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INTRODUCTION

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SQL Basic Syntax

1 1 Comment 3 Clauses

2 -- Retrieve employee from pune

3 **SELECT** FirstName, LastName

4 **FROM** Employee

5 **WHERE** City = 'Pune'

6 **ORDER BY** EmployeeId;

7 2 SQL statement 5 Identifiers

8 4 keywords 6 Terminating Semicolon

9 Note : SQL is not case sensitive language

Each column in a table has a single Data Type

Category	Type
String	char, varchar, text, nchar, nvarchar, ntext
Numeric	bigint, int, smallint, tinyint, decimal, numeric, float, real
Boolean	bit
DateTime	datetime, smalldatetime
UniqueIdentifiers	uniqueidentifier, identity
BLOB	binary, varbinary, image

Example of Literals

1 **STRING** 'LastName', 'Is', '30', 'Savvy'

2 **NUMERIC** 1, 2, 3,-24, -105

3 **BOOLEAN** True, False, NULL

4 **DATETIME** '10/06/1986'; '19800130'

5 **UNIQUE IDENTIFIERS** {MIKKAd24-89bc-self7
jj7e-7bb3db3809bc}

Apply It

Retrieving columns with **SELECT** and **FROM**
The **SELECT** clause lists the columns to display.
The **FROM** clause

Syntax

- 1 **SELECT** *columns*
- 2 **FROM** *table*;

BASIC EXAMPLE

- 1 **SELECT** city
- 2 **FROM** Employee;

Extra

To retrieve all columns from a table

- 1 **SELECT** *
- 2 **FROM** Employee;

**Apply
It**

Creating column aliases with **AS**
As clause to create a column alias
A column alias is an alternative name.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT column [AS] AliasName
2  FROM table;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

syntactic variations
of the AS clause

```
1  SELECT  FirstName AS 'Student Name',
2          LastName AS "SurName",
3          EmailID AS [Email]
4  FROM Employee;
```

**Apply
It**

Eliminating Duplicate rows with **DISTINCT**
A result that list each duplicate only once.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT DISTINCT column  
2  FROM table;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT DISTINCT city  
2  FROM Employee;
```


Apply It

Sorting rows with **ORDER BY**
ORDER BY clause to sort rows by a specified column or columns in ascending (lowest to highest) or descending (highest to lowest)

Syntax

```
1 SELECT column
2 FROM table
3 ORDER BY sortColumn [ASC|DESC];
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT FirstName, LastName
2 FROM Employee
3 ORDER BY LastName ASC;
```

TIPS

The **ORDER BY** clause always the last clause in a select statement

Example

```
1 SELECT FirstName, City, Zip
2 FROM Employee
3 ORDER BY
4     CASE WHEN City = 'Pune' THEN Zip
5     ELSE City END
6 DESC;
```

Apply It

Filtering rows with WHERE
WHERE clause to filter unwanted rows from the result.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT columns
2  FROM table
3  WHERE column operator value;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName, LastName
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE Mobile = '9403019549';
```

TIPS

Place the **WHERE** clause before the **ORDER BY** clause, in a **SELECT** statement in which both appear.

Types of Conditions

Condition	SQL OPERATORS
Comparison	=, < >, <, <=, >, >=, !=
Pattern matching	LIKE
Range filtering	BETWEEN
List filtering	IN
NULL testing	IS NULL

Apply It

Combining and Negating Conditions with **AND**, **OR** and **NOT**

The AND operator connects two conditions and returns true only if both conditions are true.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT columns
2  FROM table
3  WHERE Condition1 AND Condition2;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName, Salary
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE Salary > 15000 AND Salary < 60000;
```

AND table

Condition1	Condition2	Result
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	False
False	False	False

**Apply
It**

The **OR** operator connects two conditions and returns true if either condition is true or if both conditions are true.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT columns
2  FROM table
3  WHERE Condition1 OR Condition2
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName, City
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE City = 'Pune' OR City = 'Mumbai';
```

