# CS102: Big Data

Tools and Techniques, Discoveries and Pitfalls

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Lecture 4: Relational Databases and SQL

## Announcements

All Office Hours held in Lathrop Tech Lounge

# Recap



A SQL query walks into a bar and sees two tables. He walks up to them and asks,

"Can I join you?"

# SQL Query

Basic form (there are many many more bells and whistles)

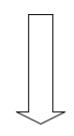
```
SELECT <attributes>
FROM <one or more relations>
WHERE <conditions>
```

Call this a SFW query.

# Selecting all Columns (Select \*)

PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
SingleTouch	\$149.99	Photography	Canon
MultiTouch	\$203.99	Household	Hitachi

SELECT \*
FROM Product
WHERE Category = 'Gadgets'



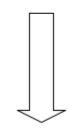
PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks

Adapted from CS145: Databases

# Selecting specific Columns

PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
SingleTouch	\$149.99	Photography	Canon
MultiTouch	\$203.99	Household	Hitachi

SELECT Pname, Price, Manufacturer FROM Product WHERE Category = 'Gadgets'



PName	Price	Manufacturer
Gizmo	\$19.99	GizmoWorks
Powergizmo	\$29.99	GizmoWorks

Adapted from CS145: Databases

## Find all regions that have both coastal and non-coastal states



#### Cross Product: Select \* from Regions R1, Regions R2

Region R1 (n rows)

City	Regions	Coastal
Maine	NE	Υ
Vermont	NE	N
NYC	MA	Υ

#### Region R2 (n rows)

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City	Regions	Coastal	
Maine	NE	Y	
Vermont	NE	N	
NYC	MA	Y	

City	Regions	Coastal	City1	Regions 1	Coastal 1
Maine	NE	Y	Maine	NE	Y
Maine	NE	Y	Vermont	NE	N
Maine	NE	Y	NYC	MA	Υ
Vermont	NE	N	Maine	NE	Y
Vermont	NE	N	Vermont	NE	N
Vermont	NE	N	NYC	MA	Υ

### Query: Select \* from Regions R1, Regions R2 Where R1.region = R2.region

Region R1 (n rows)

City	Regions	Coastal
Maine	NE	Y
Vermont	NE	N
NYC	MA	Y

Region R2 (n rows)

City	Regions	Coastal
Maine	NE	Y
Vermont	NE	N
NYC	MA	Y

#### Result

City	Regions	Coastal	City1	Regions 1	Coastal 1
Maine	NE	Y	Maine	NE	Y
Maine	NE	Y	Vermont	NE	N
Maine	NE	Y	NYC	MA	Y
Vermont	NE	N	Maine	NE	Υ
Vermont	NE	N	Vermont	NE	N
Vermont	NE	N	NYC	MA	Υ

## Query: Select \* from Regions R1, Regions R2 Where R1.region = R2.region

Regio	on R1 (	(n rows)	

City	Regions	Coastal
Maine	NE	Y
Vermont	NE	N
NYC	MA	Y
	••	

#### Region R2 (n rows)

City	Regions	Coastal				
Maine	NE	Y				
Vermont	NE	N	•			
NYC	MA	Y				

#### Result

City	Regions	Coastal	City1	Regions 1	Coastal 1
Maine	NE	Y	Maine	NE	Y
Maine	NE	Υ	Vermont	NE	N
Vermont	NE	N	Maine	NE	Y
Vermont	NE	N	Vermont	NE	N
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# Query: Select \* from Regions R1, Regions R2 Where R1.region = R2.region Result



Find all pairs of cities that are near each other, i.e., lat and Ing are both less than 1.0 apart; return city pairs



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United Airlines is pleased to announce new seating on all domestic flights- in addition to United First and Economy Plus we introduce....



