How to Start MySql Server

Download latest version of XAMPP From <https://www.apachefriends.org/download.html>

Install XAMPP and open XAMPP Control Panel

From Control panel you need to start two services apache, mysql

Now open browser and enter URL <http://localhost/phpmyadmin/> or press admin button from XAMPP control panel.

Now you are connected with MySql server home page

**MySQL Tutorial**

MySQL is a widely used relational database management system (RDBMS).

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# Introduction to MySQL

MySQL is a very popular open-source relational database management system (RDBMS).

## What is MySQL?

* MySQL is a relational database management system
* MySQL is open-source
* MySQL is free
* MySQL is ideal for both small and large applications
* MySQL is very fast, reliable, scalable, and easy to use
* MySQL is cross-platform
* MySQL is compliant with the ANSI SQL standard
* MySQL was first released in 1995
* MySQL is developed, distributed, and supported by **Oracle Corporation**
* MySQL is named after co-founder Monty Widenius's daughter: My

## Who Uses MySQL?

* Huge websites like Facebook, Twitter, Airbnb, Booking.com, Uber, GitHub, YouTube, etc.
* Content Management Systems like WordPress, Drupal, Joomla!, Contao, etc.
* A very large number of web developers around the world

## Show Data On Your Web Site

To build a web site that shows data from a database, you will need:

* An RDBMS database program (like MySQL)
* A server-side scripting language, like PHP
* To use SQL to get the data you want
* To use HTML / CSS to style the page

# MySQL RDBMS

## What is RDBMS?

RDBMS stands for Relational Database Management System.

RDBMS is a program used to maintain a relational database.

RDBMS is the basis for all modern database systems such as MySQL, Microsoft SQL Server, Oracle, and Microsoft Access.

RDBMS uses [SQL queries](https://www.w3schools.com/sql/default.asp) to access the data in the database.

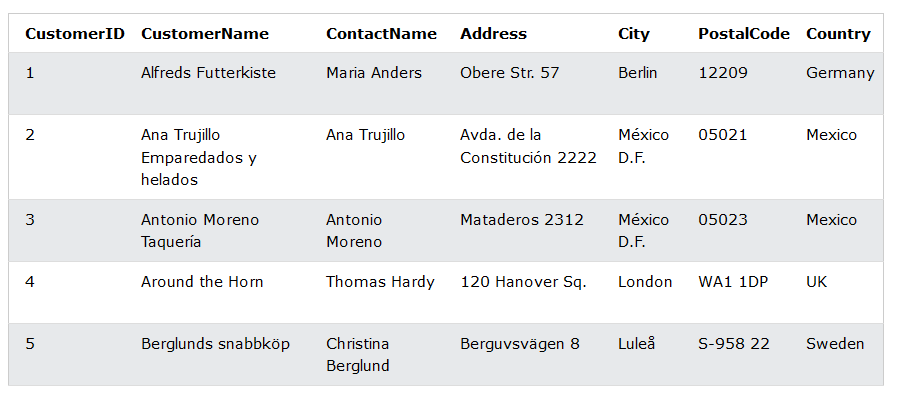
## What is a Database Table?

A table is a collection of related data entries, and it consists of columns and rows.

A column holds specific information about every record in the table.

A record (or row) is each individual entry that exists in a table.

Look at a selection from the Northwind "Customers" table:



The columns in the "Customers" table above are: CustomerID, CustomerName, ContactName, Address, City, PostalCode and Country. The table has 5 records (rows).

## What is a Relational Database?

A relational database defines database relationships in the form of tables. The tables are related to each other - based on data common to each.

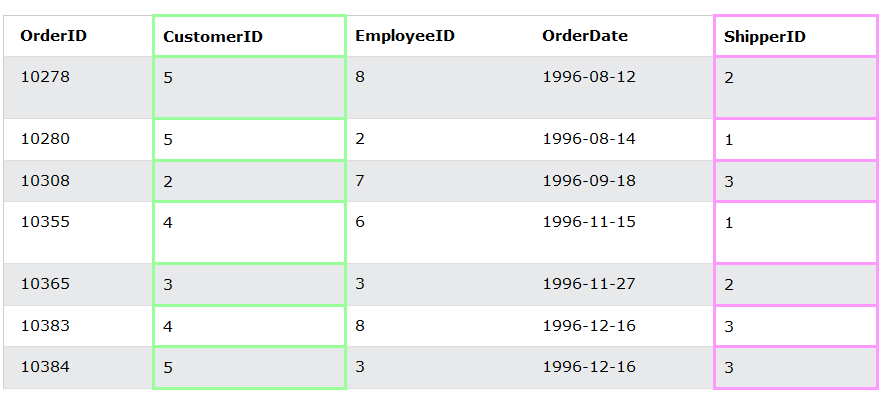
Look at the following three tables "Customers", "Orders", and "Shippers" from the Northwind database:

### Customers Table



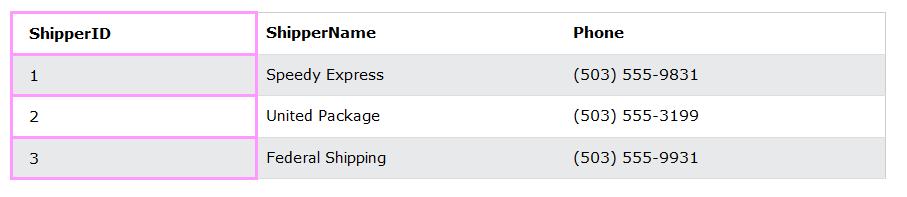
The relationship between the "Customers" table and the "Orders" table is the CustomerID column:

### Orders Table



The relationship between the "Orders" table and the "Shippers" table is the ShipperID column:

### Shippers Table



# MySQL SQL

## What is SQL? (Structured Query Language)

SQL is the standard language for dealing with Relational Databases.

SQL is used to insert, search, update, and delete database records.

## How to Use SQL

The following SQL statement selects all the records in the "Customers" table:

SELECT \* FROM Customers;

## Keep in Mind That...

* SQL keywords are NOT case sensitive: select is the same as SELECT

In this tutorial we will write all SQL keywords in upper-case.

## Semicolon after SQL Statements?

Some database systems require a semicolon at the end of each SQL statement.

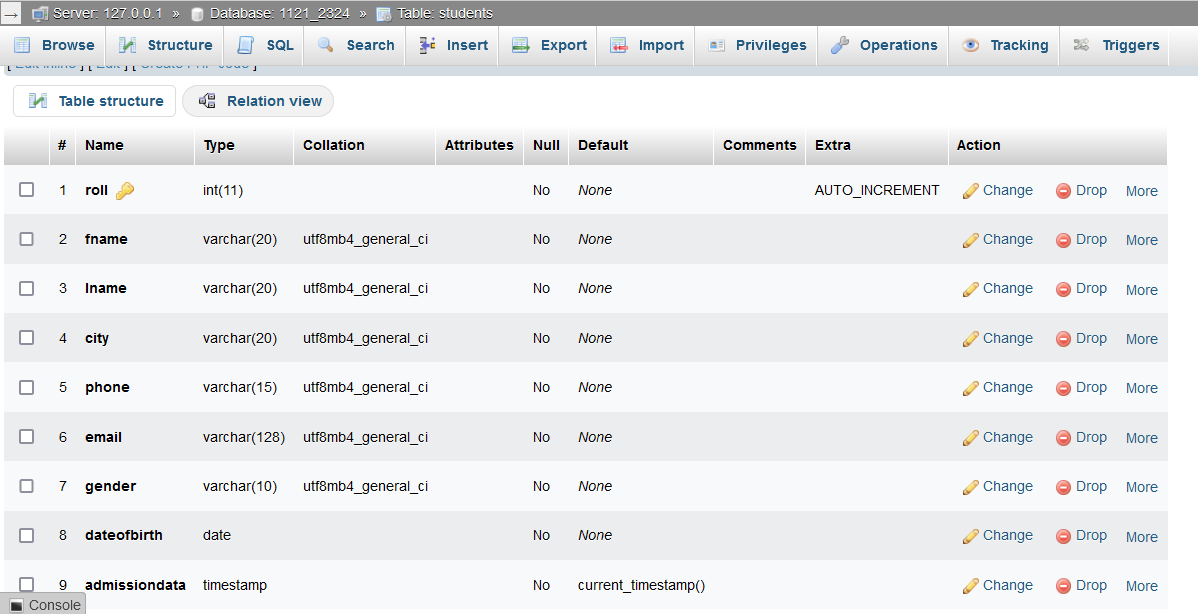
Semicolon is the standard way to separate each SQL statement in database systems that allow more than one SQL statement to be executed in the same call to the server.

