

Zanimljive MS SQL funkcije za developere

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Slides & Demos

https://github.com/matesic-damir/presentations



COMPRESS AND DECOMPRESS

- 2016+
- ROW, PAGE...
- Syntax:

COMPRESS (expression)

- nvarchar(n), nvarchar(max), varchar(n), varchar(max), varbinary(n), varbinary(max), char(n), nchar(n), or binary(n) expression.
- GZIP
- INDEKS !?!
- XML, Log-s, Rarely used data



COMPRESS AND **DECOMPRESS**

- Opposite of COMPRESS?
- Syntax:

- DECOMPRESS (expression)
- varbinary(n), varbinary(max), or binary(n)
- Return -> data in varbinary(max)

Casting!!!



STRING_SPLIT - SQL 2016

• Syntax:

STRING_SPLIT (string , separator)

- table-valued function
- splitting string values by a separator

STRING_SPLIT – SQL 2022

• Syntax:

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STRING_SPLIT ( string , separator [ , enable_ordinal ] )
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STRING_AGG - SQL 2017

• Syntax:

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STRING_AGG (expression, separator ) [ <order_clause> ]
<order_clause> ::=
    WITHIN GROUP ( ORDER BY <order_by_expression_list> [ ASC | DESC ] )
```

string aggregation using a separator



DATE_BUCKET

• Syntax:

DATE_BUCKET(<datepart>, <bucket_width>, <input date/time> [, <origin>])

| Abbreviations |
|---------------|
| dd, d |
| wk, ww |
| mm, m |
| qq, q |
| уу, уууу |
| hh |
| mi, n |
| SS, S |
| ms |
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GENERATE_SERIES

• Syntax:

GENERATE_SERIES(<start>, <stop> [, STEP = <step>])



FIRST_VALUE, LAST_VALUE

• Syntax:

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FIRST/LAST_VALUE ( [ scalar_expression ] )
OVER ( [ partition_by_clause ] order_by_clause [ rows_range_clause ] )
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IS [NOT] DISTINCT FROM (The Distinct Predicate)

DECLARE @dt AS DATE = '20220212';

SELECT orderid, shippeddate

FROM Sales.Orders

WHERE shippeddate = @dt;

DECLARE @dt AS DATE = NULL; ??



GREATEST() & LEAST()

• Syntax:

GREATEST/LEAST (expression1 [,...expressionN])

- same data type or <u>implicitly convert</u>
- NULL
- Types not supported for comparison: varchar(max), varbinary(max) or nvarchar(max) exceeding 8,000 bytes, cursor, geometry, geography, image, non-byte-ordered user-defined types, ntext, table, text, and xml.



DATETRUNC

• Syntax:

DATETRUNC (datepart, date)



HASHBYTES

- SQL 2005 MD2, MD4, MD5, SHA, SHA1
- SQL 2012 SHA2_256, SHA2_512
- SQL 2016 Input: 8 000 bytes



sp_invoke_external_rest_endpoint

- HTTPS REST
- Allowed endpoints *.windows.net, *.azure.net, ...





Thank you