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1 --View all employees
2 SELECT * FROM employee_data;
 4 -- Total employees by department
 5 SELECT Dept_Name, COUNT(*) AS Total_Employees
 6 FROM employee_data
7 GROUP BY Dept_Name;
9 --Average salary per department
10 SELECT Dept_Name, AVG(Salary) AS Avg_Salary
11 FROM employee_data
12 GROUP BY Dept_Name;
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14 --Highest-paid employee
15 SELECT TOP 1 Emp_Name, Job_Title, Salary
16 FROM employee_data
17 ORDER BY Salary DESC;
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19 -- Employees hired after 2021
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21 SELECT Emp_Name, Job_Title, Hire_Date
22 FROM employee_data
23 WHERE Hire_Date > '2021-01-01';
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