# Querying Using SQL

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#### NOTE

Any random extra query parameters were added due to either curiosity or a desire to shorten the query time.

#### Exercise 1

```
db_con <-
   DBI::dbConnect(
        drv = MySQL(),
        dbname = "airlines",
        host = "mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com",
        user = "mdsr_public",
        password = "ImhsmflMDSwR"
)</pre>
```

```
# A
db_con %>% class()
```

```
## [1] "MySQLConnection"
## attr(,"package")
## [1] "RMySQL"
```

The class is a MySQLConnection.

```
# B

DBI::dbListTables(db_con)
```

```
## [1] "airports" "carriers" "flights" "planes"
```

There are four separate tables in the database.

```
# C
# Described the contents of the airports table:
dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "DESCRIBE airports;"
) %>%
    nrow()
```

## [1] 9

There are 9 fields in airports.

```
# D
# Described the contents of the flights table:
dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "DESCRIBE flights;"
) %>%
    nrow()
```

## [1] 21

There are 21 fields in flights.

```
my_carriers <-
    DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT *
        FROM carriers;
    "
)
my_carriers %>% is.data.frame()
```

#### ## [1] TRUE

Cool thing I learned passively googling is that you can just do SQL queries directly in a separate code chunk if you specify sql as the language and provide it the connection we created earlier. The output is a table that is very easy on the eyes.

```
# Using SQL directly
SELECT * FROM carriers
```

Table 1: Displaying records 1 - 10

carrier	name
$\overline{02Q}$	Titan Airways
04Q	Tradewind Aviation
05Q	Comlux Aviation, AG
06Q	Master Top Linhas Aereas Ltd.
07Q	Flair Airlines Ltd.
09Q	Swift Air, LLC
0BQ	DCA
0CQ	ACM AIR CHARTER GmbH
0GQ	Inter Island Airways, d/b/a Inter Island Air
0HQ	Polar Airlines de Mexico d/b/a Nova Air

```
# B

my_carriers %>%
    object.size() %>%
    print(units = "Kb")
```

```
## 234.7 Kb
```

my\_carries is approximately 235 kilobytes large.

```
my_airports <-</pre>
   DBI::dbGetQuery(
   conn = db_con,
   statement = "
        SELECT *
       FROM airports;
)
## Warning in .local(conn, statement, ...): Decimal MySQL column 2 imported as
## numeric
## Warning in .local(conn, statement, ...): Decimal MySQL column 3 imported as
## numeric
# A and B
glue::glue("The airports data set has
          {my_airports %>% nrow()} rows and {my_airports %>% ncol()} columns.")
## The airports data set has
## 1458 rows and 9 columns.
```

```
DBI::dbGetQuery(
   conn = db_con,
   statement = "
       SELECT distance / air_time * 60 AS trvl_speed
       FROM flights
       LIMIT 0,5;
)
## Warning in .local(conn, statement, ...): Decimal MySQL column 0 imported as
## numeric
## trvl_speed
## 1 419.6296
## 2 512.5191
## 3 488.8776
## 4 396.5854
## 5 338.9189
# Using SQL directly
SELECT distance / air_time * 60 AS trvl_speed
FROM flights
LIMIT 5
```

