

# Guided LAB - 304.5.1 - Aggregate Functions

## Objective

In this lab, you will demonstrate the aggregate function of SQL.

## Learning Objective:

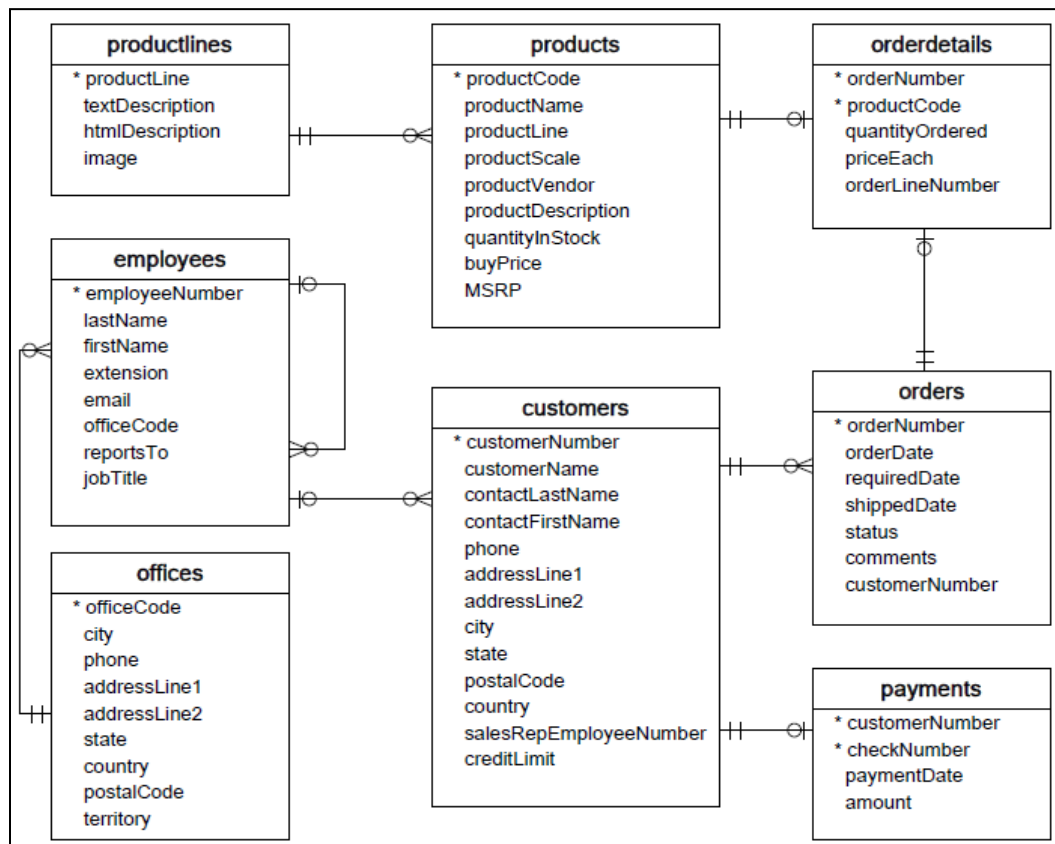
By the end of this lab, learners will be able to:

- Define the Aggregate Function.
- Use Aggregate Function in MySQL.

## Prerequisites:

For this lab, you must have a “**classicmodels**” database. If you do not have a ‘**classicmodels**’ database setup, [click here to download the database script file.](#)

### The database Schema



## 1. Using MOD() function.

\We will use the **orderDetails** table from the **sample database** for the demonstration:

orderdetails
* orderNumber
* productCode
quantityOrdered
priceEach
orderLineNumber

The following statement finds whether the quantity of products, which customers ordered, is odd or even.

```
SELECT orderNumber, SUM(quantityOrdered) as Qty,
       IF(MOD(SUM(quantityOrdered),2),'Odd', 'Even') as oddOrEven
FROM   orderdetails
GROUP BY orderNumber
ORDER BY orderNumber;
```

In this example:

- First, we used the **SUM()** function to get the total quantity of products by the sales order.
- Then we used the **MOD()** function to find the remainder of the total quantity divided by two. This results in zero or one, depending on where the total quantity is (even or odd).
- Finally, we used the **IF()** function to display the **Odd** and **Even** string based on the result of the **MOD()** function.

