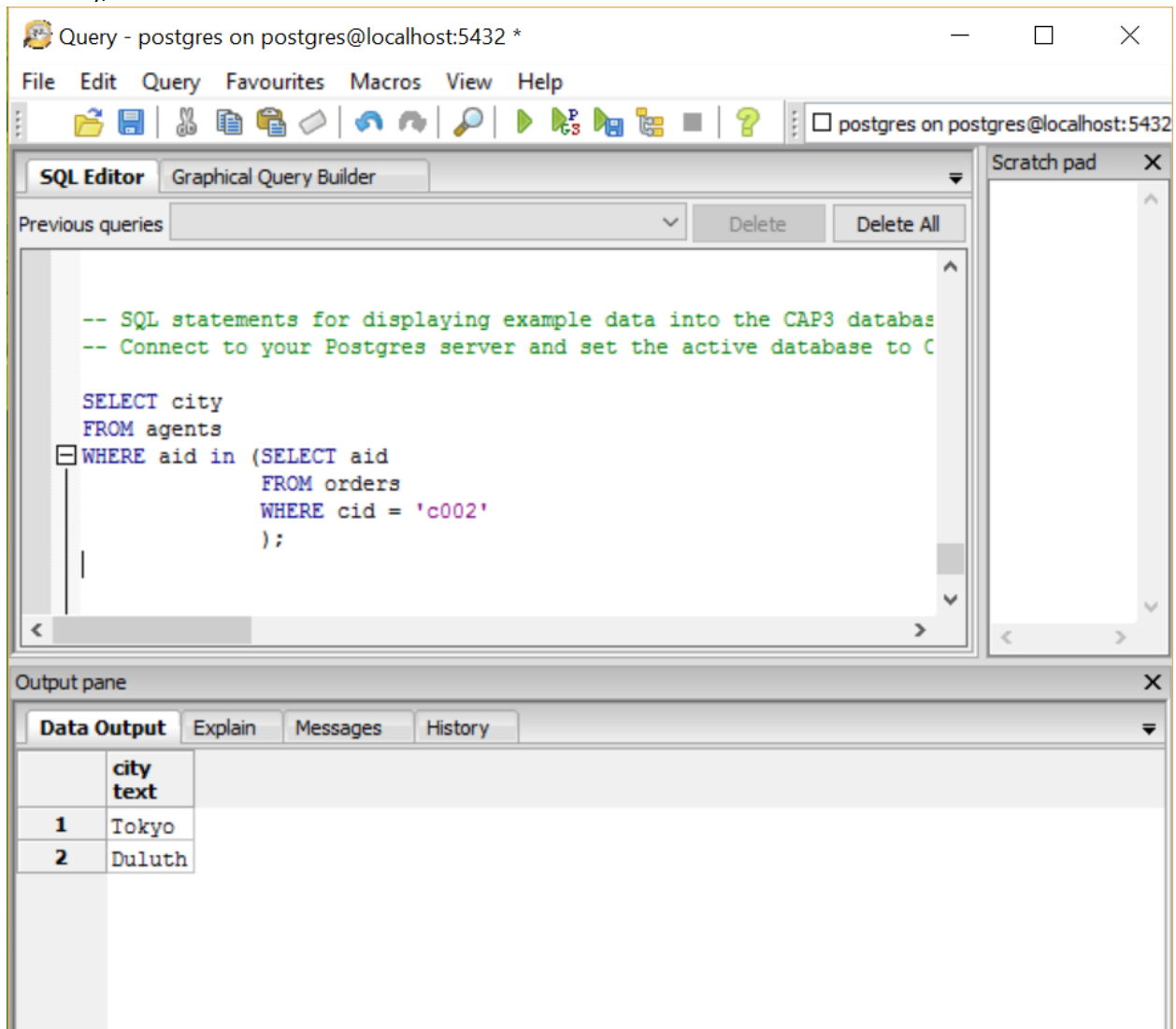


1. Get the cities of agents booking an order for a customer whose cid is 'c002'.

```
SELECT city
FROM agents
WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
              FROM orders
              WHERE cid = 'c002'
             );
```



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```
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SELECT city
FROM agents
WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
              FROM orders
              WHERE cid = 'c002'
             );
```

Below the SQL Editor is the "Output pane", which has tabs for "Data Output", "Explain", "Messages", and "History". The "Data Output" tab is selected, showing the results of the query in a table:

	city text
1	Tokyo
2	Duluth

2. Get the ids of products ordered through any agent who takes at least one order from a customer in Dallas, sorted by pid from highest to lowest. (This is not the same as asking for ids of products ordered by customers in Dallas.)

