

PostgreSQL Cheat Sheet

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SELECT Query

SELECT col1, col2 FROM table JOIN table2 ON table1.col = table2.col WHERE condition GROUP BY column_name **HAVING** condition ORDER BY col1 ASC|DESC;

SELECT Keywords

DISTINCT: Removes duplicate results

SELECT DISTINCT product_name FROM product;

BETWEEN: Matches a value between two other values (inclusive) SELECT product_name FROM product

WHERE price BETWEEN 50 AND 100;

IN: Matches to any of the values in a list

SELECT product_name FROM product WHERE category IN ('Electronics', 'Furniture');

LIKE: Performs wildcard matches using

SELECT product_name FROM product WHERE product_name
LIKE '%Desk%';

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SELECT t1.*, t2.*

join_type t2 ON t1.col = t2.col;

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INNER JOIN: show all matching

records in both tables.



LEET TOIN: show all records from left table, and any matching records from right table.

RIGHT JOIN: show all records from right table, and any matching records from left table.

FULL JOIN: show all records from both tables, whether there is a match or not.



CASE Statement

Simple Case

CASE name

WHEN 'John' THEN 'Name John' WHEN 'Steve' THEN 'Name Steve' ELSE 'Unknown

Searched Case CASE

WHEN name='John' THEN 'Name John' WHEN name='Steve' THEN 'Name Steve' ELSE 'Unknown'

Common Table Expression

WITH queryname AS (SELECT col1, col2 FROM firsttable) SELECT col1, col2.. FROM queryname...;

Modifying Data

INSERT INTO tablename (col1, col2...)

VALUES (val1, val2);

Insert from a INSERT INTO tablename (col1, col2...) SELECT col1, col2...

INSERT INTO tablename (col1, col2...) VALUES Rows

(valA1, valB1), (valA2, valB2), (valA3, valB3);

UPDATE tablename Update SET col1 = val1

WHERE condition:

Update with UPDATE t a Join

SET col1 = val1 FROM tablename t INNER JOIN table x ON t.id = x.tidWHERE condition;

DELETE FROM tablename Delete WHERE condition;

Indexes

Create Index CREATE INDEX indexname

ON tablename (cols);

Drop Index DROP INDEX indexname:

Set Operators

UNION: Shows unique rows from two result sets.

UNION ALL: Shows all



rows from two result sets.

INTERSECT: Shows rows that exist in both result sets.



EXCEPT: Shows rows that exist in the first result set but not the second.

Aggregate Functions

- · SUM: Finds a total of the numbers provided
- COUNT: Finds the number of records
- AVG: Finds the average of the numbers provided
- MIN: Finds the lowest of the numbers provided · MAX: Finds the highest of the numbers provided

Common Functions

- LENGTH(string): Returns the length of the provided string POSITION(string IN substring): Returns the position of the substring within the specified string.
- CAST(expression AS datatype): Converts an expression into the specified data type.
- NOW: Returns the current date, including time.
- CEIL(input_val): Returns the smallest integer greater than the provided number.
- FLOOR(input_val): Returns the largest integer less than the
- ROUND(input_val, [round_to]): Rounds a number to a specified number of decimal places.
- TRUNC(input_value, num_decimals): Truncates a number to a number of decimals.
- $REPLACE (whole_string, string_to_replace, replacement_string):$ Replaces one string inside the whole string with another string.
- SUBSTRING(string, [start_pos], [length]): Returns part of a value, based on a position and length.

Create Table

```
Create Table
                CREATE TABLE tablename (
                  column_name data_type
```

Create Table with Constraints

```
CREATE TABLE tablename (
 column_name data_type NOT NULL,
  CONSTRAINT pkname PRIMARY KEY (col),
  CONSTRAINT fkname FOREIGN KEY (col)
REFERENCES other_table(col_in_other_table),
  CONSTRAINT ucname UNIQUE (col),
  CONSTRAINT ckname CHECK (conditions)
```

Create Temporary CREATE TEMP TABLE tablename (Table colname datatype

Drop Table DROP TABLE tablename:

Alter Table

ALTER TABLE tablename ADD COLUMN Add Column

columnname datatype;

Drop Column ALTER TABLE tablename DROP COLUMN

columnname:

ALTER TABLE tablename ALTER COLUMN Modify Column

columnname TYPE newdatatype:

ALTER TABLE tablename RENAME COLUMN Rename Column

currentname TO newname:

ALTER TABLE tablename ADD CONSTRAINT Add Constraint

constraintname constrainttype

(columns):

ALTER TABLE tablename DROP Drop Constraint constraint_type constraintname;

Rename Table ALTER TABLE tablename

RENAME TO newtablename:

Window/Analytic Functions

```
function_name ( arguments ) OVER (
[query_partition_clause]
[ORDER BY order_by_clause
[windowing_clause] ] )
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Example using RANK, showing the student details and their rank according to the fees_paid, grouped by gender:

```
student_id, first_name, last_name, gender, fees_paid,
RANK() OVER (
 PARTITION BY gender ORDER BY fees_paid
) AS rank_val
FROM student;
```

Subqueries

```
SELECT id, last_name, salary
Single Row
               FROM employee
               WHERE salary =
                 SELECT MAX(salary)
                  FROM employee
                SELECT id, last_name, salary
Multi Row
               FROM employee
               WHERE salary IN (
                  SELECT salary
                  FROM employee
                 WHERE last_name LIKE 'C%'
```