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This professionally enhanced report now contains detailed explanations below every SQL query screenshot for better understanding and presentation quality.

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Introduction:

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Project Overview:

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The database consists of two main tables:

- **Directors Table:** Contains director details such as name, gender, department, and a unique director ID.
- **Movies Table:** Contains movie-related information including title, budget, revenue, popularity, release date, ratings, and a director reference ID.

Both tables are related through a **one-to-many relationship**, where one director can direct multiple movies. The tables are joined using the director ID as the key.

The movies table consists of data like:

- id
- original title
- title
- budget
- revenue
- popularity
- release date
- vote average
- vote count
- overview
- tagline
- uid
- director_id

The directors table consists of data like:

- id
- name
- gender (0/2 = Male, 1 = Female)
- department
- uid

Quires need to be performed:

- a) Can you get all data about movies?
- b) How do you get all data about directors?
- c) Check how many movies are present in IMDB.
- d) Find these 3 directors: James Cameron; Luc Besson; John Woo
- e) Find all directors with name starting with S.
- f) Count female directors.
- g) Find the name of the 10th first women directors?
- h) What are the 3 most popular movies?
- i) What are the 3 most bankable movies?
- j) What is the most awarded average vote since the January 1st, 2000?
- k) Which movie(s) were directed by Brenda Chapman?
- l) Which director made the most movies?
- m) Which director is the most bankable?

Exploring the database:

Exploring the database means first understanding what data is available and how it is organized. In this project, the database contains two main tables: Movies and Directors. The Movies table stores information about films such as their names, release dates, ratings, popularity, budget, and revenue. The Directors table stores details about the people who directed these movies, including their names and gender.

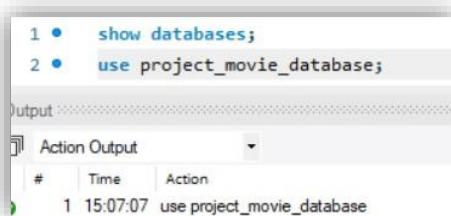
During database exploration, we mainly focus on viewing all records, checking how many movies and directors are present, and understanding how both tables are connected using the director ID. This step helps us know what columns exist, what type of data each column holds, and how we can combine movie and director information.

Overall, exploring the database helps us become familiar with the data before performing deeper analysis or writing complex SQL queries.

SHOW DATABASES:

Show database;

Use project_movie_database;



```
1 • show databases;
2 • use project_movie_database;

Output:
Action Output
# Time Action
1 15:07:07 use project_movie_database
```

This query is used to display all the databases available in the SQL Server. From this, we can identify our working database named:

USE PROJECT_MOVIE_DATABASE;

This query is used to select the specific database project_movie_database to work with in the Database Management System (DBMS).

It allows us to perform all further SQL operations inside this database.

SHOW TABLES;

Show table;

```
3 • show databases;
4 • use project_movie_database;
5 • show tables;
```

Tables_in_project_movie_database
directors
movies

This query displays all the tables present in the selected database.

The tables available in this database are:

- movies
- directors

QUIRIES AND THEIR OUTPUTS

a. Can you get all data about movies?

SELECT * FROM movies;

```
7 -- Can you get all data about movies?
8 • SELECT
9 *
10 FROM
11 movies;
```

id	original_title	budget	popularity	release_date	revenue	title	vote_average	vote_count	overview	tagline
43597	Avatar	237000000	150	2009-12-10	2787955087	Avatar	7.2	11800	In the 22nd century, a paraplegic Marine is disp...	Enter th...
43598	Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End	300000000	139	2007-05-19	961000000	Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End	6.9	4500	Captain Barbosa, long believed to be dead, ha...	At the er...
43599	Spectre	245000000	107	2015-10-26	880674609	Spectre	6.3	4466	A cryptic message from Bond's past sends him o...	A Plan N...
43600	The Dark Knight Rises	250000000	112	2012-07-16	1084939099	The Dark Knight Rises	7.6	9106	Following the death of District Attorney Harvey ...	The Leg...
43601	John Carter	260000000	43	2012-03-07	284139100	John Carter	6.1	2124	John Carter is a war-weary, former military cap...	Lost in o...
43602	Spider-Man 3	258000000	115	2007-05-01	890871626	Spider-Man 3	5.9	3576	The seemingly invincible Spider-Man goes up ag...	The batt...
43603	Tangled	260000000	48	2010-11-24	591794936	Tangled	7.4	3330	When the kingdom's most wanted-and-most ch...	They're i...
43604	Avengers: Age of Ultron	280000000	134	2015-04-22	1405403694	Avengers: Age of Ultron	7.3	6767	When Tony Stark tries to jumpstart a dormant p...	A New A...
43605	Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince	250000000	98	2009-07-07	933959197	Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince	7.4	5293	As Harry begins his sixth year at Hogwarts, he ...	Dark Sec...
43607	Superman Returns	???	57	2006-06-29	941081192	Superman Returns	6.4	1400	Superman returns to avenge his kryptonian...	HILL...

