

# Structured Query Language

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# Select Statements Revisited

- select clause ----- attribute selection part
- from clause ----- relation selection part
- where clause ----- join, selection conditions part
- group by clause ----- partition part
- having clause ----- partition filtering part
- order by clause ----- ordering rows part

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Aggregates, set operations, subqueries

# Banking Example

- branch (branch-name, branch-city, assets)
- customer (customer-name, customer-street, customer-only)
- account (account-number, branch-name, balance)
- loan (loan-number, branch-name, amount)
- depositor (customer-name, account-number)
- borrower (customer-name, loan-number)

## Branch Table

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

## Customer Table

customer-name	customer-street	customer-only
Joe	Joe_street	Y
Alan	Mary_street	Y
Jason	Jason_street	N
Mary	Mary_street	N
Mike	Mary_street	Y
Keith	Keith_street	N

## Account Table

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

## Loan Table

loan-number	branch-name	Amount
1	B	\$100
2	E	\$27
3	F	\$543
4	A	\$129
5	A	\$26
6	B	\$67

## Depositor Table

customer-name	account-number
Joe	1
Joe	2
Mary	2
Keith	4
Mike	5
Keith	6
Joe	3

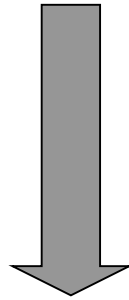


## Borrower Table

customer-name	loan-number
Joe	1
Jason	2
Joe	3
Keith	4
Mary	5
Joe	6

## Subquery predicates revisited ---- **IN**...Example 1

*“Find the account numbers opened at branches of the bank in Riverside”*



```
SELECT account-number  
FROM account  
WHERE branch_name IN (
```

```
SELECT branch-name  
FROM branch  
WHERE branch-city='Riverside')
```

# Example 1 - Result

Account Table

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

Branch Table

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

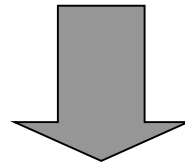
**SELECT account-number**  
**FROM account**  
**WHERE branch\_name** **IN**  
                                  **(SELECT branch-name**  
                                  **FROM branch**  
                                  **WHERE branch-city='Riverside')**



account-number
2
3
5

## Subquery predicates revisited ---- IN...Example 2

*“Find the account numbers opened at A and B branches of the bank”*



```
SELECT account-number  
FROM account  
WHERE branch_name IN ('A', 'B')
```

## Example 2 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$ 1 0 0
2	A	\$ 5 0
3	A	\$ 3 0
4	F	\$ 1 2 0
5	A	\$ 5 0 0
6	B	\$ 3 2 4

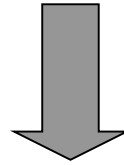
**SELECT** account-number  
**FROM** account  
**WHERE** branch\_name **IN** ('A', 'B')



account-number
1
2
3
5
6

## Subquery predicates revisited ---- IN...Example 3

*“Find the account numbers opened at branches of the bank in  
Riverside”*



```
SELECT account-number
FROM account S
WHERE 'Riverside' IN (
    SELECT branch-city
    FROM branch T
    WHERE S.branch-name=T.branch-name)
```

*correlated subquery*

## Example 3 - Result

Account Table

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

Branch Table

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

**SELECT** account-number  
**FROM** account S  
**WHERE** 'Riverside' **IN** (  
    **SELECT** branch-city  
    **FROM** branch T  
    **WHERE** S.branch-name =  
        T.branch-name)



account-number
2
3
5

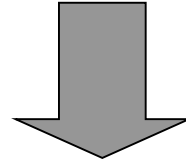
## Subquery predicates revisited ---- EXISTS

- The *EXISTS* predicate is TRUE if and only if the Subquery returns a non-empty set.
- The *NOT EXISTS* predicate is TRUE if and only if the Subquery returns an empty set.
- The *NOT EXISTS* can be used to implement the MINUS operator from relational algebra.



