## USMAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

## Department of Computer Science CS311 Introduction to Database Systems

# Lab#2

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Basic data retrieval operations in SQL*Plus.		
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## **THEORY**

#### **SELECT Statement**

To extract data from the database, the SQL SELECT statement is used.

## **Capabilities of SELECT statement**

Following are the various operations that can be performed using SELECT:-

1. **Selection**: The selection capability can be used to choose rows in a table depending on the criteria to selectively restrict the rows.

## **Examples**

i. Selecting all employees whose salary is between 3500 and 5000 and who were hired after 31<sup>st</sup> July, 1981.

```
SELECT *
FROM EMP
WHERE (SAL BETWEEN 3500 AND 5000) AND HIREDATE >
TO_DATE('31-JUL-1981', 'DD-MON-YYYY');
```

ii. Selecting all employees whose job is either clerk or analyst and were hired between 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 1981 and 14<sup>th</sup> May, 1982.

```
SELECT * FROM EMP

WHERE (JOB = 'CLERK' OR JOB = 'ANALYST') AND HIREDATE BETWEEN

TO_DATE('23-JUL-1981', 'DD-MON-YYYY') AND

TO_DATE('14-MAY-1982', 'DD-MON-YYYY');
```



Figure 2.1: Data in a single table can be useful for several employees

2. **Projection**: It refers to choosing the columns in a table that are to be returned by a query. We can choose as few or as many columns of the table as we require.

## **Examples**

i. Selecting employee number, name and their job

SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, JOB

FROM EMP;

ii. Selecting employee number, name and their salary who do not earn commission

SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, SAL FROM EMP WHERE COMM IS NULL;

3. **Join**: To bring together data that is stored in different tables by creating a link through a column that both the tables share.

#### **Example**

To retrieve the employee name, their job and department name, we need to extract data from two tables, EMP and DEPT. This type of join is called *equijoin*-that is, values in the DEPTNO column on both tables must be equal. Equijoin is also called *simple join* or *inner join*. The output is shown in Figure 2.2.

SELECT E.ENAME, E.JOB, D.DNAME FROM EMP E, DEPT D WHERE E.DEPTNO = D.DEPTNO;

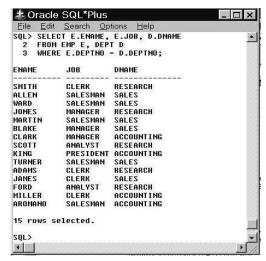


Figure 2.2: Joining tables using equi-join

**NOTE:** Different join operations are discussed in detail in lab session 3.

## **Comparison Operators**

Comparison operators are used in conditions that compare one expression to another. They are used in the WHERE or HAVING clause of the SELECT statement.

Operator	Meaning
=	Equal to
>	Greater than
>=	Greater than or equal to
<	Less than
<=	Less than or equal to
$\Leftrightarrow$	Not equal to

#### Table 2.1

Besides basic comparison operators (>, <, >=, <=, =, <>), Oracle SQL also supports following comparison operators:-

Operator	Meaning
BETWEEN AND	Between two values (inclusive)
IN (list)	Match any of a list of values
LIKE	Match a character pattern
IS NULL	Is a null value

**Table 2.2** 

#### **Examples**

i. To display record of employees who are not managers.

SELECT \* FROM EMP WHERE JOB <> 'MANAGER';

ii. To display the employee number, name, salary and the manager's employee number of all the employees whose manager's employee number is 7902, 7566, or 7788.

SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, SAL, MGR FROM EMP WHERE MGR IN (7902,7566,7788);

iii. To display the names of all employees with names starting with S,

SELECT ENAME FROM EMP WHERE ENAME LIKE 'S%';

**Note**: Above query performs wildcard searches using LIKE operator. Here % symbol represents any sequence of zero or more characters.

iv. To display the names of all employees with second character of name as A,

SELECT ENAME FROM EMP WHERE ENAME LIKE 'A%';

**Note**: Here \_ character represents any single character

## **Logical Operators**

A logical operator combines the result of two component conditions to produce a single result based on them or to invert the result of a single condition. Three logical operators are available in SQL as shown below: -

Operator	Meaning
AND	Returns TRUE if both component conditions are TRUE
OR	Returns TRUE if either component condition is TRUE
NOT	Returns TRUE if the following condition is FALSE

**Table 2.3** 

## **Examples**

• To display record of all clerks who earn more than 1100

```
SELECT empno, ename, job, sal
FROM emp
WHERE sal >= 1100
AND job = 'CLERK';
```

• To display record of all employees who are either clerks or earn more than 1100.

```
SELECT empno, ename, job, sal
FROM emp
WHERE sal >= 1100
OR job = 'CLERK';
```

 To display name and job title of all the employees whose are not CLERK, MANAGER, or ANALYST.

```
SELECT ename, job
FROM emp
WHERE job NOT IN ('CLERK', 'MANAGER', 'ANALYST');
```

#### **Rules of Precedence**

Order	Operator
Evaluated	
1	All comparison operators
2	NOT
3	AND
4	OR

Table 2.4

For example, consider the following statement:-

```
SELECT ename, job, sal FROM emp
WHERE job = 'SALESMAN'
OR job = 'PRESIDENT'
AND sal > 1500;
```

In the above example, there are two conditions:

- The first condition is that job is SALESMAN.
- The second condition is that job is CLERK and salary is greater than 1000.

Therefore the SELECT statement reads as follows:-

Select the row if an employee is a SALESMAN or an employee is a CLERK and earns more than 1000.

In order to force the OR operator to be evaluated before AND, use parentheses as follows:-.

SELECT ename, job, sal FROM emp WHERE (job = 'SALESMAN' OR job = 'PRESIDENT') AND sal > 1500;

## **Ordering Data**

The order of rows returned in a query result is undefined. The ORDER BY clause can be used to sort the rows. This clause comes last in the SELECT statement. ASC at the end of the ORDER BY clause specifies ascending order where as DESC specifies descending order. ASC is the default order.

## **Examples**

i. To select data in the increasing order of hiredate,

SELECT ENAME, JOB, DEPTNO, HIREDATE FROM EMP ORDER BY HIREDATE;

ii. To select data in the decreasing order of hiredate,

SELECT ENAME, JOB, DEPTNO, HIREDATE FROM EMP ORDER BY HIREDATE DESC;

iii. To sort by column alias,

SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, SAL\*12 ANNSAL FROM EMP ORDER BY ANNSAL;

iv. To sort by multiple columns,

SELECT ENAME, DEPTNO, SAL FROM EMP ORDER BY DEPTNO, SAL DESC;

**Note**: The DESC applies only to SAL column. The DEPTNO appears in ascending order.

v. To select list of names and jobs of all employees hired in 1987 in the alphabetical order of name

SELECT UPPER(ENAME) "EMP NAME", JOB FROM EMP WHERE TO\_CHAR(HIREDATE, 'YYYY') = 1987 ORDER BY ENAME;

vi. To print employee number, name, job, annual salary of all managers and clerks whose monthly salary is between 3000 and 5500 in descending order of annual salary.

```
SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, JOB, 12*SAL + NVL(COMM, 0)
ANNUAL_SALARY
FROM EMP
WHERE JOB = 'MANAGER' OR JOB = 'CLERK'
AND SAL BETWEEN 3000 AND 5500
ORDER BY ANNUAL_SALARY DESC;
```

#### **EXERCISES**

1. Define the different capabilities of SELECT statement? Give an example of each.

Following are the various operations that can be performed using SELECT.

 Selection: The selection capability can be used to choose rows in a table depending on the criteria to selectively restrict the rows.
 Selecting all employees whose salary is between 3500 and 5000 and who were hired after 31<sup>st</sup> July, 1981.