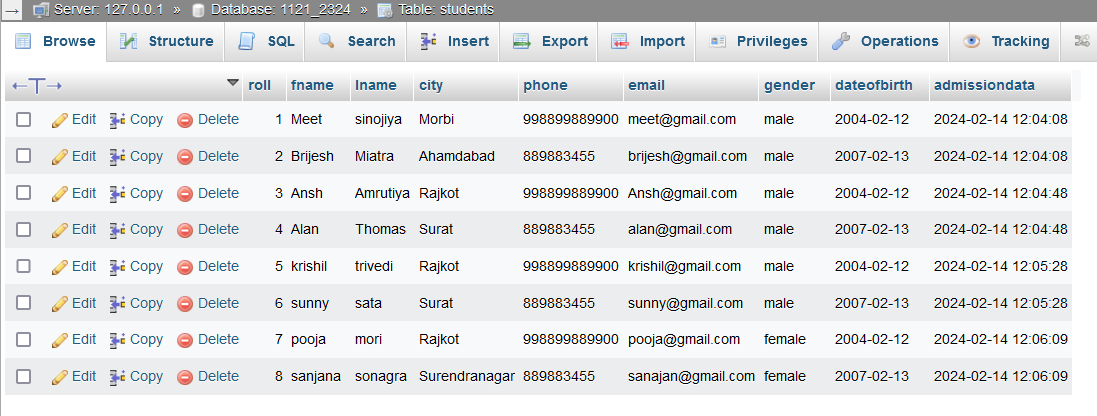
In this tutorial, we will use semicolon at the end of each SQL statement.

## Some of The Most Important SQL Commands

* SELECT - extracts data from a database
* UPDATE - updates data in a database
* DELETE - deletes data from a database
* INSERT INTO - inserts new data into a database
* CREATE DATABASE - creates a new database
* ALTER DATABASE - modifies a database
* CREATE TABLE - creates a new table
* ALTER TABLE - modifies a table
* DROP TABLE - deletes a table
* CREATE INDEX - creates an index (search key)
* DROP INDEX - deletes an index

Before continue with MySql you need to create sample database and add some data in it.





# MySQL SELECT Statement

## The MySQL SELECT Statement

The SELECT statement is used to select data from a database.

The data returned is stored in a result table, called the result-set.

### SELECT Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name;

Here, column1, column2, ... are the field names of the table you want to select data from. If you want to select all the fields available in the table, use the following syntax:

SELECT \* FROM table\_name;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city from students

SELECT \* from students;

## The MySQL SELECT DISTINCT Statement

The SELECT DISTINCT statement is used to return only distinct (different) values.

Inside a table, a column often contains many duplicate values; and sometimes you only want to list the different (distinct) values.

### SELECT DISTINCT Syntax

SELECT DISTINCT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name;

SELECT city from students;

SELECT DISTINCT city from students;

SELECT count(DISTINCT city) from students;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, dateofbirth from students

# MySQL WHERE Clause

## The MySQL WHERE Clause

The WHERE clause is used to filter records.

It is used to extract only those records that fulfill a specified condition.

### WHERE Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_nameWHERE condition;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, dateofbirth from students WHERE roll = 1;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, dateofbirth from students WHERE roll > 5;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, dateofbirth from students WHERE not roll > 5;

**Note:** The WHERE clause is not only used in SELECT statements, it is also used in UPDATE, DELETE, etc.!

SELECT \* from students WHERE city = 'rajkot'

SELECT \* from students WHERE not city = 'rajkot';

SELECT \* from students WHERE city <> "rajkot";

## Text Fields vs. Numeric Fields

SQL requires single quotes around text values (most database systems will also allow double quotes).

However, numeric fields should not be enclosed in quotes:

SELECT \* from students WHERE not city = rajkot;

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll BETWEEN 1 and 5

# MySQL AND, OR and NOT Operators

## The MySQL AND, OR and NOT Operators

The WHERE clause can be combined with AND, OR, and NOT operators.

The AND and OR operators are used to filter records based on more than one condition:

* The AND operator displays a record if all the conditions separated by AND are TRUE.
* The OR operator displays a record if any of the conditions separated by OR is TRUE.
* The NOT operator displays a record if the condition(s) is NOT TRUE.

### AND Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name WHERE condition1 AND condition2 AND condition3 ...;

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = 1

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = 1 and city = 'Rajkot';

### OR Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name WHERE condition1 OR condition2 OR condition3 ...;

SELECT \* from students WHERE city = 'surat' or city = 'Rajkot';

### NOT Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name WHERE NOT condition;

SELECT \* from students WHERE not (city = 'surat' or city = 'Rajkot');

## Combining AND, OR and NOT

You can also combine the AND, OR and NOT operators.

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = 1 and (city = 'surat' or city = 'Rajkot' or city = 'morbi');

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = 1 or roll = 5 and city = 'Rajkot';

# MySQL ORDER BY Keyword

## The MySQL ORDER BY Keyword

The ORDER BY keyword is used to sort the result-set in ascending or descending order.

The ORDER BY keyword sorts the records in ascending order by default. To sort the records in descending order, use the DESC keyword.

### ORDER BY Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table\_name  
ORDER BY column1, column2, ... ASC|DESC;

SELECT \* FROM students

SELECT \* FROM students ORDER by fname

## ORDER BY DESC Example

SELECT \* FROM students ORDER by fname desc

## ORDER BY Several Columns Example

SELECT \* FROM students ORDER by fname, city

SELECT \* FROM students ORDER by fname, city desc

SELECT \* FROM students ORDER by fname asc, city desc

# MySQL INSERT INTO Statement

## The MySQL INSERT INTO Statement

The INSERT INTO statement is used to insert new records in a table.

### INSERT INTO Syntax

It is possible to write the INSERT INTO statement in two ways:

1. Specify both the column names and the values to be inserted:

INSERT INTO table\_name (column1, column2, column3, ...)  
VALUES (value1, value2, value3, ...);

INSERT into students (fname, lname, city, phone, email, gender, dateofbirth) values ('demo', 'text', 'example', '9900009900', 'demo@example.com', 'male', '2001-02-01')

2. If you are adding values for all the columns of the table, you do not need to specify the column names in the SQL query. However, make sure the order of the values is in the same order as the columns in the table. Here, the INSERT INTO syntax would be as follows:

INSERT INTO *table\_name*  
VALUES (*value1*, *value2*, *value3*, ...);

INSERT into students values ('demo', 'text', 'example', '9900009900', 'demo@example.com', 'male', '2001-02-01')

#1136 - Column count doesn't match value count at row 1

INSERT into students values (null,'demo', 'text', 'example', '9900009900', 'demo@example.com', 'male', '2001-02-01', null)

**Did you notice that we did not insert any number into the CustomerID field?**  
The CustomerID column is an [auto-increment](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_autoincrement.asp) field and will be generated automatically when a new record is inserted into the table.

## Insert Data Only in Specified Columns

It is also possible to only insert data in specific columns.

INSERT into students (fname, lname, city) VALUES ('another', 'example', 'of insert')

# MySQL NULL Values

## What is a NULL Value?

A field with a NULL value is a field with no value.

If a field in a table is optional, it is possible to insert a new record or update a record without adding a value to this field. Then, the field will be saved with a NULL value.

**Note:** A NULL value is different from a zero value or a field that contains spaces. A field with a NULL value is one that has been left blank during record creation!

If you allow to NULL values in your table first you need to modify column to accept NULL values.

Go to structure section of our table then select specific column to allow null values click on change and select null check box and click save.

INSERT into students (fname, lname, city) VALUES ('another', 'example', 'of insert')

## How to Test for NULL Values?

It is not possible to test for NULL values with comparison operators, such as =, <, or <>.

We will have to use the IS NULL and IS NOT NULL operators instead.