OR table

Condition1	Condition2	Result
True	True	True
True	False	True
False	True	True
False	False	False

Apply It

The **NOT** operator negates (reverses) a Single Condition.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT columns
2  FROM table
3  WHERE NOT (Condition)
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName, City
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE NOT (City = 'Bangalore');
```

NOT table

Condition1	NOT Result
True	False
False	True

Apply It

Matching pattern with **LIKE**

LIKE to retrieve rows based on partial information. **LIKE** is useful if you don't know an exact value like works with only string.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT columns
2  FROM table
3  WHERE column [NOT] LIKE 'Pattern';
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE FirstName LIKE '_a%';
```

Wildcard Operators

Operator	Matches
%	a percent sign matches any string of Zero or more character
_	An underscore matches any one character

Example of % and _ Patterns

PATTERN	MATCHES
'H%'	Matches a strings of length >,1 that begins with A
'%L'	Matches a strings of length >,1 that ends with L
'%in%'	Matches a strings of length >,2 that contains in anywhere
'_in_'	Matches any four character string that has in as its second & third characters
'[L-S]et'	Matches Let, Net, Set but not <u>vet</u>

**Apply
It**

Range filtering with **BETWEEN** to determine whether a given value falls with a specified range.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT column
2  FROM table
3  WHERE [NOT] column BETWEEN LowValue
                                AND HighValue;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName, Salary
2  FROM Employee
3  WHERE Salary BETWEEN 15000
4                                AND 60000;
```

Apply It

List filtering with **IN** to determine whether a given value matches any value in a specified list.

Syntax

```
1 SELECT columns
2 FROM table
3 WHERE column [NOT] IN
      (Value1, Value2);
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT FirstName, [State]
2 FROM Employee
3 WHERE [State] IN ('MH', 'GH');
```


**Apply
It**

Deal with **NULL**.
Null represent missing or
unknown values.

Syntax

```
1 SELECT column  
2 FROM table  
3 WHERE column IS [NOT] NULL;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT FirstName, City  
2 FROM Employee  
3 WHERE City IS NULL;
```

**Apply
It**

Performing arithmetic operations

Syntax

- 1 **SELECT** value1 + value2;
- 2 **SELECT** value1 - value2;
- 3 **SELECT** value1 * value2;
- 4 **SELECT** value1 / value2;

BASIC EXAMPLE

- | | | Result |
|---|--|--------|
| 1 | SELECT (9 + 1); | 10 |
| 2 | SELECT (7 - 1); | 6 |
| 3 | SELECT (2 * 3); | 6 |
| 4 | SELECT (12 / 2); | 6 |
| 5 | SELECT CONVERT (DECIMAL (3,1),5) / CONVERT (DECIMAL (3,1),3); | 2.5 |

TIPS

Its good programming style to add parentheses (even when they're unnecessary) to make code portable & easier to read.

**Apply
It**

Concatating string with +

Syntax

```
1 SELECT string1 + string2;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT FirstName + ' ' + LastName  
2 FROM Employee;
```

TIPS

You can use + in **SELECT**,
WHERE and **ORDER BY** clauses or
anywhere an expression is allowed.

**Apply
It**

Extracting a substring with
SUBSTRING () to extract part of a string.

Syntax

1 **SUBSTRING** (expression, start, length)

Eg**Result**

SELECT UPPER ('sql')	SQL
SELECT LOWER ('SQL')	sql
SELECT '<' + LTRIM (' sql ') + '>'	<SQL >
SELECT '<' + LTRIM (' sql ') + '>'	< SQL>
SELECT LEN ('SQL')	3
SELECT SUBSTRING ('sqlQuery', 1,4)	sqlQ
SELECT REVERSE ('SQL')	LQS
SELECT REPLACE ('SQL', 'SQL', 'savvySQL')	savvy SQL
SELECT LEFT ('savvySQL',5)	savvy
SELECT RIGHT ('savvySQL', 3)	SQL

Apply It**Getting the current Date and Time****Function**

- 1 GETDATE ()
- 2 DATEPART (datePart, date)
- 3 DATEADD (datePart, number, date)
- 4 DATEDIFF (datePart, startDate, endDate)
- 5 CONVERT (dateType (length), expression, style)

Description

- 1 Return the current date and Time
- 2 Return the single part of a date/Time
- 3 Add or subtract a specified time interval from date
- 4 Return the time between two dates
- 5 Display date/Time data in different formats

Value (Century yyyy)	Input/Output	Standard
101	mm/dd/yyyy	USA
104	dd.mm.yyyy	German
110	mm-dd-yyyy	USA
111	yyyy/mm/dd	Japan

DatePart	abbreviation
year	yy, yyyy
month	mm, m
day	aa, a
week	wk, ww
hour	hh
minute	mi, n
second	ss, s

**Apply
It**

Converting Data types with **CAST**
To convert one data type to another.

Syntax

