

SQL and REST

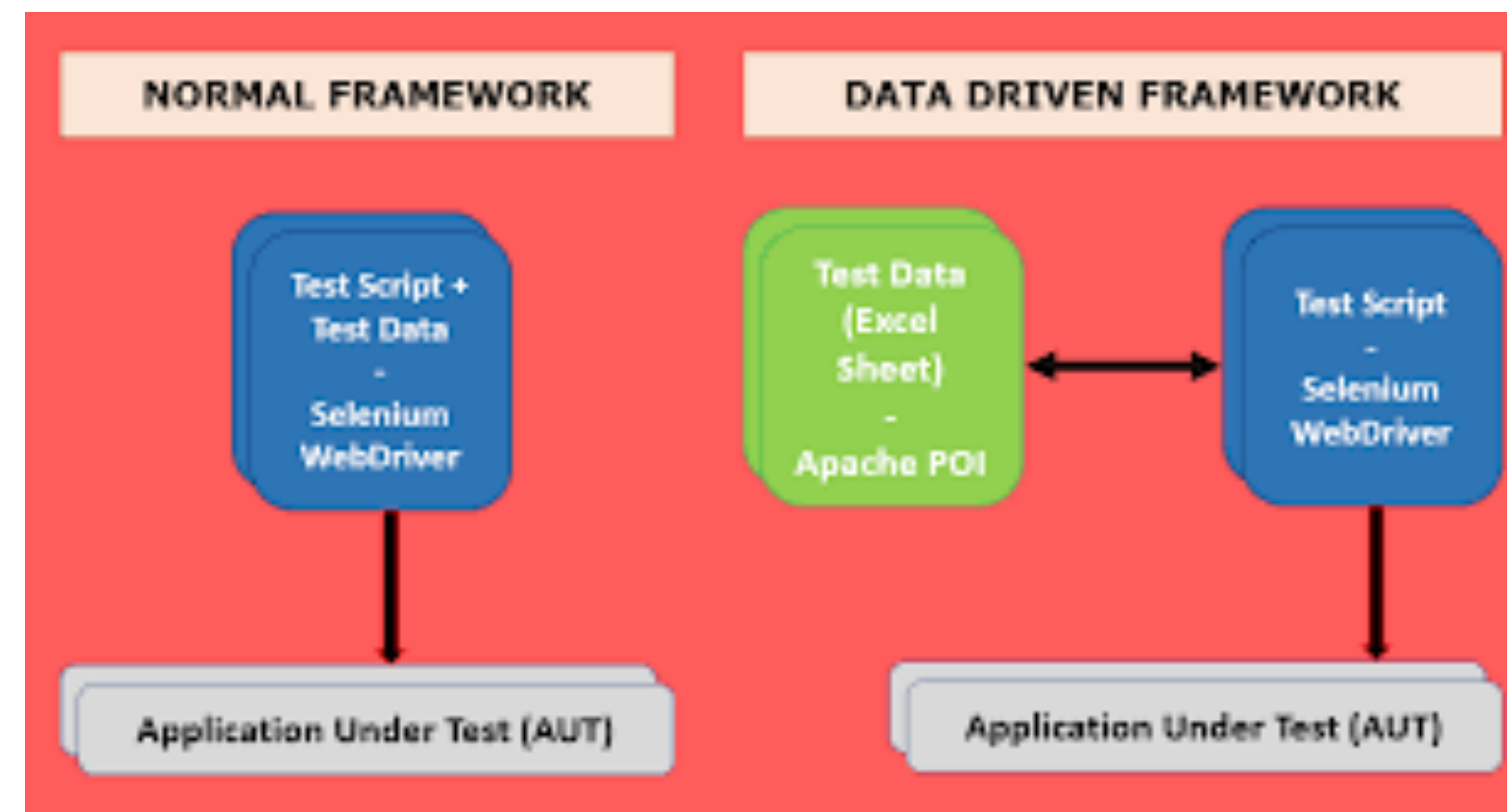
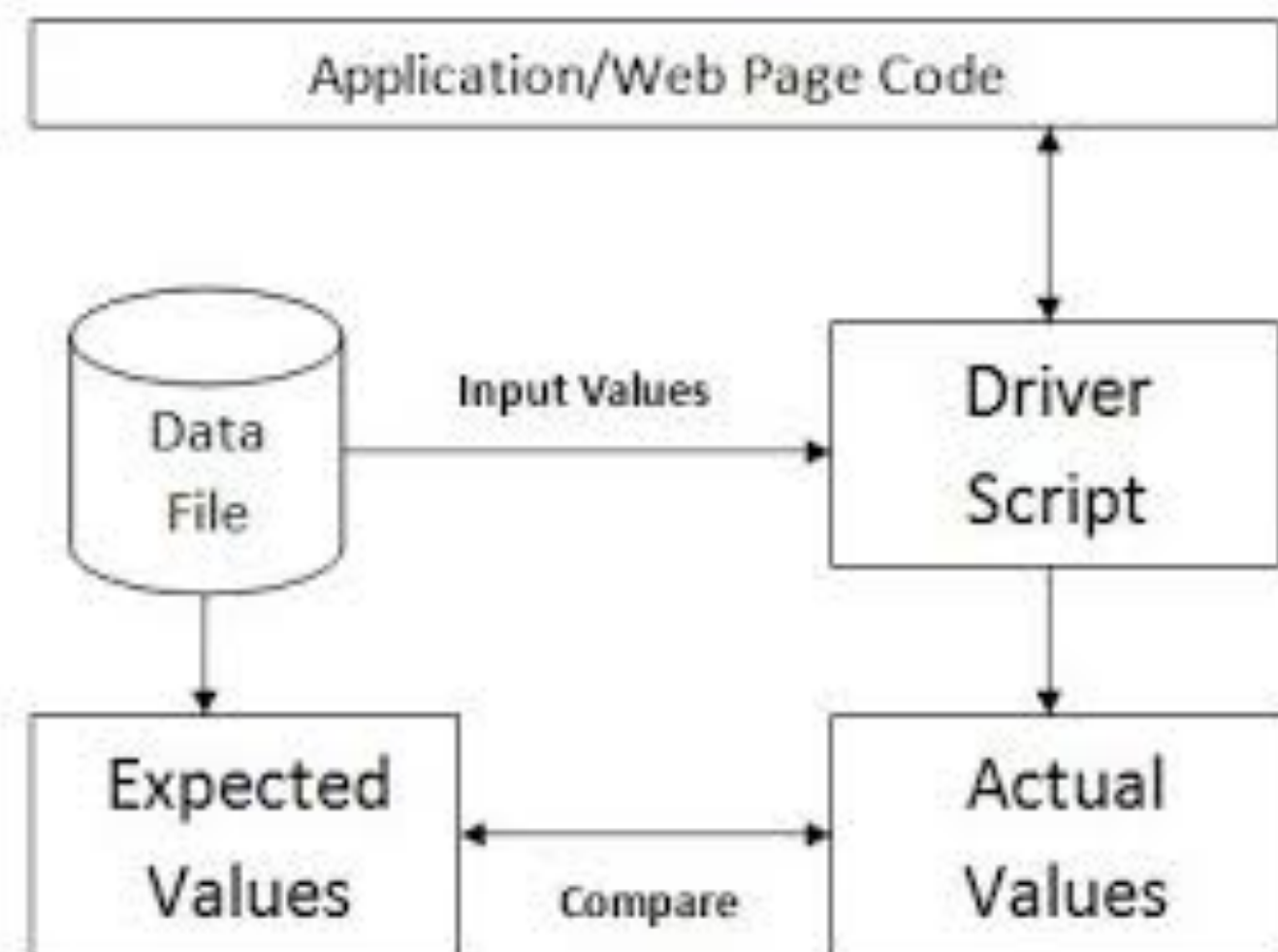
And Everything in between