### IS NULL Syntax

SELECT column\_namesFROM table\_name  
WHERE column\_name IS NULL;

### IS NOT NULL Syntax

SELECT column\_namesFROM table\_name  
WHERE column\_name IS NOT NULL;

SELECT \* from students WHERE gender = 'NULL'

SELECT \* from students WHERE gender = NULL;

SELECT \* from students WHERE gender = '';

SELECT \* from students WHERE gender is null;

SELECT \* from students WHERE gender is not null;

# MySQL UPDATE Statement

## The MySQL UPDATE Statement

The UPDATE statement is used to modify the existing records in a table.

### UPDATE Syntax

UPDATE table\_name SET column1 = value1, column2 = value2, ... WHERE condition;

**Note:** Be careful when updating records in a table! Notice the WHERE clause in the UPDATE statement. The WHERE clause specifies which record(s) that should be updated. If you omit the WHERE clause, all records in the table will be updated!

UPDATE students set city = 'bhuj' WHERE roll = 1

UPDATE students set phone = '9090908080' WHERE roll = 1

UPDATE students set city = 'Gandhinagar'

## UPDATE Multiple Records

It is the WHERE clause that determines how many records will be updated.

UPDATE students set city = 'rajkot' WHERE roll >= 1 and roll <= 5

UPDATE students set city = 'ahamdabad' WHERE roll >= 6 and roll <= 10;

## Update Warning!

Be careful when updating records. If you omit the WHERE clause, ALL records will be updated!

UPDATE students set fname = 'KRISHIL', city = 'baroda', phone = '9998889990' WHERE roll = 5

# MySQL LIMIT Clause

## The MySQL LIMIT Clause

The LIMIT clause is used to specify the number of records to return.

The LIMIT clause is useful on large tables with thousands of records. Returning a large number of records can impact performance.

### LIMIT Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_nameWHERE condition LIMIT number;

SELECT \* FROM students

SELECT \* FROM students LIMIT 5;

SELECT \* FROM students where city = 'rajkot' LIMIT 5;

SELECT \* FROM students LIMIT 5 OFFSET 5;

SELECT \* FROM students LIMIT 5 OFFSET 10;

MySQL provides a way to handle this: by using OFFSET.

The SQL query below says "return only 3 records, start on record 4 (OFFSET 3)":

SELECT \* FROM Customers LIMIT 3 OFFSET 3;

SELECT \* FROM students LIMIT 5 OFFSET 10;

SELECT \* FROM students LIMIT 10, 5; --10 offset 5 limit

# MySQL MIN() and MAX() Functions

## MySQL MIN() and MAX() Functions

The MIN() function returns the smallest value of the selected column.

The MAX() function returns the largest value of the selected column.

### MIN() Syntax

SELECT MIN(column\_name)  
FROM table\_name  
WHERE condition;

### MAX() Syntax

SELECT MAX(column\_name)  
FROM table\_name  
WHERE condition;

SELECT max(dateofbirth) FROM students

SELECT min(dateofbirth) FROM students;

SELECT max(roll) FROM students

SELECT min(roll) FROM students

# MySQL COUNT(), AVG() and SUM() Functions

## MySQL COUNT(), AVG() and SUM() Functions

The COUNT() function returns the number of rows that matches a specified criterion.

### COUNT() Syntax

SELECT COUNT(column\_name)  
FROM table\_name  
WHERE condition;

The AVG() function returns the average value of a numeric column.

### AVG() Syntax

SELECT AVG(column\_name)  
FROM table\_name  
WHERE condition;

The SUM() function returns the total sum of a numeric column.

### SUM() Syntax

SELECT SUM(column\_name)  
FROM table\_name  
WHERE condition;

SELECT COUNT(roll) FROM students

SELECT COUNT(roll) FROM students WHERE city = 'rajkot';

SELECT COUNT(roll) FROM students WHERE not city = 'rajkot';

SELECT sum(roll) FROM students

SELECT avg(roll) FROM students;

SELECT sum(roll), avg(roll) FROM students;

# MySQL LIKE Operator

## The MySQL LIKE Operator

The LIKE operator is used in a WHERE clause to search for a specified pattern in a column.

There are two wildcards often used in conjunction with the LIKE operator:

* The percent sign (%) represents zero, one, or multiple characters
* The underscore sign (\_) represents one, single character

The percent sign and the underscore can also be used in combinations!

SELECT \* from students

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like 'a%';

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like '%a%';

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like '%a';

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like '\_a%';

### LIKE Syntax

SELECT column1, column2, ... FROM table\_name WHERE columnN LIKE pattern;

**Tip:** You can also combine any number of conditions using AND or OR operators.

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like 'a\_%';

SELECT \* from students WHERE fname like 's%a';

Here are some examples showing different LIKE operators with '%' and '\_' wildcards:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **LIKE Operator** | **Description** |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE 'a%' | Finds any values that start with "a" |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE '%a' | Finds any values that end with "a" |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE '%or%' | Finds any values that have "or" in any position |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE '\_r%' | Finds any values that have "r" in the second position |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE 'a\_%' | Finds any values that start with "a" and are at least 2 characters in length |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE 'a\_\_%' | Finds any values that start with "a" and are at least 3 characters in length |
| WHERE ContactName LIKE 'a%o' | Finds any values that start with "a" and ends with "o" |

# MySQL Wildcards

## MySQL Wildcard Characters

A wildcard character is used to substitute one or more characters in a string.

Wildcard characters are used with the [LIKE](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_like.asp) operator. The LIKE operator is used in a WHERE clause to search for a specified pattern in a column.

### Wildcard Characters in MySQL

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| **Symbol** | **Description** | **Example** |
| % | Represents zero or more characters | bl% finds bl, black, blue, and blob |
| \_ | Represents a single character | h\_t finds hot, hat, and hit |

The wildcards can also be used in combinations!

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| WHERE CustomerName LIKE '\_r%' | Finds any values that have "r" in the second position |
| WHERE CustomerName LIKE 'a\_%\_%' | Finds any values that starts with "a" and are at least 3 characters in length |
| WHERE ContactName LIKE 'a%o' | Finds any values that starts with "a" and ends with "o" |

# MySQL IN Operator

## The MySQL IN Operator

The IN operator allows you to specify multiple values in a WHERE clause.

The IN operator is a shorthand for multiple **OR** conditions.

### IN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE column\_name IN (value1, value2, ...);

or:

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE column\_name IN (*SELECT* STATEMENT);

SELECT \* from students WHERE city = 'rajkot' or city = 'ahamdabad' or city = 'bhuj'

SELECT \* from students WHERE city in ('rajkot', 'ahamdabad', 'baroda')

## IN Operator Examples

The following SQL statement selects all customers that are located in "Germany", "France" or "UK":

SELECT \* FROM Customers WHERE Country IN ('Germany', 'France', 'UK');

SELECT \* from students WHERE city in ('rajkot', 'ahamdabad', 'baroda')

SELECT \* from students WHERE city not in('rajkot', 'ahamdabad', 'baroda');

# MySQL BETWEEN Operator

## The MySQL BETWEEN Operator

The BETWEEN operator selects values within a given range. The values can be numbers, text, or dates.

The BETWEEN operator is inclusive: begin and end values are included.

### BETWEEN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE column\_name BETWEEN value1 AND value2;

SELECT \* FROM students WHERE roll BETWEEN 1 and 5

SELECT \* FROM students WHERE roll not BETWEEN 1 and 5;

## BETWEEN Text Values Example

SELECT \* FROM students WHERE fname BETWEEN 'ansh' and 'krishil'

SELECT \* FROM students WHERE dateofbirth BETWEEN '2000-01-01' and '2005-12-31'

SELECT \* FROM students WHERE dateofbirth not BETWEEN '2000-01-01' and '2005-12-31';

# MySQL DELETE Statement

## The MySQL DELETE Statement

The DELETE statement is used to delete existing records in a table.

### DELETE Syntax

DELETE FROM table\_name WHERE condition;

**Note:** Be careful when deleting records in a table! Notice the WHERE clause in the DELETE statement. The WHERE clause specifies which record(s) should be deleted. If you omit the WHERE clause, all records in the table will be deleted!