Description: This query displays complete information of all movies stored in the database using SELECT * FROM movies. It retrieves columns such as movie ID, title, budget, revenue, popularity, release date, vote average and vote count. This helps to understand the full dataset before performing analysis.

b. How do you get all data about directors?

```
SELECT * FROM directors;
```

The screenshot shows a database query results grid. The query is:

```
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13      -- How do you get all data about directors?
14 •   SELECT
15      *
16   FROM
17      directors;
```

The results grid has columns: name, id, gender, uid, and department. The data includes:

	name	id	gender	uid	department
▶	James Cameron	4762	2	2710	Directing
	Gore Verbinski	4763	2	1704	Directing
	Sam Mendes	4764	2	39	Directing
	Christopher Nolan	4765	2	525	Directing
	Andrew Stanton	4766	2	7	Directing
	Sam Raimi	4767	2	7623	Directing
	Byron Howard	4768	2	76595	Directing
	Joss Whedon	4769	2	12891	Directing
	David Yates	4770	2	11343	Directing
	Zack Snyder	4771	2	15217	Directing
	Bryan Singer	4772	2	9732	Directing

At the bottom left of the grid, it says "directors 4 x".

Description: This query retrieves all records from the director's table. It lists director names, gender, department and their unique identifiers. This helps to understand the number of directors and their attributes in the dataset.

c. Check how many movies are present in IMDB.

```
SELECT COUNT (*) AS total_movies FROM movies;
```

The screenshot shows a database query results grid. The query is:

```
18
19      -- Check how many movies are present in IMDB
20 •   SELECT
21      COUNT(*)
22   FROM
23      movies;
24
```

The results grid has a single column labeled "COUNT(*)". The value is 47.

COUNT(*)
▶ 47

Description: This query counts how many movies are stored in the database using COUNT (*) function. It returns a single numeric value representing the total number of movies available for analysis.

d. Find these 3 directors: James Cameron; Luc Besson; John Woo

```
SELECT * FROM directors  
WHERE name IN ('James Cameron','Luc Besson','John Woo');
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor window contains the following code:

```
24  
25 -- Find these 3 directors: James Cameron ; Luc Besson ; John Woo  
26 • SELECT  
27 *  
28 FROM  
29 directors  
30 WHERE  
31 name IN ('James Cameron', 'Luc Besson', 'John Woo');  
32
```

Below the editor is the "Result Grid" pane, which displays the query results:

name	id	gender	uid	department
James Cameron	4762	2	2710	Directing
John Woo	4893	2	11401	Directing
Luc Besson	4949	2	59	Directing
*	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL

Description: This query filters and retrieves information about three famous directors: James Cameron, Luc Besson and John Woo. The WHERE clause with IN condition is used to match multiple names in a single query.

e. Find all directors with name starting with S.

```
SELECT * FROM directors  
WHERE name LIKE 'S%';
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor window contains the following code:

```
33 -- Find all directors with name starting with S.  
34 • SELECT  
35 *  
36 FROM  
37 directors  
38 WHERE  
39 name LIKE 'a%';
```

Below the editor is the "Result Grid" pane, which displays the query results:

name	id	gender	uid	department
Andrew Stanton	4766	2	7	Directing
Andrew Adamson	4774	2	5524	Directing
Anthony Russo	4781	2	19271	Directing
Alan Taylor	4837	2	47005	Directing
Alex Proyas	4865	2	21085	Directing
Ang Lee	4867	2	1614	Directing
Alejandro González Iñárritu	4874	2	223	Directing
Alfonso Cuarón	4882	2	11218	Directing
Adam McKay	4925	2	55710	Directing
Ash Brannon	4946	2	12905	Directing
Alan T. Parker	4959	2	6749	Directing

Description: This query displays all directors whose names start with the letter 'S' using LIKE 'S%'. It is useful for pattern matching and filtering based on text values.

f. Count female directors.

```
SELECT COUNT (*) AS female_directors FROM  
director WHERE gender = 1;
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
22 •  SELECT COUNT(*) AS female_directors  
23   FROM directors  
24   WHERE gender = 1;
```

The results pane shows a single row with the column name "female_directors" and the value "150".

