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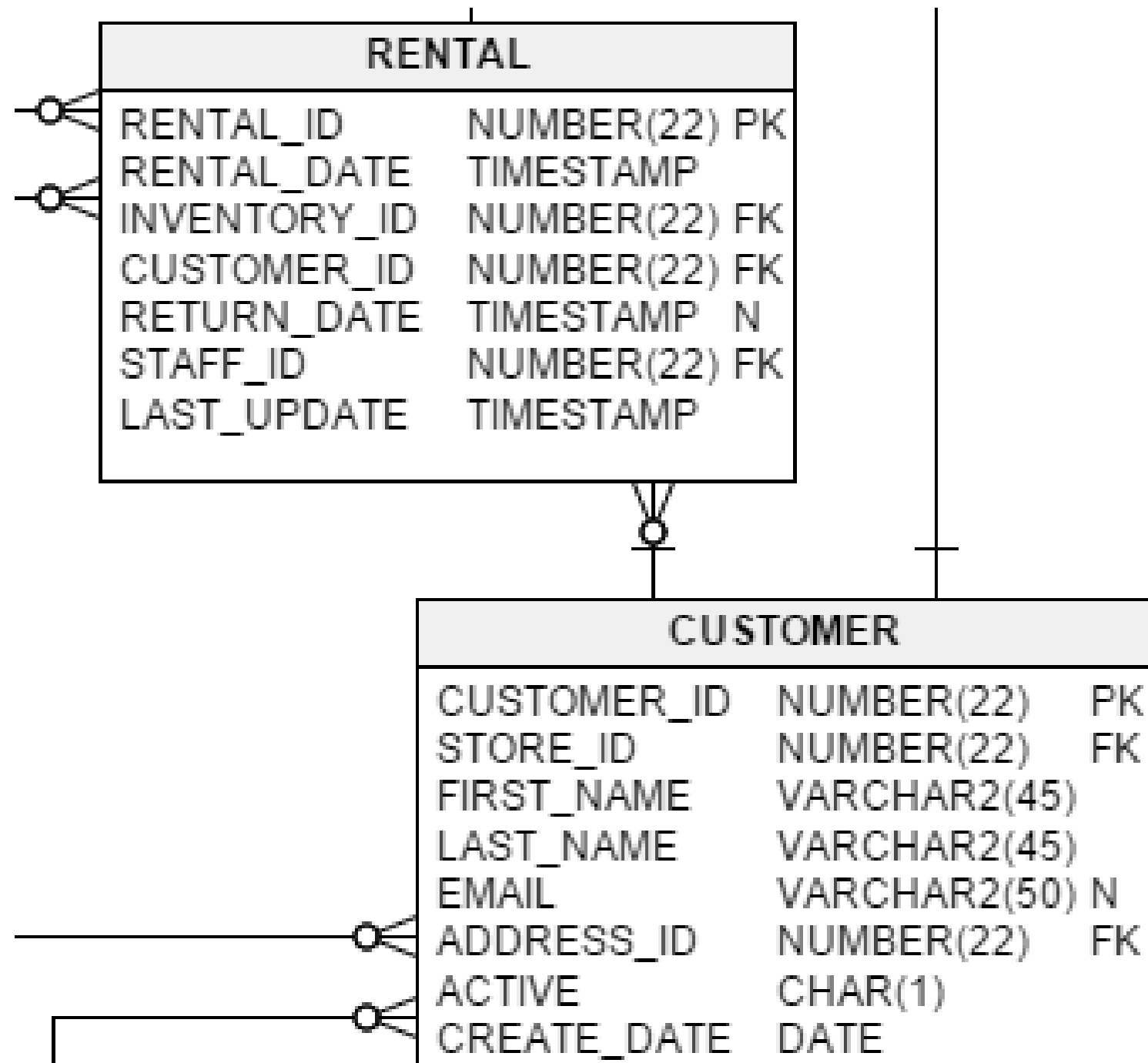
FUNCTIONS FOR MANIPULATING DATA IN POSTGRESQL



