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## Concept of Joins and Applications on Northwind schema

1. Practice different types of joins.

The different types of joins are self join, cross join, equi join, inner join, left outer join, right outer join, and full outer join.
Self join is a join of a table with itself.

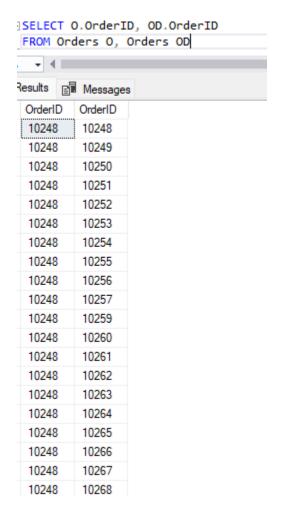


Figure 1: A query run on Orders table on northwind data. Shows self join and output.

Equi join is a type of join in where there is a condition specified in the WHERE / HAVING clause of the query. It is equivalent to theta join.

SELECT *  FROM Orders O  JOIN [Order Details] OD  ON OD.OrderID = 0.OrderID;						
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OrderID	CustomerID	EmployeeID	OrderDate	RequiredDate		
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000		
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000		
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000		
10249	TOMSP	6	1996-07-05 00:00:00.000	1996-08-16 00:00:00.000		
10249	TOMSP	6	1996-07-05 00:00:00.000	1996-08-16 00:00:00.000		
10250	HANAR	4	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10250	HANAR	4	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10250	HANAR	4	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10251	VICTE	3	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10251	VICTE	3	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10251	VICTE	3	1996-07-08 00:00:00.000	1996-08-05 00:00:00.000		
10252	SUPRD	4	1996-07-09 00:00:00.000	1996-08-06 00:00:00.000		
10252	SUPRD	4	1996-07-09 00:00:00.000	1996-08-06 00:00:00.000		
10252	SUPRD	4	1996-07-09 00:00:00.000	1996-08-06 00:00:00.000		
10253	HANAR	3	1996-07-10 00:00:00.000	1996-07-24 00:00:00.000		
10253	HANAR	3	1996-07-10 00:00:00.000	1996-07-24 00:00:00.000		
10253	HANAR	3	1996-07-10 00:00:00.000	1996-07-24 00:00:00.000		
10254	CHOPS	5	1996-07-11 00:00:00.000	1996-08-08 00:00:00.000		
10254	CHOPS	5	1996-07-11 00:00:00.000	1996-08-08 00:00:00.000		

Figure 2: An equi join implemented on a northwind schema.

In relational databases, a cross join, also known as a Cartesian product, is a type of join operation that returns all possible combinations of rows from two tables.

In a cross join, each row of the first table is combined with every row of the second table, resulting in a result set that has a number of rows equal to the product of the number of rows in each table. For example, if Table A has 5 rows and Table B has 3 rows, a cross join between the two tables would produce a result set with 15 rows (5 x 3).

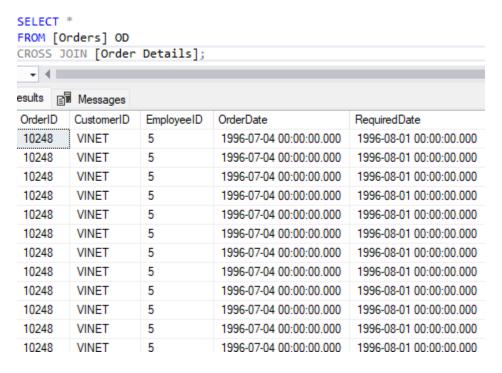


Figure 3: A cross join implemented on northwind schema.

An inner join is a type of join operation that returns only the rows that have matching values in both tables being joined.

In other words, an inner join combines rows from two tables based on a common column or set of columns, and only the rows that have matching values in both tables are included in the result set. The resulting table will contain only those rows that satisfy the join condition.

SELECT *   FROM Orders O   INNER JOIN [Order Details] OD   ON OD.OrderID = O.OrderID;   Image: Sesults   Messages   Messages   OrderID   OrderID						
OrderID	CustomerID	EmployeeID	OrderDate			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
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10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000			

Figure 4: Inner join exhibited. Notice the fact that the order ID for VINET customer is same, meaning a cross join was implemented on Order Details.

A left outer join (also known as a left join) is a type of join operation that returns all the rows from the left table and only the matching rows from the right table. If there is no match in the right table, the result will still include the row from the left table, but the values for the right table columns will be null.