DATA DRIVEN TESTING

WHEN: Whenever a functionality or a module in an app requires testing with multiple sets of data(Parametrization), Multiple inputs then we need to perform data driven testing and automation. These scenarios are one of the things That must be automated.

HOW: Test data is separated from code and stored into external sources: Cucumber Examples table, Excel files, CSV files, Database.

BENEFIT: More organized, Data centralized, Collaboration on test data - it can come from BA, MTs etc



READ DATA FROM EXCEL

- I use Apache POI to read data from excel or any excel related tests.

- FILEINPUTSTREAM > WORKBOOK > WORKSHEET > ROW > CELL

- FILEOUTPUTSTREAM > WORKBOOK.WRITE(OUTSTREAM);

- ```
String filePath = "C:\\Users\\denis\\Desktop\\Employees.xlsx";
//Open file and convert to a stream of data
FileInputStream inStream = new FileInputStream(filePath);
//take the stream of data and use it as
Workbook workbook = WorkbookFactory.create(inStream);
//Get the first worksheet from the workbook
Sheet worksheet = workbook.getSheetAt(0);
//go to the first row
Row row = worksheet.getRow(0);
Cell cell = row.getCell(0);
System.out.println(cell.toString());

Cell cell = row.getCell(0);
cell.setCellValue("coffee");

FileInputStream outputStream = new FileInputStream(filePath);
workbook.write(outputStream);

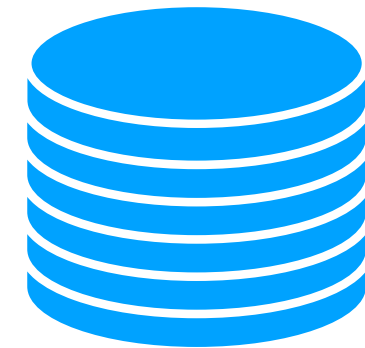
//close everything
```

