CSC 343: Big Data Programming and Management

Lab #5: MySQL Assignment

Being familiar with *MySQL* will enable us to transfer data from MySQL into Hadoop, and to query and analyze data on HDFS using Hive (which provides an SQL-like interface) and Impala (which uses SQL).

- Complete the Basic MySQL Tutorial at http://www.mysqltutorial.org/, from MySQL SELECT through MySQL Sub Query, but skipping the following: MySQL LEFT JOIN, MYSQL RIGHT JOIN, MYSQL CROSS JOIN, MYSQL Self Join MySQL ROLLUP)
- 2. Specify the following queries, using the mysqltutorial.org sample database:
 - a. Select the first name, last name, and email address of all employees with the last name of 'Patterson'.
 - b. Select the first name and last name of all employees whose last name begins with a 'P'.
 - c. Select the customer name (which is a company name) and credit limit of all customers from CT, and sort them by credit limit from highest to lowest.
 - d. Select the customer names and state for customers from CT, NY, and NJ.
 - e. Find the total number of customers
 - f. From the *payments* table, find the total amount spent by each customer. Display this information in two columns using the names *customerNumber* and *total*.
 - g. Submit a query that shows the customer name, the payment amount, and the date.
 - h. Find the customer with the highest single payment, and display only this customer (you can display the customer number or name), the payment date, and the payment amount.
- 3. Specify the following queries using the <code>retail_db</code> database available from the <code>gdancik/cloudera</code> image. To run mysql from this image, the <code>mysql</code> server must be running, which will be the case if you run <code>docker-quickstart</code>. Alternatively, you may create a container running <code>bash</code> (without any other cloudera options) and then execute <code>server mysqld start</code>. You can then access the mysql shell by running the following command: <code>mysql -u root -p</code>. You will be prompted for a password, which is <code>cloudera</code>.

- a. Output the customer id, last name, and first name for all customers with the last name of 'Jones', using the column names *ID*, *firstName*, and *lastName*.
- b. Output the customer id, last name, and first name for all customers whose last name is 3 characters long, using the column names *ID*, *firstName*, and *lastName*.
- c. Output the 10 most common last names, using column names of *lastName* and *count*.
- d. The total number of customers (12,435) is given by the query

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select count(*) from customers;
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and the total number of customers with orders (12,405) is given by

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select count(distinct order_customer_id) from orders;
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Therefore, there are 30 "customers" who have not placed orders. Output the customer ID, first name, and last name of these 30 customers. Note that this query is relatively slow (> 20 seconds for me) because we need to look up *customer_ids* in the *orders* table, but there is not an index on this column. To speed up this query, you can optionally add an index on this column using the command

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create index customer id idx ON orders (order customer id);
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With the index the query should take < 1 second.