If you try delete query on your table and you need to data back must create shadow copy of your current table to prevent any data loss

CREATE TABLE studentsBackup as SELECT \* FROM students

## SQL DELETE Example

DELETE from students WHERE Roll = 1

DELETE from students WHERE city = 'gandhinagar'

DELETE from students WHERE roll > 5

DELETE from students

Restore data from backup table

INSERT into students SELECT \* from studentsbackup

Delete from students (empty students table)

INSERT into students (fname, lname, city, phone, email, gender, dateofbirth) values ('demo', 'text', 'example', '9900009900', 'demo@example.com', 'male', '2001-02-01')

Notice the roll number started from where we leave before delete

Select \* from students

If you need to reset whole table with data and data structure then you need to run truncate table

TRUNCATE TABLE students

INSERT into students (fname, lname, city, phone, email, gender, dateofbirth) values ('demo', 'text', 'example', '9900009900', 'demo@example.com', 'male', '2001-02-01')

Select \* from students

# MySQL Aliases

## MySQL Aliases

Aliases are used to give a table, or a column in a table, a temporary name.

Aliases are often used to make column names more readable.

An alias only exists for the duration of that query.

An alias is created with the AS keyword.

### Alias Column Syntax

SELECT column\_name AS alias\_name  
FROM table\_name;

### Alias Table Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s)  
FROM table\_name AS alias\_name;

SELECT \* from students

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city, phone, email, gender, dateofbirth from students;

SELECT roll as "Roll Number", fname as "First Name", lname as "Last Name", city as "Home Town", phone as "Phone Number", email as "Email Address", gender as "Student Gender", dateofbirth as "Date of Birth" from students;

SELECT roll "Roll Number", fname "First Name", lname "Last Name", city "Home Town", phone "Phone Number", email "Email Address", gender "Student Gender", dateofbirth "Date of Birth" from students;

SELECT roll RollNumber, fname FirstName, lname LastName, city HomeTown, phone PhoneNumber, email EmailAddress, gender StudentGender, dateofbirth DateofBirth from students;

The following SQL statement creates two aliases, one for the CustomerName column and one for the ContactName column. **Note:** Single or double quotation marks are required if the alias name contains spaces:

SELECT concat\_ws("\_", roll, fname, lname, city, email, phone, gender, dateofbirth, admissiondata) FROM students

SELECT concat\_ws("\_", roll, fname, lname, city, email, phone, gender, dateofbirth, admissiondata) as "Student Information" FROM students;

SELECT concat\_ws(" \* ", roll, fname, lname, city, email, phone, gender, dateofbirth, admissiondata) as "Student Information" FROM students;

## Alias for Tables Example

Without alias

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students, attendance WHERE students.roll = 1 and students.roll = attendance.roll

With alias

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, a.absents, a.presents from students as s, attendance as a WHERE s.roll = 1 and s.roll = a.roll;

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, a.absents, a.presents from students s, attendance a WHERE s.roll = 1 and s.roll = a.roll;

Aliases can be useful when:

* There are more than one table involved in a query
* Functions are used in the query
* Column names are big or not very readable
* Two or more columns are combined together

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, a.absents, a.presents, sum(a.absents+a.presents) from students s, attendance a WHERE s.roll = 1 and s.roll = a.roll;

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, a.absents, a.presents, sum(a.absents+a.presents) "Total Days" from students s, attendance a WHERE s.roll = 1 and s.roll = a.roll;

# MySQL Joins

## MySQL Joining Tables

A JOIN clause is used to combine rows from two or more tables, based on a related column between them.

SELECT students.roll,students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, marks.total, marks.result from students inner JOIN marks on students.roll = marks.roll

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, m.total, m.result from students s inner JOIN marks m on s.roll = m.roll;

## Supported Types of Joins in MySQL

* INNER JOIN: Returns records that have matching values in both tables
* LEFT JOIN: Returns all records from the left table, and the matched records from the right table
* RIGHT JOIN: Returns all records from the right table, and the matched records from the left table
* CROSS JOIN: Returns all records from both tables
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# MySQL INNER JOIN Keyword

## MySQL INNER JOIN Keyword

The INNER JOIN keyword selects records that have matching values in both tables.



### INNER JOIN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1 INNER JOIN table2ON table1.column\_name = table2.column\_name;

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, m.total, m.result from students s inner JOIN marks m on s.roll = m.roll;

SELECT students.\*, attendance.absents, attendance.presents FROM students INNER join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll;

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students INNER join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll

## JOIN Three Tables

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents, marks.total, marks.result from students INNER join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll INNER join marks on students.roll = marks.roll;

SELECT s.roll, s.fname, s.lname, s.city, s.phone, s.email, s.gender, s.dateofbirth, s.admissiondata, a.absents, a.presents, m.total, m.result from students s INNER join attendance a on s.roll = a.roll inner join marks m on s.roll = m.roll

# MySQL LEFT JOIN Keyword

## MySQL LEFT JOIN Keyword

The LEFT JOIN keyword returns all records from the left table (table1), and the matching records (if any) from the right table (table2).



### LEFT JOIN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1 LEFT JOIN table2ON table1.column\_name = table2.column\_name;

// inner join

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students INNER join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll

// left join

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students left join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll;

# MySQL RIGHT JOIN Keyword

## MySQL RIGHT JOIN Keyword

The RIGHT JOIN keyword returns all records from the right table (table2), and the matching records (if any) from the left table (table1).



### RIGHT JOIN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1 RIGHT JOIN table2ON table1.column\_name = table2.column\_name;

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.phone, students.email, students.gender, students.dateofbirth, students.admissiondata, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students right join attendance on students.roll = attendance.roll;

# MySQL CROSS JOIN Keyword

## SQL CROSS JOIN Keyword

The CROSS JOIN keyword returns all records from both tables (table1 and table2).



### CROSS JOIN Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1 CROSS JOIN table2;

**Note:** CROSS JOIN can potentially return very large result-sets!

## MySQL CROSS JOIN Example

SELECT students.\* from students CROSS join attendance

Return large resultset (total records of students \* total records of attendance)

**Note:** The CROSS JOIN keyword returns all matching records from both tables whether the other table matches or not. So,

If you add a WHERE clause (if table1 and table2 has a relationship), the CROSS JOIN will produce the same result as the INNER JOIN clause:

SELECT students.\*, attendance.absents, attendance.presents from students CROSS join attendance WHERE students.roll = attendance.roll;

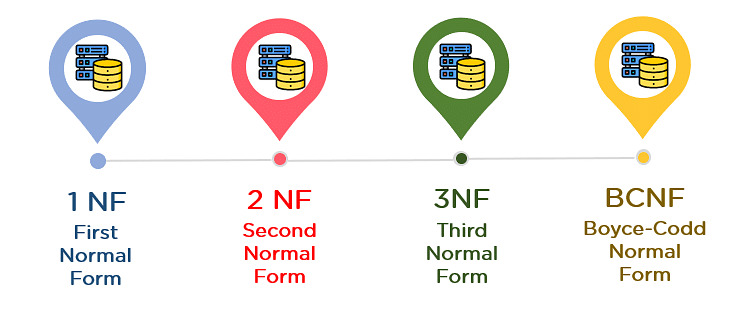
## What Is Normalization in SQL?

Normalization is the process to eliminate data redundancy and enhance data integrity in the table. Normalization also helps to organize the data in the database. It is a multi-step process that sets the data into tabular form and removes the duplicated data from the relational tables.

Normalization organizes the columns and tables of a database to ensure that database integrity constraints properly execute their dependencies. It is a systematic technique of decomposing tables to eliminate data redundancy (repetition) and undesirable characteristics like Insertion, Update, and Deletion anomalies.

In 1970 Edgar F. Codd defined the First Normal Form.

Now let's understand the types of Normal forms with the help of examples.

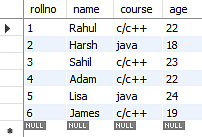


## 1st Normal Form (1NF)

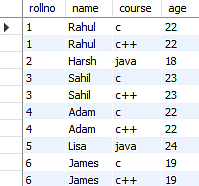
* A table is referred to as being in its First Normal Form if atomicity of the table is 1.
* Here, atomicity states that a single cell cannot hold multiple values. It must hold only a single-valued attribute.
* The First normal form disallows the multi-valued attribute, composite attribute, and their combinations.