In other words, a left outer join returns all the rows from the left table and the matching rows from the right table, if any. If there is no match in the right table, the result will still include the row from the left table, but the values for the right table columns will be null.

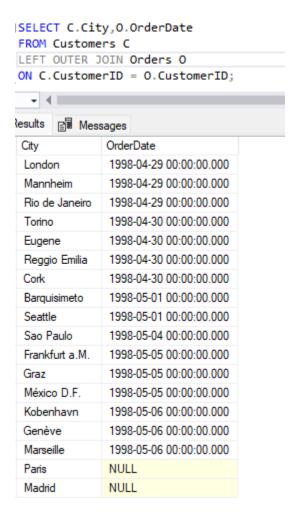


Figure 5: A query and its output exhibited for a left outer join, scrolled down to where a NULL attribute for a non-matching row was present.

A Right outer join (also known as right join) is the exact opposite of a left outer join.

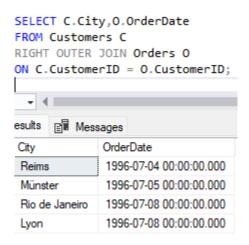


Figure 6: A query and output for a right outer join exhibited.

2. Check the difference between a Cross Join and a self-cross join.

Basically, both are the same. A Cross Join *unconditionally* joins the table having a cartesian product between the rows. While a self-cross join does exactly the same job, but is a *formalized* way of doing so. Below attached are two images, we can see that the output is exactly the same.

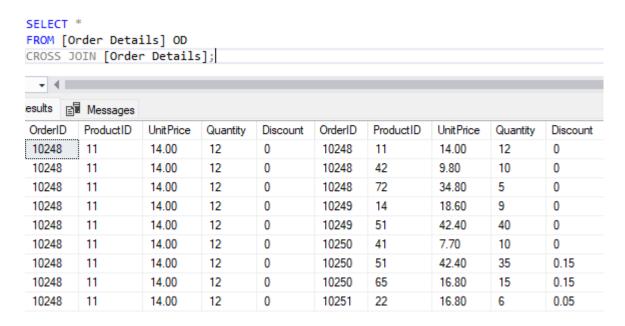


Figure 7: A self cross join on northwind schema.

SELECT *					
FROM [Orders] OD					
CROSS JOIN [Order Details];					
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OrderID	CustomerID	EmployeeID	OrderDate	RequiredDate	
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000	
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000	
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10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000	
10248	VINET	5	1996-07-04 00:00:00.000	1996-08-01 00:00:00.000	

Figure 8: Check that the theory for this and cross join in Figure 3 is exactly the same.

## 3. Advanced Tasks:

• Report all customers and their orders, who placed no orders.

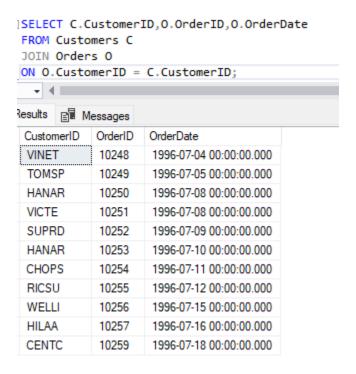


Figure 9: A query to report all customers and their orders, who placed no orders.

• Generate 5 copies of each employee. See Figure 10 on the next page.

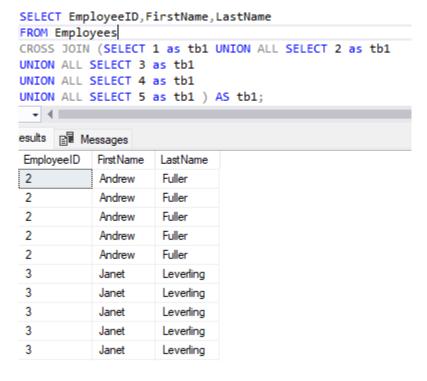


Figure 10: A query to generate 5 copies of each employee.

• Report the total orders of each customer. (customerID, totalorders)

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SELECT O.CustomerID, COUNT(O.CustomerID) totalOrders

FROM Orders O

GROUP BY O.CustomerID
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CustomerID	totalOrders
ALFKI	4
ANATR	4
ANTON	6
AROUT	10
BERGS	14
BLAUS	7
BLONP	11

Figure 11: A query to report the total orders of each customer.

• Write a query that returns a row for each employee and day in the range 04-07-1996 through 04-08-1997.

