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1. The fly.flights table has the following schema:

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column	type
year	smallint
month	tinyint
day	tinyint
dep_time	smallint
sched_dep_time	smallint
dep_delay	smallint
arr_time	smallint
sched_arr_time	smallint
arr_delay	smallint
carrier	string
flight	smallint
tailnum	string
origin	string
dest	string
air_time	smallint
distance	smallint

Choose the valid **SELECT** statements. Check all that apply.

- ☐ SELECT carrier, COUNT(*) FROM fly.flights ORDER BY carrier GROUP BY carrier;
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✓ Correct

Correct. The results set is the number of rows in the **fly.flights** table with each possible value of **carrier**, with the rows in alphabetical order.

- ☒ SELECT * FROM fly.flights ORDER BY distance;

✓ Correct

Correct. The result set will be all rows and columns of the **fly.flights** table, with the rows in order so that the

Correct. The result set will be all rows and columns of the **fly.flights** table, with the rows in order so that the lowest **distance** value is first and the highest **distance** value is last.

☐ `SELECT * FROM fly.flights ORDER BY distance, air_time, delay;`

2. Select all the statements that return the same result as **SELECT * FROM flights ORDER BY carrier;**

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- ☒ `SELECT * FROM flights ORDER BY carrier ASC;`
- ☐ `SELECT * FROM flights ORDER BY carrier ASCENDING;`
- ☐ `SELECT * FROM flights ORDER BY carrier DESC;`
- ☐ `SELECT * FROM flights ORDER BY -carrier ASC;`

☒ **Correct**

Correct. The **ASC** keyword specifies ascending sort order, which is the default sort order.

3. Suppose you want to find the longest-distance flights in the **fly.flights** table for a particular carrier, and then find the flights with the shortest air time.

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Write a query to return the data in **fly.flights** for American Airlines (**carrier** is **AA**) so that they are sorted by **distance** with the longest distance first, and for those that tie distances, by **air_time** with the shortest air time first. Execute the query in Hue using Impala. What's the shortest air time for the longest distance?

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☒ **Correct**

Correct. Your query should have been similar to **SELECT air_time, distance from fly.flights WHERE carrier='AA' order by distance DESC, air_time ASC;**

4. Write and run a SQL query to determine which airport in the **fly.airports** table is closest to the geographical (not magnetic) North Pole, using the following calculation for the distance in kilometers, using the latitude (**lat**) column:
distance = 6371 * 2 * asin(least(1, sin(radians(90 - lat) / 2)))

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(Note: The **least** function chooses the minimum value among two or more scalar values—similar to the **MIN** function, but **MIN** works on values in a column.)

Which airport is closest to the geographical North Pole?

- ☐ Aberdeen Regional Airport
- ☐ Cowra Airport
- ☐ Wainwright Airport
- ☒ Wiley Post Will Rogers Memorial Airport
- ☐ Zephyrhills Municipal Airport

☒ **Correct**

Correct. This query will provide the names in order by distance from the North Pole:

```
SELECT name, 6371 * 2 * asin(least(1,sin(radians(90-lat)/2))) AS distance  
  
FROM fly.airports ORDER BY distance;
```