**WORKBOOK > XSSFWORKBOOK -> XLSX FILES**  
**> HSSFWORKBOOK -> XLS FILES**

# READ DATA FROM DATABASE

JDBC/JAVA.SQL

DRIVER



CONNECTION > STATEMENT > RESULTSET

```
Connection connection=DriverManager.getConnection(oracleDbUrl, oracleDbUsername, oracleDbPassword);
//Statement statement=connection.createStatement();
Statement statement=connection.createStatement(ResultSet.TYPE_SCROLL_INSENSITIVE,ResultSet.CONCUR_READ_ONLY);
ResultSet resultSet = statement.executeQuery("select * from countries");

// while(resultSet.next()) {
// System.out.println(resultSet.getString(1)+"-"+resultSet.getString("country_name")+"-"+resultSet.getInt("region_id"));
// }
//find out how many records in the resultset
resultSet.last();
int rowCount = resultSet.getRow();
System.out.println("Number of rows:" + rowCount);

resultSet.first();
while(resultSet.next()) {
 System.out.println(resultSet.getString(1)+"-"+resultSet.getString("country_name")+"-"+resultSet.getInt("region_id"));
}

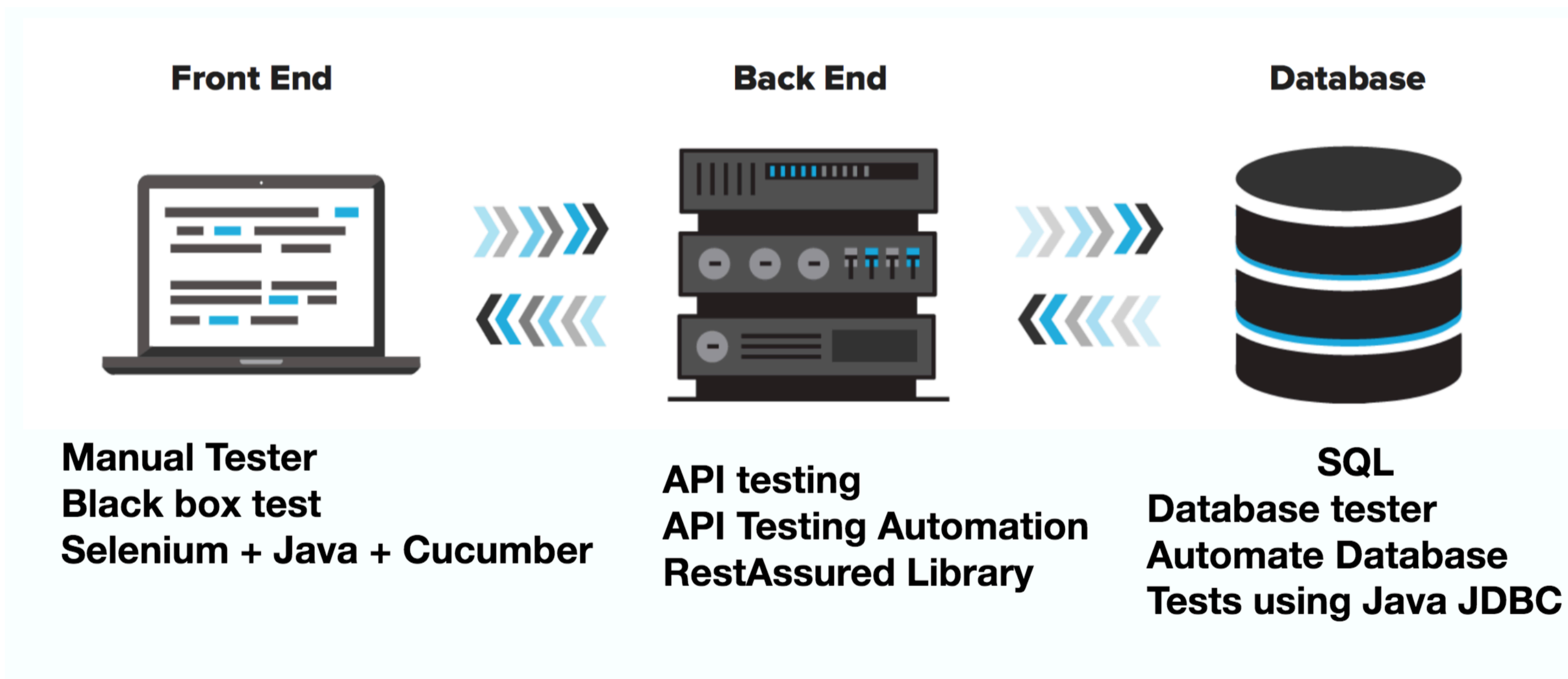
resultSet.close();
statement.close();
connection.close();
```

**Test data is separated from code and stored into external sources: Cucumber Examples table, Excel files, CSV files, Database.**

**If the amount of data is not that huge, then I use Cucumber Scenario outline with Examples table.**

**And other times I maintain test data in Excel files, and i use Apacha POI library to read and write data us**

**If data comes from a database, or I need to do database validation,  
I use SQL queries along with JDBC library in java.**



**I AM EXPERT ON FRONT END TEST AUTOMATION USING JAVA+SELENIUM WEBDRIVER, CUCUMBER, MAVEN, TESTNG, JUNIT**  
**ALSO I AM GOOD AT RESTFUL API TEST AUTOMATION USING POSTMAN, RESTASSURED LIBRARY IN JAVA**  
**I HAVE RICH experience with Database test test automation using SQL queries along with JDBC library in Java.**

**Where do we close connection with database in try catch block, in case we will get Exception thrown.  
"in catch block" answer didn't satisfy the interviewer.**

**1)in finally block.**

**2)I use try-with-resources and it will automatically close**



```

try{
 Connection connection=DriverManager.getConnection(url, user, pwd);
 Statement statement=connection.createStatement(ResultSet.TYPE_SCROLL_INSENSITIVE,ResultSet.CONCUR_READ_ONLY);
 ResultSet resultSet = statement.executeQuery("select * from countries");

}catch(SQLException e) {
 //some code to report the issue
 e.printStackTrace();
}finally{
 try{
 resultSet.close();
 statement.close();
 connection.close();
 }catch(Exception e) {

 }
}

```

## 2) TRY-WITH-RESOURCES:

Any class or interface that extends Closable or AutoClosable interfaces  
can ONLY be put into try-with-resources block.

```

try(
 Connection connection=DriverManager.getConnection(url, user, pwd);
 Statement statement=connection.createStatement(ResultSet.TYPE_SCROLL_INSENSITIVE,ResultSet.CONCUR_READ_ONLY);
 ResultSet resultSet = statement.executeQuery("select * from countries");)
{
 //some code to read data from resultSet
}

}catch(SQLException e) {
 //some code to report the issue
 e.printStackTrace();
}

```

# Have you done any backend/database testing?

**Yes, I have lots of experience with working with databases.**

**And I am very comfortable with writing SQL queries.**

**I have experience with working on Relational Databases like Oracle, MySQL, SQL Server.**

**Have you worked with non-relational databases?**

**I don't have hands on experience but I know that it is like JSON format database and**

**I have good experience with working with JSON files.**

**And I am a quick learner**

# RELATIONAL VS NON-RELATIONAL DATABASE STRUCTURE

## Document Data Model

### Relational

| Customer ID | First Name | Last Name | City          |
|-------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| 0           | John       | Doe       | New York      |
| 1           | Mark       | Smith     | San Francisco |
| 2           | Jay        | Black     | Newark        |
| 3           | Meagan     | White     | London        |
| 4           | Edward     | Daniels   | Boston        |

| Phone Number   | Type | DNC    | Customer ID |
|----------------|------|--------|-------------|
| 1-212-555-1212 | home | T      | 0           |
| 1-212-555-1213 | home | T      | 0           |
| 1-212-555-1214 | cell | F      | 0           |
| 1-212-777-1212 | home | T      | 1           |
| 1-212-777-1213 | cell | (null) | 1           |
| 1-212-888-1212 | home | F      | 2           |