Here is the output:

	orderNumber	Qty	oddOrEven
▶	10100	151	Odd
	10101	142	Even
	10102	80	Even
	10103	541	Odd
	10104	443	Odd
	10105	545	Odd
	10106	675	Odd
	10107	229	Odd
	10108	561	Odd

## 2. TRUNCATE() Function

Let's review some examples of using the **TRUNCATE()** function, using SQL **TRUNCATE()** with a positive number of decimal places.

```
SELECT TRUNCATE(1.555,1);
```

Here is the **output**:

	TRUNCATE(1.555,1)
▶	1.5

Because the number of decimal places argument is 1, the **TRUNCATE()** function keeps only one decimal place in the return value.

## 3. ROUND() function

We will use the **orderDetails** table from the sample database for the demonstration.

orderdetails
* orderNumber
* productCode
quantityOrdered
priceEach
orderLineNumber

The following query finds the average order line item values by product codes:

```
SELECT productCode, AVG(quantityOrdered * priceEach) as avg_order_value
FROM orderDetails
GROUP BY productCode;
```

Here is the output:

	productCode	avg_order_value
▶	S12_1108	7065.031852
	S10_1949	6786.355714
	S10_4698	6095.928571
	S12_1099	5982.647407
	S12_3891	5649.741481
	S18_1749	5621.424000
	S18_3232	5223.395849

The average order values of products are not quite readable because they contain many numbers after the decimal points.

For the average values, the number after the decimal point may not be important. Therefore, you can use the **ROUND()** function to round them to zero decimal places, as shown in the following query:

```
SELECT    productCode,
          ROUND(AVG(quantityOrdered * priceEach)) as avg_order_item_value
FROM      orderDetails
GROUP BY  productCode;
```

The following picture shows the output:

	productCode	avg_order_value
▶	S12_1108	7065
	S10_1949	6786
	S10_4698	6096
	S12_1099	5983
	S12_3891	5650
	S18_1749	5621
	S18_3232	5223
	S18_1662	5177

## SQL **TRUNCATE()** vs. **ROUND()**

The following example uses both **TRUNCATE()** and **ROUND()** function for comparison:

```
SELECT    TRUNCATE(1.999,1),  ROUND(1.999,1);
```

Here is the query output:

	TRUNCATE(1.999,1)	ROUND(1.999,1)
▶	1.9	2.0

As clearly shown in the output, the **TRUNCATE()** function only trims the decimal places while the **ROUND()** function performs the rounding.

## 4. REPLACE() Function

The **syntax** of using the **REPLACE()** function in an UPDATE statement is as follows:

```
UPDATE tbl_name SET
    field_name = REPLACE(field_name, string_to_find, string_to_replace)
WHERE conditions;
```

Note that when searching for text to replace, SQL uses the case-sensitive match to perform a search for a string to be replaced.

For example, if you want to correct the spelling mistake in the **products** table in the sample database, you can use the **REPLACE()** function as follows:

```
UPDATE products
SET productDescription = REPLACE(productDescription, 'abuot', 'about');
```

The above query will find all occurrences of a spelling mistake '**abuot**,' and replaces it by the correct word '**about**' in the **productDescription** column of the **products** table.

## 5. DATEDIFF() function

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1. Let's take a look at some examples of using the **DATEDIFF()** function.

```
SELECT DATEDIFF('2011-08-17', '2011-08-17');
#Result : 0 day
```

```
SELECT DATEDIFF('2011-08-17', '2011-08-08');
#Result: 9 days
```

```
SELECT DATEDIFF('2011-08-08', '2011-08-17');
#Result: -9 days
```

2. See the following **orders** table in the [sample database](#).

orders
* orderNumber
orderDate
requiredDate
shippedDate
status
comments
customerNumber

a) To calculate the number of days between the required date and shipped date of the orders, we can use the **DATEDIFF()** function as follows:

```
SELECT orderNumber, DATEDIFF(requiredDate, shippedDate) as daysLeft
FROM      orders
ORDER BY  daysLeft DESC;
```

**Result:**

	orderNumber	daysLeft
▶	10409	11
	10410	10
	10105	9
	10135	9
	10190	9
	10201	9
	10254	9

b) The following statement gets all orders whose status is “In Process,” and calculates the number of days between the ordered date and the required date:

```
SELECT orderNumber, DATEDIFF(requiredDate, orderDate) as remaining_days
FROM      orders
WHERE      status = 'In Process'
ORDER BY  remaining_days;
```