Description: This query counts total female directors in the database by checking gender =

1. It helps in gender-based analysis and representation study.

g. Find the name of the 10th first women directors?

```
SELECT name FROM directors WHERE gender = 1  
ORDER BY name LIMIT 1 OFFSET 9;
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
27 •  SELECT name  
28   FROM directors  
29   WHERE gender = 1  
30   ORDER BY name  
31   LIMIT 1 OFFSET 9;
```

The results pane shows a single row with the column name "name" and the value "Amy Holden Jones".

Description: This query sorts all female directors alphabetically and retrieves the 10th director using LIMIT and OFFSET. It demonstrates ordering and positional record extraction techniques.

h. What are the 3 most popular movies?

```
SELECT original_title, popularity FROM movies  
ORDER BY popularity DESC LIMIT 3;
```

The screenshot shows a MySQL query results window. At the top, the SQL code is displayed:

```
34 •  SELECT original_title, popularity  
35    FROM movies  
36   ORDER BY popularity DESC  
37  LIMIT 3;
```

Below the code is a result grid with two columns: "original_title" and "popularity". The data rows are:

original_title	popularity
Jurassic World	418
Captain America: Civil War	198
Avatar	150

Description: This query retrieves the three most popular movies by sorting popularity in descending order. It helps identify movies with highest audience interest levels.

i. What are the 3 most bankable movies?

```
SELECT original_title, revenue  
FROM movies  
ORDER BY revenue DESC  
LIMIT 3;
```

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```
40 •  SELECT original_title, revenue  
41    FROM movies  
42   ORDER BY revenue DESC  
43  LIMIT 3;
```

Below the code is a result grid with two columns: "original_title" and "revenue". The data rows are:

original_title	revenue
Avatar	2787965087
Titanic	1845034188
The Avengers	1519557910

Description: This query lists the top three highest revenue generating movies. It is useful for financial performance analysis and profitability evaluation.

j. What is the most awarded average vote since the January 1st, 2000?

```
SELECT original_title, vote_average, release_date
FROM movies
WHERE release_date >= '2000-01-01'
ORDER BY vote_average DESC
LIMIT 1;
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
-- j) Highest Rated Movie Since 2000
SELECT original_title, vote_average, release_date
FROM movies
WHERE release_date >= '2000-01-01'
ORDER BY vote_average DESC
LIMIT 1;
```

The results grid displays the following row:

original_title	vote_average	release_date
The Dark Knight Rises	7.6	2012-07-16

Description: This query finds the highest voted/rated movie released after January 1st 2000. It filters movies by date, sorts by ratings and picks the best performing one.

k. Which movie(s) were directed by Brenda Chapman?

```
SELECT m.original_title
FROM movies m
JOIN directors d
ON m.director_id = d.id
WHERE d.name = 'Brenda Chapman';
```

The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
SELECT m.original_title
FROM movies m
JOIN directors d
ON m.director_id = d.id
WHERE d.name = 'Brenda Chapman';
```

The results grid displays the following row:

original_title

Description: This query identifies movies directed by Brenda Chapman using JOIN between movies and directors' tables. It demonstrates relational database linking and lookup.

I. Which director made the most movies?

```
SELECT d.name, COUNT(m.id) AS movie_count
FROM directors d
JOIN movies m
ON d.id = m.director_id
GROUP BY d.name
ORDER BY movie_count DESC
LIMIT 1;
```

The screenshot shows a MySQL command-line interface. The query is displayed in the command window:

```
59 -- 1) Director with Most Movies
60 • SELECT d.name, COUNT(m.id) AS movie_count
61   FROM directors d
62   JOIN movies m
63   ON d.id = m.director_id
64   GROUP BY d.name
65   ORDER BY movie_count DESC
66   LIMIT 1;
```