### MongoDB

```
{ customer_id : 1,
 first_name : "Mark",
 last_name : "Smith",
 city : "San Francisco",
 phones: [
 {
 number : "1-212-777-1212",
 dnc : true,
 type : "home"
 },
 {
 number : "1-212-777-1213",
 type : "cell"
 }
]
}
```

# How do you create a table in SQL?

## What are constraints?

```
CREATE TABLE Computers (
 COMPUTER_ID Number PRIMARY KEY,
 BRAND VARCHAR2(20) NOT NULL,
 TYPE CHAR(1) NULL
);
```

**SQL COLUMN CONSTRAINTS:**  
Primary key, Foreign key, Null, not Null, Unique

**DESCRIBE Computers; —> To display table information. Metadata of table**

**INSERT DATA INTO TABLE**

```
INSERT INTO Computers VALUES (123, 'HP', 'L');
```

```
SELECT * from Computers;
```

## SQL TECHINCAL INTERVIEW

Table 1

- 1 Write a SQL query to find how many records are there in Town table where “TOWN\_NAME” has “ell” in them?
- 2 Write a SQL query to find how many occurrences of each “COUNTRY\_CODE” are there in the Town table?
- 3 Write a SQL query to find the “TOWN\_NAME” where there are non-alphanumeric characters?
- 4 Write a SQL query to select the first 5 records from Town table?

1) COUNT GROUP FUNCTION, WHERE CONDITION, LIKE OPERATOR:

```
SELECT COUNT(*) FROM TOWN WHERE TOWN_NAME LIKE '%ell%';
```

2) COUNT FUNCTION, GROUP BY KEYWORD

```
SELECT COUNTRY_CODE, COUNT(*) FROM TOWN GROUP BY COUNTRY_CODE;
```

3) WHERE CONDITION, LIKE OPERATOR TO FIND NON-ALPHA NUMERICS. LIKE operator with REGULAR EXPRESSION PATTERN. REGEX is used for matching some formats. Like 10 numbers etc

```
SELECT * FROM Computers
WHERE BRAND NOT LIKE '%[^a-zA-Z0-9]%';
```

4) WHERE condition with ROWNUM

```
SELECT * FROM TOWN WHERE ROWNUM <= 5;
```

## INNER JOIN

**WHENEVER WE NEED TO QIQUERY DATA FROM MULTIPLE TABLES WE NEED JOINS. AND WHEN WE NEED TO FIND MATCHING RECORDS - WE USE INNER JOINS.**

**INNER JOIN IS USED WHEN WE NEED TO DISPLAY DATA FROM MULTIPLE TABLES AND IT WILL RETURN MATCHING RECORDS.**

1. Write a SQL query to find the salary for the people working in the QA department and the HR Department?

```
SELECT e.EMPID, NAME, SALARY, DEPTID
FROM Employee e JOIN Department d
ON e.empid = d.empid
WHERE DEPTID IN ('QA','HR');
```

How can you find employee's manager's first and last name?

SELF JOIN

```
SELECT EMP.EMPLOYEE_ID, EMP.FIRST_NAME, MAN.FIRST_NAME, MAN.LAST_NAME
FROM EMPLOYEES EMP JOIN EMPLOYEES MAN
ON EMP.MANAGER_ID = MAN.EMPLOYEE_ID;
```