```
SELECT pid
FROM orders
WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
              FROM agents
              WHERE city in (SELECT city
                           FROM customers
                           WHERE city = 'Dallas'
                           )
              )
GROUP BY pid
ORDER BY count(pid) DESC;
```

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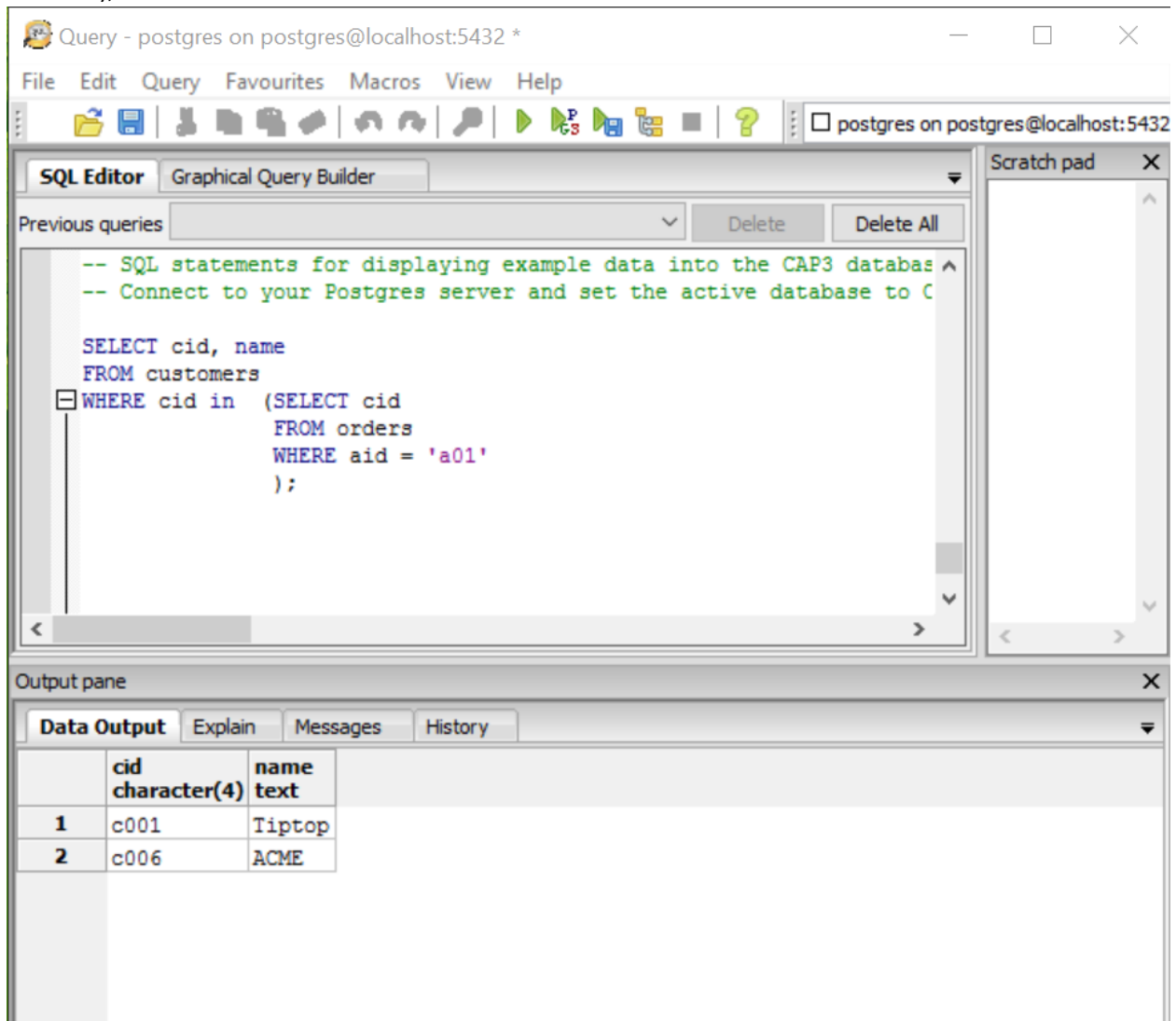
```
SELECT pid
FROM orders
WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
              FROM agents
              WHERE city in (SELECT city
                           FROM customers
                           WHERE city = 'Dallas'
                           )
              )
GROUP BY pid
ORDER BY count(pid) DESC;
```

Below the SQL Editor is the "Output pane" with tabs for "Data Output", "Explain", "Messages", and "History". The "Data Output" tab is active, showing a table with two columns: "pid" and "character(3)". The table contains two rows of data:

	pid	character(3)
1	p01	
2	p03	

3. Get the ids and names of customers who did not place an order through agent a01.