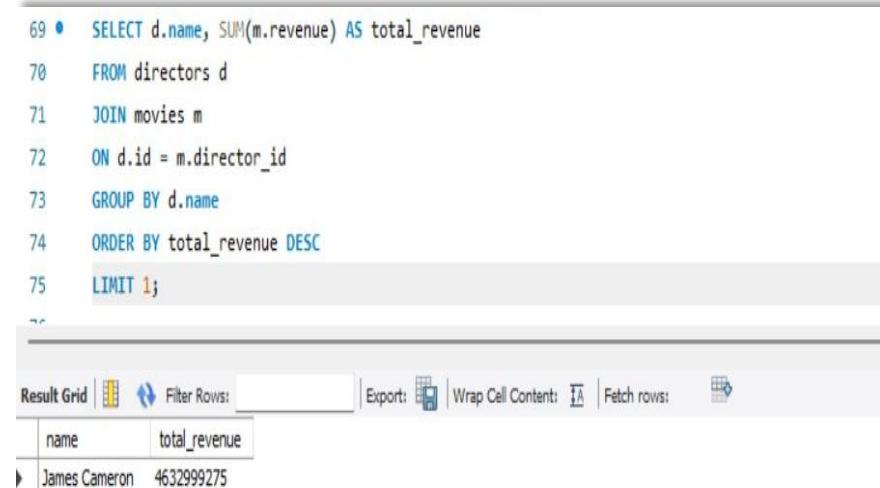
Below the command window is a results grid. The title bar of the grid says "Result Grid". The table has two columns: "name" and "movie_count". There is one row of data: "Gore Verbinski" in the "name" column and "3" in the "movie_count" column.

name	movie_count
Gore Verbinski	3

Description: This query calculates which director has directed the highest number of movies using GROUP BY and COUNT. It helps determine the most productive director.

m. Which director is the most bankable?

```
SELECT d.name, SUM(m.revenue) AS total_revenue
FROM directors d
JOIN movies m
ON d.id = m.director_id
GROUP BY d.name
ORDER BY total_revenue DESC
LIMIT 1;
```



The screenshot shows a database query results window. The query itself is displayed in the top half, with line numbers 69 through 75. Line 75, which contains the `LIMIT 1;` clause, is highlighted with a light gray background. The bottom half of the window displays the result grid. The grid has two columns: `name` and `total_revenue`. There is one row of data, which is also highlighted with a light gray background. The data row shows `James Cameron` in the `name` column and `4632999275` in the `total_revenue` column. Below the grid, there are several buttons: `Result Grid`, `Filter Rows:`, `Export:`, `Wrap Cell Content:`, and `Fetch rows:`.

name	total_revenue
James Cameron	4632999275

Description: This query identifies the most bankable director based on highest total movie revenue generated. `SUM ()` aggregation with `GROUP BY` is used to compute revenue contribution of each director.

CONCLUSION:

In conclusion, the IMDB Movies SQL analysis project provides a comprehensive and practical learning experience that bridges the gap between theoretical SQL knowledge and real-world data analysis. By working with a structured relational database containing detailed information about movies and directors, this project enables learners to understand how data is stored, related, and analyzed in professional environments. The use of an IMDB-style dataset makes the learning process engaging and relevant, as it reflects scenarios commonly encountered in entertainment analytics and business intelligence.

Throughout the project, various SQL concepts are applied to solve meaningful analytical problems. These include basic operations such as retrieving records and counting data, as well as advanced techniques like joining multiple tables, applying aggregate functions, filtering based on conditions, and sorting results to identify top-performing movies and directors. Such tasks help in developing a strong foundation in SQL querying and logical thinking, which are essential skills for any data analyst or database professional.

The project also highlights the importance of understanding relationships within a database. By correctly linking the Movies and Directors tables using primary and foreign keys, learners gain practical insight into relational database design and data integrity. This reinforces best practices in database management and demonstrates how accurate joins are crucial for producing reliable analytical results.

Additionally, the analysis goes beyond simple data retrieval by encouraging evaluation of real-world metrics such as movie popularity, revenue, audience ratings, and director performance. The inclusion of gender-based analysis further adds value by promoting awareness of diversity and representation within the dataset. These aspects collectively enhance analytical thinking and demonstrate how data can be used to answer both business-driven and socially relevant questions.

Overall, this project serves as an effective end-to-end SQL practice exercise. It strengthens technical proficiency, improves problem-solving abilities, and builds confidence in handling complex datasets. By completing this analysis, learners are better prepared to apply SQL skills in real-world scenarios, supporting data-driven decision-making and advancing their capabilities in data analytics and database management.