```
1 SELECT CAST (expression AS dataType)
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT CAST (mobile AS CHAR(10))  
2 FROM Employee;
```

**Apply
It**

Evaluating conditional value with CASE is used to evaluate several condition and return a single value for the first true condition.

Syntax

```
1  CASE ComparisonValue
2      WHEN value1 THEN result1
3      WHEN value2 THEN result2
4      WHEN value  THEN result
5      [ELSE DefaultResult]
6  END;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName
2      CASE Gender
3          WHEN 0 THEN 'Female'
4          WHEN 1 THEN 'Male'
5          ELSE 'Unknown'
6      END
7  FROM Employee;
```

**Apply
It**

Checking for NULLS with **COALESCE ()** is display a specific value instead of a null in a result.

Syntax

```
1 (expression1[, expression2, expressionN])
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT  
2 FirstName, COALESCE ([state], 'N/A') AS [state]  
3 FROM Employee;
```


**Apply
It**

Comparing expressions with **ISNULL()** is used to convert a user define missing, unknown, or inapplicable value to null.

Syntax

```
1  ISNULL(expression1, expression2)
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT FirstName  
2      ISNULL(contract, 1) AS "contract"  
3  FROM Employee;
```

TIPS

To return a null if two expression are equivalent.

NULLIF() function you can use for avoiding division by zero problem.

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT ( 51 / NULLIF(0, 0) ) AS Value;
```

**Apply
It**

Summarizing and Grouping data.

Aggregate Functions

Function	Return
MIN (column)	Minimum value in column
MAX (column)	Maximum value in column
SUM (column)	Sum of the values in column
AVG (column)	Average of the values in column
COUNT (column)	The number of non null values in column
COUNT (*)	The number of rows in a table or set.

**Apply
It**

Grouping rows with **GROUP BY**

Syntax

```
1  SELECT
2      columns
3  FROM table
4  [WHERE SearchCondition]
5  GROUP BY
6  [HAVING SearchCondition]
7  [ORDER BY SortColumns];
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

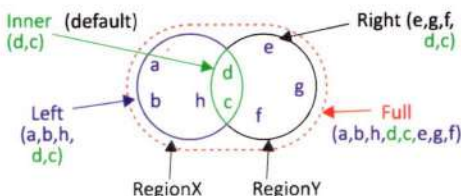
```
1  SELECT FirstName, City
2      COUNT(*) AS "count(*)"
3  FROM Employee
4  GROUP BY City;
```

Extra

The **GROUP BY** clause comes after the **WHERE** clause and before the **ORDER BY** clause

Apply It

A join is a table operation that uses related columns to combine rows from two input tables into one result table [you can chain join to retrieve rows from an unlimited number of tables]



Syntax

```
1  SELECT
2  FROM LeftTable;
3  [INNER|LEFT|FULL] join
4  RightTable ON condition;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT X. Point, Y. Point
2  FROM RegionX X
3  INNER JOIN RegionY Y
4  ON X.Point = Y.Point;
```