```
SELECT cid, name
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE aid = 'a01'
             );
```



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```
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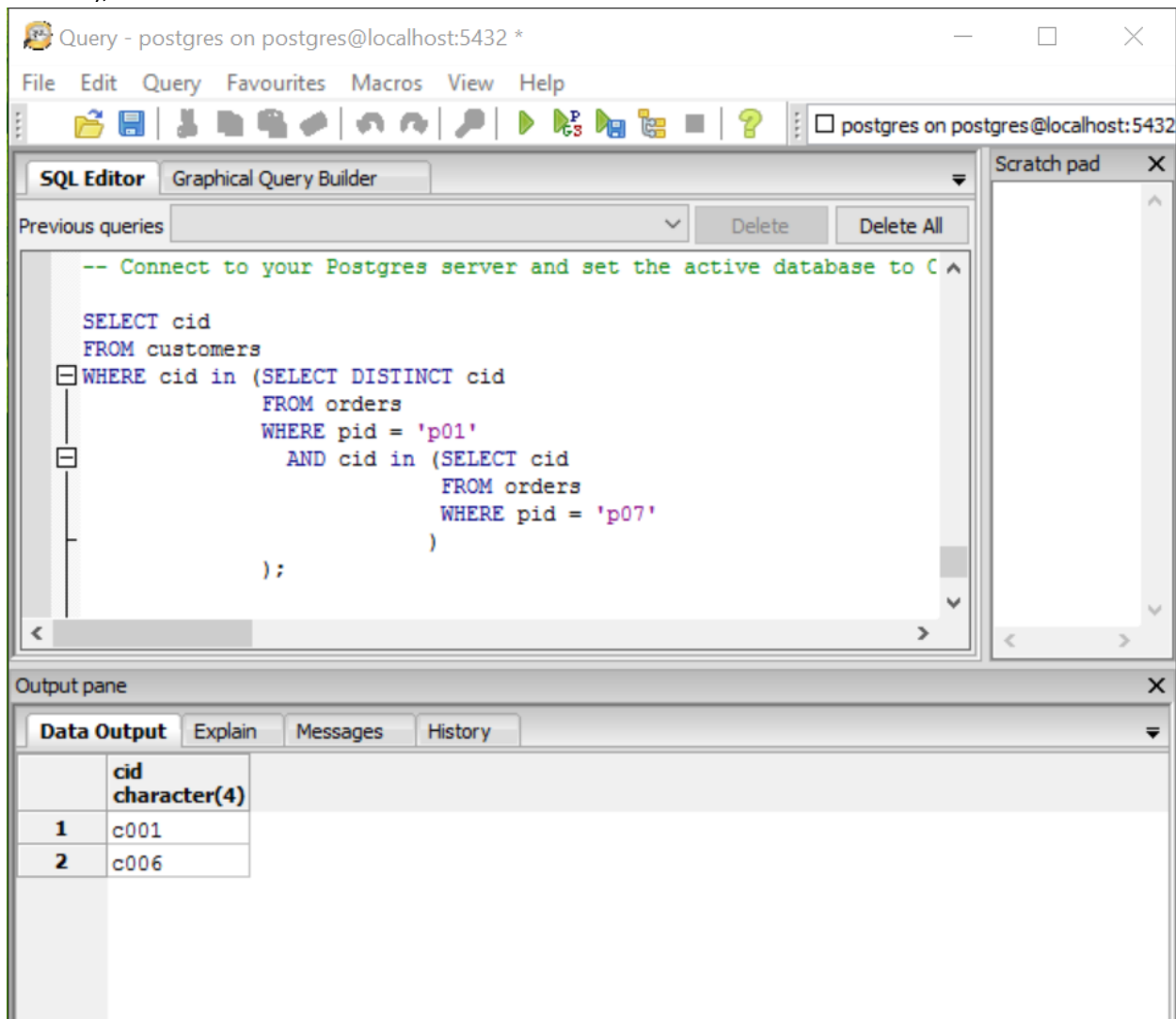
SELECT cid, name
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE aid = 'a01'
             );
```