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The Sakila Database



- Highly normalized
- Representative data types
- Custom functions

Topics

- Common data types in PostgreSQL
- Date and time functions and operators
- Parsing and manipulating text
- Full-text search and PostgreSQL Extensions

Common data types

- Text data types
 - `CHAR` , `VARCHAR` and `TEXT`
- Numeric data types
 - `INT` and `DECIMAL`
- Date / time data types
 - `DATE` , `TIME` , `TIMESTAMP` , `INTERVAL`
- Arrays

Text data types

```
SELECT title
FROM film
LIMIT 5
```

```
+-----+
| title          |
+-----+
| ACADEMY DINOSAUR |
| ACE GOLDFINGER  |
| ADAPTATION HOLES |
| AFFAIR PREJUDICE |
| AFRICAN EGG     |
+-----+
```

```
SELECT description
FROM film
LIMIT 2
```

```
+-----+
| description    |
+-----+
| A Epic Drama of a Feminist And a Mad |
| Scientist who must Battle a Teacher in |
| The Canadian Rockies.                 |
| A Astounding Epistle of a Database    |
| Administrator And a Explorer who     |
| must Find a Car in Ancient China      |
+-----+
```

Numeric data types

```
SELECT
```

```
    payment_id
```

```
FROM payment
```

```
LIMIT 5
```

```
+-----+
| payment_id |
+-----+
| 1          |
| 2          |
| 3          |
| 4          |
| 5          |
+-----+
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    amount
```

```
FROM payment
```

```
LIMIT 5
```

```
+-----+
| amount |
+-----+
| 2.99   |
| 0.99   |
| 5.99   |
| 0.99   |
| 9.99   |
+-----+
```

Determining data types from existing tables

```
SELECT
  title,
  description,
  special_features
FROM FILM
LIMIT 5
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+
| title      | description      | special_features      |
+-----+-----+-----+
| ACADEMY D... | A Epic...       | {Deleted Scenes,Behi...} |
| ACE GOLD...  | A Astound..     | {Trailers,Deleted Scenes} |
| AFFAIR PR... | A Fanciful,..   | {Commentaries,Behind the...} |
+-----+-----+-----+
```

Determining data types from existing tables

```
SELECT
    column_name,
    data_type
FROM INFORMATION_SCHEMA.COLUMNS
WHERE column_name in ('title', 'description', 'special_features')
AND table_name = 'film';
```

```
+-----+-----+
| column_name | data_type |
+-----+-----+
| title       | character varying |
| description | text          |
| special_features | ARRAY      |
+-----+-----+
```


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Date and time data types

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TIMESTAMP data types

- ISO 8601 format: yyyy-mm-dd

```
+-----+
| timestamp                |
|-----|
| 2019-03-26 01:05:17.93027+00 |
+-----+
```

```
SELECT payment_date
FROM payment;
```

```
+-----+
| payment_date            |
|-----|
| 2005-05-25 11:30:37    |
+-----+
```

DATE and TIME data types

```
+-----+-----+
| date       | time              |
+-----+-----+
| 2005-05-28 | 01:05:17.93027+00 |
+-----+-----+
```

```
SELECT create_date
FROM customer
```

```
+-----+
| create_date |
+-----+
| 2006-02-14   |
+-----+
```

INTERVAL data types

```
+-----+  
| interval |  
+-----+  
| 4 days   |  
+-----+
```

```
SELECT rental_date + INTERVAL '3 days' as expected_return  
FROM rental;
```

```
+-----+  
| expected_return |  
+-----+  
| 2005-05-27 22:53:30 |  
+-----+
```

Looking at date and time types

```
SELECT
    column_name,
    data_type
FROM INFORMATION_SCHEMA.COLUMNS
WHERE column_name in ('rental_date')
AND table_name = 'rental';
```

```
+-----+-----+
| column_name | data_type                |
+-----+-----+
| rental_date | timestamp without time zone |
+-----+-----+
```

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Working with ARRAYs

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Before we get started

CREATE TABLE example

```
CREATE TABLE my_first_table (  
    first_column text,  
    second_column integer  
);
```

INSERT example

```
INSERT INTO my_first_table  
    (first_column, second_column) VALUES ('text value', 12);
```

