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# **Fill Missing Client Data**

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When you log in to your retailer client's database, you notice that their product catalog data is full of gaps in the category column. Can you write a SQL query that returns the product catalog with the missing data filled in?

#### **Assumptions**

- Each category is mentioned only once in a category column.
- All the products belonging to same category are grouped together.
- The first product from a product group will always have a defined category.
  - Meaning that the first item from each category will not have a missing category value.

### products Table:

Column Name	Туре
product_id	integer
category	varchar
name	varchar

## products Example Input:

product_id	category	name
1	Shoes	Sperry Boat Shoe
2		Adidas Stan Smith
3		Vans Authentic
4	Jeans	Levi 511
5		Wrangler Straight Fit
6	Shirts	Lacoste Classic Polo
7		Nautica Linen Shirt

## **Example Output:**

product_id	category	name
1	Shoes	Sperry Boat Shoe
2	Shoes	Adidas Stan Smith
3	Shoes	Vans Authentic
4	Jeans	Levi 511
5	Jeans	Wrangler Straight Fit

- 1 SELECT product\_id,FIRST\_VALUE(category)
- 2 OVER (PARTITION BY category\_group ORDER BY product\_id)

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- 3 as category, name
- 4 FROM
- 5 (SELECT product id, category, name,
- 6 SUM(CASE WHEN category IS NULL THEN 0 ELSE 1 END)
- 7 OVER (ORDER BY product\_id) as category\_group FROM products
- 8 ORDER BY product\_id ASC) as pro;
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