Below the SQL Editor is the "Output pane" with tabs for "Data Output", "Explain", "Messages", and "History". The "Data Output" tab is active, showing the results of the query in a table format:

	cid character(4)	name text
1	c001	Tiptop
2	c006	ACME

4. Get the ids of customers who ordered both product p01 and p07.

```
SELECT cid
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT DISTINCT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE pid = 'p01'
              AND cid in (SELECT cid
                          FROM orders
                          WHERE pid = 'p07'
                          )
              );
```



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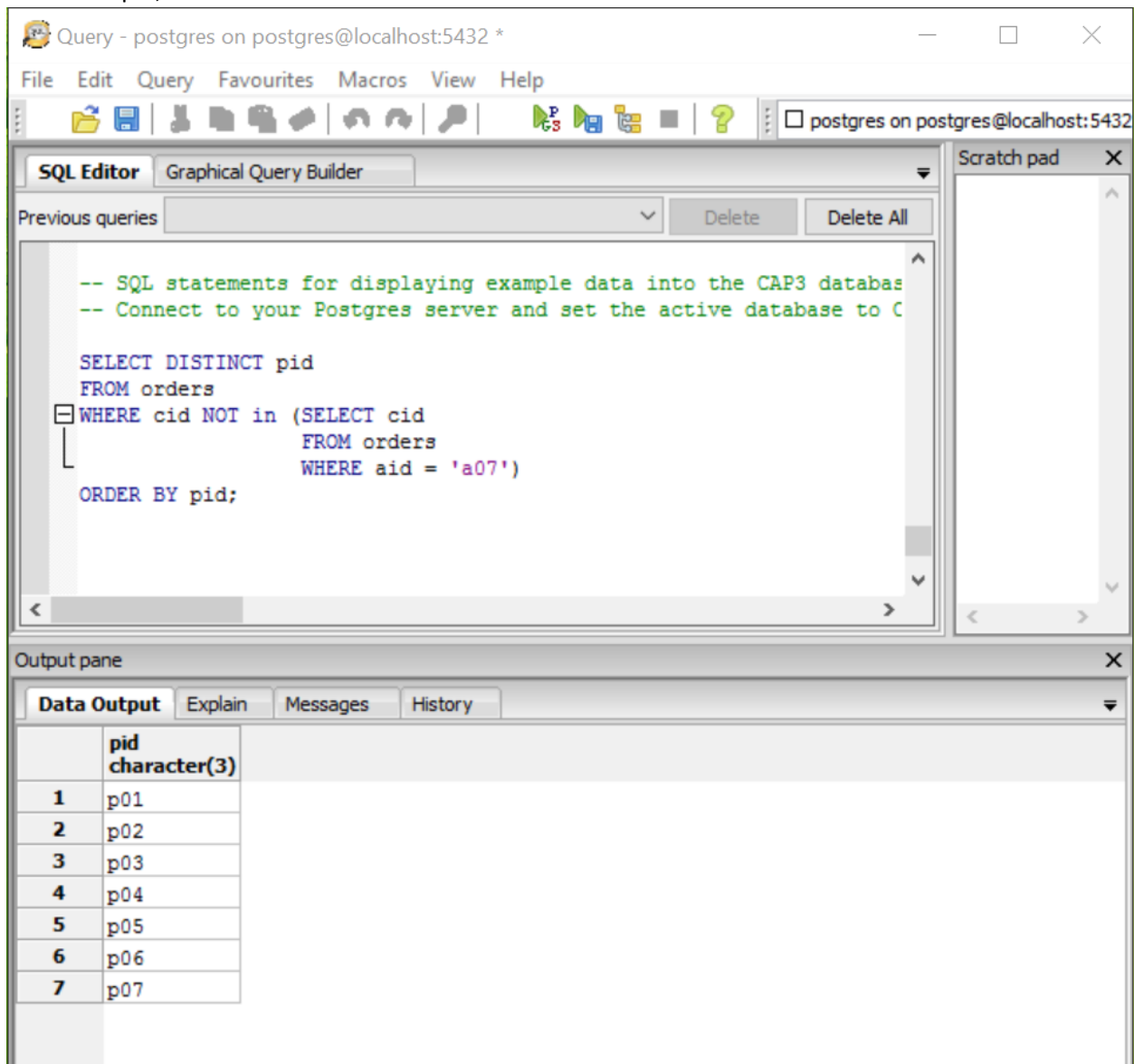
```
-- Connect to your Postgres server and set the active database to C
SELECT cid
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT DISTINCT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE pid = 'p01'
              AND cid in (SELECT cid
                          FROM orders
                          WHERE pid = 'p07'
                          )
              );
```