# INNER JOIN VS OUTER JOIN

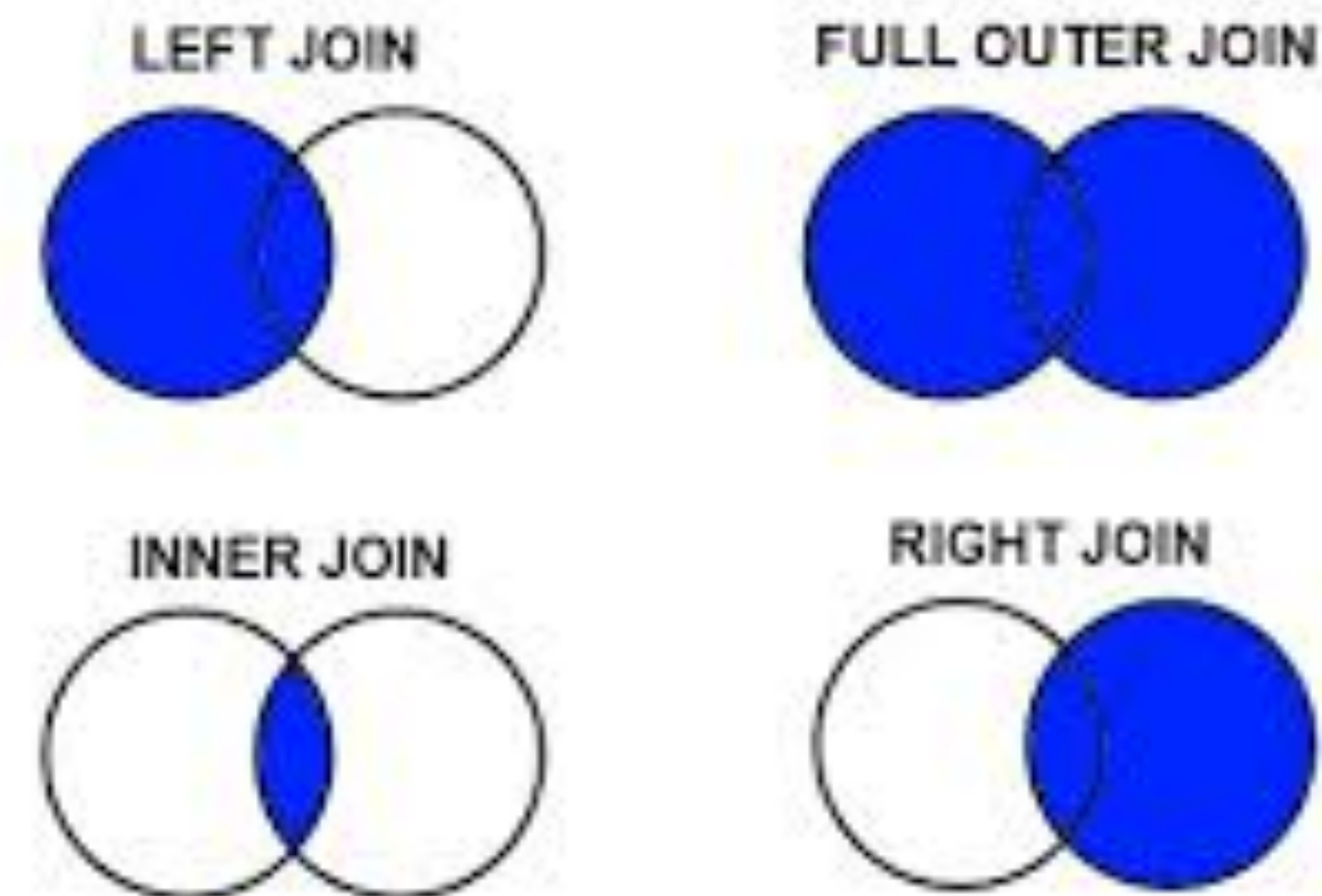
**We need joins whenever we need to query data from multiple tables:**

