

SQL Queries used in Deforestation Exploration Project

1. GLOBAL SITUATION -

CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW forestation AS

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SELECT f.country_code,
       f.country_name,
       f.year,
       f.forest_area_sqkm,
       l.total_area_sq_mi,
       r.region,
       r.income_group,
       ((f.forest_area_sqkm*100) / (l.total_area_sq_mi*2.59)) AS forest      /* converting miles
                                                                                   into sqkm for calculation*/
FROM forest_area f
JOIN land_area l
  ON
    f.country_code = l.country_code
  AND
    f.year = l.year
JOIN regions r
  ON r.country_code = f.country_code
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1(A). SELECT forest_area_sqkm
FROM forestation
WHERE country_name = 'World'
And year = '1990'

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1(B). SELECT forest_area_sqkm AS total_forest_area
FROM forestation
WHERE country_name = 'World'
And year = '2016'

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1(C). WITH loss_table AS
 (SELECT forest_area_sqkm AS total_forest_area,
 year
 FROM forestation
 WHERE country_name = 'World'
 AND year IN ('1990', '2016'))

SELECT (t2.total_forest_area - t1.total_forest_area) AS Loss,
 ((t2.total_forest_area - t1.total_forest_area)*100/t2.total_forest_area) AS loss_percent
FROM loss_table t1
CROSS JOIN loss_table t2
WHERE t1.year = '2016'
AND t2.year = '1990'

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1(D). CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW loss_amount AS (

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WITH loss_table AS
  (SELECT forest_area_sqkm AS total_forest_area,
         year
    FROM forestation
   WHERE country_name = 'World'
   AND year IN ('1990', '2016'))

SELECT (t2.total_forest_area - t1.total_forest_area) AS Loss,
       ((t2.total_forest_area - t1.total_forest_area)*100/t2.total_forest_area) AS loss_percent
FROM loss_table t1
CROSS JOIN loss_table t2
WHERE t1.year = '2016'
AND t2.year = '1990'
)
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1(E) WITH table1 AS (

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        SELECT *
        FROM land_area
        WHERE year = '2016'
      )

SELECT year,
       country_name,
       (total_area_sq_mi * 2.59) AS Total_area_sqkm,
       ABS((((table1.total_area_sq_mi) * 2.59) - 1324449)) diff_sq_km
FROM table1
ORDER BY diff_sq_km
LIMIT 1
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2. REGIONAL OUTLOOK

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SELECT region,
       (SUM (forest_area_sqkm)/SUM (total_area_sq_mi*2.59) *100) AS forest_percent,
       year
FROM forestation
WHERE year IN ('1990', '2016')
GROUP BY 1,3
ORDER BY 1,3 ASC
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3. COUNTRY-LEVEL DETAIL

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3(A). WITH duals1 AS

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      (SELECT country_name,
             forest_area_sqkm
        FROM forest_area
       WHERE year = '2016'
       ORDER BY country_name ASC),
duals2 AS
      (SELECT country_name,
             forest_area_sqkm
        FROM forest_area
       WHERE year = '1990'
       ORDER BY country_name ASC)
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SELECT duals1.country_name,
       (duals2.forest_area_sqkm - duals1.forest_area_sqkm) AS difference
FROM duals1
JOIN duals2
ON
duals2.country_name = duals1.country_name
ORDER BY 2 ASC
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WITH duals1 AS
    (SELECT country_name,
             forest
     FROM forestation
     WHERE year = '2016'
     ORDER BY country_name ASC),
duals2 AS
    (SELECT country_name,
             forest
     FROM forestation
     WHERE year = '1990'
     ORDER BY country_name ASC)

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SELECT duals1.country_name,
       (duals1.forest - duals2.forest) * 100 / (duals2.forest) AS percentage_change
FROM duals1
JOIN duals2
ON
duals2.country_name = duals1.country_name
ORDER BY 2 DESC
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3.1 & 3.2) WITH duals1 AS

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    (SELECT country_name,
             region,
             forest_area_sqkm
     FROM forestation
     WHERE year = '2016'
     ORDER BY country_name),
duals2 AS
    (SELECT country_name,
             region,
             forest_area_sqkm
     FROM forestation
     WHERE year = '1990'
     ORDER BY country_name)

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SELECT duals1.country_name,
       duals1.region,
       (duals1.forest_area_sqkm - duals2.forest_area_sqkm) AS difference,
       (duals1.forest_area_sqkm - duals2.forest_area_sqkm) * 100 / duals2.forest_area_sqkm AS percent
FROM duals1
JOIN duals2
ON
duals2.country_name = duals1.country_name
ORDER BY 4 ASC

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3(C)- 3.3)

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SELECT DISTINCT (quartiles),
COUNT (country_name) OVER (PARTITION BY quartiles)
FROM (
    SELECT country_name,
        CASE
            WHEN forest <= 25 THEN '0 - 25%'
            WHEN forest <= 50 and forest > 25 THEN '25% - 50%'
            WHEN forest <= 75 and forest > 50 THEN '50% - 75%'
            ELSE '75% - 100%'
        END AS quartiles
    FROM forestation
    WHERE
    forest IS NOT NULL
    AND
    year = '2016') sub
order by 1
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3(C)- 3.4)

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SELECT *
FROM
    (SELECT country_name,
        region,
        forest,
        CASE
            WHEN forest <= 25 THEN '0 - 25%'
            WHEN forest <= 50 THEN '25% - 50%'
            WHEN forest <=75 THEN '50% - 75%'
            ELSE '75% - 100%'
        END AS quartiles
    FROM forestation
    WHERE forest IS NOT NULL
    AND year = '2016') sub
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WHERE quartiles = '75% - 100%'
ORDER BY 3 DESC
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3(e).

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SELECT COUNT (*)
FROM forestation
WHERE forest >
    (SELECT forest
    FROM forestation
    WHERE country_name = 'United States'
    AND year = '2016')
AND year = '2016'
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5. RECOMMENDATIONS

Write out a set of recommendations as an analyst on the ForestQuery team.

- *What have you learned from the World Bank data?*
- *Which countries should we focus on over others?*

- A) My learnings from this dataset are: We can't edit columns, can't delete columns from VIEW. To rerun the VIEW statement, we need to use REPLACE so that we can run our VIEW statement as many times as required.

First time I used CROSS JOIN with WHERE clause and understood how it works practically with the condition.

And learned how to use comments on the workspace. Now, I am very much familiar in using WITH clause. And in the end, I learned how to work on quartiles as well.

- B) We need to focus on these countries over others: Togo, Nigeria, Uganda, Mauritania, Honduras