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# SQLite Cheat Sheet



**SQLite cheat sheet** lists the most common SQLite statements that help you work with SQLite more quickly and effectively.

## Managing databases

Attach another database to the current database connection:

```
1 ATTACH DATABASE file_name AS database_name;
```

Optimize the database:

```
1 VACUUM
```

## Managing Tables

Create a new table:

```
1 CREATE TABLE [IF NOT EXISTS] table(  
2     primary_key INTEGER PRIMARY KEY,  
3     column_name type NOT NULL,  
4     column_name type NULL,
```



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```
1 ALTER TABLE table_name RENAME TO new_name;
```

Add a new column to a table:

```
1 ALTER TABLE table ADD COLUMN column_definition;
```

Drop an existing column in a table:

```
1 ALTER TABLE table DROP COLUMN column_name;
```

Drop a table and its data:

```
1 DROP TABLE [IF EXISTS] table_name;
```

## Managing indexes

### Creating an index

```
1 CREATE [UNIQUE] INDEX index_name
2 ON table_name (c1,c2,...)
```

Delete an index:

```
1 DROP INDEX index_name;
```

Create an expression index:

```
1 CREATE INDEX index_name ON table_name(expression);
```

## Querying Data

[Query all data](#) from a table



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```
2 FROM table_name;
```

Query unique rows

```
1 SELECT DISTINCT (c1)
2 FROM table_name;
```

Query rows that match a condition using a [WHERE clause](#).

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM table_name
3 WHERE condition;
```

Rename column in the query's output:

```
1 SELECT c1 AS new_name
2 FROM table_name;
```

Query data from multiple tables using [inner join](#), [left join](#)

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM table_name_1
3 INNER JOIN table_name_2 ON condition;
```

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM table_name_1
3 LEFT JOIN table_name_2 ON condition;
```

Count rows returned by a query:

```
1 SELECT COUNT (*)
2 FROM table_name;
```



Sort rows using [ORDER BY](#) clause:

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```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM table_name
3 GROUP BY c1, c2, ...;
```

Filter group of rows using [HAVING](#) clause.

```
1 SELECT c1, aggregate(c2)
2 FROM table_name
3 GROUP BY c1
4 HAVING condition;
```

## Changing Data

[Insert a row into a table:](#)

```
1 INSERT INTO table_name(column1,column2,...)
2 VALUES(value_1,value_2,...);
```

[Insert multiple rows into a table in a single statement:](#)

```
1 INSERT INTO table_name(column1,column2,...)
2 VALUES(value_1,value_2,...),
3         (value_1,value_2,...),
4         (value_1,value_2,...)...
```

[Update all rows in a table:](#)

```
1 UPDATE table_name
2 SET c1 = v1,
3     ...
```

[Update rows that match with a condition:](#)

```
1 UPDATE table_name
2 SET c1 = v1,
```



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```
1 DELETE FROM table;
```

Delete rows specified by a condition:

```
1 DELETE FROM table
2 WHERE condition;
```

## Search

Search using [LIKE](#) operator:

```
1 SELECT * FROM table
2 WHERE column LIKE '%value%'
```

Search using [full-text search](#):

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM table
3 WHERE table MATCH 'search_query';
```

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