

Challenge 7: The Wordiest Author

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Step 2

Now select all the authors that write more than an average of 150,000 words per book. Your results table should include the 'author' and average words as an 'avg_words' column.

Hint What's this?

SELECT ... FROM ... GROUP BY ... HAVING ...;

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36 INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
37 VALUES ("J.R.R. Tolkien", "Two Towers", 143436);
38 INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
39 VALUES ("J.R.R. Tolkien", "Return of the King", 134462);
40 SELECT author, SUM(words) AS total_words
41 FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING SUM
42 (words) > 1000000;
43
44 SELECT author, AVG(words) AS avg_words
45 FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING AVG
46 (words) > 150000;
47
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All steps complete!

DATABASE SCHEMA

books	15 rows
id (PK)	INTEGER
author	TEXT
title	TEXT
words	INTEGER

RESULTS

author	total_words
J.K. Rowling	1086594

author	avg_words
J.K. Rowling	155227.7142857143

Step 1

We've created a database of a few popular authors and their books, with word counts for each book.

In this first step, select all the authors who have written more than 1 million words, using GROUP BY and HAVING.

Your results table should include the 'author' and their total word count as a 'total_words' column.

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CREATE TABLE books (
  id INTEGER PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT,
  author TEXT,
  title TEXT,
  words INTEGER);

INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone", 79944);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets", 85141);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban", 107253);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire", 190637);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix", 257045);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince", 168923);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.K. Rowling", "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows", 197651);

INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("Stephenie Meyer", "Twilight", 118501);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("Stephenie Meyer", "New Moon", 132807);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("Stephenie Meyer", "Eclipse", 147930);
INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("Stephenie Meyer", "Breaking Dawn", 192196);

INSERT INTO books (author, title, words)
VALUES ("J.R.R. Tolkien", "The Hobbit", 95022);
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SELECT author, SUM(words) AS total_words FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING SUM(words) > 1000000;
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	<div><div><div>OTHER ATTEMPTS</div><div><pre>/** GOOD **/ SELECT author, words AS total_words FROM books GROUP BY author; SELECT author, SUM(words) AS total_words FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING SUM(words) > 1000000; SELECT author, words AS total_words FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING SUM(words) > 1000000;</pre></div></div><div><div>/** BROKEN CODE</div><div><pre>SELECT author, words FROM books WHERE words >100000 GROUP BY author; SELECT author, words FROM (SELECT author, words AS total_words FROM books HAVING words >1000000 GROUP BY author); SELECT author, words AS total_words FROM books GROUP BY author HAVING SUM(words) > 1000000; **/</pre></div></div></div>	
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