

CSC343 Worksheet 3 Solution

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1. Exercise 6.1.1:

If there is a comma between A and B (i.e, *SELECT A, B*), we can conclude A and B are two different attributes.

If there are no commas between A and B , we can conclude B is an alias of A .

2. Exercise 6.1.2:

- a) *SELECT address FROM Studio WHERE name = 'MGM';*
- b) *SELECT birthdate FROM MovieStar WHERE name = 'Sandra Bullock';*
- c) *SELECT starName FROM StarsIn WHERE movieYear = 1980, movieTitle LIKE '%Love%';*

Correct Solution:

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SELECT starName FROM StarsIn WHERE movieYear = 1980 AND movieTitle  
LIKE '%Love%';
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- d) *SELECT name FROM MovieExec WHERE netWorth >= 10000000;*
- e) *SELECT name FROM MovieStar WHERE gender='male' OR address LIKE '%Malibu%';*

3. Exercise 6.1.3:

- a) *SELECT model, speed, hd FROM PC WHERE price < 1000;*
- b) *SELECT model, speed AS gigahertz, hd AS gigabytes FROM PC WHERE price < 1000;*
- c) *SELECT maker FROM Product WHERE type='printer';*
- d) *SELECT model, ram, screen FROM Laptops WHERE price > 1500;*
- e) *SELECT * FROM Printer WHERE color=TRUE;*

f) SELECT model, hd FROM PC WHERE speed = 3.20 AND price < 2000;

4. **Exercise 6.1.4:**

- a) SELECT class, country FROM Classes where numGuns >= 10;
- b) SELECT name AS shipName FROM Ships WHERE launched < 1918;
- c) SELECT ship, battle FROM Outcomes WHERE result='sunk';
- d) SELECT name FROM Ships WHERE name = class;
- e) SELECT name FROM Ships WHERE name LIKE 'R%';
- f) SELECT name FROM ships WHERE name LIKE '% % %';

5. **Exercise 6.1.5:**

- a) Given $a = 10$, the sets of tuples that satisfy the condition is

$(10, -MAX_INT), (10, -MAX_INT + 1), \dots, (10, 0), \dots, (10, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(10, MAX_INT), (10, NULL)$

Given $b = 20$, the sets of tuples that satisfy the condition is

$(-MAX_INT, 20), (-MAX_INT + 1, 20), \dots, (0, 20), \dots, (MAX_INT - 1, 20),$
 $(MAX_INT, 20), (NULL, 20)$

Given $a = 10$ and $b = 20$, the set of tuple that satisfy the condition is $(10, 20)$

- b) Given $a = 10$ AND $b = 20$, the only set of (a, b) tuple that satisfy the condition is $(10, 20)$.
- c) There are three cases to consider
 - i. $a < 10$

In this case, the set of (a, b) tuples that satisfy the condition is:

$(9, -MAX_INT), (9, -MAX_INT + 1), \dots, (9, 0), \dots, (9, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(9, MAX_INT), (9, NULL)$

$(8, -MAX_INT), (8, -MAX_INT + 1), \dots, (8, 0), \dots, (8, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(8, MAX_INT), (8, NULL)$

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$(-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (-MAX_INT + 1, 0), \dots, (-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT + 1, NULL)$

$(-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (-MAX_INT + 1, 0), \dots, (-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT + 1, NULL)$

ii. $a \geq 10$

In this case, the set of (a, b) tuples that satisfy the condition is:

$(10, -MAX_INT), (10, -MAX_INT + 1), \dots, (10, 0), \dots, (10, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(10, MAX_INT), (10, NULL)$

$(11, -MAX_INT), (11, -MAX_INT + 1), \dots, (11, 0), \dots, (11, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(11, MAX_INT), (11, NULL)$

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$(MAX_INT - 1, -MAX_INT), (MAX_INT - 1, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (MAX_INT - 1, 0), \dots, (MAX_INT - 1, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(MAX_INT - 1, MAX_INT), (MAX_INT - 1, NULL)$