Now you will understand the First Normal Form with the help of an example.

Below is a students’ record table that has information about student roll number, student name, student course, and age of the student.



In the students record table, you can see that the course column has two values. Thus it does not follow the First Normal Form. Now, if you use the First Normal Form to the above table, you get the below table as a result.



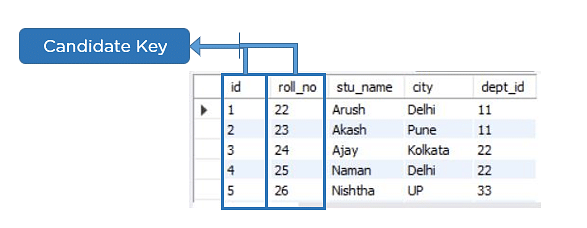
By applying the First Normal Form, you achieve atomicity, and also every column has unique values.

Before proceeding with the Second Normal Form, get familiar with Candidate Key and Super Key.

## Candidate Key

A candidate key is a set of one or more columns that can identify a record uniquely in a table, and YOU can use each candidate key as a [Primary Key.](https://www.simplilearn.com/tutorials/sql-tutorial/primary-key-in-sql)

Now, let’s use an example to understand this better.



### Super Key

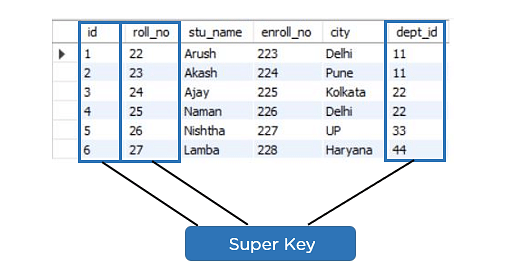
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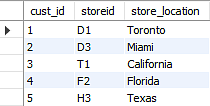


## Second Normal Form (2NF)

The first condition for the table to be in Second Normal Form is that the table has to be in First Normal Form. The table should not possess partial dependency. The partial dependency here means the proper subset of the candidate key should give a non-prime attribute.

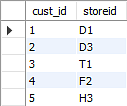
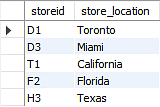
Now understand the Second Normal Form with the help of an example.

Consider the table Location:



The Location table possesses a composite primary key cust\_id, storeid. The non-key attribute is store\_location. In this case, store\_location only depends on storeid, which is a part of the primary key. Hence, this table does not fulfill the second normal form.

To bring the table to Second Normal Form, you need to split the table into two parts. This will give you the below tables:

As you have removed the partial functional dependency from the location table, the column store\_location entirely depends on the primary key of that table, storeid.

Now that you understood the 1st and 2nd Normal forms, you will look at the next part of this Normalization in SQL tutorial.

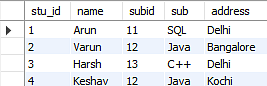
## Third Normal Form (3NF)

The first condition for the table to be in Third Normal Form is that the table should be in the Second Normal Form.

The second condition is that there should be no transitive dependency for non-prime attributes, which indicates that non-prime attributes (which are not a part of the candidate key) should not depend on other non-prime attributes in a table. Therefore, a transitive dependency is a functional dependency in which A → C (A determines C) indirectly, because of A → B and B → C (where it is not the case that B → A).

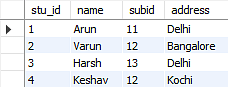
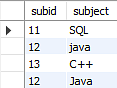
The third Normal Form ensures the reduction of data duplication. It is also used to achieve data integrity.

Below is a student table that has student id, student name, subject id, subject name, and address of the student as its columns.



In the above student table, stu\_id determines subid, and subid determines sub. Therefore, stu\_id determines sub via subid. This implies that the table possesses a transitive functional dependency, and it does not fulfill the third normal form criteria.

Now to change the table to the third normal form, you need to divide the table as shown below:

As you can see in both the tables, all the non-key attributes are now fully functional, dependent only on the primary key. In the first table, columns name, subid, and addresses only depend on stu\_id. In the second table, the sub only depends on subid.

## Boyce Codd Normal Form (BCNF)

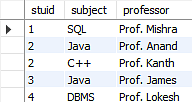
Boyce Codd Normal Form is also known as 3.5 NF. It is the superior version of 3NF and was developed by Raymond F. Boyce and Edgar F. Codd to tackle certain types of anomalies which were not resolved with 3NF.

The first condition for the table to be in Boyce Codd Normal Form is that the table should be in the third normal form. Secondly, every Right-Hand Side (RHS) attribute of the functional dependencies should depend on the super key of that particular table.

For example :

You have a functional dependency X → Y. In the particular functional dependency, X has to be the part of the super key of the provided table.

Consider the below subject table:



The subject table follows these conditions:

Each student can enroll in multiple subjects.

Multiple professors can teach a particular subject.

For each subject, it assigns a professor to the student.

In the above table, student\_id and subject together form the primary key because using student\_id and subject; you can determine all the table columns

Another important point to be noted here is that one professor teaches only one subject, but one subject may have two professors.

Which exhibit there is a dependency between subject and professor, i.e. subject depends on the professor's name.

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The table is in 1st Normal form as all the column names are unique, all values are atomic, and all the values stored in a particular column are of the same domain.

The table also satisfies the 2nd Normal Form, as there is no Partial Dependency.

And, there is no Transitive Dependency; hence, the table also satisfies the 3rd Normal Form.

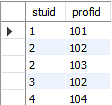
This table follows all the Normal forms except the Boyce Codd Normal Form.

As you can see stuid, and subject forms the primary key, which means the subject attribute is a prime attribute.

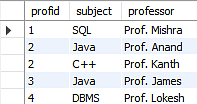
However, there exists yet another dependency - professor → subject

BCNF does not follow in the table as a subject is a prime attribute, the professor is a non-prime attribute.

To transform the table into the BCNF, you will divide the table into two parts. One table will hold stuid which already exists and the second table will hold a newly created column profid.



And in the second table will have the columns profid, subject, and professor, which satisfies the BCNF.



With this, you have reached the conclusion of the ‘Normalization in SQL’ tutorial.

# MySQL Self Join

A self join is a regular join, but the table is joined with itself.

### Self Join Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1 T1, table1 T2 WHERE condition;

T1 and T2 are different table aliases for the same table.

## MySQL Self Join Example

SELECT s1.fname as "Student s1", s2.fname as "Student s2", s1.city as "City s1" from students s1, students s2 WHERE s1.roll <> s2.roll and s1.city = s2.city;

# MySQL UNION Operator

## The MySQL UNION Operator

The UNION operator is used to combine the result-set of two or more SELECT statements.

* Every SELECT statement within UNION must have the same number of columns
* The columns must also have similar data types
* The columns in every SELECT statement must also be in the same order

### UNION Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table1  
UNION  
SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table2;

CREATE TABLE students1 as SELECT \* from students

SELECT \* from students UNION SELECT \* from students1

### UNION ALL Syntax

The UNION operator selects only distinct values by default. To allow duplicate values, use UNION ALL:

SELECT \* from students UNION ALL SELECT \* from students1

SELECT \* from students WHERE city = 'Rajkot' UNION ALL SELECT \* from students1 WHERE city = 'Rajkot';

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city from students WHERE city = 'Rajkot'

UNION ALL

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city from students1 WHERE city = 'Rajkot';

# MySQL GROUP BY Statement

## The MySQL GROUP BY Statement

The GROUP BY statement groups rows that have the same values into summary rows, like "find the number of customers in each country".

The GROUP BY statement is often used with aggregate functions (COUNT(), MAX(), MIN(), SUM(), AVG()) to group the result-set by one or more columns.

### GROUP BY Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE condition GROUP BY column\_name(s)ORDER BY column\_name(s);

Select \* from students

SELECT DISTINCT(city) from students

SELECT city, COUNT(city) from students GROUP by(city)

SELECT city, COUNT(city) from students GROUP by(city) ORDER by COUNT(city);

SELECT city, COUNT(city) from students GROUP by(city) ORDER by COUNT(city) desc;

## GROUP BY With JOIN Example

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.gender, students.phone, students.email, marks.total, marks.result from students INNER join marks on students.roll = marks.roll;

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.gender, students.phone, students.email, marks.total, marks.result, count(marks.roll) as "Attempts" from students INNER join marks on students.roll = marks.roll GROUP by (marks.roll);

# MySQL HAVING Clause

## The MySQL HAVING Clause

The HAVING clause was added to SQL because the WHERE keyword cannot be used with aggregate functions.