SELECT \*
FROM EMP
WHERE (SAL BETWEEN 3500 AND 5000) AND HIREDATE >
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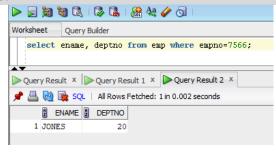
2. Projection: It refers to choosing the columns in a table that are to be returned by a query. We can choose as few or as many columns of the table as we require. Selecting employee number, name and their job

SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, JOB FROM EMP;

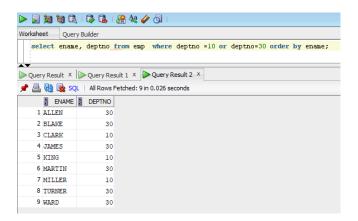
3. Join: To bring together data that is stored in different tables by creating a link through a column that both the tables share.

SELECT E.ENAME, E.JOB, D.DNAME FROM EMP E, DEPT D WHERE E.DEPTNO = D.DEPTNO;

- 2. Write down SQL queries to perform following functions:
  - i. To display the name and department number of employee with number 7566.



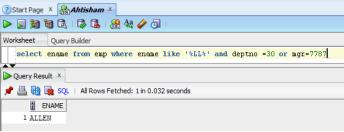
ii. To display the name and department number of all employees in departments 10 and 30 in alphabetical order by name.



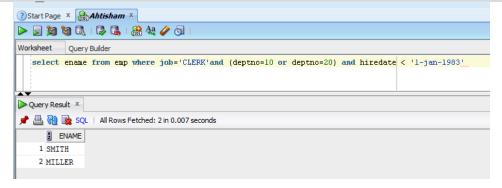
iii. To display the name, department number and hire date of all employees who were hired in 1982.



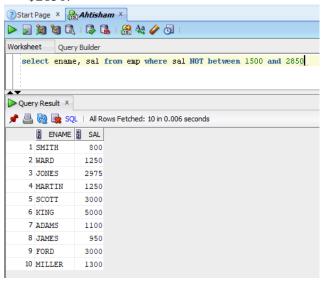
iv. To display the name of all employees who have two consecutive Ls in their name and are in department 30 or their manager is 7782.



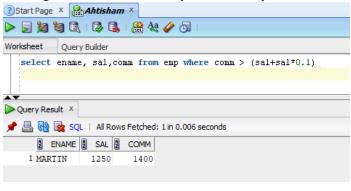
v. To display the name of all clerks of department 10 and 20 hired before 1983.



vi. Display the name and salary for all employees whose salary is not in range of \$1500 and \$2850.



vii. Display the name, salary and commission for all employees whose commission amount in greater than their salary increased by 10%.

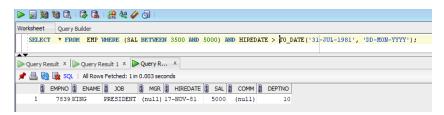


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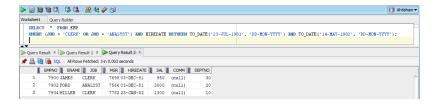
**EXAMPLE** 

#### **SELECTION**

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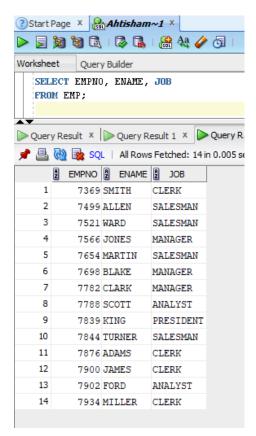


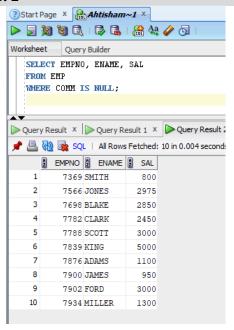
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#### **PROJECTION**