**1) inner join returns matching records from both tables**

**According to joining condition**

**2) outer join returns matching plus non matching data either  
From right or left tables**

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_NAME
FROM DEPARTMENTS RIGHT OUTER JOIN EMPLOYEES
ON EMPLOYEES.DEPARTMENT_ID = DEPARTMENTS.DEPARTMENT_ID;
```



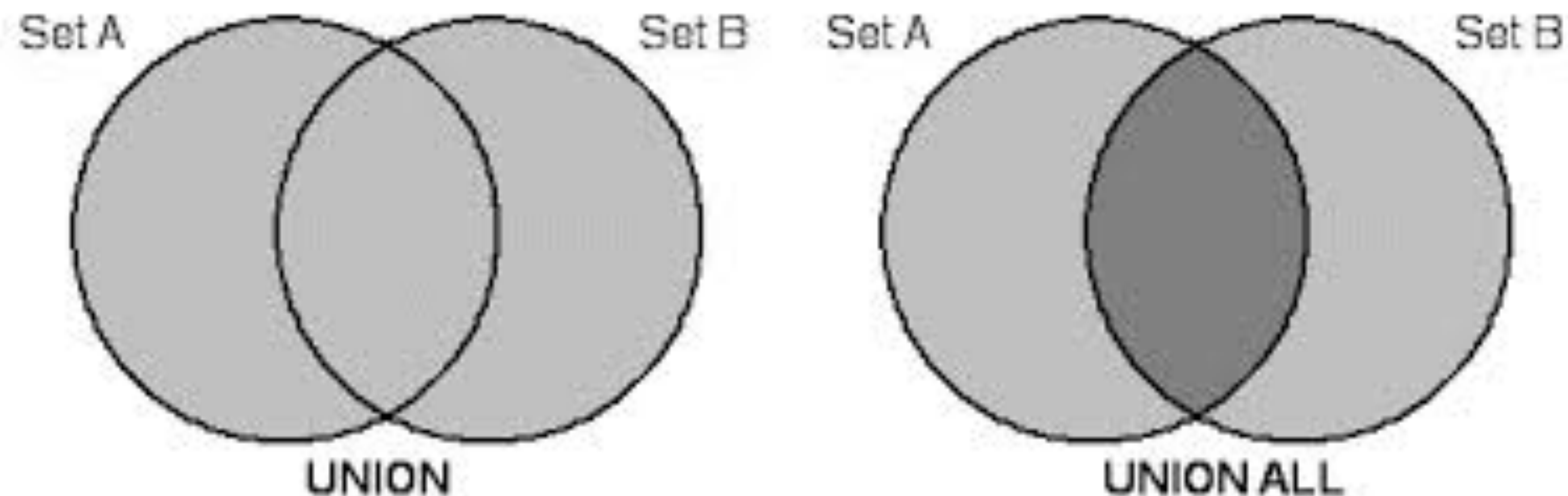


# UNION VS UNION ALL

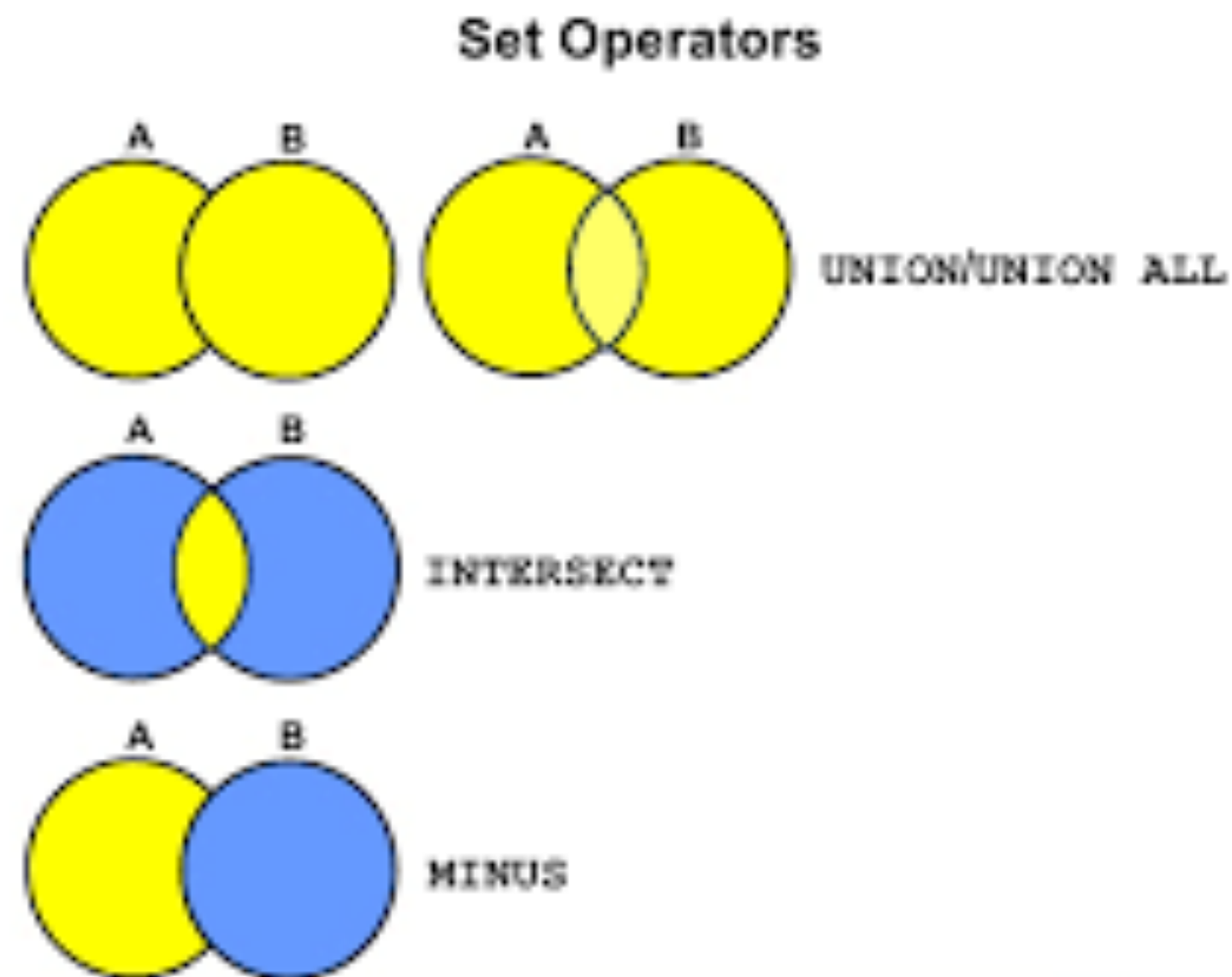
**WE USE THESE SET OPERATORS WHEN WE NEED TO DISPLAY DATA FROM 2 QUERIES.**

**UNION: REMOVES DUPLICATES AND SORTS THE RESULT**

**UNION ALL: DOES NOT REMOVE DUPLICATES AND DOES NOT SORT RESULTS**



# INTERSECT VS MINUS



**INTERSECT DISPLAYS COMMON DATA IN BOTH QUERIES.  
REMOVES DUPLICATES and multiple NULLS , SORTS RESULTS**

**MINUS DISPLAYS DATA minus returns records from first query that is not present in second query.**

# JOIN VS UNION?

**JOINS** are used to query data from multiple tables  
**UNION** is used to query data from multiple queries

# GROUP BY VS ORDER BY

- GROUP BY is used whenever we work with group functions, it will help to create sub groups within a group
- ORDER BY is used to sort the data in either desc or asc order

# HAVING VS WHERE

- HAVING is used whenever our condition includes a GROUP function  
HAVING MAX(salary) > 9000;
- WHERE is used to filter the results and when we do not use GROUP function
- WHERE employee\_id = 234;

# DISPLAY 5TH ROW FROM TABLE

- `SELECT * from (SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID,FIRST_NAME, ROWNUM AS RN FROM EMPLOYEES) WHERE RN = 5;`
- `(select * from employees where rownum <=10)`
- `minus`
- `(select * from employees where rownum <=9);`
- We need to use a correlated subquery.
- Inner query will get columns along with ROW NUMBER. And outer query will look for specific row number

# 5TH LARGEST SALARY

- `select salary from employees e1 where 5= (select count(salary)from employees e2 where e1.salary<=e2.salary);`
- `//FIX ME`

# DROP VS TRUNCATE

- BOTH ARE DDL COMMANDS AND CANNOT BE UNDONE
- DROP WILL REMOVE DATA AND TABLE TOGETHER
- TRUNCATE WILL REMOVE ALL DATA BUT NOT TABLE STRUCTURE
- DROP EMPLOYEES;
- TRUNCATE EMPLOYEES;



# COMMIT COMMAND

- WHENEVER WE MAKE CHANGES TO DATABASE , WE CAN COMMIT TO SAVE THE CHANGES

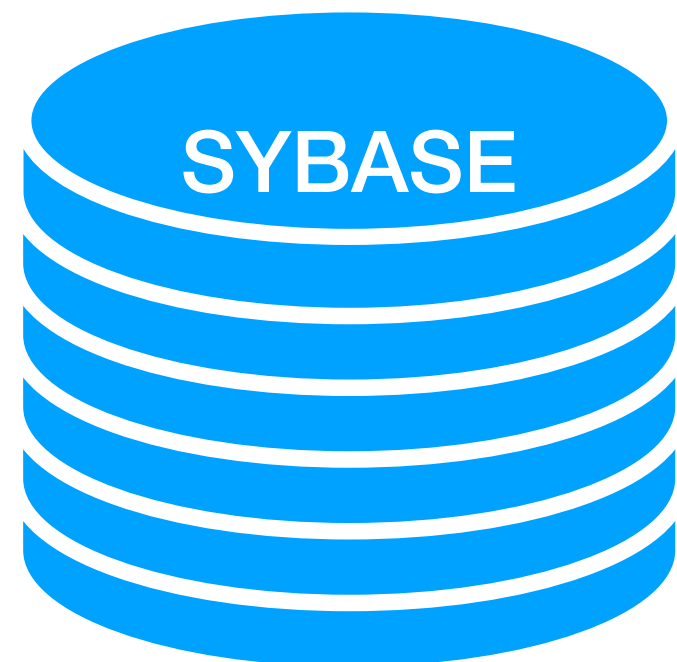
# DO U KNOW SQL?

- Yes, I am very comfortable with writing SQL Queries and DDL and DML commands. Currently working with Oracle database that is running in AMAZON CLOUD SERVER.
- DDL (Data definition language) : CREATE , ALTER, DROP, TRUNCATE..
- DML(Data manipulation language): SELECT, DELETE, INSERT, UPDATE

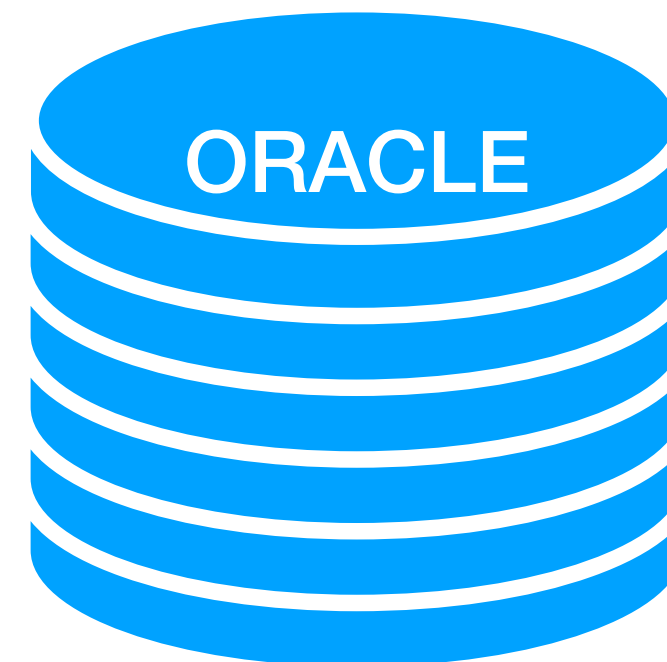
# What kind of Database testing are you doing?

- I am mostly doing Database validations.
- I make changes or insert data(create loan) in the front end and validate in the database. Data in front end matches the database