### HAVING Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE condition GROUP BY column\_name(s)HAVING conditionORDER BY column\_name(s);

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.gender, students.phone, students.email, marks.total, marks.result, count(marks.roll) as "Attempts" from students INNER join marks on students.roll = marks.roll GROUP by (marks.roll) having count(marks.roll) > 1;

SELECT students.roll, students.fname, students.lname, students.city, students.gender, students.phone, students.email, marks.total, marks.result, count(marks.roll) as "Attempts" from students INNER join marks on students.roll = marks.roll GROUP by (marks.roll) having count(marks.roll) >= 3;

# MySQL EXISTS Operator

## The MySQL EXISTS Operator

The EXISTS operator is used to test for the existence of any record in a subquery.

The EXISTS operator returns TRUE if the subquery returns one or more records.

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE EXISTS  
(SELECT column\_name FROM table\_name WHERE condition);

SELECT \* from students WHERE EXISTS (SELECT roll from marks WHERE students.roll = marks.roll and marks.result = 'pass')

SELECT \* from students WHERE not EXISTS (SELECT roll from marks WHERE students.roll = marks.roll and marks.result = 'pass');

# MySQL ANY and ALL Operators

## The MySQL ANY and ALL Operators

The ANY and ALL operators allow you to perform a comparison between a single column value and a range of other values.

## The ANY Operator

The ANY operator:

* returns a boolean value as a result
* returns TRUE if ANY of the subquery values meet the condition

ANY means that the condition will be true if the operation is true for any of the values in the range.

### ANY Syntax

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE column\_name operator ANY (SELECT column\_name FROM table\_name  WHERE condition);

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = any (SELECT roll FROM marks WHERE result = 'pass');

**Note:** The operator must be a standard comparison operator (=, <>, !=, >, >=, <, or <=).

## The ALL Operator

The ALL operator:

* returns a boolean value as a result
* returns TRUE if ALL of the subquery values meet the condition
* is used with SELECT, WHERE and HAVING statements

ALL means that the condition will be true only if the operation is true for all values in the range.

### ALL Syntax With SELECT

SELECT ALL column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE condition;

SELECT all roll, fname, lname, city from students

### ALL Syntax With WHERE or HAVING

SELECT column\_name(s) FROM table\_name WHERE column\_name operator ALL (SELECT column\_name  FROM table\_name  WHERE condition);

**Note:** The operator must be a standard comparison operator (=, <>, !=, >, >=, <, or <=).

SELECT \* from students WHERE roll = all (SELECT roll from marks WHERE result = 'pass')

# MySQL INSERT INTO SELECT Statement

## The MySQL INSERT INTO SELECT Statement

The INSERT INTO SELECT statement copies data from one table and inserts it into another table.

The INSERT INTO SELECT statement requires that the data types in source and target tables

matches.

**Note:** The existing records in the target table are unaffected.

### INSERT INTO SELECT Syntax

Copy all columns from one table to another table:

INSERT INTO table2 SELECT \* FROM table1WHERE condition;

INSERT into students1 SELECT \* from students

Copy only some columns from one table into another table:

INSERT INTO *table2* (*column1*, *column2*, *column3*, ...) SELECT *column1*, *column2*, *column3*, ... FROM *table1* WHERE *condition*;

INSERT into students1 SELECT \* from students WHERE city = 'rajkot';\

INSERT into students1 (fname, lname, city) SELECT fname, lname, city from students WHERE city = 'rajkot';

# MySQL CASE Statement

## The MySQL CASE Statement

The CASE statement goes through conditions and returns a value when the first condition is met (like an if-then-else statement). So, once a condition is true, it will stop reading and return the result. If no conditions are true, it returns the value in the ELSE clause.

If there is no ELSE part and no conditions are true, it returns NULL.

## CASE Syntax

CASE  
    WHEN condition1 THEN result1  
    WHEN condition2 THEN result2  
    WHEN conditionN THEN resultN  
    ELSE result  
END;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city, gender, phone, email FROM students

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city, gender, case

WHEN gender = 'female' then 'Pink'

WHEN gender = 'male' then 'Blue'

else 'Black'

end as "Bag Color", phone, email FROM students;

SELECT roll, fname, lname, city, case

WHEN city = 'Rajkot' THEN 'Home Town'

WHEN city = 'Ahamdabad' THEN 'Far From Home'

WHEN city = 'Gandhinagar' THEN 'Far From Home'

WHEN city = 'Surat' THEN 'Too Much Far From Home'

ELSE 'Unknown Distance'

end as "Distance From Home",gender, phone, email FROM students;

# MySQL NULL Functions

## MySQL IFNULL() and COALESCE() Functions

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (absents + presents) as "Total Days" FROM attendance

Add some null values in table and above query

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (absents + presents) as "Total Days" FROM attendance

## MySQL IFNULL() Function

The MySQL [IFNULL()](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/func_mysql_ifnull.asp) function lets you return an alternative value if an expression is NULL.

The example below returns 0 if the value is NULL:

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (ifnull(absents, 0) + ifnull(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance;

## MySQL COALESCE() Function

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance;

# MySQL Comments

## MySQL Comments

Comments are used to explain sections of SQL statements, or to prevent execution of SQL statements.

## Single Line Comments

Single line comments start with --.

Any text between -- and the end of the line will be ignored (will not be executed).

The following example uses a single-line comment as an explanation:

-- following query replace absent / present to 0 if value of absent / present is null

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance;

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance; -- following query replace absent / present to 0 if value of absent / present is null

## Multi-line Comments

Multi-line comments start with /\* and end with \*/.

Any text between /\* and \*/ will be ignored.

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SELECT roll, absents, presents, (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance;

SELECT roll, absents, presents, (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance; /\* following query replace absent / present to 0 if value of absent / present is null \*/

SELECT roll, /\*absents, presents, \*/ (COALESCE(absents, 0) + COALESCE(presents, 0)) as "Total Days" FROM attendance;

# MySQL Operators

## MySQL Arithmetic Operators

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Operator** | **Description** |
| + | Add |
| - | Subtract |
| \* | Multiply |
| / | Divide |
| % | Module |

## MySQL Bitwise Operators

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Operator** | **Description** |
| & | Bitwise AND |
| | | Bitwise OR |
| ^ | Bitwise exclusive OR |

## MySQL Comparison Operators

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Operator** | **Description** | **Example** |
| = | Equal to |  |
| > | Greater than |  |
| < | Less than |  |
| >= | Greater than or equal to |  |
| <= | Less than or equal to |  |
| <> | Not equal to |  |

## MySQL Compound Operators

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Operator** | **Description** |
| += | Add equals |
| -= | Subtract equals |
| \*= | Multiply equals |
| /= | Divide equals |
| %= | Modulo equals |
| &= | Bitwise AND equals |
| ^-= | Bitwise exclusive equals |
| |\*= | Bitwise OR equals |

## MySQL Logical Operators

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Operator** | **Description** | **Example** |
| ALL | TRUE if all of the subquery values meet the condition |  |
| AND | TRUE if all the conditions separated by AND is TRUE |  |
| ANY | TRUE if any of the subquery values meet the condition |  |
| BETWEEN | TRUE if the operand is within the range of comparisons |  |
| EXISTS | TRUE if the subquery returns one or more records |  |
| IN | TRUE if the operand is equal to one of a list of expressions |  |
| LIKE | TRUE if the operand matches a pattern |  |
| NOT | Displays a record if the condition(s) is NOT TRUE |  |
| OR | TRUE if any of the conditions separated by OR is TRUE |  |
| SOME | TRUE if any of the subquery values meet the condition |  |

# Type of SQL Commands

SQL commands are instructions. It is used to communicate with the database. It is also used to perform specific tasks, functions, and queries of data.

SQL can perform various tasks like create a table, add data to tables, drop the table, modify the table, set permission for users.