## Subquery predicates revisited ---- EXISTS...Example 1

*“Select all the account balances where the account has been opened in a branch in Riverside”*



```
SELECT account-balance
FROM account S
WHERE EXISTS ( SELECT *
                  FROM branch T
                  WHERE T.branch-city = 'Riverside'
                  and T.branch_name = S.branch-name)
```

## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

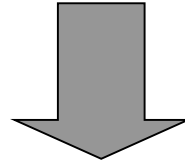
branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

**SELECT** account-balance  
**FROM** account S  
**WHERE** **EXISTS** (SELECT \*  
                  **FROM** branch T  
                  **WHERE** T.branch-city =  
                  ‘Riverside’ and  
                  T.branch\_name =  
                  S.branch-name)

account-number
\$50
\$30
\$500

## Subquery predicates ---- EXISTS...Example 2

*“Select all the account balances where the account has not been opened in a Riverside branch ”*



```
SELECT account-balance
FROM account S
WHERE NOT EXISTS (SELECT *
                    FROM branch T
                    WHERE T.branch-city='Riverside'
                    and T.branch_name=S.branch-name)
```

## Example 2 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

**SELECT account-balance**  
**FROM account S**  
**WHERE NOT EXISTS (SELECT \***  
                  **FROM branch T**  
                  **WHERE T.branch-city = 'Riverside'**  
                  **AND**  
                  **T.branch\_name = S.branch-name)**



account-number
\$100
\$120
\$324

## Subquery predicates

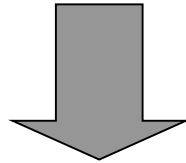
### Quantified Comparison Predicate

- A *quantified predicate* compares a simple value of an expression with the result of a *Subquery*.
- Given a comparison operation  $\theta$ , representing some operator in the set  $\{<, \leq, =, <>, >, \geq\}$ , the equivalent predicates '*expr  $\theta$  SOME (Subquery)*' and '*expr  $\theta$  ANY (Subquery)*' are TRUE if and only if, for at least one element *s* returned by the *Subquery*, it is true that '*expr  $\theta$  s*' is TRUE.
- the predicate '*expr  $\theta$  ALL (Subquery)*' is TRUE if and only if '*expr  $\theta$  s*' is TRUE for every one of the elements *s* of the *Subquery*;

## Subquery predicates

### Quantified Comparison Predicate Example 1

*“Select account numbers of the accounts with the minimum balance”*



**SELECT account-balance**

**FROM account**

**WHERE balance <= ALL ( SELECT balance  
FROM account)**

## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$ 1 0 0
2	A	\$ 5 0
3	A	\$ 3 0
4	F	\$ 1 2 0
5	A	\$ 5 0 0
6	B	\$ 3 2 4

**SELECT account-balance**  
**FROM account**  
**WHERE balance <= ALL (SELECT balance**  
**FROM account)**

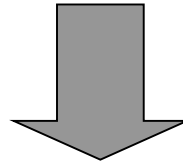


account-number
3

## Subquery predicates

### Quantified Comparison Predicate Example 2a

*“Select account balances for accounts located in Riverside”*



**SELECT account-balance**

**FROM account**

**WHERE branch-name = ANY (SELECT T.branch-name**

**FROM branch T**

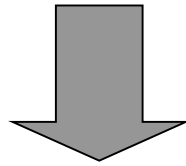
**WHERE T.branch-city='Riverside')**



## Subquery predicates

### Quantified Comparison Predicate Example 2b

*“Select account balances for accounts located in Riverside”*



**SELECT account-balance**

**FROM account**

**WHERE branch-name = SOME (SELECT T.branch-name**

**FROM branch T**

**WHERE T.branch-city='Riverside')**

## Example 2 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

```
SELECT account-balance  
FROM account  
WHERE branch-name = SOME (SELECT T.branch-name  
                           FROM branch T  
                           WHERE T.branch-city = 'Riverside')
```

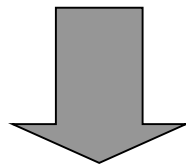
account-number
\$50
\$30
\$500

## Set Functions in SQL...revisited

- SQL provides five built-in aggregate functions that operate on sets of column values in tables:
- *COUNT( ), MAX( ), MIN( ), SUM( ), AVG( )*.
- With the exception of *COUNT( )*, these set functions must operate on sets that consist of simple values-that is, sets of numbers or sets of character strings, rather than sets of rows with multiple values.
- NULL values are not counted.