ARRAY a special type

Let's create a simple table with two array columns.

```
CREATE TABLE grades (  
  student_id int,  
  email text[],  
  test_scores int[]  
);
```

INSERT statements with ARRAYS

Example INSERT statement:

```
INSERT INTO grades  
VALUES (1,  
       '{"work","work1@datacamp.com"},"other","other1@datacamp.com"}',  
       '{92,85,96,88}' );
```

Accessing ARRAYS

```
SELECT
  email[1][1] AS type,
  email[1][2] AS address,
  test_scores[1],
FROM grades;
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+
| type   | address           | test_scores |
+-----+-----+-----+
| work   | work1@datacamp.com | 92          |
| work   | work2@datacamp.com | 76          |
+-----+-----+-----+
```

Note that PostgreSQL array indexes start with one and not zero.

Searching ARRAYS

```
SELECT
  email[1][1] as type,
  email[1][2] as address,
  test_scores[1]
FROM grades
WHERE email[1][1] = 'work';
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+
| type   | address                | test_scores |
+-----+-----+-----+
| work   | work1@datacamp.com     | 92          |
| work   | work2@datacamp.com     | 76          |
+-----+-----+-----+
```

ARRAY functions and operators

SELECT

```
email[2][1] as type,  
email[2][2] as address,  
test_scores[1]
```

FROM grades

WHERE 'other' = ANY (email);

```
+-----+-----+-----+  
| type   | address           | test_scores |  
+-----+-----+-----+  
| other  | other1@datacamp.com | 92          |  
| null   | null              | 76          |  
+-----+-----+-----+
```

ARRAY functions and operators

SELECT

```
email[2][1] as type,  
email[2][2] as address,  
test_scores[1]
```

FROM grades

WHERE email @> ARRAY['other'];

```
+-----+-----+-----+  
| type   | address           | test_scores |  
+-----+-----+-----+  
| other  | other1@datacamp.com | 92          |  
| null   | null              | 76          |  
+-----+-----+-----+
```

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Overview of basic arithmetic operators

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Topics

- Overview of basic arithmetic operators
- The `CURRENT_DATE` , `CURRENT_TIMESTAMP` , `NOW()` functions
- The `AGE()` function
- The `EXTRACT()` , `DATE_PART()` , and `DATE_TRUNC()` functions

Adding and subtracting date / time data

```
SELECT date '2005-09-11' - date '2005-09-10';
```

```
+-----+  
| integer |  
+-----+  
| 1       |  
+-----+
```

Adding and subtracting date / time data

```
SELECT date '2005-09-11' + integer '3';
```

```
+-----+  
| date   |  
|-----|  
| 2005-09-14 |  
+-----+
```

Adding and subtracting date / time data

```
SELECT date '2005-09-11 00:00:00' - date '2005-09-09 12:00:00';
```

```
+-----+  
| interval |  
|-----|  
| 1 day 12:00:00 |  
+-----+
```

Calculating time periods with AGE

```
SELECT AGE(timestamp '2005-09-11 00:00:00', timestamp '2005-09-09 12:00:00');
```

```
+-----+  
| interval |  
|-----|  
| 1 day 12:00:00 |  
+-----+
```

DVDs, really??

```
SELECT
    AGE(rental_date)
FROM rental;
```

```
+-----+
| age                |
+-----+
| 13 years 11 mons 12 days 01:06:30 |
| 13 years 11 mons 12 days 01:05:27 |
| 13 years 11 mons 12 days 00:56:21 |
+-----+
```

Date / time arithmetic using INTERVALs

```
SELECT rental_date + INTERVAL '3 days' as expected_return  
FROM rental;
```

```
+-----+  
| expected_return |  
+-----+  
| 2005-05-27 22:53:30 |  
+-----+
```


Date / time arithmetic using INTERVALs

```
SELECT timestamp '2019-05-01' + 21 * INTERVAL '1 day';
```

```
+-----+
| timestamp without timezone |
|-----|
| 2019-05-22 00:00:00        |
+-----+
```

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Functions for retrieving current date/time