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#### **Query**: Select \* from CityTemps C1, CityTemps C2

City C1 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7

#### City C2 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7

City	Lat	Lng	City1	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
Mobile	31.2	88.5	LA	34.3	118.7
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	LA	34.3	118.7

### Query: Select \* from CityTemps C1, CityTemps C2 Where C1.city = C2.city

City C1 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
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LA	34.3	118.7

#### City C2 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7

City	Lat	Lng	City1	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
Mobile	31.2	88.5	LA	34.3	118.7
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
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City	G1	(n	rows	)

City	Lat	Lng
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LA	34.3	118.7

#### City C2 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7

City	Lat	Lng	City1	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5

#### **Query**: Select \* from CityTemps C1, CityTemps C2

Where C1.city <> C2.city

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City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7
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#### City C2 (n rows)

City	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5
Phoenix	33.6	112.5
LA	34.3	118.7

City	Lat	Lng	City1	Lat	Lng
Mobile	31.2	88.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
Mobile	31.2	88.5	LA	34.3	118.7
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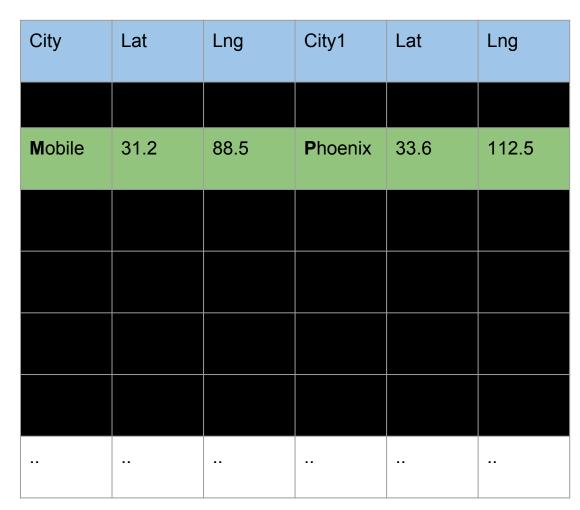
Where C1.city <> C2.city

		City	Lat	Lng	City1	Lat	Lng
	٢	Mobile	31.2	88.5	Phoenix	33.6	112.5
Duplicate pair	4	Mobile	31.2	88.5	LA	34.3	118.7
	L	Phoenix	33.6	112.5	Mobile	31.2	88.5
		Phoenix	33.6	112.5	LA	34.3	118.7

# Query: Select \* from CityTemps C1, CityTemps C2 Where C1.city < C2.city

Result (n x n rows)

Ensures that the left City's alphabet is always lexographically less than the right City's alphabet



# Subqueries in Where Clause (Not Exists)



# Find the southernmost city



## The Exists function

#### **EXISTS** returns TRUE

- When the query returns 1 or more rows
- Else FALSE

#### Example

EXISTS (Select \* from CityTemps where lat > 99999)

- Returns FALSE (no cities have such high latitudes)
   EXISTS (Select \* from CityTemps where lat > 0)
- Returns TRUE

Adding a NOT before EXISTS will negate it

# Find the southernmost city (1)

Note: the higher the latitude, the further north a city is

Select city

From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists

(Select \* from CityTemps C2 where C1.lat > C2.lat)

"Select the city where there does not exist another city that is more south than it."

From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

#### City C2

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

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From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

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#### City C2

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Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

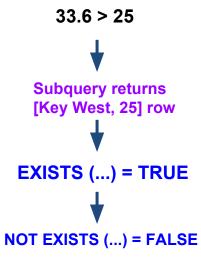
where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### **EXISTS returns TRUE**

- When the query returns 1 or more rows
- Else FALSE

#### City C1

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3



#### City C2

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

#### From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

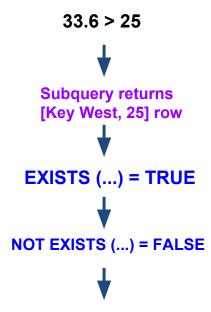
from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Key West	25
LA	34.3



#### City C2

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

Phoenix won't be returned

From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Key West	25
LA	34.3

No rows returned from subquery

#### City C2

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3

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#### From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Key West	25
LA	34.3

No rows returned from subquery

EXISTS (...) = FALSE

NOT EXISTS (...) = TRUE

Main query returns [Key West] row

#### City C2

City	Lat

#### From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

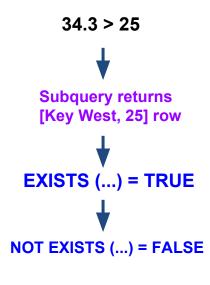
from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Key West	25



#### City C2

City	Lat
Phoenix	33.6
Key West	25
LA	34.3



LA is not returned

From CityTemps C1

Where Not Exists (Select \*

from

CityTemps C2

where C1.lat > C2.lat)

#### City C1

City	Lat
Key West	25

We now have the southernmost city!

