

### Previously.....

- Looked at why we need SQL
- Look at the data definition language
- Identified how we can create our database from tables, populate our tables and make changes to the structure as required.

### **Today!**

You should with a little practice be able to:

- Execute Simple SELECT statements
- · Use column alias
- Limit rows retrieved by a query
- Sort retrieved Rows
- Update contents of a database
- Use Case-conversion Functions

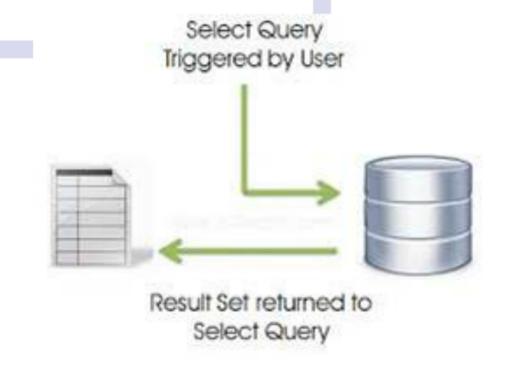
## Last Week, in your tutorials

emp_id	First_name	surname	salary	dept_id	comm_pct
SK01	Stephen	WASH	65000	COM1	Null
SK02	Suky	Kaur	20000	Sal1	0.01
Mp03	Mary	Powell	25000	Sal1	0.02
Pw05	Peter	Wood	30000	Its1	Null
Jk06	John	King	20000	Mkt1	0.2
Ms08	Mike	Smith	25000	Mkt1	0.2
MJ19	Mark	Jones	55000	COM1	Null
PS07	Paul	Sawyer	21000	Its1	0.1

dept_id	dept_name	manager_id
COM1	Commercial Unit	Sk01
Sals1	Sales	Mp03
lts1	Technical support	Pw05
Mkt1	Marketing	Ms08

grade_level	min_sal	max_sal
2	19000.00	22000.00
3	23000.00	27000.00
4	26000.00	35000.00
5	33000.00	40000.00
6	40000.00	50000.00
7	51000.00	60000.00
8	610000.00	65000.00

## Our Star for the day: SELECT



Query: Produce a list of job grades showing the minimum and maximum salary for each grade

**Tables** 

employees(id, First\_name, surname, salary, dept\_id, comm\_pct)

departments(dept\_id, depat\_name, manager\_id)

Jobgrades(grade\_level, min\_sal, max\_sal)

## Query: Select

SELECT grade\_level, min\_sal, max\_sal FROM jobgrades;

Or (because we want ALL the attributes)

**SELECT \* FROM jobgrades**;

Create a query to display all staff ids, their first names and surnames.

Decide table(s) required and columns from that table(s) to create query.

**Answer:** 

SELECT emp\_id,first\_name,surname FROM employees;

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## **Output**

Headings are listed in the order they appear on selectlist.

Names on selectlist must be spelt exactly as they appear in the named table.

When "\*" is used, headings are in the order of the attributes in the table structure

## Headings

Some names in the headings of list produced are not user friendly:

Eg. Emp\_id

What if requirement is?
List should be headed as:

**ID First Name Last Name** 

## Renaming the headings

- · Renames a column heading
- Follows the column name immediately can be preceded by AS
- Must be surrounded by double quotation marks if it contains spaces or special characters or it is case-sensitive
- Useful with arithmetic expressions or calculations

SELECT surname , first\_name AS "First Name" FROM employees; List will be headed SURNAME First Name

#### **SELECT and WHERE**

For limiting rows returned restricts rows to those that meet a condition

SELECT selectlist FROM tablename

WHERE logical expression(s);

# **Operations**

- \* Multiply
- / Divide
- + Add
- Subtract

Symbol	Operator
=	Equal
>	Greater than
>=	Greater than or equal to
<	Less than
<=	Less than or equal to
BETWEEN AND	Between two values (inclusive)
IN (set)	Match any of a list of values
LIKE	Match a character pattern
IS NULL	Is a NULL value
!=	Not equal to

**AND** 

True if its two component conditions are true OR

True if either condition is true

NOT

True if condition is false

Produce a list of employees in department mk01. The list should show each employee's surname employee id and departmental code. SELECT surname, emp\_id AS "Employee ID", dept\_id AS "Departmental Code" FROM employees WHERE dept\_id = 'mk01';

List of all customer details with CustID of 10 in table Customers:

SELECT \* FROM Customers WHERE CustID=10;

List grade level and max salary where min salary is greater than 35000 in jobgrades table

SELECT grade\_level AS "Grade", max\_sal AS "Max Salary" FROM jobgrades WHERE min\_sal> 35000.00;

List from Customers table those customers who are from UK and Coventry

SELECT \* FROM Customers
WHERE Country='UK'AND City='Coventry';

List customers who are from UK and (Coventry or Sunderland)

SELECT \* FROM Customers
WHERE Country='UK' AND (City='Coventry' OR City='Sunderland');

Must be enclosed in a pair of single quotes **Case sensitive** Comparison: 'Smith' is not the same as 'SMITH' Display the ID, Department and salary of employer(s) whose surname(s) is (are) Smith:

SELECT emp\_id AS "ID", dept\_id AS "Department", salary FROM employees WHERE surname = 'Smith'; LOWER (Column/expression)
Converts value into lower case letters
UPPER (Column/expression)
Converts into upper case letters
INITAP (Column/expression)
Converts first character (left most) into Upper Case:

SELECT emp\_id AS "ID", UPPER(first\_name) AS "First Name", salary FROM employees;

## Ordering the results!

SELECT selectlist
FROM tablename
[WHERE conditional expression(s)]
[ORDER BY {col1, expr, position\_of\_col} [ASC|DESC]];

#### ASC or DESC

**ASC** sorts rows in ascending order (default)

**DESC** sorts rows in descending order

Produce a list of staff in ascending order of salary; the list should include staff id, surname and salary:

SELECT emp\_id AS "staff id", surname AS "Surname", salary
FROM employees
ORDER BY salary ASC;

## ORDER BY - Example

Select all records from a Customer table and order by Country and CustomerName attributes:

SELECT \* FROM Customers
ORDER BY Country, CustomerName;

Select all emp\_id, first\_name and surname from a Customer table and order by Surname (A-Z), first\_name (Z-A)

SELECT emp\_id, first\_name, surname FROM employees ORDER BY surname ASC, first\_name DESC;

## **Updating a row!**

UPDATE tablename
SET column1 = value1 [,column2 = value2, ...]
[WHERE condition];

Change Mr Kings Salary to £25000

UPDATE employees SET salary = 25000 WHERE surname = "King";

What would happen here?

UPDATE employees SET salary = 25000;

## Can I specify a range? Yes, you can!

- Range has a lower limit and an upper limit
- Lower limit must be specified first
- Values specified are inclusive
- Produce a list of employees that earn salaries between 3000 and 45000. For each employee the list should show his/her surname and salary.

SELECT surname, salary FROM employees WHERE salary BETWEEN 30000 AND 45000; SELECT first\_name AS "First Name", surname FROM employees
WHERE surname BETWEEN 'John' AND 'Peter'

SELECT \* FROM Orders
WHERE OrderDate BETWEEN '01-jan-2014' AND '07-jan-2014';