## Set Functions in SQL ... Example 1

*“Select the total amount of balance of the account in branches located in Riverside”*



```
SELECT sum(balance) AS total_amount  
FROM account S, branch T  
WHERE T.branch-city='Riverside'  
        and T.branch_name= S.branch_name
```

## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

branch-name	branch-city	assets
A	Riverside	\$10,000
B	LA	\$20,000
C	Long Beach	\$15,000
D	Irvine	\$12,000
E	Pomona	\$7,000
F	San Jose	\$18,000

**SELECT** **sum**(balance) **AS** total\_amount  
**FROM** account S, branch T  
**WHERE** T.branch-city='Riverside'  
          and T.branch-name= S.branch-name

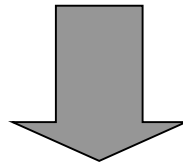


total_amount
\$580

# Set Functions in SQL

## Example 2

*“Select the total number of opened accounts”*



**SELECT count(account-number) FROM account**

***OR***

**SELECT count(\*) FROM account**

## Example 2 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$ 1 0 0
2	A	\$ 5 0
3	A	\$ 3 0
4	F	\$ 1 2 0
5	A	\$ 5 0 0
6	B	\$ 3 2 4

**SELECT count(account-number) FROM account**

***OR***

**SELECT count(\*) FROM account**



count(*)
6

## Groups of Rows in SQL (1)

- SQL allows Select statements to provide a kind of natural ‘report’ function, grouping the rows on the basis of commonality of values and performing set functions on the rows grouped:
- *SELECT branch\_name, SUM(balance) FROM account GROUP BY branch\_name.*
- The **GROUP BY** clause of the Select statement will result in the set of rows being generated as if the following loop-controlled query were being performed:

*FOR EACH DISTINCT VALUE v OF branch\_name IN account*

*SELECT branch\_name, SUM(balance) FROM account*

*WHERE branch\_name=v*

*END FOR*



## Groups of Rows in SQL (2)

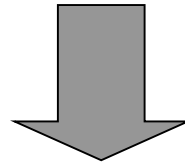
- A set of functions occurring in the SELECT list aggregates for the set of rows in each group and thus creates a single value for each group.
- It is important that all of the attributes named in the select list have a single atomic value, for each group of common **GROUP BY** values:

SELECT account-number, branch-name, SUM(balance)

GROUP BY account-number ----- **INVALID**

## Groups of Rows in SQL –Example 1

*“Find the total amount of money owed by each depositor”*



```
SELECT c.customer-name, SUM(balance)  
FROM account S, customer C, depositor D  
WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number and  
      C.customer-name = D.customer-name  
GROUP BY customer-name
```

## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

customer-name	customer-name	account-number
Joe	Joe	1
Alan	Mary	2
Jason	Mary	3
Mary	Keith	4
Mike	Mary	5
Keith	Keith	6
	Joe	3

```

SELECT c.customer-name, SUM(balance)
FROM account S, customer C, depositor D
WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number
and
      C.customer-name = D.customer-name
GROUP BY customer-name

```

customer-name	sum(balance)
Joe	\$180
Mary	\$50
Keith	\$444
Mike	\$500

## Filter grouping

- To eliminate rows from the result of a select statement where a *GROUP BY* clause appears we use the *HAVING* clause, which is evaluated after the *GROUP BY*.

- For example, the query:

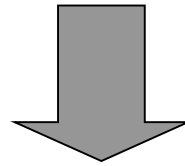
```
SELECT account-branch, SUM(balance) FROM account  
GROUP BY account-branch HAVING SUM(balance)>1000.
```

will print the account branches and total balances for every branch where the total account balance exceeds 1000.