Below the SQL Editor is the "Output pane" with tabs for "Data Output", "Explain", "Messages", and "History". The "Data Output" tab is active, showing the results of the query in a table format:

	cid character(4)
1	c001
2	c006

5. Get the ids of products not ordered by any customers who placed any order through agent a07 in pid order from highest to lowest.

```
SELECT DISTINCT pid
FROM orders
WHERE cid NOT in (SELECT cid
                  FROM orders
                  WHERE aid = 'a07')
ORDER BY pid;
```



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```
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SELECT DISTINCT pid
FROM orders
WHERE cid NOT in (SELECT cid
                  FROM orders
                  WHERE aid = 'a07')
ORDER BY pid;
```

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	pid character(3)
1	p01
2	p02
3	p03
4	p04
5	p05
6	p06
7	p07

6. Get the name, discounts, and city for all customers who place orders through agents in London or New York.

```
SELECT name, discount, city
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT DISTINCT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
                           FROM agents
                           WHERE city in ('London', 'New York')
                           )
              );
```

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```
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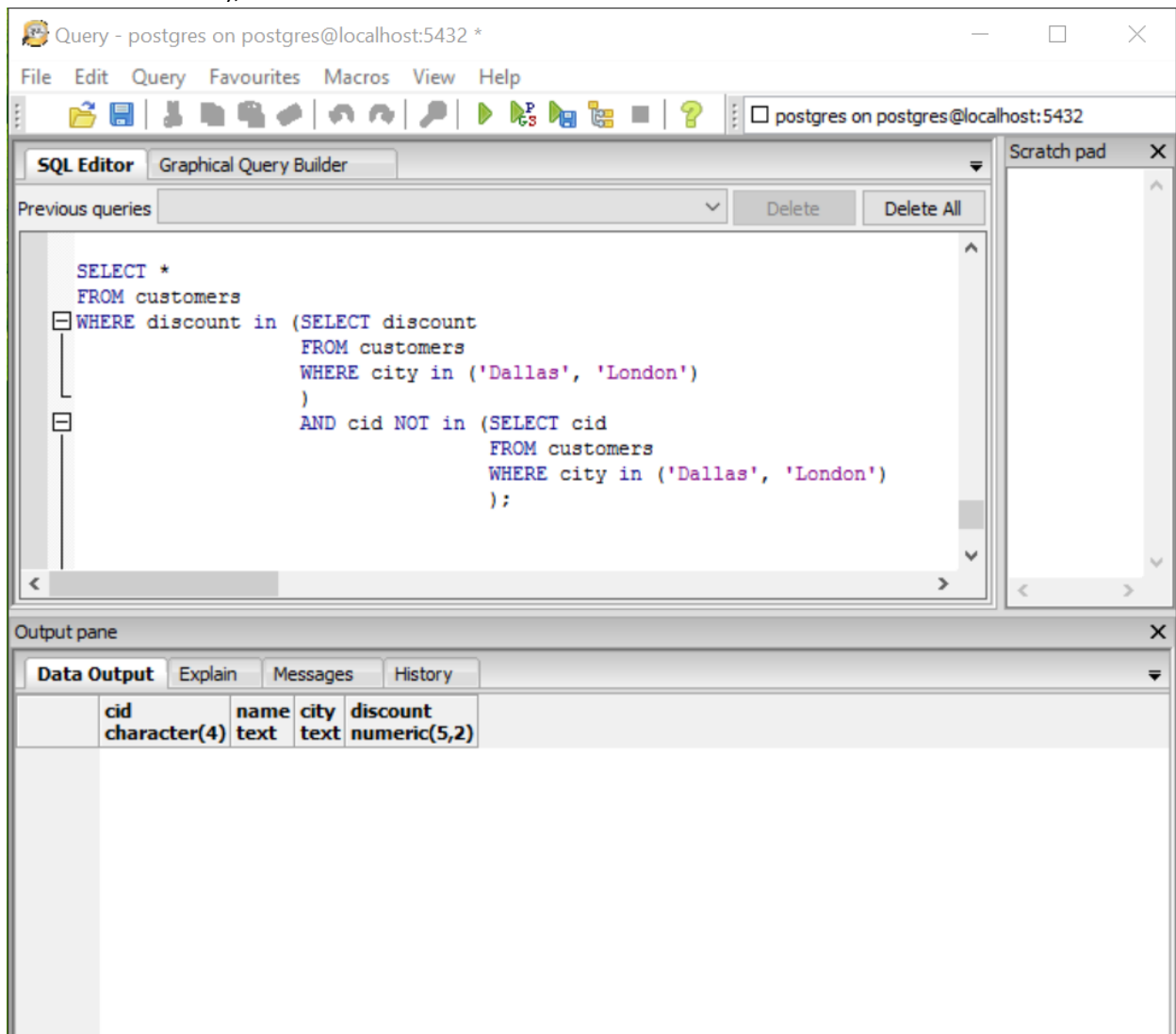
SELECT name, discount, city
FROM customers
WHERE cid in (SELECT DISTINCT cid
              FROM orders
              WHERE aid in (SELECT aid
                           FROM agents
                           WHERE city in ('London', 'New York')
                           )
              );
```

Below the SQL Editor is the "Output pane" with tabs for "Data Output", "Explain", "Messages", and "History". The "Data Output" tab is active, showing a table with the following data:

