



ANSI SQL-92 CodeCount™ Counting Standard

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1.0 CHECKLIST FOR SOURCE STATEMENT COUNTS

PHYSICAL AND LOGICAL SLOC COUNTING RULES

Measurement Unit	Order of Precedence	Physical SLOC	Logical SLOC	Comments
Executable lines	1	One per line	See table below	Defined in 2.9
Non-executable lines				
Declaration (Data) lines	2	One per line	See table below	Defined in 2.4
Compiler directives	3	One per line	See table below	Defined in 2.5
Comments				Defined in 2.8
On their own lines	4	Not included (NI)	NI	
Embedded	5	NI	NI	
Banners	6	NI	NI	
Empty comments	7	NI	NI	
Blank lines	8	NI	NI	Defined in 2.7

Table 1 Physical and Logical SLOC Counting Counts

ANSI SQL-92 LOGICAL SLOC COUNTING RULES

No.	Structure	Order of Precedence	Logical SLOC Rules	Comments
R01	Data Statements: SELECT UPDATE INSERT DELETE ALTER TABLE ALTER USER DECLARE FETCH CLOSE		counted once per each occurrence.	each statement, including nested queries, is counted once per each occurrence.
R02	Schema Statements: CREATE CREATE TRIGGER CREATE SEQUENCE CREATE INDEX CREATE SYNONYM REPLACE COMMENT TRUNCATE RENAME DROP GRANT REVOKE		counted once per each occurrence.	
R03	Transactional Statements:		counted once per	

No.	Structure	Order of Precedence	Logical SLOC Rules	Comments
	COMMIT ROLLBACK		each occurrence	
R04	Conditional Statements: WHERE GROUP BY ORDER BY HAVING LIMIT JOIN UNION		counted once per each occurrence	conditional statements appearing in combination with other keywords are counted once per each occurrence

Table 2 Logical SLOC Counting Rules

2.0 DEFINITIONS

2.1 SLOC – Source Lines Of Code is a unit used to measure the size of software program. SLOC counts the program source code based on a certain set of rules. SLOC is a key input for estimating project effort and is also used to calculate productivity and other measurements.

2.2 Physical SLOC – One physical SLOC is corresponding to one line starting with the first character and ending by a carriage return or an end-of-file marker of the same line, and which excludes the blank and comment line.

2.3 Logical SLOC – Lines of code intended to measure “statements”, which normally terminate by a semicolon (C/C++, Java, C#) or a carriage return (VB, Assembly), or a new line in a stored procedure or a function in SQL etc. Logical SLOC are not sensitive to format and style conventions, but they are language-dependent.

2.4 Data declaration line or data line – A line that contains declaration of data and used by an assembler or compiler to interpret other elements of the program.

The following table lists C/C++ keywords that denote data declaration lines:

CHARACTER (STRING)	NUMERIC	DATETIME	MISC
CHAR (length)	SMALLINT	DATE	BOOLEAN
CHARACTER (length)	INT	TIME [(SCALE)] [WITH TIME ZONE]	BLOB
VARCHAR (length)	INTEGER	TIMESTAMP [(SCALE)] [WITH TIME ZONE]	
CHARACTER VARYING (length)	FLOAT	INTERVAL	
	REAL		
	DOUBLE		

NOTE: See Section 3 of this document for examples of data declaration lines.

2.5 Blank line – A physical line of code, which contains any number of white space characters (spaces, tabs, form feed, carriage return, line feed, or their derivatives).

2.6 Comment line – A comment is defined as a string of zero or more characters that follow language-specific comment delimiter.

SQL comment delimiters are “/*”, “--”, or “{”}”. A whole comment line may span one or more lines and does not contain any compilable source code. An embedded comment can co-exist with compilable source code on the same physical line. Banners and empty comments are treated as types of comments.