```
1  SELECT X.Point
2  FROM RegionX X
3  LEFT JOIN RegionY Y
4  ON X.Point = Y.Point;
```



BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT Y.Point
2 FROM RegionX X
3 RIGHT JOIN RegionY Y
4 ON X.Point = Y.Point;
```



```
1 SELECT COALESCE (X.Point, Y.Point, 'N/A')
2 FROM RegionX X
3 FULL JOIN RegionY Y
4 ON X.Point = Y.Point;
```



Extra

EXCEPT and INTERSECT

EXCEPT returns any distinct values from the left query that are not also found on the right query

INTERSECT returns any distinct values that are returned by both the query on the left & right sides of the INTERSECT Operand.

Syntax

```
1 { SQL Query1}
2 {EXCEPT | INTERSECT}
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 SELECT Point FROM RegionX
2 EXCEPT
3 SELECT Point FROM RegionY;
```



```
1 SELECT Point FROM RegionX
2 INTERSECT
3 SELECT Point FROM RegionY;
```



**Apply
It**

Combining Rows with **UNION** expression removes duplicate rows from the result; a **UNION ALL** expression doesn't remove duplicates.

Syntax

```
1  SELECT statement
2  UNION [ALL]
3  SELECT statement
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  SELECT Point FROM RegionX
2  UNION
3  SELECT Point FROM RegionY
```



```
1  SELECT city FROM Employee
2  UNION ALL
3  SELECT city FROM NewEmployee
```

Apply It

INSERTING, UPDATING And
DELETING Rows
Inserting rows with **INSERT**

Syntax

To insert a row by using column positions

```
1  INSERT INTO table
2  VALUES (value1, value2, valueN);
```

To insert a row by using column names

```
1  INSERT INTO
2  (Column1, Column2, ColumnN)
3  VALUES (value1, value2, valueN);
```

To insert a rows from one table into
another table

```
1  INSERT INTO
2  [(Column1, Column2, columnN)
3  SELECT Statement;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  INSERT INTO Employee
2  VALUES
3  ('Harry', 'Aderson', 1, 'ha@gmail.com',
4  'Pune', 'MH', '6421763549', '411027',
5  6000, 'Dev', 1);
```

```
1  INSERT INTO
2  (FirstName, LastName, EmailID, City, State,
3  Mobile, Zip, Salary)
4  VALUES ('Rick', 'Gate', 'rg@hotmail.com',
5  'Pune', 'MH', '9421763549', '411027', 9100);
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  INSERT INTO Employee
2  SELECT
3      FirstName, LastName, Gender
4      ,EmailId, City, [State], Mobile,Zip
5      ,Department, IsContract
6  FROM NewEmployee
7  WHERE City = 'Pune';
```


**Apply
It**

Updating rows with UPDATE statement changes the values in a tables existing rows.

Syntax

- 1 **UPDATE** table
- 2 **SET** Column = Value1, Column2 = Value2
[**WHERE** SearchCondition]

BASIC EXAMPLE

- 1 **UPDATE** Employee
- 2 **SET** Salary = (Salary + 1000);

**Apply
It**

Deleting rows with **DELETE** statement removes rows from a table.

Syntax

- 1 **DELETE FROM** table
- 2 **[WHERE SearchConditon];**

BASIC EXAMPLE

- 1 **DELETE FROM** NewEmployee;

**Apply
It**

Creating a New Table with
CREATE TABLE

Syntax

```
1  CREATE TABLE table
2  (
3      Column1    DataType1,
4      Column2    DataType2,
5      ColumnN    DataTypeN
6  );
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1  CRATE TABLE INTERN
2  ( InternID      INT NOT NULL
3      FirstName   VARCHAR (15),
4      LastName    VARCHAR (15),
5      Degree       VARCHAR (15),
6      Phone       VARCHAR (10),
7      City        VARCHAR (15),
8      State       VARCHAR (2),
9      Zip         VARCHAR (10)
10 );
```

Extra

Create a temporary local table.

```
1 CREATE Table #table (column dataType);
```

Create a temporary Global table

```
1 CREATE Table ##table (column dataType);
```

To create a new table from an existing table.