### Result:

	orderNumber	remaining_days
▶	10423	6
	10425	7
	10421	8
	10424	8
	10420	9
	10422	12

c) For calculating an **interval** in week or month, you can divide the returned value of the **DATEDIFF()** function by 7 or 30 as the following query:

```
SELECT
  orderNumber,
  ROUND(DATEDIFF(requiredDate, orderDate) / 7, 2),
  ROUND(DATEDIFF(requiredDate, orderDate) / 30, 2)
FROM   orders
WHERE  status = 'In Process';
```

### Result

	orderNumber	round(DATEDIFF(requiredDate, orderDate) / 7, 2)	round(DATEDIFF(requiredDate, orderDate) / 30, 2)
▶	10420	1.29	0.30
	10421	1.14	0.27
	10422	1.71	0.40
	10423	0.86	0.20
	10424	1.14	0.27
	10425	1.00	0.23

Note that the **ROUND()** function is used to round the results.

## 6. DATE\_FORMAT() Function

Specifier	Meaning
%a	Three-characters abbreviated weekday names e.g., Mon, Tue, Wed, etc.
%b	Three-characters abbreviated month name e.g., Jan, Feb, Mar, etc.
%c	Month in numeric e.g., 1, 2, 3...12
%D	Day of the month with English suffix e.g., 0th, 1st, 2nd, etc.
%d	Day of the month with leading zero if it is 1 number e.g., 00, 01,02, ...31
%e	Day of the month without leading zero e.g., 1,2,...31
%f	Microseconds in the range of 000000..999999
%H	Hour in 24-hour format with leading zero e.g., 00..23
%h	Hour in 12-hour format with leading zero e.g., 01, 02...12
%I	Same as %h
%i	Minutes with leading zero e.g., 00, 01,...59
%j	Day of year with leading zero e.g., 001,002,...366
%k	Hour in 24-hour format without leading zero e.g., 0,1,2...23
%l	Hour in 12-hour format without leading zero e.g., 1,2...12
%M	Full month name e.g., January, February,...December
%m	Month name with leading zero e.g., 00,01,02,...12
%p	AM or PM, depending on other time specifiers
%r	Time in 12-hour format hh:mm:ss AM or PM
%S	Seconds with leading zero 00,01,...59
%s	Same as %S
%T	Time in 24-hour format hh:mm:ss
%U	Week number with leading zero when the first day of week is Sunday e.g., 00,01,02...53
%u	Week number with leading zero when the first day of week is Monday e.g., 00,01,02...53
%V	Same as %U; it is used with %X
%v	Same as %u; it is used with %x





%W	Full name of weekday e.g., Sunday, Monday,..., Saturday
%w	Weekday in number (0=Sunday, 1= Monday,etc.)
%X	Year for the week in four digits where the first day of the week is Sunday; often used with %V
%x	Year for the week, where the first day of the week is Monday, four digits; used with %v
%Y	Four digits year e.g., 2000 and 2001.
%y	Two digits year e.g., 10,11,and 12.
%%	Add percentage (%) character to the output

The following are some commonly used date format strings:

DATE_FORMAT string	Formatted date
%Y-%m-%d	7/4/2013
%e/%c/%Y	4/7/2013
%c/%e/%Y	7/4/2013
%d/%m/%Y	4/7/2013
%m/%d/%Y	7/4/2013
%e/%c/%Y %H:%i	4/7/2013 11:20
%c/%e/%Y %H:%i	7/4/2013 11:20
%d/%m/%Y %H:%i	4/7/2013 11:20
%m/%d/%Y %H:%i	7/4/2013 11:20
%e/%c/%Y %T	4/7/2013 11:20
%c/%e/%Y %T	7/4/2013 11:20
%d/%m/%Y %T	4/7/2013 11:20
%m/%d/%Y %T	7/4/2013 11:20
%a %D %b %Y	Thu 4th Jul 2013
%a %D %b %Y %H:%i	Thu 4th Jul 2013 11:20

%a %D %b %Y %T	Thu 4th Jul 2013 11:20:05
%a %b %e %Y	Thu Jul 4 2013
%a %b %e %Y %H:%i	Thu Jul 4 2013 11:20
%W %D %M %Y	Thursday 4th July 2013
%W %D %M %Y %H:%i	Thursday 4th July 2013 11:20
%W %D %M %Y %T	Thursday 4th July 2013 11:20:05
%l:%i %p %b %e, %Y	7/4/2013 11:20
%M %e, %Y	4-Jul-13
%a, %d %b %Y %T	Thu, 04 Jul 2013 11:20:05

Let's take a look at the **orders** table in the [sample database](#).