2.7 Executable line of code

- An executable line of code may not contain the following statements:
 - Commands which access the storage memory.
 - Keywords which perform conditional operations.
 - Data declaration (data) lines

3.0 EXAMPLES OF LOGICAL SLOC COUNTING

EXECUTABLE LINES				
DATA STATEMENTS (QUERY AND MODIFY TABLES AND COLUMNS)				
ID	STATEMENT DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FORM	SPECIFIC EXAMPLE	SLOC COUNT
EDS1	SELECT	SELECT [ALL DISTINCT] select-list		
		SELECT * FROM select-list	SELECT city FROM cities	1
		SELECT column FROM select-list WHERE column = <criteria>	WHERE city IN	1
			(SELECT city FROM country WHERE id='1')	1 1
EDS2	UPDATE	UPDATE table SET set-list [WHERE predicate]	UPDATE Customers SET Customer.id ='1' WHERE Customer.id='2'	1 1 1
EDS3	INSERT	INSERT INTO table [(column-list)] VALUES (value-list)	INSERT INTO colors (cnum, color) VALUES ('C1', 'green')	1 0
		INSERT INTO table [(column-list)] (query-specification)	INSERT INTO location	1
			SELECT ct.name, loc.type, 500	1
			FROM ct, loc WHERE ct.name="London" AND loc.type='Europe'	0 1 0
EDS4	DELETE	DELETE FROM table [WHERE predicate]	DELETE * FROM Customers WHERE Id='1'	1 1
		DELETE FROM table WHERE column NOT IN (SELECT column FROM table)	DELETE * FROM Customers NOT IN (SELECT Customers FROM Regulars)	1 1
EDS5	ALTER	ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME>	ALTER TABLE Customer ADD PRIMARY KEY (SID);	1 0
SCHEMA STATEMENTS (MAINTAIN SCHEMA – CATALOG)				
ID	STATEMENT DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FORM	SPECIFIC EXAMPLE	SLOC COUNT
ESS1	CREATE	CREATE TABLE table-name ({column-descr constraint} [, {column-descr constraint}]...)	CREATE TABLE locals (ct VARCHAR(5) NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY, name VARCHAR(16), city VARCHAR(16))	1
		CREATE VIEW view-name [(column-list)] AS query [WITH [CASCADED LOCAL] CHECK OPTION]	CREATE VIEW supplied_parts AS SELECT * FROM parts WHERE pnun IN (SELECT pnun FROM supplier)	1 1 2 0

ESS2	DROP	DROP TABLE table-name {CASCADE RESTRICT}	DROP TABLE locals	1
		DROP VIEW view-name {CASCADE RESTRICT}	DROP VIEW supplied_parts	1
ESS3	GRANT	GRANT privilege-list ON [TABLE] object-list TO user-list	GRANT SELECT,INSERT,UPDATE(parts) ON p TO mike	1 1 0
ESS4	REVOKE	REVOKE privilege-list ON [TABLE] object-list FROM user-list	REVOKE SELECT,INSERT,UPDATE(parts) ON p FROM mike	1 1 0
TRANSACTIONAL STATEMENTS (MAINTAIN SCHEMA – CATALOG)				
ID	STATEMENT DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FORM	SPECIFIC EXAMPLE	SLOC COUNT
ETS1	COMMIT	COMMIT [WORK]	COMMIT	1
ETS2	ROLLBACK	ROLLBACK [WORK]	ROLLBACK	1

CONDITIONAL STATEMENTS				
ID	STATEMENT DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FORM	SPECIFIC EXAMPLE	SLOC COUNT
ECS1	WHERE	SELECT [FROM table_references] [WHERE where_condition]	SELECT * FROM Table WHERE Table.id='1'	1 1
ECS2	GROUP BY	SELECT [FROM table_references] [WHERE where_condition] [GROUP BY {col_name expr position} [ASC DESC]	SELECT * FROM Customers GROUP BY ID	1 0 1
ECS3	ORDER BY	SELECT * FROM select_list ORDER BY column [ASC DESC]	SELECT * FROM Customers ORDER BY Id ASC	1 0 1
ECS4	LIMIT	SELECT [FROM table_references] [WHERE where_condition] [LIMIT {[offset,] row_count row_count OFFSET offset}]	SELECT * FROM Customers LIMIT 1	1 0 1
ECS5	JOIN	table-1 { LEFT RIGHT FULL OUTER JOIN table-2 ON predicate	SELECT count(*) as totalcount, trsuser.id, trsuser.fname, trsuser.mortgage FROM customers, loanInfo,trsuser	1 0 0 0

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