- The *HAVING* clause can only apply tests to values that are single-valued for groups in the SELECT statement.
- The *HAVING* clause can have a nested subquery, just like the *WHERE* clause

## Filter Grouping –Example 1

*“Find the total amount of money owed by each depositor, for each depositor that own at least 2 accounts”*



```
SELECT C.customer-name, SUM(balance)  
FROM account S, customer C, depositor D  
WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number and  
       C.customer-name = D.customer-name  
GROUP BY customer-name  
HAVING COUNT(*) > 1
```

## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

customer-name	customer-street	customer-only
Joe	Joe_street	Y
Alan	Mary_street	Y
Jason	Jason_street	N
Mary	Mary_street	N
Mike	Mary_street	Y
Keith	Keith_street	N

customer-name	account-number
Joe	1
Joe	2
Mary	2
Keith	4
Mike	5
Keith	6
Joe	3

**SELECT C.customer-name, SUM(balance)**  
**FROM account S, customer C, depositor D**  
**WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number and**  
**C.customer-name = D.customer-name**  
**GROUP BY customer-name**  
**HAVING COUNT(\*) > 1**

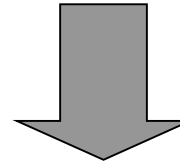
customer-name	sum(balance)
Joe	\$180
Keith	\$444

# Order Results

- We use the *ORDER BY* clause when we want the output to be presented in a particular order.
- We provide the list of attributes to order on.

## Order –Example 1

*“Find the total amount of money owed by each depositor, for each depositor that own at least 2 accounts, present the results in descending order of total balance”*



```
SELECT C.customer-name, SUM(balance) AS sbalance  
From account S, customer C, depositor D  
WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number and  
      C.customer-name = D.customer-name  
GROUP BY customer-name  
HAVING COUNT(*) > 1  
ORDER BY Desc sbalance
```



## Example 1 - Result

account_number	branch-name	balance
1	B	\$100
2	A	\$50
3	A	\$30
4	F	\$120
5	A	\$500
6	B	\$324

customer-name	customer-street	customer-only
Joe	Joe_street	Y
Alan	Mary_street	Y
Jason	Jason_street	N
Mary	Mary_street	N
Mike	Mary_street	Y
Keith	Keith_street	N

customer-name	account-number
Joe	1
Joe	2
Mary	2
Keith	4
Mike	5
Keith	6
Joe	3

**SELECT C.customer-name, SUM(balance) AS sbalance**  
**From account S, customer C, depositor D**  
**WHERE S.account-number = D.account-number and**  
**C.customer-name = D.customer-name**  
**GROUP BY customer-name**  
**HAVING COUNT(\*) > 1**  
**ORDER BY Desc sbalance**

customer-name	sbalance
Keith	\$444
Joe	\$180

# Null Values

- We use *null* when the column value is either *unknown* or *inapplicable*.
- A comparison with at least one null value always returns *unknown*.
- SQL also provides a special comparison operator *IS NULL* to test whether a column value is *null*.
- To incorporate nulls in the definition of duplicates we define that two rows are duplicates if corresponding rows are equal or both contain *null*.

# Outer Joins

- Let R and S be two tables. The outer join preserves the rows of R and S that have no matching rows according to the join condition and outputs them with nulls at the non-applicable columns.
- There exist three different variants: *left outer join*, *right outer join* and *full outer join*.

# Conceptual order in query evaluation

- First the relational products of the tables in the *FROM* clause are evaluated.
- From this, rows not satisfying the *WHERE* clause are eliminated.
- The remaining rows are grouped in accordance with the *GROUP BY* clause.
- Groups not satisfying the *HAVING* clause are then eliminated.
- The expressions in the *SELECT* list are evaluated.
- If the keyword *DISTINCT* is present, duplicate rows are now eliminated.
- Evaluate *UNION*, *INTERSECT* and *EXCEPT* for Subqueries up to this point.
- Finally, the set of all selected rows is sorted if the *ORDER BY* is present.