<b>orders</b>
* orderNumber orderDate requiredDate shippedDate status comments customerNumber

To select the order's data and format the date value, you can use the query statement:

```

SELECT
    orderNumber,
    DATE_FORMAT(orderdate, '%Y-%m-%d') orderDate,
    DATE_FORMAT(requireddate, '%a %D %b %Y') requireddate,
    DATE_FORMAT(shippedDate, '%W %D %M %Y') shippedDate
FROM    orders;

```

### Result:

	orderNumber	orderDate	requireddate	shippedDate
▶	10100	2003-01-06	Mon 13th Jan 2003	Friday 10th January 2003
	10101	2003-01-09	Sat 18th Jan 2003	Saturday 11th January 2003
	10102	2003-01-10	Sat 18th Jan 2003	Tuesday 14th January 2003
	10103	2003-01-29	Fri 7th Feb 2003	Sunday 2nd February 2003
	10104	2003-01-31	Sun 9th Feb 2003	Saturday 1st February 2003
	10105	2003-02-11	Fri 21st Feb 2003	Wednesday 12th February 2003
	10106	2003-02-17	Mon 24th Feb 2003	Friday 21st February 2003

We formatted the order date, required date, and shipped date of each order based on different date formats specified by the format strings.

Let's use `DATE_FORMAT()` with the `ORDER BY` clause and review the following example:

```
SELECT    orderNumber,
          DATE_FORMAT(shippeddate, '%W %D %M %Y') as 'Shipped date'
FROM      orders
ORDER BY  shippeddate;
```

### Result:

	orderNumber	Shipped date
▶	10100	Friday 10th January 2003
	10101	Saturday 11th January 2003
	10102	Tuesday 14th January 2003
	10104	Saturday 1st February 2003
	10103	Sunday 2nd February 2003
	10105	Wednesday 12th February 2003
	10106	Friday 21st February 2003

## 7. LPAD(str, len, padstr)

- The LPAD() function left-pads a string with another string to a certain length.
- LPAD() function returns the string **str**, left-padded with the string **padstr** to a length of **len** characters. If **str** is longer than **len**, the return value is shortened to **len** characters.

[Click here for more details.](#)

### Example:

```
SELECT LPAD('hi',4,'??');      #Result -> '??hi'
```

```
SELECT LPAD('hi',1,'??');     # Result -> 'h'
```

Let's take a look at the employees table in the 'classicmodels' [database](#).

```
SELECT firstName, LPAD(firstName,10,'kk'), LPAD(firstName,5,'kk'),  
LPAD(firstName,4,'kk') FROM classicmodels.employees;
```

	firstName	LPAD(firstName,10,'kk')	LPAD(firstName,5,'kk')	LPAD(firstName,4,'kk')
▶	Diane	kkkkDiane	Diane	Dian
	Mary	kkkkkMary	kMary	Mary
	Jeff	kkkkkJeff	kJeff	Jeff
	William	kkkWilliam	Willi	Will
	Gerard	kkkkGerard	Gerar	Gera
	Anthony	kkkAnthony	Antho	Anth
	Leslie	kkkkLeslie	Lesli	Lesl
	Leslie	kkkkLeslie	Lesli	Lesl
	Julie	kkkkJulie	Julie	Juli
	Steve	kkkkSteve	Steve	Stev
	Foon Yue	kkFoon Yue	Foon	Foon
	George	kkkkGeorge	Georg	Geor
	Loui	kkkkkLoui	kLoui	Loui
	Gerard	kkkkGerard	Gerar	Gera
	Pamela	kkkkPamela	Pamel	Pame
	Larry	kkkkLarry	Larry	Larr
	Barry	kkkkkBarry	Barry	Barr
	Andy	kkkkkAndy	kAndy	Andy
	Peter	kkkkkPeter	Peter	Pete
	Tom	kkkkkkTom	kkTom	kTom

## 7. SQL TRIM() Function

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The data from the user's input is typically not what we expected. Sometimes, it is not well-formed (e.g., wrong cases; those containing leading and trailing spaces and other unwanted characters).