	name text	discount numeric(5,2)	city text
1	Tiptop	10.00	Duluth
2	ACME	0.00	Kyoto

7. Get all customers who have the same discount as that of any customers in Dallas or London

```
SELECT *
FROM customers
WHERE discount in (SELECT discount
                   FROM customers
                   WHERE city in ('Dallas', 'London'))
AND cid NOT in (SELECT cid
                FROM customers
                WHERE city in ('Dallas', 'London'))
);
```



8. Tell me about check constraints: What are they? What are they good for? What's the advantage of putting that sort of thing inside the database? Make up some examples of good uses of check constraints and some examples of bad uses of check constraints. Explain the differences in your examples and argue your case.

Check constraints are the limitations that validate the kind of data is being entered into a record. Check constraints can be anything that identify acceptable data into a column of a database. For example, there can be a check constraint on days of a week that ranges from 1 till 7. This way, the data will be consistent and the probability of making a mistake decreases. On the other hand, a constraint for address check (in a registration database, for instance), where State has to have two characters might not be a good constraint. People who come from other countries would not be able to provide state names simply because not every country has states, and some countries have regions that are names that cannot be abbreviated into two characters. This constraint can be very frustrating and not allow an otherwise eligible person to register simply because of the constraint. Entering some two random characters will mislead people and make the data inaccurate. So, check constraints can be very powerful and make a database be more accurate and consistent, or, if used carelessly, bring a lot of trouble to the users of the database.