## Types of SQL Commands

There are five types of SQL commands: DDL, DML, DCL, TCL, and DQL

### 1. Data Definition Language (DDL)

DDL changes the structure of the table like creating a table, deleting a table, altering a table, etc.

All the command of DDL are auto-committed that means it permanently save all the changes in the database.

Here are some commands that come under DDL:

* CREATE
* ALTER
* DROP
* TRUNCATE

**a. CREATE** It is used to create a new table in the database.

**Syntax:**

CREATE TABLE TABLE\_NAME (COLUMN\_NAME DATATYPES[,....]);

### 2. Data Manipulation Language

* DML commands are used to modify the database. It is responsible for all form of changes in the database.
* The command of DML is not auto-committed that means it can't permanently save all the changes in the database. They can be rollback.

Here are some commands that come under DML:

* INSERT
* UPDATE
* DELETE

### 3. Data Control Language

DCL commands are used to grant and take back authority from any database user.

Here are some commands that come under DCL:

* Grant
* Revoke

### 4. Transaction Control Language

TCL commands can only use with DML commands like INSERT, DELETE and UPDATE only.

These operations are automatically committed in the database that's why they cannot be used while creating tables or dropping them.

Here are some commands that come under TCL:

* COMMIT
* ROLLBACK
* SAVEPOINT

### 5. Data Query Language

DQL is used to fetch the data from the database.

It uses only one command:

* SELECT

# MySQL CREATE DATABASE Statement

## The MySQL CREATE DATABASE Statement

The CREATE DATABASE statement is used to create a new SQL database.

### Syntax

CREATE DATABASE databasename;

## CREATE DATABASE Example

The following SQL statement creates a database called "testDB":

**ip:** Make sure you have admin privilege before creating any database. Once a database is created, you can check it in the list of databases with the following SQL command: SHOW DATABASES;

show DATABASES

create DATABASE example1121

show DATABASES

# MySQL DROP DATABASE Statement

## The MySQL DROP DATABASE Statement

The DROP DATABASE statement is used to drop an existing SQL database.

### Syntax

DROP DATABASE databasename;

**Note:** Be careful before dropping a database. Deleting a database will result in loss of complete information stored in the database!

## DROP DATABASE Example

The following SQL statement drops the existing database "testDB":

**Tip:** Make sure you have admin privilege before dropping any database. Once a database is dropped, you can check it in the list of databases with the following SQL command: SHOW DATABASES;

show DATABASES;

drop DATABASE example1121

show DATABASES

# MySQL CREATE TABLE Statement

## The MySQL CREATE TABLE Statement

The CREATE TABLE statement is used to create a new table in a database.

### Syntax

CREATE TABLE table\_name ( column1 datatype, column2 datatype, column3 datatype,....);

The column parameters specify the names of the columns of the table.

The datatype parameter specifies the type of data the column can hold (e.g. varchar, integer, date, etc.).

## MySQL CREATE TABLE Example

The following example creates a table called "Persons" that contains five columns: PersonID, LastName, FirstName, Address, and City:

create TABLE persons(personid int AUTO\_INCREMENT PRIMARY key, fname varchar(20), lname varchar(20), email varchar(128), city varchar(20), dateofbirth date, createdat timestamp DEFAULT CURRENT\_TIMESTAMP)

## Create Table Using Another Table

A copy of an existing table can also be created using CREATE TABLE.

The new table gets the same column definitions. All columns or specific columns can be selected.

If you create a new table using an existing table, the new table will be filled with the existing values from the old table.

### Syntax

CREATE TABLE new\_table\_name AS  
    SELECT column1, column2,...  
    FROM existing\_table\_name  
    WHERE ....;

create TABLE personsBackup as SELECT \* from persons

create TABLE personsBackup1 as SELECT personid, fname, lname, city, email from persons

# MySQL ALTER TABLE Statement

## MySQL ALTER TABLE Statement

The ALTER TABLE statement is used to add, delete, or modify columns in an existing table.

The ALTER TABLE statement is also used to add and drop various constraints on an existing table.

## ALTER TABLE - ADD Column

To add a column in a table, use the following syntax:

ALTER TABLE table\_name ADD column\_name datatype;

ALTER TABLE persons add COLUMN gender varchar(10)

## ALTER TABLE - DROP COLUMN

To delete a column in a table, use the following syntax (notice that some database systems don't allow deleting a column):

ALTER TABLE table\_name DROP COLUMN column\_name;

alter table persons drop COLUMN gender

ALTER TABLE persons add COLUMN gender varchar(10) AFTER lname

## ALTER TABLE - MODIFY COLUMN

To change the data type of a column in a table, use the following syntax:

ALTER TABLE table\_name  
MODIFY COLUMN column\_name datatype;

ALTER TABLE persons MODIFY COLUMN gender varchar(6)

ALTER TABLE persons MODIFY COLUMN gender tinyint

# MySQL DROP TABLE Statement

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### Syntax

DROP TABLE table\_name;

**Note:** Be careful before dropping a table. Deleting a table will result in loss of complete information stored in the table!

drop table personsbackup

## MySQL TRUNCATE TABLE

The TRUNCATE TABLE statement is used to delete the data inside a table, but not the table itself.

### Syntax

TRUNCATE TABLE table\_name;

TRUNCATE TABLE students

When you truncate any table all the data from deleted and all the setting reset for table.

# MySQL Constraints

SQL constraints are used to specify rules for data in a table.

## Create Constraints

Constraints can be specified when the table is created with the **CREATE TABLE** statement, or after the table is created with the **ALTER TABLE** statement.

### Syntax

CREATE TABLE table\_name (  
    column1 datatype *constraint*,  
    column2 datatype *constraint*,  
    column3 datatype *constraint*,  
    ....  
);

## MySQL Constraints

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Constraints are used to limit the type of data that can go into a table. This ensures the accuracy and reliability of the data in the table. If there is any violation between the constraint and the data action, the action is aborted.

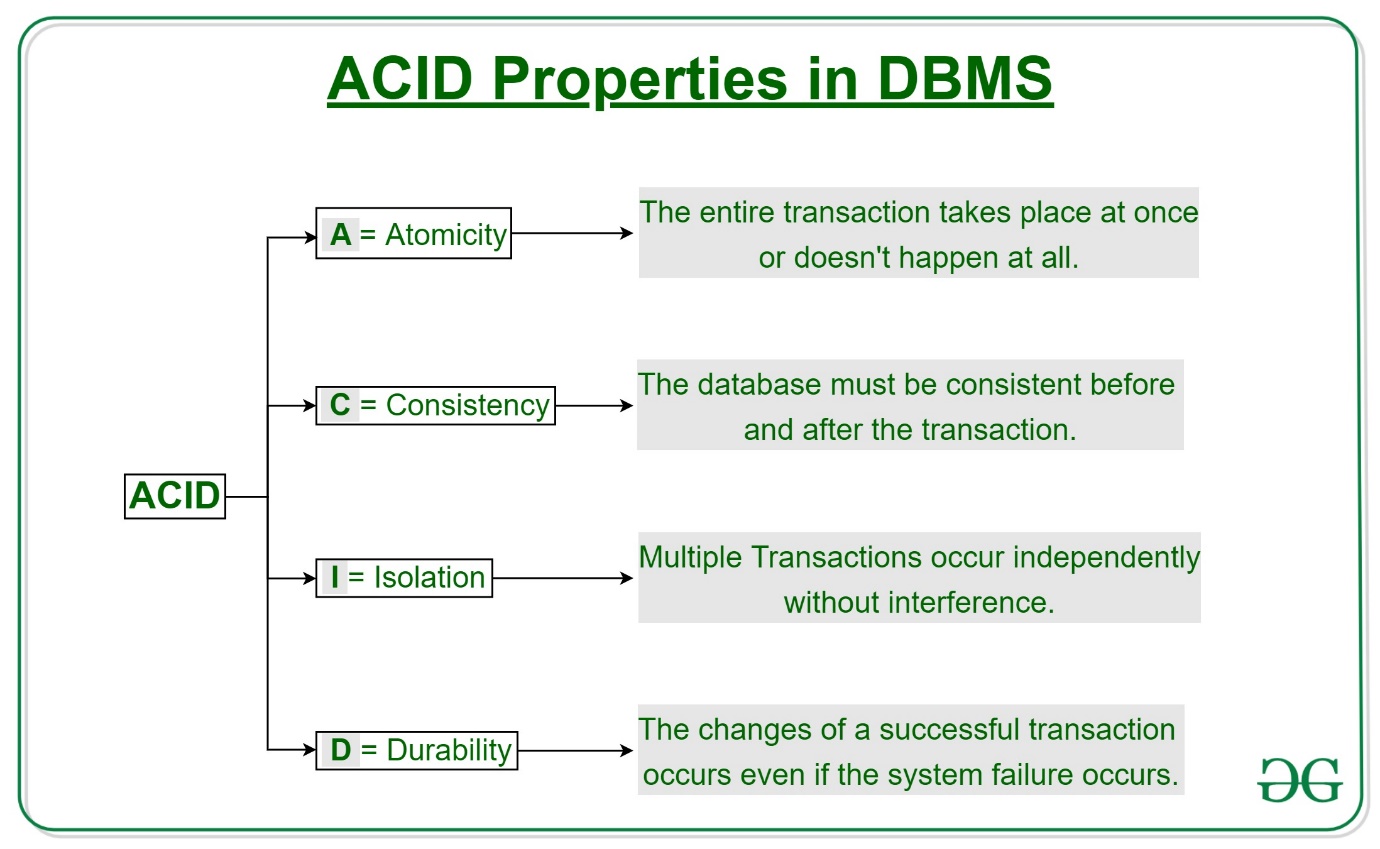
Constraints can be column level or table level. Column level constraints apply to a column, and table level constraints apply to the whole table.