To keep the data in the correct format, before inserting or updating data in the database, you need to clean it up. One of the most important tasks in data cleansing is to remove unwanted leading and trailing characters.

SQL provides a very useful string function named **TRIM** to help you clean up the data. The following illustrates the syntax of the **TRIM** function.

```
1 TRIM([{BOTH|LEADING|TRAILING} [removed_str]] FROM str);
```

The **TRIM** function provides several options

- You can use the **LEADING**, **TRAILING**, or **BOTH** option to explicitly instruct the **TRIM** function to remove leading, trailing, or both leading and trailing unwanted characters from a string.
- If you do not specify anything, the **TRIM** function uses the **BOTH** options by default.
- The **[removed\_str]** is the string that you want to remove. By default, it is a space. It means that if you do not specify a particular string, the **TRIM** function removes spaces only.
- The **TRIM** function returns a string that has unwanted characters removed.
- The following statement removes both leading and trailing spaces from a string.

```
SELECT TRIM(' SQL TRIM Function ');
```

We will take the **products** table in the sample database for the demonstration.

products
* productCode productName productLine productScale productVendor productDescription quantityInStock buyPrice MSRP

## SQL LTRIM and RTRIM function

If you want to remove only leading or trailing spaces, you can use other string functions such as **LTRIM** and **RTRIM**.

The following statement uses the **LTRIM** function to remove the leading spaces of a string.

```
SELECT LTRIM('  SQL LTRIM function');
```

	LTRIM(' MySQL LTRIM function')
▶	MySQL LTRIM function

The following statement uses the **RTRIM** function to remove the trailing spaces of a string.

```
SELECT RTRIM('SQL RTRIM function ');
```

	RTRIM('MySQL RTRIM function ')
▶	MySQL RTRIM function

## YEAR() Function

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- The YEAR() function takes a date argument and returns the year of the date.
- The YEAR() function returns a year value in the range 1000 to 9999. If the date is zero, the YEAR() function returns 0.
- The following example returns the year January 1st, 2022, which is 2022.

```
SELECT YEAR( '2002-01-01' );
```

- Let's consider the orders table in the **classicmodels** database.

orders
* orderNumber
orderDate
requiredDate
shippedDate
status
comments
customerNumber

The following query uses the **YEAR()** function to get the number of orders shipped per year.

```
SELECT YEAR(shippeddate) as year, COUNT(ordernumber) as  
orderQty  
FROM orders  
GROUP BY YEAR(shippeddate)  
ORDER BY YEAR(shippeddate);
```

Result Grid		
	year	orderQty
	NULL	14
	2003	110
	2004	147
	2005	55
	2022	1

In this example, we use the YEAR() function to extract year information out of the shipped date and use the COUNT() function to count the number of delivered orders. The GROUP BY clause groups the number of orders by year.

## DAY() Function

- The DAY() function returns the day of the month of a given date.
- The DAY() function accepts one argument, which is a date value for which you want to get the day of the month. If the date argument is zero e.g., '0000-00-00', the DAY() function returns 0. If the date is NULL, the DAY() function returns NULL.
- Note that the DAY() function is the synonym of the DAYOFMONTH() function.

The following example returns the day of the month of 2022-01-15:

```
SELECT DAY( '2022-01-15' );
```

Consider the following orders table.





orders
* orderNumber
orderDate
requiredDate
shippedDate
status
comments
customerNumber

The following statement uses the DAY() function to return the number of orders by day number in 2004.

```
SELECT DAY(orderdate) as dayofmonth, COUNT(*)  
FROM orders WHERE YEAR(orderdate) = 2004  
GROUP BY dayofmonth  
ORDER BY dayofmonth;
```

dayofmonth	COUNT(*)
1	6
2	5
3	4
4	5
5	6
6	7
7	3
8	4
9	3
10	6
11	6
12	4
13	2
14	3
15	1
16	4
17	2
18	4
19	2
20	4
21	7
22	1
23	1
24	3
25	6
26	3
27	2
28	4
29	2
31	1



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