Table 2: 5 records

rvl_speed
419.6296
512.5191
488.8776
396.5854
338.9189

```
# A
DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT *
        FROM flights
        WHERE arr_delay > 120
        LIMIT 0,5;
)
     year month day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time sched_arr_time
## 1 2010
             10
                  1
                           1
                                       2100
                                                  181
                                                            159
                                                                          2320
## 2 2010
                                       1920
                                                  281
                                                            230
             10
                  1
                           1
                                                                          2214
## 3 2010
             10
                           7
                                       2150
                                                  137
                                                            139
                                                                          2337
                  1
## 4 2010
             10
                  1
                          12
                                       2045
                                                  207
                                                            136
                                                                          2209
## 5 2010
             10
                          20
                                       2145
                                                  155
                                                            305
                                                                            27
                  1
     arr_delay carrier tailnum flight origin dest air_time distance cancelled
## 1
           159
                    XE N11137
                                 2558
                                         EWR OMA
                                                        162
                                                                1133
                                                                             0
## 2
           256
                    B6
                       N659JB
                                  562
                                         FLL
                                              SWF
                                                        131
                                                                1119
                                                                             0
                                                                             0
## 3
           122
                    DL N347NW
                                 1752
                                         ATL
                                             IAD
                                                        70
                                                                 533
           207
                    B6 N267JB
                                 1329
                                         BOS BWI
                                                        61
                                                                 370
                                                                             0
## 5
           158
                    B6 N715JB
                                  383
                                         LGA FLL
                                                        150
                                                                1076
                                                                             0
## diverted hour minute
                                    time_hour
## 1
           0 21
                       0 2010-10-01 21:00:00
## 2
           0 19
                       20 2010-10-01 19:20:00
## 3
           0 21
                      50 2010-10-01 21:50:00
## 4
            0 20
                       45 2010-10-01 20:45:00
## 5
            0 21
                       45 2010-10-01 21:45:00
# B
DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT year, month, day, dest
        FROM flights
        WHERE dest IN ('IAH', 'HOU')
        LIMIT 0,5;
)
     year month day dest
## 1 2010
                  1 HOU
             10
                  1 HOU
## 2 2010
             10
## 3 2010
                  1 HOU
             10
## 4 2010
             10
                  1 HOU
## 5 2010
             10
                  1 HOU
```

```
# C

DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT dep_time, dep_delay, arr_delay, carrier
        FROM flights
        WHERE carrier IN ('UA', 'AA', 'DL')
        LIMIT 0,5;
    "
)
```

```
dep_time dep_delay arr_delay carrier
##
## 1
        7
               -3
                     -9
## 2
                -4
        21
                        2
                                AA
## 3
        43
                -2
                         -7
                                AA
        119
## 4
               44
                         45
                                AA
## 5
        538
                3
                         15
                                AA
```

For fun I'll just use SQL directly on parts d, e and f.

```
# D
SELECT year, month, day
FROM flights
WHERE month BETWEEN 7 and 9 AND year = 2013
LIMIT 0,5;
```

Table 3: 5 records

year	month	day
2013	7	1
2013	7	1
2013	7	1
2013	7	1
2013	7	1

```
# E

SELECT dep_time, arr_time
FROM flights
WHERE dep_time = 2400 OR dep_time BETWEEN 0 and 600 AND year = 2013
LIMIT 0,5;
```

Table 4: 5 records

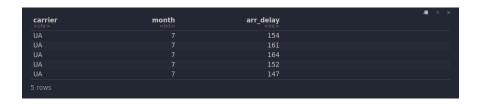
dep_time	arr_time
2400	341
2400	742
2400	51

dep_time	arr_time
2400	105
2400	521

```
# F

DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT carrier, month, arr_delay
        FROM flights
        WHERE carrier = 'UA' AND month = 7 AND arr_delay > 120 AND year = 2013
        LIMIT 0,5;
    "
)
```

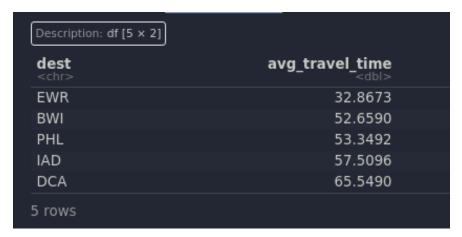
knitr::include\_graphics("images/prob\_f\_query.png")



```
# A
DBI::dbGetQuery(
   conn = db_con,
    statement = "
        SELECT carrier, MIN(dep_delay) AS minimum_delay
       FROM flights
       WHERE year = 2013 AND month = 6 AND day = 26
       GROUP BY carrier
       LIMIT 0,5;
)
     carrier minimum_delay
##
## 1
         9E
                      -19
## 2
                      -28
         AA
                      -22
## 3
         AS
## 4
         В6
                      -18
## 5
                      -19
# B
DBI::dbGetQuery(
    conn = db_con,
    statement = "
       SELECT carrier, MIN(dep_delay) AS minimum_delay, MAX(dep_delay) AS maximum_delay
       FROM flights
       WHERE year = 2013 AND month = 6 AND day = 26
       GROUP BY carrier
       LIMIT 0,5;
)
##
   carrier minimum_delay maximum_delay
## 1
         9E
                      -19
                                     506
## 2
                      -28
                                     877
         AA
## 3
                                     199
         AS
                       -22
                      -18
## 4
         В6
                                     406
## 5
         DL
                      -19
                                     721
```

This selects the carrier and destination columns unchanged. It also creates a new column for the AVERAGE arrival delay for each destination. This selection only occurs on June 26th, 2013 where the origin of the flight was BDL.