The following constraints are commonly used in SQL:

* [NOT NULL](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_notnull.asp) - Ensures that a column cannot have a NULL value
* [UNIQUE](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_unique.asp) - Ensures that all values in a column are different
* [PRIMARY KEY](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_primarykey.asp) - A combination of a NOT NULL and UNIQUE. Uniquely identifies each row in a table
* [FOREIGN KEY](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_foreignkey.asp) - Prevents actions that would destroy links between tables
* [CHECK](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_check.asp) - Ensures that the values in a column satisfies a specific condition
* [DEFAULT](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_default.asp) - Sets a default value for a column if no value is specified
* [CREATE INDEX](https://www.w3schools.com/mysql/mysql_create_index.asp) - Used to create and retrieve data from the database very quickly

# ACID Properties in DBMS

* A [**transaction**](https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/sql-transactions/) is a single logical unit of work that accesses and possibly modifies the contents of a database. Transactions access data using read and write operations.   
  In order to maintain consistency in a database, before and after the transaction, certain properties are followed. These are called **ACID** properties.



### **Atomicity:**

By this, we mean that either the entire transaction takes place at once or doesn’t happen at all. There is no midway i.e. transactions do not occur partially. Each transaction is considered as one unit and either runs to completion or is not executed at all. It involves the following two operations.   
—**Abort**: If a transaction aborts, changes made to the database are not visible.   
—**Commit**: If a transaction commits, changes made are visible.   
Atomicity is also known as the ‘All or nothing rule’.

Consider the following transaction **T** consisting of **T1** and **T2**: Transfer of 100 from account **X** to account **Y**.



If the transaction fails after completion of **T1** but before completion of **T2**.( say, after **write(X)** but before **write(Y)**), then the amount has been deducted from **X** but not added to **Y**. This results in an inconsistent database state. Therefore, the transaction must be executed in its entirety in order to ensure the correctness of the database state.

### Consistency:

This means that integrity constraints must be maintained so that the database is consistent before and after the transaction. It refers to the correctness of a database. Referring to the example above,   
The total amount before and after the transaction must be maintained.

Total **before T** occurs = **500 + 200 = 700**.   
Total **after T occurs** = **400 + 300 = 700**.   
Therefore, the database is **consistent**. Inconsistency occurs in case **T1** completes but **T2** fails. As a result, T is incomplete.

### Isolation:

This property ensures that multiple transactions can occur concurrently without leading to the inconsistency of the database state. Transactions occur independently without interference. Changes occurring in a particular transaction will not be visible to any other transaction until that particular change in that transaction is written to memory or has been committed. This property ensures that the execution of transactions concurrently will result in a state that is equivalent to a state achieved these were executed serially in some order.   
Let **X**= 500, **Y** = 500.   
Consider two transactions **T** and **T”.**



Suppose **T** has been executed till **Read (Y)** and then **T’’** starts. As a result, interleaving of operations takes place due to which **T’’** reads the correct value of **X** but the incorrect value of **Y** and sum computed by

is thus not consistent with the sum at end of the transaction:

**T’’: (X+Y = 50, 000+500=50, 500)**

**T: (X+Y = 50, 000 + 450 = 50, 450)**.   
This results in database inconsistency, due to a loss of 50 units. Hence, transactions must take place in isolation and changes should be visible only after they have been made to the main memory.

### Durability:

This property ensures that once the transaction has completed execution, the updates and modifications to the database are stored in and written to disk and they persist even if a system failure occurs. These updates now become permanent and are stored in non-volatile memory. The effects of the transaction, thus, are never lost.

**Some important points:**

| **Property** | **Responsibility for maintaining properties** |
| --- | --- |
| Atomicity | Transaction Manager |
| Consistency | Application programmer |
| Isolation | Concurrency Control Manager |
| Durability | Recovery Manager |

The **ACID** properties, in totality, provide a mechanism to ensure the correctness and consistency of a database in a way such that each transaction is a group of operations that acts as a single unit, produces consistent results, acts in isolation from other operations, and updates that it makes are durably stored.

ACID properties are the four key characteristics that define the reliability and consistency of a transaction in a Database Management System (DBMS). The acronym ACID stands for Atomicity, Consistency, Isolation, and Durability. Here is a brief description of each of these properties:

1. Atomicity: Atomicity ensures that a transaction is treated as a single, indivisible unit of work. Either all the operations within the transaction are completed successfully, or none of them are. If any part of the transaction fails, the entire transaction is rolled back to its original state, ensuring data consistency and integrity.
2. Consistency: Consistency ensures that a transaction takes the database from one consistent state to another consistent state. The database is in a consistent state both before and after the transaction is executed. Constraints, such as unique keys and foreign keys, must be maintained to ensure data consistency.
3. Isolation: Isolation ensures that multiple transactions can execute concurrently without interfering with each other. Each transaction must be isolated from other transactions until it is completed. This isolation prevents dirty reads, non-repeatable reads, and phantom reads.
4. Durability: Durability ensures that once a transaction is committed, its changes are permanent and will survive any subsequent system failures. The transaction’s changes are saved to the database permanently, and even if the system crashes, the changes remain intact and can be recovered.

Overall, ACID properties provide a framework for ensuring data consistency, integrity, and reliability in DBMS. They ensure that transactions are executed in a reliable and consistent manner, even in the presence of system failures, network issues, or other problems. These properties make DBMS a reliable and efficient tool for managing data in modern organizations.

### Advantages of ACID Properties in DBMS:

1. Data Consistency: ACID properties ensure that the data remains consistent and accurate after any transaction execution.
2. Data Integrity: ACID properties maintain the integrity of the data by ensuring that any changes to the database are permanent and cannot be lost.
3. Concurrency Control: ACID properties help to manage multiple transactions occurring concurrently by preventing interference between them.
4. Recovery: ACID properties ensure that in case of any failure or crash, the system can recover the data up to the point of failure or crash.

### Disadvantages of ACID Properties in DBMS:

1. Performance: The ACID properties can cause a performance overhead in the system, as they require additional processing to ensure data consistency and integrity.
2. Scalability: The ACID properties may cause scalability issues in large distributed systems where multiple transactions occur concurrently.
3. Complexity: Implementing the ACID properties can increase the complexity of the system and require significant expertise and resources.  
   Overall, the advantages of ACID properties in DBMS outweigh the disadvantages. They provide a reliable and consistent approach to data
4. management, ensuring data integrity, accuracy, and reliability. However, in some cases, the overhead of implementing ACID properties can cause performance and scalability issues. Therefore, it’s important to balance the benefits of ACID properties against the specific needs and requirements of the system.