Database Programming: Sections 10, 11

Correlated Subquery	It accepts a value from the inner query to complete its SELECT statement.
Non-correlated Subquery	An inner query that returns one or more rows to the outer query
Subquery	An inner query that is nested within an outer query
Row Subquery	An inner query that compares multiple columns at the same time
Scalar Subquery	An inner query that returns only one row to the outer query
Column Subqueries	An inner query that compares the multiple columns one at a time in different subqueries
Inner Query	Another name for a subquery

- 1. What is the purpose of using a subquery?
  - a. The purpose of a subquery is to allow for more complex queries as a query will be embedded within another query.
- 2. What is a subquery?
  - a. A select statement that is embedded in the clause of another SELECT statement
- 3. What DJs on Demand d\_play\_list\_items song\_id's have the same event\_id as song\_id 45?
  - a. SELECT event\_id from d\_play\_list\_itemsWHERE event\_id = (SELECT song\_id from d\_play\_list\_items where song\_id = 45)
- 4. Which events in the DJs on Demand database cost more than event\_id = 100?
  - a. SELECT name from d\_events
  - b. WHERE cost >
  - c. (SELECT costs from d\_events where id = 100)
- 5. Find the track number of the song that has the same CD number as "Party Music for All Occasions."
  - a. SELECT track, cd\_number from d\_track\_listingsWHERE track = (SELECT cd\_number from d\_track\_listings where cd\_number = 91)

- 6. List the DJs on Demand events whose theme code is the same as the code for "Tropical."
  - a. SELECT track, cd\_number from d\_track\_listingsWHERE track =
  - b. (SELECT cd number from d track listings where cd number = 91)
- 7. What are the names of the Global Fast Foods staff members whose salaries are greater than the staff member whose ID is 12?

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    a. SELECT first_name, last_name, job_id FROM employees
    WHERE job_id != (SELECT job_id FROM employees
    WHERE last_name = "Miller");
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- 8. What are the names of the Global Fast Foods staff members whose staff types are not the same as Bob Miller's?
  - a. SELECT first\_name, last\_name, job\_id FROM employeesWHERE job\_id != (SELECT job\_id FROM employeesWHERE last\_name = "Miller");
- 9. Which Oracle employees have the same department ID as the IT department?
  - a. SELECT first\_name, last\_name, department\_id FROM employees
     WHERE department\_id = (SELECT job\_id FROM employees
     WHERE last\_name = "Miller");
- 10. What are the department names of the Oracle departments that have the same location ID as Seattle?
  - a. SELECT dapartment\_name
     FROM employees
     WHERE dpartment\_ID =
     (SELECT location\_id
     FROM employees
     WHERE location = "Seattle");
- 11. Indicate whether the statement regarding subqueries is True or False.

- a. True It is good programming practice to place a subquery on the right side of the comparison operator.
- b. False A subquery can reference a table that is not included in the outer query's FROM clause.
- c. True Single-row subqueries can return multiple values to the outer query.

10-2

1. Write a guery to return all those employees who have a salary greater than that of Lorentz and are in the same department as Abel.

```
SELECT First name, last name, salary
FROM employees
WHERE salary >
(SELECT salary
FROM employees
WHERE first_name = "Lorentz")
AND
department id =
(select department_id
From employee
where laat name = "abel";
```

2. Write a guery to return all those employees who have the same job id as Rajs and were hired after Davies.

```
SELECT *
FROM employees
WHERE job id = (SELECT job id FROM employees WHERE name = 'Rajs')
 AND hire date > (SELECT hire date FROM employees WHERE name =
'Davies');
```

3. What DJs on Demand events have the same theme code as event ID = 100?

```
SELECT*
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FROM events

WHERE theme code = (SELECT theme code FROM events WHERE event id = 100);

4. What is the staff type for those Global Fast Foods jobs that have a salary less than those of any Cook staff-type jobs?