Syntax

```
1 SELECT [TOP (number)]
2     columns
3 INTO New Table
4 FROM Existing Table
5 [WHERE SearchCondition];
```

Eg. Create a new table with data

```
1 SELECT *
2 INTO EmployeeClon1
3 FROM Employee;
```

Create a new empty table

```
1 SELECT TOP(0) *
2 INTO EmployeeClon2
3 FROM Employee;
```

**Apply
It**

Creating an Index with
CREATE INDEX

Syntax

- 1 **CREATE [UNIQUE] INDEX** indexName
- 2 **ON** table (indexColumn);

BASIC EXAMPLE

- 1 **CREATE INDEX** IndexEmpSal
- 2 **ON** Employee (Salary);

**Apply
It**

Creating a view with
CREATE VIEW

Syntax

```
1 CREATE VIEW view [(viewColumns)]
2 AS SELECT Statement;
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 CREATE VIEW EmployeeView (EmpName)
2 AS
3 SELECT
4     FirstName + ' ' + LastName
5 FROM Employee;
```

Extra

Retrieving data through a view

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM EmployeeView;
```

**Apply
It****Creating stored Procedure****Syntax**

```
1 CREATE {PROC | PROCEDURE} ProcName
2 [ Parameter AS dataType [= DefaultValue] ]
3 AS
4 [BEGIN]
5     sql statements;
6 [END]
7 GO
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 CREATE PROC GetEmployee
2 (@EmployeeID AS INT )
3 AS
4 BEGIN
5     SELECT * FROM Employee
6     WHERE EmployeeID=@EmployeeID;
7 END
8 GO
9
```

Execute stored procedure using **EXECUTE** clause

```
1 EXECUTE GetEmployee 2
```

**Apply
It**

Create user defined
function

Syntax

```
1 CREATE FUNCTION FunctionName
2 ({@parameterName [AS] DataType})
3 RETURNS returnDataType
4 BEGIN
5     RETURN ScalarExpression
6 END
```

Use used define function

```
1 SELECT dbo.SumofSalary ('PUNE')
```

BASIC EXAMPLE

```
1 CREATE FUNCTION dbo.SumOfSalary
2 (@City AS VARCHAR (10))
3 RETURNS DECIMAL (8,2)
4 AS
5 BEGIN
6     DECLARE @SumSalary AS DECIMAL (8,2);
7     SELECT @SumSalary = sum (Salary)
8     FROM dbo.Employee
9     WHERE City = @City;
10
11     RETURN @SumSalary;
12 END
13 GO
```


IMP SQLS

- ✓ Get a list of database

```
1 SELECT Name
2 FROM Sys.Objects;
```

- ✓ Get a list of table in a database

```
1 SELECT * FROM Sys.Objects
   WHERE type = 'U';
```

- ✓ Get a list of Stored Proc in database

```
1 SELECT Name, type
2 FROM dbo.Sys.Objects
3 WHERE TYPE = 'P';
```

- ✓ Get a list of columns in a table

```
1 SELECT C.Name FROM Sys.Columns C
2 WHERE
3 C.Object_Id = Object_Id('Employee') ;
4
5 -- Alternate way
6 EXEC SP_Columns Employee
7
```

Helpful Database engine stored proc.

ProName	description
SP_help	Reports information about database object
SP_helpprotect	Reports that has information about user permission
SP_depends	Displays object dependencies
SP_helptext	displays user define rute Eg. proc, function
SP_helpServer	Report information about server
SP_helpdb	Reports information about database
SP_helpfile	Return physical FileName
SP_ExecuteSql	Execute a Transact SQL Statement

Helpful Shortcut for SQL Management Studio

Purpose	Shortcuts
Run SQL	F5
Cancel the Executing Query	Alt + Break
Help	Alt + F1
Comment	Ctrl + K + C
Uncomment	Ctrl + K + U