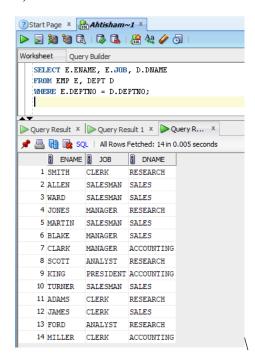
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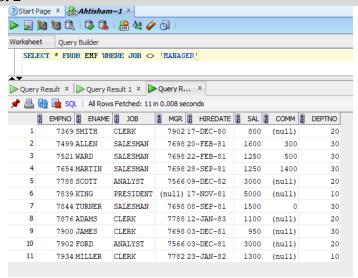


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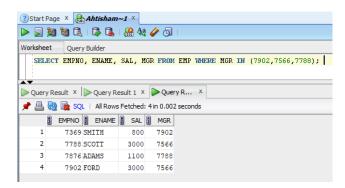
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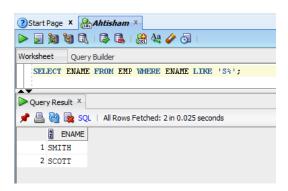
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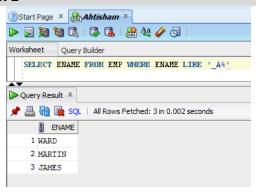


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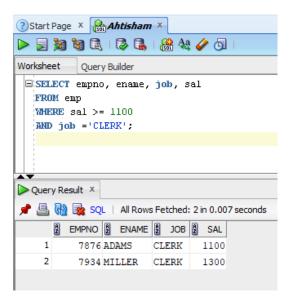
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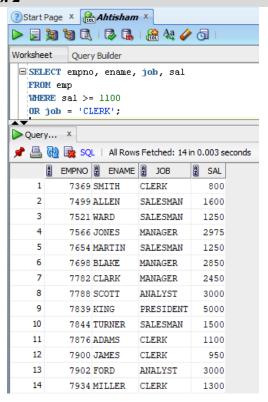




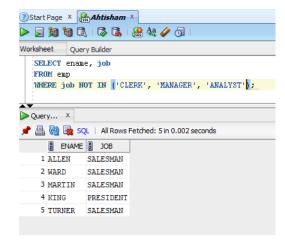
## LOGICAL OPERATOR

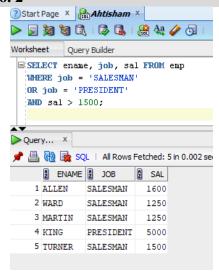
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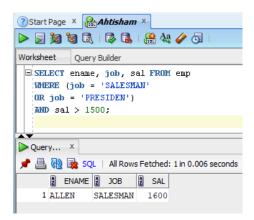


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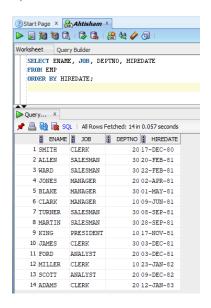




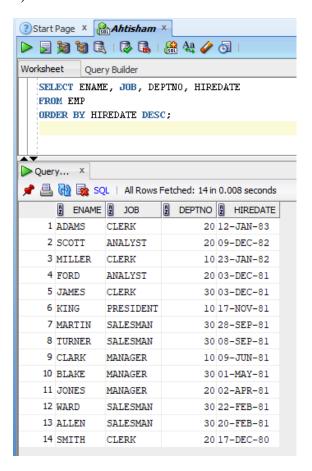
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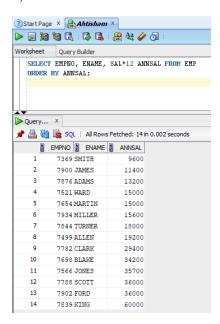
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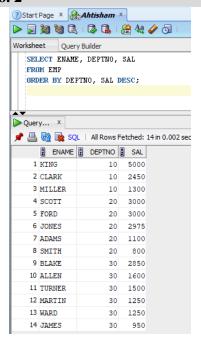


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