$(MAX_INT, -MAX_INT), (MAX_INT, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (MAX_INT, 0), \dots, (MAX_INT, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(MAX_INT, MAX_INT), (MAX_INT, NULL)$

iii. $a < 10$ AND $a \geq 10$

This case is not considered. No (a, b) tuples match this condition.

d) In this case the set of (a, b) tuples that satisfy this condition is

$(-MAX_INT, -MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (0, 0), \dots, (MAX_INT - 1, MAX_INT - 1),$
 (MAX_INT, MAX_INT)

Here, the case $a = NULL$ and $b = NULL$ is not considered, since $NULL \neq NULL$.

Notes:

- $NULL = NULL$ is $NULL$.

e) In this case, the set of (a, b) tuples that satisfy this condition is

$(-MAX_INT, -MAX_INT), (-MAX_INT, -MAX_INT + 1),$
 $\dots, (-MAX_INT, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(-MAX_INT, MAX_INT),$

$(-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT + 1), (-MAX_INT + 1, -MAX_INT + 2),$
 $\dots, (-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT - 1),$
 $(-MAX_INT + 1, MAX_INT),$

...

$(MAX_INT - 1, MAX_INT - 1), (MAX_INT - 1, MAX_INT),$
 (MAX_INT, MAX_INT)

Here, the case $a = NULL$ OR $b = NULL$ is not considered, since $a \not\leq b$.

6. SELECT * FROM Movies WHERE length;
7. (a) SELECT StarsIn.starName FROM StarsIn, MovieStar WHERE
 StarsIn.starName = MovieStar.name AND MovieStar.gender = 'male';
 (b) SELECT StarsIn.starName FROM Movies, StarsIn WHERE
 StarsIn.movieTitle = Movies.title AND Movies.studioName = 'MGM';
 (c) SELECT MovieExec.name FROM MovieExec, Studio WHERE MovieExec cert# =
 studio.presC# AND Studio.name = 'MGM';
 (d) SELECT M2.title FROM Movies AS M1, Movies AS M2 WHERE
 M1.title = "Gone With the Wind" AND M2.length > M1.length;
 (e) SELECT Mx2.name FROM MovieExec AS Mx1, MovieExec AS Mx2 WHERE
 Mx1.name = 'Merg Griffin' AND Mx2.netWorth > Mx1.netWorth;
8. a) SELECT Product.maker, Laptop.speed FROM Product, Laptops WHERE
 Product.type = 'laptop' AND Laptop.hd >= 30;
 b) (SELECT model, price FROM PC INNER JOIN Product ON
 PC.model = Product.model WHERE maker = 'B')

UNION

(SELECT model, price FROM Printer INNER JOIN Product ON
 Printer.model = Product.model WHERE maker = 'B')

UNION

(SELECT model, price FROM Laptop INNER JOIN Product ON
 Laptop.model = Product.model WHERE maker = 'B')

- c) (SELECT maker FROM Product WHERE type='laptop') -
 (SELECT maker FROM Product WHERE type='pc')
- d) SELECT pc1.hd FROM PC AS pc1, PC AS pc2 WHERE
 pc1.model != pc2.model AND pc1.hd = pc2.hd;
- e) SELECT pc1.model FROM PC AS pc1, PC AS pc2 WHERE
 pc2.model != pc1.model AND
 pc2.model >= pc1.model AND
 pc2.ram = pc1.ram AND
 pc2.speed = pc1.speed;

9. Notes:

• EXISTS

- EXISTS R is a condition that is true if and only if relation R is not empty

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1  SELECT SupplierName
2  FROM Suppliers
3  WHERE EXISTS (SELECT ProductName FROM Products WHERE
4                Products.SupplierID = Suppliers.supplierID AND Price = 22);
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r

• $s \text{ IN } R$

- is true if and only if s is equal to one of the values in R .
- $s \text{ NOT IN } R$ true if and only if s has no value in R .

• $s > \text{ANY } R$

- is true if and only if s is greater than at least one value in unary relation R .

• $s > \text{ALL } R$

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