This is the same as the previous example, but instead we also calculate the average distance for each destination.



EWR was the shortest.

Description: df [5 × 2]	
dest <chr></chr>	avg_travel_time <dbl></dbl>
LAX	341.7165
LAS	310.8626
DEN	236.4110
DFW	205.8531
SJU	203.8560
5 rows	

LAX was the longest average travel time.

# Exercise 10

dest <chr></chr>	num_flights <dbl></dbl>
ORD	2657
BWI	2613
ATL	2277
CLT	1842
MCO	1789
5 rows	

ORD had the most flights.

```
# B
dbGetQuery(
```

tailnum <chr></chr>	num_flights <dbl></dbl>
NA	97
N128UW	36
N504MJ	35
N505MJ	35
N503MJ	34

Tail number  ${\tt N128UW}$  had the most flights.

dest <chr></chr>	numFlights <dbl></dbl>	avg_arr_delay <dbl></dbl>
ATL	2277	4.4704
BWI	2613	5.0325
DFW	1062	0.7495
FLL	1011	0.2770
MCO	1789	8.3784
ORD	2657	7.3643
6 rows		

carrier <chr></chr>	avg_dep_delay <dbl></dbl>
EV	10.7332
MQ	12.8813
WN	10.9046
3 rows	

dest <chr></chr>	numFlights <dbl></dbl>	avg_arr_delay <dbl></dbl>
ATL	2277	4.4704
BWI	2613	5.0325
ORD	2657	7.3643
MCO	1789	8.3784
4 rows		

##		dest	flight	carrier	name
##	1	EWR	4714	EV	Newark Liberty Intl
##	2	MIA	2015	AA	Miami Intl
##	3	DTW	1644	DL	Detroit Metro Wayne Co
##	4	BWI	2584	WN	Baltimore Washington Intl
##	5	ATL	1065	DL	Hartsfield Jackson Atlanta Intl
##	6	DCA	1077	US	Ronald Reagan Washington Natl
##	7	TPA	627	WN	Tampa Intl
##	8	MSP	797	DL	Minneapolis St Paul Intl
##	9	CLT	1705	US	Charlotte Douglas Intl
##	10	CVG	3787	9E	Cincinnati Northern Kentucky Intl

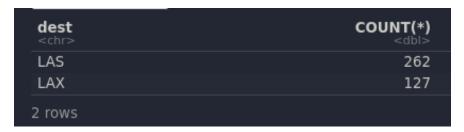
The destination airport for flight 4714 is Neward Liberty Intl.

```
# A
dbGetQuery(conn = db_con,
           statement = "SELECT dest, flight, carriers.carrier
                        FROM flights
                        JOIN carriers ON flights.carrier = carriers.carrier
                        WHERE year = 2013 AND month = 6 AND day = 26 AND origin = 'BDL' AND dest = 'MSP
                        LIMIT 10;"
    dest flight carrier
            797
## 1 MSP
                      DL
## 2
     MSP
            3338
                      9E
## 3 MSP
                      DL
            1226
# B
dbGetQuery(conn = db_con,
           statement = "SELECT dest, flight, carriers.carrier, carriers.name
                        FROM flights
                        JOIN carriers ON flights.carrier = carriers.carrier
                        WHERE year = 2013 AND month = 6 AND day = 26 AND origin = 'BDL' AND name = 'Mes
                        LIMIT 50;"
##
    dest flight carrier
            3755
## 1 ORD
                     YV Mesa Airlines Inc.
## 2 ORD
            3737
                      YV Mesa Airlines Inc.
## 3 IAD
           3745
                      YV Mesa Airlines Inc.
```

LEFT JOIN returns everything that matches the query for the flights dataset. Rows that don't have information in the airports dataset are kept, just get NAs tacked onto stuff that doesn't apply. JOIN doesn't work that way, and will exclude rows that aren't in both. Based on JOIN returning one less, it can be assumed that there's one row that isn't in both.