- I also make changes using RESTapi and verify that changes are successful in Database as well.
- I also support Database migration process. My code connects to Sybase (legacy database) using JDBC then Connects to Oracle(NEW DB) then compare records to make sure data was migrated successfully

**SQL + JDBC —>  
JAVA DATA STRUCTURE/LIST OF MAPS**



**SQL + JDBC —>  
JAVA DATA STRUCTURE -> LIST OF MAPS**



**ASSERT 2 DATA STRUCTURES ARE EQUAL**

# BATCH JOBS OF APPLICATION

- Some automated code that runs every night time and make some status changes to some data
- COUPON that is valid for 7 days. Batch Job is scanning through each coupon and if coupon hit 7 days it will update the status in database as invalid.

# RESTful API

# DO YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH RESTFUL API TESTING?

WHERE IN YOUR PROJECT YOU HAVE REST API?

WHY DEVELOPED A REST API?

-> Application in the current project needs to be integrated to other internal and external applications. For the integration our team developed RESTful API , So I am testing it.

PROJECT/APP A ----> PROJECT/APP B IN SAME COMPANY  
INTEGRATION WITH REST API

APP A ---> EXTERNAL APPLICATION  
INTEGRATION USING REST API

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REST API TESTING:

How do you test rest api?

I verify if each REST API endpoint is working as expected.

I use POSTMAN for manual API testing and use RESTASSURED library in Java for automation.

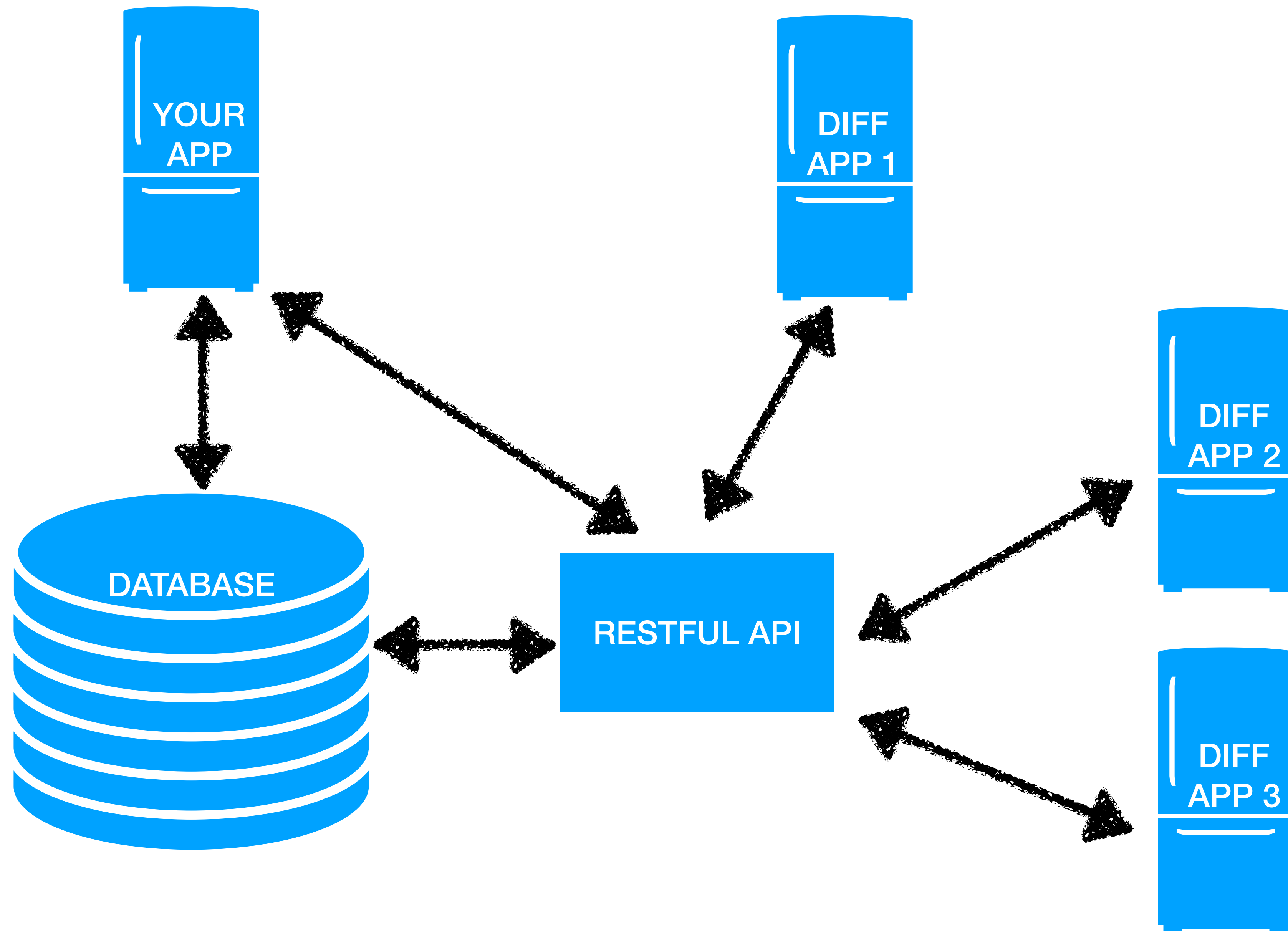
I send POST,PUT,GET, DELETE type of requests and verify response status code and response body, header.

I also do positive and negative testing of API.

When I do positive testing, I send valid request parameters , valid headers, valid request json body and verify that response status code is 200 successful and Json response body data is also matching the expected.

When I do negative testing, I send invalid request parameters , or invalid headers, or invalid request json body and verify that response status code is not 200 and Json response body contains error message.

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# HTTP METHODS/REQUEST TYPES

- GET -> READ , POST -> CREATE, PUT -> UPDATE, DELETE -> DELETE
- POST VS PUT



# STATUS CODE

- **2xx Success**

- **200** OK
- **201** Created
- **202** Accepted
- **203** Non-authoritative Information
- **204** No Content

- **4xx Client Error**

- **400** Bad Request
- **401** Unauthorized
- **402** Payment Required
- **403** Forbidden
- **404** Not Found
- **405** Method Not Allowed
- **406** Not Acceptable

- **5xx Server Error**

- **500** Internal Server Error
- **501** Not Implemented
- **502** Bad Gateway
- **503** Service Unavailable

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# HEADERS

- ACCEPT, CONTENT-TYPE —> APPLICATION/JSON, APPLICATION/XML

# PARAMETERS

- 2 TYPES:
- PATH PARAMETER(VALUE WILL BE PART OF URL)
- QUERY/REQUEST PARAMETERS (KEY+ VALUE FORMAT)

# VALIDATE/CHECK/ASSERT JSON BODY