5. Select the queries that will return exactly the same result as the query:

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```
SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year DESC;
```

when executed by Impala. Check all that apply.

- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year ASC NULLS FIRST;
- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year NULLS LAST;
- ☒ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year DESC NULLS FIRST;

 **Correct**

Correct. When the order is descending, Impala will list **NULL** values first, so specifying **NULLS FIRST** does not change anything.

- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year;
- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year NULLS FIRST;
- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year ASC;
- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year DESC NULLS LAST;
- ☐ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year ASC NULLS LAST;

6. Select the queries that will run without error in Hive. Check all that apply.

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- ☒ SELECT * FROM fly.planes ORDER BY type;

 **Correct**

Correct. The query uses **SELECT ***, so any column (including **type**) can be included in the **ORDER BY** clause.

- ☐ SELECT model, 2019 - year AS age_in_2019 FROM fly.planes ORDER BY year;
- ☐ SELECT model FROM fly.planes ORDER BY type;
- ☒ SELECT model, 2019 - year AS age_in_2019 FROM fly.planes ORDER BY age_in_2019;

 **Correct**

Correct. The expression **2019 - year** is used in the **SELECT** list and is given the alias **age_in_2019**, then this alias is used in the **ORDER BY** clause. This is valid in Hive.

- ☒ SELECT model, type FROM fly.planes ORDER BY type;

 **Correct**

Correct. The **type** column is included in the **SELECT** list, so it can be used in the **ORDER BY** clause.

- ☒ SELECT model, year FROM fly.planes ORDER BY 2019 - year;

SELECT model, year FROM ny.planes ORDER BY 2015 - year,



Correct

Correct. The ordering expression uses the **year** column, which is included in the **SELECT** list, so this query is valid in Hive.

7. Select the valid SQL queries. Check all that apply.

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SELECT arr_time, AVG(arr_delay) AS avg_arr_delay

FROM flights WHERE origin = 'LAX'

LIMIT 100

GROUP BY arr_time

HAVING avg_arr_delay > 45;



SELECT arr_time, AVG(arr_delay) AS avg_arr_delay, 100 AS row_limit

FROM flights WHERE origin = 'LAX'

GROUP BY arr_time

HAVING avg_arr_delay > 45

LIMIT row_limit;



SELECT arr_time, AVG(arr_delay) AS avg_arr_delay

FROM flights WHERE origin = 'LAX'

GROUP BY arr_time

HAVING avg_arr_delay > 45

LIMIT -100;



SELECT arr_time, AVG(arr_delay) AS avg_arr_delay

FROM flights WHERE origin = 'LAX'

GROUP BY arr_time

HAVING avg_arr_delay > 45

LIMIT 1000;



Correct

Correct. This has a positive literal number in the **LIMIT** clause, which comes last.



SELECT arr_time, AVG(arr_delay) AS avg_arr_delay

FROM flights LIMIT 100

WHERE origin = 'LAX'

GROUP BY arr_time

HAVING avg_arr_delay > 45;

8. Which clause should you use with Impala to return rows 1001 through 1050 of a result set?

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- ☐ LIMIT 50 OFFSET 1001
- ☒ LIMIT 50 OFFSET 1000
- ☐ OFFSET 1001,1050
- ☐ LIMIT 1050 OFFSET 1000
- ☐ LIMIT 1001,1050
- ☐ OFFSET 1001 LIMIT 1050

☒ Correct

Correct. **LIMIT 50** returns 50 rows, and **OFFSET 1000** says to skip the first 1000 rows and start with row 1001.

9. Select the appropriate uses for the **LIMIT** clause. Check all that apply.

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- ☐ Randomly sample from a large table
- ☒ Return a few rows from a table to inspect some of the values

☒ Correct

Correct. Using **LIMIT** is a good way to inspect a few rows' worth of values from a table.

- ☒ Protect against returning an unexpectedly large number of rows

☒ Correct

Correct. When you are unsure how many rows you'll be returning, and there's a possibility of getting more than you want (such as when you're outputting to your terminal screen), using **LIMIT** provides some safety.

- ☐ Filter individual rows based on conditions
- ☒ Reduce the compute resources used by the SQL engine

☒ Correct

Correct. Limiting the output can also reduce the amount of resources needed.

10. In what order does a SQL engine execute the clauses of a **SELECT** statement?

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- ☐ FROM, WHERE, GROUP BY, SELECT, HAVING, ORDER BY, LIMIT
- ☐ FROM, WHERE, SELECT, GROUP BY, HAVING, ORDER BY, LIMIT
- ☐ SELECT, FROM, WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, ORDER BY, LIMIT
- ☒ FROM, WHERE, GROUP BY, HAVING, SELECT, ORDER BY, LIMIT

☒ Correct

Correct. The processing order is similar to the specification order, except **SELECT** comes after **HAVING** and before **ORDER BY**.