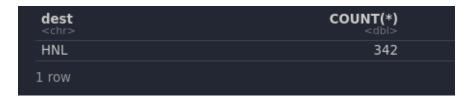
#### Exercise 17

This query is a combination of the flights on June 6th, 2016 where **either** (the origin is BDL **and** the destination is ORD) **or** (the origin is MSP **and** the destination is JFK).



LAS and LAX were the two destinations traveled to.

# Exercise 19



HNL was the only airport traveled to.

```
flights <- tbl(db_con, "flights")</pre>
carriers <- tbl(db_con, "carriers")</pre>
flights %>%
    select(carrier, tailnum) %>%
    head()
## # Source: lazy query [?? x 2]
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
       [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
## carrier tailnum
##
   <chr> <chr>
## 1 XE
           N11137
## 2 B6
           N659JB
## 3 B6
           N563JB
## 4 XE N16559
## 5 00 N908SW
## 6 AA
           N3FRAA
```

```
# A
flights %>%
    filter(arr_delay > 120) %>%
   head()
## # Source:
              lazy query [?? x 21]
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
       [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
##
     year month
                  day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time sched_arr_time
##
     <int> <int> <int>
                       <int>
                                        <int>
                                                  <int>
                                                         <int>
## 1 2010
             10
                    1
                             1
                                          2100
                                                    181
                                                              159
                                                                            2320
## 2 2010
             10
                                                    281
                                                              230
                                                                            2214
                    1
                                          1920
## 3 2010
           10
                    1
                             7
                                         2150
                                                    137
                                                              139
                                                                            2337
## 4 2010
                                                                            2209
           10
                    1
                            12
                                          2045
                                                    207
                                                              136
## 5 2010
           10
                            20
                                          2145
                                                    155
                                                              305
                                                                             27
                    1
## 6 2010
             10
                    1
                            30
                                          2135
                                                     175
                                                              130
                                                                            2233
## # ... with 13 more variables: arr_delay <int>, carrier <chr>, tailnum <chr>,
## # flight <int>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <int>, distance <int>,
## #
     cancelled <int>, diverted <int>, hour <int>, minute <int>, time_hour <chr>
# B
# Note: select() added just to showcase the query working w/ less columns.
flights %>%
   select(dest, tailnum, carrier) %>%
   filter(dest %in% c('IAH', 'HOU')) %>%
   head()
## # Source: lazy query [?? x 3]
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
       [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
##
   dest tailnum carrier
##
     <chr> <chr>
                  <chr>
## 1 HOU
         N527SW WN
## 2 HOU
          N347SW WN
## 3 HOU
          N262WN WN
## 4 HOU
          N660SW WN
## 5 HOU
          N741SA WN
## 6 HOU
          N791SW WN
# C
# summarise used to showcase the query working and not only returning AA flights.
flights %>%
    select(dest, tailnum, carrier) %>%
   filter(carrier %in% c('UA', 'AA', 'DL')) %>%
   group_by(carrier) %>%
   summarise(count = n())
```

```
## # Source:
               lazy query [?? x 2]
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
       [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
##
     carrier
               count
##
     <chr>>
                <dbl>
## 1 AA
             5216777
## 2 DL
             6469415
## 3 UA
             3830135
# D
flights %>%
    select(dest, tailnum, month) %>%
    filter(between(month, 7, 9)) %>%
    group_by(month) %>%
    summarise(count = n())
  ource: lazy query [?? x 2] Database: mysql 5.7.33-log [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
           month
                                3862620
# E
flights %>%
    filter(dep_time == 2400 | between(dep_time, 0, 600)) %>%
## # Source:
               lazy query [?? x 21]
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
       [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com:/airlines]
## #
##
                    day dep_time sched_dep_time dep_delay arr_time sched_arr_time
      year month
##
     <int> <int> <int>
                           <int>
                                           <int>
                                                      <int>
                                                                <int>
                                                                                <int>
## 1 2010
                                                                                 2320
              10
                      1
                                1
                                             2100
                                                        181
                                                                  159
## 2
     2010
              10
                      1
                               1
                                             1920
                                                        281
                                                                  230
                                                                                 2214
## 3 2010
            10
                      1
                                3
                                             2355
                                                          8
                                                                  339
                                                                                  334
## 4 2010
            10
                      1
                                5
                                             2200
                                                        125
                                                                   41
                                                                                 2249
                                7
## 5 2010
              10
                                             2245
                                                         82
                                                                  104
                                                                                 2347
                      1
## 6 2010
              10
                      1
                                7
                                               10
                                                         -3
                                                                  451
                                                                                  500
## # ... with 13 more variables: arr_delay <int>, carrier <chr>, tailnum <chr>,
     flight <int>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air_time <int>, distance <int>,
      cancelled <int>, diverted <int>, hour <int>, minute <int>, time_hour <chr>
# F
flights %>%
    filter(carrier == 'UA' & month == 7 & arr_delay > 120) %>%
    head()
```

```
## # Database: mysql 5.7.33-log
```