```
{
 "employee_id": 100,
 "first_name": "Steven",
 "last_name": "King",
 "email": "SKING",
 "phone_number": "515.123.4567",
 "hire_date": "2003-06-17T04:00:00Z",
 "job_id": "AD_PRES",
 "salary": 24000,
 "commission_pct": null,
 "manager_id": null,
 "department_id": 90
}
```

1) `WHEN().GET(URI).THEN().BODY("first_name",EQUALTO("Steven"));`  
We used hamcrest matcher that comes with RestAssured library

2) Using JSONPATH:  
`JsonPath json = WHEN().GET(URI).THENreturn().BODY().JsonPath();`  
`Assert.assertEquals(json.getString("last_name"), "King");`

3) Using COLLECTIONS. HASHMAP  
`Response response = WHEN().GET(URI);`  
`Map map = response.body().as(Map.class);`  
  
`Assert.assertEquals(map.get("job_id"), "AD_PRES");`

4) Using POJOs.  
`Public class Employee{...}`  
  
`Response response = WHEN().GET(URI);`  
`Employee emp = response.body().as(Employee.class);`  
  
`Assert.assertEquals(Integer.valueOf(emp.getSalary()) , 24000 );`

# SERIALIZATION VS DE-SERIALIZATION

- SERIALIZATION : CONVERT JAVA OBJECT TO JSON
- DE-SERIALIZATION: JSON TO JAVA OBJECT

# GSON PARSER for Serialization and Deserialization

- GSON PARSER IS USED TO CONVERT JSON TO JAVA OBJECT OR VICE VERSA.

- 2 USEFUL METHODS:

`fromJSON, toJSON`

```
Wrapper value = GSON.fromJson(response.asString(), Wrapper.class);
String text = value.getTranslatedText();
```

```
given().body(GSON.toJson(employee)).
when().post(URL).then().statusCode(201);
```

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