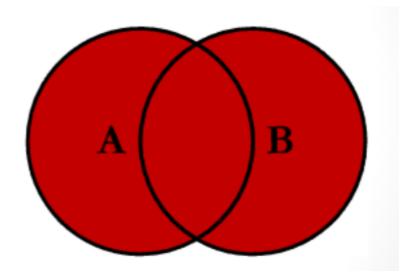


FULL OUTER JOIN & (LEFT, RIGHT, FULL OUTER) JOIN EXCLUDING INNER JOIN

MySQL doesn't have FULL OUTER JOIN

Simulate using UNION, LEFT and RIGHT JOINs

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SELECT * FROM TableA LEFT JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK
UNION
SELECT * FROM TableA RIGHT JOIN TableB
ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK
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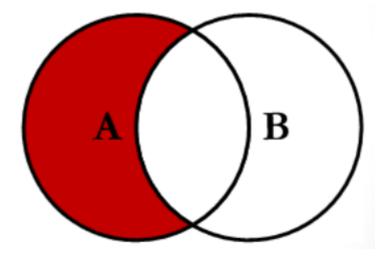
A full outer join is a type of join that returns all rows from both tables, even if there are no matching rows between the two tables. This means that the full outer join will return all rows from the left table, all rows from the right table, and any unmatched rows from either table.

```
SELECT *
FROM table1 FULL OUTER JOIN table2 ON table1.column1 = table2.column2;
```

Here are some business cases where full outer joins can be used:

- Identifying customers who have not placed any orders. A full outer join can
 be used to identify customers who have not placed any orders. This can be
 useful for marketing purposes, as you can target these customers with special
 offers or promotions.
- Identifying products that have not been ordered by any customers. A full
 outer join can be used to identify products that have not been ordered by any
 customers. This can be useful for product development purposes, as you can
 identify products that are not in demand and focus on developing new products
 that are more likely to be successful.
- **Getting a complete view of the data.** A full outer join can be used to get a complete view of the data. This can be useful for getting a better understanding of the data and for identifying trends.
- Combining data from different sources. A full outer join can be used to
 combine data from different sources. This can be useful for getting a more
 complete picture of the data and for identifying patterns that would not be visible
 if you only looked at one source of data.

LEFT JOIN EXCLUDING INNER JOIN



This query will return all of the records in the left table (table A) that do not match any records in the right table (table B).

TableA

PK	Value
1	FOX
2	COP
3	TAXI
6	WASHINGTON
7	DELL
5	ARIZONA
4	LINCOLN
10	LUCENT

TableB

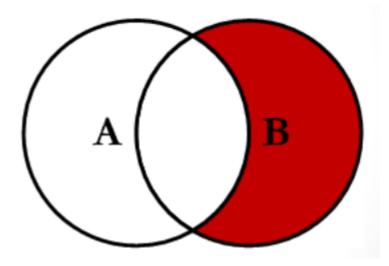
PK	Value
1	TROT
2	CAR
3	CAB
6	MONUMENT
7	PC
8	MICROSOFT
9	APPLE
11	SCOTCH

SELECT * FROM TableA LEFT JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK WHERE TableB.PK IS NULL

OUTPUT

TableA Value	PK	TableB PK	Value
LINCOLN	4	NULL	NULL
ARIZONA	5	NULL	NULL
LUCENT	10	NULL	NULL

RIGHT JOIN EXCLUDING INNER JOIN



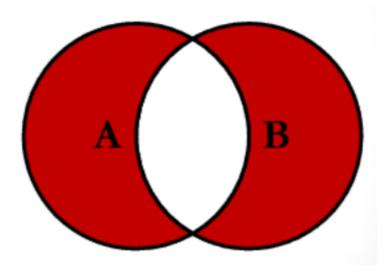
This query will return all of the records in the right table (table B) that do not match any records in the left table (table A)

SELECT * FROM TableA RIGHT JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK WHERE TableA.PK IS NULL

OUTPUT

TableA Value	PK	TableB PK	Value
NULL	NULL	8	MICROSOFT
NULL	NULL	9	APPLE
NULL	NULL	11	SCOTCH

FULL OUTER JOIN EXCLUDING INNER JOIN



• This query will return all of the records in Table A and Table B that do not have a matching record in the other table.

SELECT * FROM TableA FULL OUTER JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK WHERE TableA.PK IS NULL OR TableB.PK IS NULL

OUTPUT

TableA Value	PK	TableB PK	Value
NULL	NULL	8	MICROSOFT
NULL	NULL	9	APPLE
NULL	NULL	11	SCOTCH
LINCOLN	4	NULL	NULL
ARIZONA	5	NULL	NULL
LUCENT	10	NULL	NULL

How can we do this in MySQL?

- MySQL doesn't have FULL OUTER JOIN
- Simulate using UNION, LEFT and RIGHT JOINS

SELECT * FROM TableA LEFT JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK WHERE TableB.PK IS NULL UNION SELECT * FROM TableA RIGHT JOIN TableB ON TableA.PK = TableB.PK WHERE TABLEA.PK IS NULL