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Retrieving the current timestamp

```
SELECT NOW();
```

```
+-----+  
| now() |  
+-----+  
| 2019-04-19 02:51:18.448641+00 |  
+-----+
```

Retrieving the current timestamp

```
SELECT NOW()::timestamp;
```

```
+-----+  
| now() |  
+-----+  
| 2019-04-19 02:51:18.448641 |  
+-----+
```

Retrieving the current timestamp

PostgreSQL specific casting

```
SELECT NOW()::timestamp;
```

CAST() function

```
SELECT CAST(NOW() as timestamp);
```

Retrieving the current timestamp

```
SELECT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP;
```

```
+-----+  
| current_timestamp |  
+-----+  
| 2019-04-19 02:51:18.448641+00 |  
+-----+
```

Retrieving the current timestamp

```
SELECT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP(2);
```

```
+-----+
| current_timestamp |
|-----|
| 2019-04-19 02:51:18.44+00 |
+-----+
```


Current date and time

```
SELECT CURRENT_DATE;
```

```
+-----+  
| current_date |  
|-----|  
| 2019-04-19   |  
+-----+
```

Current date and time

```
SELECT CURRENT_TIME;
```

```
+-----+  
| current_time |  
+-----+  
| 04:06:30.929845+00:00 |  
+-----+
```

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Extracting and transforming date / time data

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Extracting and transforming date and time data

Exploring the `EXTRACT()`, `DATE_PART()` and `DATE_TRUNC()` functions

- Transactional timestamp precision not useful for analysis

```
2005-05-13 08:53:53
```

- Often need to extract parts of timestamps

```
2005 or 5 or 2 or Friday
```

- Or convert / truncate timestamp precision to standardize

```
2005-05-13 00:00:00
```

Extracting and transforming date / time data

- `EXTRACT(field FROM source)`

```
SELECT EXTRACT(quarter FROM timestamp '2005-01-24 05:12:00') AS quarter;
```

- `DATE_PART('field', source)`

```
SELECT DATE_PART('quarter', timestamp '2005-01-24 05:12:00') AS quarter;
```

```
+-----+  
| quarter |  
+-----+  
| 1       |  
+-----+
```

Extracting sub-fields from timestamp data

Transactional data from DVD Rentals *payment* table

```
SELECT * FROM payment;
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| payment_id | customer_id | staff_id | rental_id | amount | payment_date |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 76 | 2.99 | 2005-05-25 11:30:37 |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | 573 | 0.99 | 2005-05-28 10:35:23 |
| 3 | 1 | 1 | 1185 | 5.99 | 2005-06-15 0:54:12 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+

```

Extracting sub-fields from timestamp data

Data from *payment* table by year and quarter Results

```
SELECT
  EXTRACT(quarter FROM payment_date) AS quarter,
  EXTRACT(year FROM payment_date) AS year,
  SUM(amount) AS total_payments
FROM
  payment
GROUP BY 1, 2;
```

```
+-----+
| quarter | year | total_payments |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 2       | 2005 | 14456.31      |
| 3       | 2005 | 52446.02      |
| 1       | 2006 | 514.18        |
+-----+-----+-----+
```


Truncating timestamps using DATE_TRUNC()

The `DATE_TRUNC()` function will truncate timestamp or interval data types.

- Truncate timestamp '2005-05-21 15:30:30' by year

```
SELECT DATE_TRUNC('year', TIMESTAMP '2005-05-21 15:30:30');
```

```
Result: 2005-01-01 00:00:00
```

- Truncate timestamp '2005-05-21 15:30:30' by month

```
SELECT DATE_TRUNC('month', TIMESTAMP '2005-05-21 15:30:30');
```

```
Result: 2005-05-01 00:00:00
```

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Reformatting string and character data

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Topics

- Reformatting string and character data.
- Parsing string and character data.
- Determine string length and character position.
- Truncating and padding string data.

