

## COSC265 Lab 2 - Solutions

1. Find all types of movies in the database.  
*select distinct type from movie;*  
 $\pi_{\text{Type}}(\text{MOVIE})$   
19 distinct types selected.
2. Find all the information about the star whose number is 4.  
*select \* from star where snumber = 4;*  
 $\sigma_{\text{Number}=4}(\text{STAR})$   
Scarlett Johansson
3. Find the name, year and city of birth of the star whose number is 50.  
*select fname, lname, born, city*  
*from star*  
*where snumber=50;*  
 $\pi_{\text{FName},\text{LName},\text{Born},\text{City}}(\sigma_{\text{Number}=50}(\text{STAR}))$   
Henry Fonda
4. List the names of all stars born in or after 1950.  
*select fname, lname*  
*from star*  
*where born >= 1950;*  
 $\pi_{\text{FName},\text{LName}}(\sigma_{\text{Born}>=1950}(\text{STAR}))$   
26 stars selected.
5. List the numbers and titles of all movies made between 1965 and 1975.  
*select mnumber, title*  
*from movie*  
*where year between 1965 and 1975;*  
 $\pi_{\text{Number},\text{Title}}(\sigma_{\text{Year}>=1965 \text{ AND } \text{Year}<=1975}(\text{MOVIE}))$   
37 movies selected.
6. List the numbers and titles of all movies whose type is fantasy or romance.  
*select mnumber,title*  
*from movie*  
*where type = 'fantasy' or type='romance';*  
 $\pi_{\text{Number},\text{Title}}(\sigma_{\text{Type}='fantasy' \text{ OR } \text{Type}='romance'}(\text{MOVIE}))$   
3 movies selected.
7. Find the name, year and city of birth for every star born in 1920s who is still living.  
*select fname, lname, born, city*  
*from star*  
*where born between 1920 and 1929 and died is null;*  
 $\pi_{\text{FName},\text{LName},\text{Born},\text{City}}(\sigma_{\text{Born}>=1920 \text{ AND } \text{Born}<=1929 \text{ AND } \text{Died}=\text{NULL}}(\text{STAR}))$   
3 stars selected.
8. Produce a list of numbers of all stars that acted in movies number 85 to 91.  
*select distinct star*  
*from stars*  
*where movie between 85 and 91;*  
 $\pi_{\text{Star}}(\sigma_{\text{Movie}>=85 \text{ AND } \text{Movie}<=91}(\text{STARS}))$

10 stars selected.

9. For all directors who are deceased, list their names and how long they lived.

*select fname, lname, died-born*

*from director*

*where died is not null;*

$\pi_{\text{Fname, Lname, died-born}} (\sigma_{\text{Died} \neq \text{Null}} (\text{DIRECTOR}))$

27 directors selected.

10. Find the total number of awards won by comedies.

*select sum(aawon)*

*from movie*

*where type= 'comedy';*

$\mathcal{F}_{\text{SUM AAWON}} (\sigma_{\text{Type}= 'comedy'} (\text{MOVIE}))$

8 awards won

11. List the titles of all movies and the names of their directors.

*select title, fname, lname*

*from movie, director*

*where director=dnumber;*

$\pi_{\text{Title, Fname, LName}} (\text{MOVIE} \bowtie_{\text{Director=Director.Number}} \text{DIRECTOR})$

153 movies selected.

12. Find the name of the star who played Vronsky in the movie entitled 'Anna Karenina'.

*select fname, lname*

*from star, stars, movie*

*where title= 'Anna Karenina' and role= 'Vronsky' and movie=mnumber and  
snumber=star;*

$\pi_{\text{FName, LName}} (((\sigma_{\text{Title}= 'Anna Karenina'} (\text{MOVIE})) \bowtie_{\text{Movie=Movie.Number}} (\sigma_{\text{Role}= 'Vronsky'} (\text{STARS})))$

$\bowtie_{\text{Star.Number=Star}} \text{STAR})$

Vassily Lanovoi

## The queries for the REGISTRATION database

1. Find the different types of vehicle in the database.

*select distinct type from vehicle;*

$\pi_{\text{Type}} (\text{VEHICLE})$

2. Get plate numbers, makes and models of all cars imported from Japan.

*select vehicle.plates, make, model*

*from registration, vehicle*

*where registration.plates = vehicle.plates and country= 'Japan';*

$\pi_{\text{Plates, Make, Model}} ((\sigma_{\text{Country}= 'Japan'} (\text{REGISTRATION})) * \text{VEHICLE})$

3 cars selected.

3. Produce a list of all vehicles, showing only the plate numbers and the year of manufacture. Order the tuples by the year.

*select plates, year*

*from vehicle*

*order by year;*

$\pi_{\text{Plates, Year}}(\text{VEHICLE})$

10 vehicles selected, ordered by year (in SQL)

4. List the names of all owners. Sort the output by last name descending and by first name ascending.

*select fname, lname*

*from owner*

*order by lname desc, fname;*

$\pi_{\text{Lname, Fname}}(\text{OWNER})$

14 owners selected, ordered by lname desc (in SQL)

5. For each car, show the plates number and the name of the current owner.

*select plates, fname, lname*

*from owner join owns on ownerid=dr\_lic*

*where datesold is null;*

$\pi_{\text{Plates, Fname, Lname}}(\sigma_{\text{Datesold=NULL}}(\text{OWNS} \bowtie_{\text{Ownerid=Dr\_lic}} \text{OWNER}))$

10 vehicles selected