No such employee exists in the table, so our query doesn't return any output.

```
SELECT E.EmployeeID,E.HireDate

FROM Employees E

WHERE E.HireDate BETWEEN CONVERT(datetime,'1996-07-04') AND CONVERT(datetime,'1997-08-04');

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EmployeeID HireDate
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Figure 12: A query to returns a row for each employee and day in the range 04-07-1996 through 04-08-1997.

• Return US customers, and for each customer return the total number of orders and total quantities. (CustomerID, Totalorders, totalquantity).

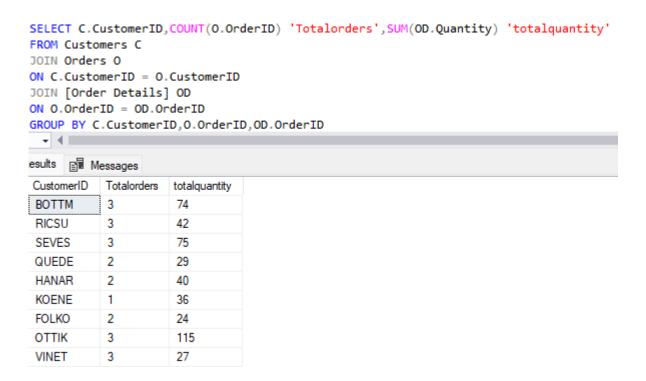


Figure 13: A query to returns US customers, and for each customer return the total number of orders and total quantities.

• Write a query that returns all customers in the output, but matches them with their respective orders only if they were placed on July 04,1997. (CustomerID, CompanyName, OrderID, Orderdate).

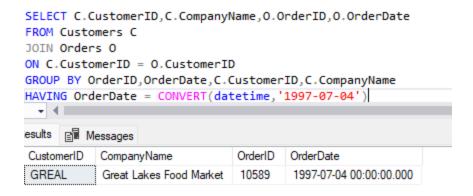


Figure 14: A query to return all customers in the output, but matches them with their respective orders only if they were placed on July 04,1997.

• Are there any employees who are older than their managers? List that names of those employees and their ages. (EmployeeName, Age, Manager Age).



Figure 15: A query to list all employees greater than their managers.

• List the names of products which were ordered on 8th August 1997. (Product-Name, OrderDate).

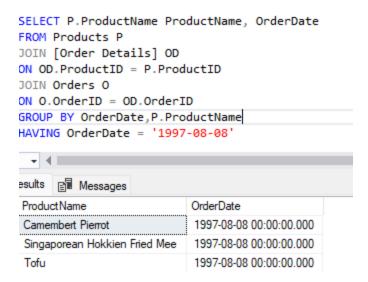


Figure 16: A query to list all product names ordered on a given date.

• List the addresses, cities, countries of all orders which were serviced by Anne and were shipped late. (Address, City, Country).

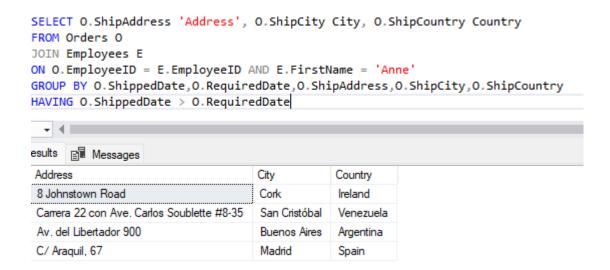


Figure 17: All orders serviced by Anne who were shipped late.

• List all countries to which beverages have been shipped. (Country).

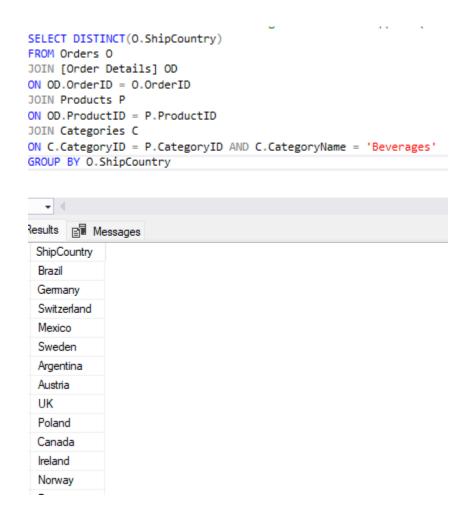


Figure 18: All orders to which beverages have been shipped.