The string concatenation operator

```
SELECT
  first_name,
  last_name,
  first_name || ' ' || last_name AS full_name
FROM customer
```

```
+-----+-----+-----+
| first_name | last_name | full_name      |
|-----|-----|-----|
| MARY       | SMITH     | MARY SMITH     |
| LINDA      | WILLIAMS  | LINDA WILLIAMS |
+-----+-----+-----+
```

String concatenation with functions

```
SELECT
  CONCAT(first_name, ' ', last_name) AS full_name
FROM customer;
```

```
+-----+
| first_name | last_name | full_name      |
+-----+
| MARY       | SMITH     | MARY SMITH     |
| LINDA      | WILLIAMS  | LINDA WILLIAMS |
+-----+
```

String concatenation with a non-string input

```
SELECT
  customer_id || ': '
  || first_name || ' '
  || last_name AS full_name
FROM customer;
```

```
+-----+
| full_name |
+-----+
| 1: MARY SMITH |
| 2: LINDA WILLIAMS |
+-----+
```

Changing the case of string

```
SELECT
  UPPER(email)
FROM customer;
```

```
+-----+
| UPPER(email) |
+-----+
| MARY.SMITH@SAKILACUSTOMER.ORG |
| PATRICIA.JOHNSON@SAKILACUSTOMER.ORG |
| LINDA.WILLIAMS@SAKILACUSTOMER.ORG |
+-----+
```


Changing the case of string

```
SELECT  
  LOWER(title)  
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+  
| LOWER(title) |  
+-----+  
| academy dinosaur |  
| ace goldfinger |  
| adaptation holes |  
+-----+
```

Changing the case of string

```
SELECT  
  INITCAP(title)  
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+  
| INITCAP(title) |  
+-----+  
| Academy Dinosaur |  
| Ace Goldfinger   |  
| Adaptation Holes |  
+-----+
```

Replacing characters in a string

```
SELECT description FROM film;
```

```
+-----+
| description |
+-----+
| A Epic Drama of a Feminist And a Mad Scientist... |
| A Astounding Epistle of a Database Administrator... |
| A Astounding Reflection of a Lumberjack And a Car... |
| A Fanciful Documentary of a Frisbee And a Lumberjack... |
| A Fast-Paced Documentary of a Pastry Chef And a... |
+-----+
```

Replacing characters in a string

```
SELECT
    REPLACE(description, 'A Astounding',
              'An Astounding') as description
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+
| description                                     |
|-----|
| A Epic Drama of a Feminist And a Mad Scientist... |
| An Astounding Epistle of a Database Administrator... |
| An Astounding Reflection of a Lumberjack And a Car... |
+-----+
```

Manipulating string data with REVERSE

```
SELECT
  title,
  REVERSE(title)
FROM
  film AS f;
```

```
+-----+
| title          | reverse(title) |
+-----+
| ACADEMY DINOSAUR | RUASONID YMEDACA |
| ACE GOLDFINGER   | REGNIFDLOG ECA  |
+-----+
```

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Parsing string and character data

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Determining the length of a string

```
SELECT
    title,
    CHAR_LENGTH(title)
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+-----+
| title          | CHAR_LENGTH(title) |
+-----+-----+
| ACADEMY DINOSAUR | 16                 |
| ACE GOLDFINGER   | 14                 |
| ADAPTATION HOLES | 16                 |
+-----+-----+
```


Determining the length of a string

```
SELECT
    title,
    LENGTH(title)
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+-----+
| title          | LENGTH(title) |
+-----+-----+
| ACADEMY DINOSAUR | 16            |
| ACE GOLDFINGER  | 14            |
| ADAPTATION HOLES | 16            |
+-----+-----+
```

Finding the position of a character in a string

```
SELECT
    email,
    POSITION('@' IN email)
FROM customer;
```

```
+-----+-----+
| email                                | POSITION('@' IN email) |
+-----+-----+
| MARY.SMITH@sakilacustomer.org        | 11                     |
| PATRICIA.JOHNSON@sakilacustomer.org  | 17                     |
| LINDA.WILLIAMS@sakilacustomer.org    | 15                     |
+-----+-----+
```

Finding the position of a character in a string

```
SELECT
    email,
    STRPOS(email, '@')
FROM customer;
```

```
+-----+-----+
| email                                | STRPOS(email, '@') |
+-----+-----+
| MARY.SMITH@sakilacustomer.org        | 11                  |
| PATRICIA.JOHNSON@sakilacustomer.org  | 17                  |
| LINDA.WILLIAMS@sakilacustomer.org    | 15                  |
+-----+-----+
```