"Select the city where there does not exist another city that is more south than it."

# Find the southernmost city (2)

Note: the higher the latitude, the further north a city is

Select city

From CityTemps C1

Where C1.lat = (Select min(lat) from CityTemps C2)

"Select the city that equals to the minimum latitude"

## Find the southernmost city (wrong)

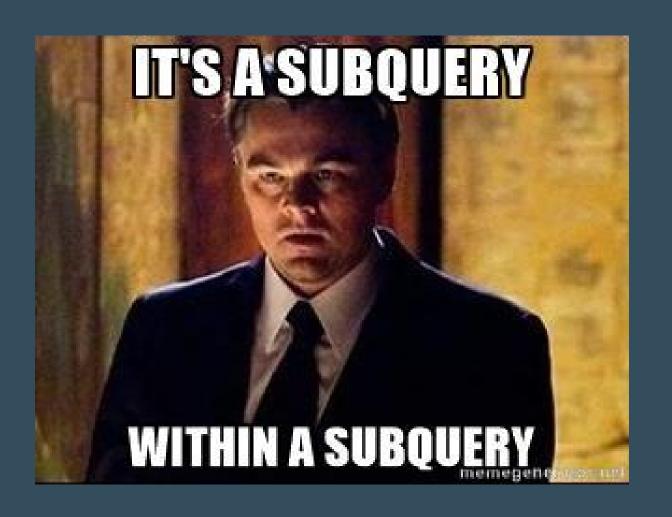
Note: the higher the latitude, the further north a city is

Select city

From CityTemps C1

Where C1.lat = min(lat)

**DOES NOT WORK!!** 



# Advanced: Having Clause

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Find all states with at least three cities with temp > 30

```
Select state
```

```
From CityTemps
Where temp > 30
Group By state
```

Having count(\*) >= 3

WHERE is a condition on CityTemps

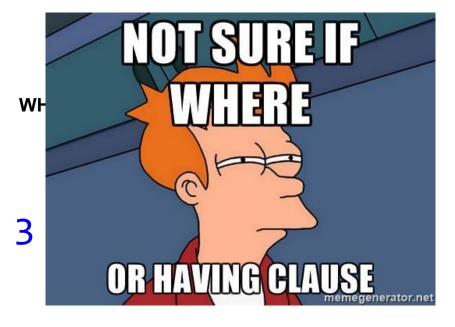
**HAVING** is a condition on the Group By

# Advanced: Having Clause

Find all states with at least three cities with temp > 30

```
Select state
```

From CityTemps
Where temp > 30
Group By state
Having count(\*) >= 3



# Advanced: Subqueries in Select clause

# Find all regions that have both coastal and non-coastal states; return region and number of coastal and non-coastal states

```
Select Distinct R1.region,
  (Select count(*) From Regions R3
   Where R3.region = R1.region And R3.coastal = 'Y') as numcoastal,
  (Select count(*) From Regions R3
   Where R3.region = R1.region And R3.coastal = 'N') as numnot
From Regions R1, Regions R2
Where R1.coastal = 'Y' And R2.coastal = 'N' And R1.region=R2.region
```

# Advanced: Subqueries in From clause

Find all regions that have both coastal and non-coastal states; return region and number of coastal and non-coastal states

```
Select C.region, numcoastal, numnot

From (Select region, count(*) as numcoastal
        From Regions Where coastal = 'Y' Group By region) C,

        (Select region, count(*) as numnot
        From Regions Where coastal = 'N' Group By region) NC

Where C.region = NC.region And numcoastal > 0 And numnot > 0
```

# **SQL Features not Covered**

- Set Operators
  - Union, Intersect, Except
- Keys
  - Designated column that must have unique value in each row
  - Or designated set of columns
- Null values
  - Special value usually denoting unknown or undefined
  - Not included in aggregations, =, <, etc.</li>
  - Example: ... where temp <= 10 or temp > 10
- Outer joins