## # [@mdsr.cdc7tgkkqd0n.us-east-1.rds.amazona	√s.com:/airlines
--	------------------

##		year	${\tt month}$	day	dep_time	$sched\_dep\_time$	<pre>dep_delay</pre>	arr_time	sched_arr_time
##		<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>	<int></int>
##	1	2010	7	1	23	2130	173	148	2305
##	2	2010	7	1	1600	1216	224	1843	1502
##	3	2010	7	1	2049	1631	258	2210	1756
##	4	2010	7	1	2107	1415	412	18	1744
##	5	2010	7	1	2148	1735	253	2320	1936
##	6	2010	7	1	2205	1805	240	15	2024

<sup>## # ...</sup> with 13 more variables: arr\_delay <int>, carrier <chr>, tailnum <chr>,

<sup>## #</sup> flight <int>, origin <chr>, dest <chr>, air\_time <int>, distance <int>,

<sup>## #</sup> cancelled <int>, diverted <int>, hour <int>, minute <int>, time\_hour <chr>

```
db_con <- dbConnect(drv = RSQLite::SQLite(),</pre>
                    dbname = ":memory:")
dbWriteTable(conn = db_con,
            name = "whoTable",
             value = tidyr::who)
#Load the population table:
dbWriteTable(conn = db_con,
            name = "popTable",
             value = tidyr::population)
# A
dbGetQuery(conn = db_con,
           statement = "SELECT country, year, new_sp_m014
                       FROM whoTable
                       LIMIT 10;")
##
          country year new_sp_m014
## 1 Afghanistan 1980
## 2 Afghanistan 1981
                                NA
## 3 Afghanistan 1982
                                NA
## 4 Afghanistan 1983
                                NA
## 5 Afghanistan 1984
                                NA
## 6 Afghanistan 1985
## 7 Afghanistan 1986
                               NA
## 8 Afghanistan 1987
                               NA
## 9 Afghanistan 1988
                                NA
## 10 Afghanistan 1989
dbGetQuery(conn = db_con,
           statement = "SELECT country, year, new_sp_m014
                        FROM whoTable
                        WHERE country = 'United States of America' AND year >= 2010
                      country year new_sp_m014
## 1 United States of America 2010
## 2 United States of America 2011
                                            12
## 3 United States of America 2012
                                           10
## 4 United States of America 2013
                                          NA
```

```
##
                  country year avg_m014
## 1
              Afghanistan 2013
## 2
                  Albania 2013
                                      NA
## 3
                  Algeria 2013
                                      NA
## 4
           American Samoa 2013
                                      NA
## 5
                  Andorra 2013
                                      NA
                   Angola 2013
## 6
                                      NA
                 Anguilla 2013
## 7
                                      NA
      Antigua and Barbuda 2013
## 8
                                      NA
## 9
                Argentina 2013
                                      NA
## 10
                  Armenia 2013
                                      NA
```

Only got NAs here, not sure how to fix this in SQL.