Parsing string data

```
SELECT
    LEFT(description, 50)
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+
| description |
+-----+
| A Epic Drama of a Feminist And a Mad Scientist who |
| A Astounding Epistle of a Database Administrator A |
| A Astounding Reflection of a Lumberjack And a Car   |
+-----+
```

Parsing string data

```
SELECT
    RIGHT(description, 50)
FROM film;
```

```
+-----+
| description |
+-----+
|  who must Battle a Teacher in The Canadian Rockies |
| nd a Explorer who must Find a Car in Ancient China |
| Car who must Sink a Lumberjack in A Baloon Factory |
+-----+
```

Extracting substrings of character data

```
SELECT
    SUBSTRING(description, 10, 50)
FROM
    film AS f;
```

```
+-----+
| description |
+-----+
| ama of a Feminist And a Mad Scientist who must Bat |
| ing Epistle of a Database Administrator And a Expl |
| ing Reflection of a Lumberjack And a Car who must |
+-----+
```

Extracting substrings of character data

```
SELECT
    SUBSTRING(email FROM 0 FOR POSITION('@' IN email))
FROM
    customer;
```

```
+-----+
| SUBSTRING(email FROM 0 FOR POSITION('@' IN email)) |
|-----|
| MARY.SMITH                                         |
| PATRICIA.JOHNSON                                  |
| LINDA.WILLIAMS                                     |
+-----+
```

Extracting substrings of character data

```
SELECT
    SUBSTRING(email FROM POSITION('@' IN email)+1 FOR CHAR_LENGTH(email))
FROM
    customer;
```

```
+-----+
| SUBSTRING(email FROM POSITION('@' IN email)+1 FOR CHAR_LENGTH(email)) |
|-----|
| sakilacustomer.org |
| sakilacustomer.org |
| sakilacustomer.org |
+-----+
```


Extracting substrings of character data

```
SELECT
    SUBSTR(description, 10, 50)
FROM
    film AS f;
```

```
+-----+
| description |
+-----+
| ama of a Feminist And a Mad Scientist who must Bat |
| ing Epistle of a Database Administrator And a Expl |
| ing Reflection of a Lumberjack And a Car who must |
+-----+
```

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Truncating and padding string data

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Removing whitespace from strings

```
TRIM([leading | trailing | both] [characters] from string)
```

- **First parameter:** [leading | trailing | both]
- **Second parameter:** [characters]
- **Third parameter:** from string

Removing whitespace from strings

```
SELECT TRIM(' padded ');
```

```
+-----+  
| TRIM   |  
|-----|  
| padded |  
+-----+
```

Removing whitespace from strings

```
SELECT LTRIM(' padded');
```

```
+-----+  
| LTRIM |  
|-----|  
| padded |  
+-----+
```

Removing whitespace from strings

```
SELECT RTRIM(' padded');
```

```
+-----+  
| RTRIM |  
+-----+  
| padded |  
+-----+
```

Padding strings with character data

```
SELECT LPAD('padded', 10, '#');
```

```
+-----+  
| LPAD   |  
|-----|  
| ####padded |  
+-----+
```


Padding strings with whitespace

```
SELECT LPAD('padded', 10);
```

```
+-----+  
| LPAD   |  
|-----|  
| padded |  
+-----+
```

```
SELECT LPAD('padded', 5);
```

```
+-----+  
| LPAD   |  
|-----|  
| padde  |  
+-----+
```

Padding strings with whitespace

```
SELECT RPAD('padded', 10, '#');
```

```
+-----+  
| RPAD   |  
|-----|  
| padded#### |  
+-----+
```

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Introduction to full-text search

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Topics

- Full Text search
- Extending PostgreSQL
- Improving full text search with extensions

The LIKE operator

_ wildcard: Used to match exactly one character.

% wildcard: Used to match zero or more characters.

```
SELECT title
FROM film
WHERE title LIKE 'ELF%';
```

```
+-----+
| title          |
+-----+
| ELF PARTY     |
+-----+
```

The LIKE operator

```
SELECT title
FROM film
WHERE title LIKE '%ELF';
```

```
+-----+
| title          |
+-----+
| ENCINO  ELF    |
| GHOSTBUSTERS  ELF    |
+-----+
```

The LIKE operator

```
SELECT title
FROM film
WHERE title LIKE '%elf%';
```

```
+-----+
| title |
+-----+
```


LIKE versus full-text search

```
SELECT title, description
FROM film
WHERE to_tsvector(title) @@ to_tsquery('eLf');
```

```
+-----+
| title          |
+-----+
| ELF PARTY      |
| ENCINO ELF     |
| GHOSTBUSTERS  ELF |
+-----+
```

What is full-text search?

Full text search provides a means for performing natural language queries of text data in your database.

- Stemming
- Spelling mistakes
- Ranking

Full-text search syntax explained

```
SELECT title, description  
FROM film  
WHERE to_tsvector(title) @@ to_tsquery('elf');
```

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Extending PostgreSQL

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User-defined data types

Enumerated data types

```
CREATE TYPE dayofweek AS ENUM (  
    'Monday',  
    'Tuesday',  
    'Wednesday',  
    'Thursday',  
    'Friday',  
    'Saturday',  
    'Sunday'  
);
```

Getting information about user-defined data types

```
SELECT typename, typcategory
FROM pg_type
WHERE typename='dayofweek';
```

```
+-----+-----+
| typename | typcategory |
+-----+-----+
| dayofweek | E           |
+-----+-----+
```

Getting information about user-defined data types

```
SELECT column_name, data_type, udt_name
FROM INFORMATION_SCHEMA.COLUMNS
WHERE table_name = 'film';
```

```
+-----+
| column_name | data_type          | udt_name      |
|-----|-----|-----|
| title       | character varying | varchar       |
| rating      | USER-DEFINED      | mpaa_rating   |
+-----+
```


User-defined functions

```
CREATE FUNCTION squared(i integer) RETURNS integer AS $$  
    BEGIN  
        RETURN i * i;  
    END;  
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
```

```
SELECT squared(10);
```

```
+-----+  
| squared |  
+-----+  
| 100     |  
+-----+
```

User-defined functions in the Sakila database

- **get_customer_balance(customer_id, effective_data):** calculates the current outstanding balance for a given customer.
- **inventory_held_by_customer(inventory_id):** returns the customer_id that is currently renting an inventory item or null if it's currently available.
- **inventory_in_stock(inventory_id):** returns a boolean value of whether an inventory item is currently in stock.

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Intro to PostgreSQL extensions

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Commonly used extensions

- PostGIS
- PostPic
- fuzzystrmatch
- pg_trgm

Querying extension meta data

Available Extensions

```
SELECT name
FROM pg_available_extensions;
```

```
+-----+
| name          |
+-----+
| dblink        |
| pg_stat_statements |
+-----+
```

Installed Extensions

```
SELECT extname
FROM pg_extension;
```

```
+-----+
| name      |
+-----+
| plpgsql   |
+-----+
```

```
--Enable the fuzzystmatch extension
CREATE EXTENSION IF NOT EXISTS fuzzystmatch;
--Confirm that fuzzstrmatch has been enabled
SELECT extname FROM pg_extension;
```

```
+-----+
| name   |
|-----|
| plpgsql|
| fuzzystmatch |
+-----+
```

Using fuzzystrmatch or fuzzy searching

```
SELECT levenshtein('GUMBO', 'GAMBOL');
```

```
+-----+  
| levenshtein |  
+-----+  
|          2 |  
+-----+
```


Compare two strings with pg_trgm

```
SELECT similarity('GUMBO', 'GAMBOL');
```

```
+-----+  
| similarity |  
+-----+  
| 0.18181818 |  
+-----+
```

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Putting it All Together

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Functions for manipulating data recap and review

- Common data types in PostgreSQL
- Date/time functions and operators
- Parsing and manipulating text
- PostgreSQL Extensions and full-text search

Thank you!

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