```
SELECT staff_type
FROM jobs
WHERE salary < (SELECT MIN(salary) FROM jobs WHERE staff_type = 'Cook');
```

5. Write a query to return a list of department id's and average salaries where the department's average salary is greater than Ernst's salary.

SELECT department\_id, AVG(salary) AS average\_salary
FROM employees
GROUP BY department\_id
HAVING AVG(salary) > (SELECT salary FROM employees WHERE name = 'Ernst'):

6. Return the department ID and minimum salary of all employees, grouped by department ID, having a minimum salary greater than the minimum salary of those employees whose department ID is not equal to 50.

SELECT department\_id, MIN(salary) AS minimum\_salary FROM employees GROUP BY department\_id HAVING MIN(salary) > (SELECT MIN(salary) FROM employees WHERE department\_id != 50);

## 10.3

- 1. What will be returned by a query if it has a subquery that returns a null?
  - a. If IN or ANY are used, the outer query will return rows which match the non-null values, if all is used nothing is returned
- 2. Write a query that returns jazz and pop songs. Write a multi-row subquery and use the d\_songs and d\_types tables. Include the id, title, duration, and the artist name.

SELECT id, title, duration, artist\_name
FROM d\_songs
WHERE genre\_id IN (SELECT genre\_id FROM d\_types WHERE genre\_name IN ('Jazz', 'Pop'));

3. Find the last names of all employees whose salaries are the same as the minimum salary for any department.

Select department\_id, MIN(salary)
From employees
GROUP BY department\_id
HAVING MIN(salary) =
(Select salary
From employees
Where department\_id IN (10,20))
ORDER BY department\_id;

4. Which Global Fast Foods employee earns the lowest salary? Hint: You can use either a single-row or a multiple-row subquery.

Select department\_id, MIN(salary), First\_name, Last\_name
From employees
GROUP BY department\_id
HAVING MIN(salary) = ANY
(Select salary
From employees
Where department\_id IN (10,20))

ORDER BY department id;

- 5. Place the correct multiple-row comparison operators in the outer query WHERE clause of each of the following:
  - a. WHERE year < in (SELECT year ...
  - b. WHERE salary < in (SELECT salary ...
  - c. WHERE year in (SELECT year ...
  - d. WHERE duration > (SELECT duration ...
- 6. If each WHERE clause is from the outer query, which of the following are true?
  - a. True
  - b. False
  - c. True
  - d. False
  - e. True
- 7. The goal of the following query is to display the minimum salary for each department whose minimum salary is less than the lowest salary of the employees in department 50. However, the subquery does not execute because it has five errors. Find them, correct them, and run the query.
  - a. SELECT department\_id
     FROM employees
     GROUP BY department\_id
     HAVING MIN(salary) >
     (SELECT MIN(salary)
     WHERE department\_id < 50;)
     WHERE MIN(salary)</li>
- Which statements are true about the subquery below? SELECT employee\_id, last\_name FROM employees WHERE salary = (SELECT MIN(salary) FROM employees GROUP BY department\_id);
  - a. True The inner query could be eliminated simply by changing the WHERE clause to WHERE MIN(salary).
  - b. False The query wants the names of employees who make the same salary as the smallest salary in any department.

- c. False The query first selects the employee ID and last name, and then compares that to the salaries in every department.
- d. False This query will not execute.
- 9. Write a pair-wise subquery listing the last\_name, first\_name, department\_id, and manager\_id for all employees that have the same department\_ id and manager\_id as employee 141. Exclude employee 141 from the result set.
  - a. SELECT last\_name, first\_name, department\_id, manager\_id
     FROM employees
     WHERE department\_id = (SELECT department\_id FROM employees WHERE
     employee\_id = 141)
     AND manager\_id = (SELECT manager\_id FROM employees WHERE
     employee\_id = 141)
     AND employee id != 141;
- 10. Write a non-pair-wise subquery listing the last\_name, first\_name, department\_id, and manager\_id for all employees that have the same department\_ id and manager\_id as employee 141.
  - a. SELECT last\_name, first\_name, department\_id, manager\_id FROM employees
     WHERE (department\_id, manager\_id) = (SELECT department\_id, manager\_id FROM employees
     WHERE employee\_id = 141);

## 10-4

- 1. Explain the main difference between correlated and non-correlated subqueries?
  - a. A correlated subquery when the subquery references a column from a table referred to in the parent statement.
- 2. Write a query that lists the highest earners for each department. Include the last\_name, department\_id, and the salary for each employee.

```
SELECT o.first_name,
o.last_name, o.salary, o.department_id
FROM employees o
WHERE o.salary =
(SELECT MAX(i.salary)
FROM employees i
WHERE i.department_id =
o.department_id);
```

- 3. Examine the following SELECT statement and finish it so that it will return the last\_name, department\_id, and salary of employees who have at least one person reporting to them. So we are effectively looking for managers only. In the partially written SELECT statement, the WHERE clause will work as it is. It is simply testing for the existence of a row in the subquery.
  - a. SELECT last\_name,department\_id,salary)
     FROM employees outer
     WHERE manager\_id IN (SELECT manager\_id
     FROM (manager) inner
     WHERE inner(manager\_id) = inner(manager\_id)
     order by department\_id
- 4. Using a WITH clause, write a SELECT statement to list the job\_title of those jobs whose maximum salary is more than half the maximum salary of the entire company. Name your subquery MAX\_CALC\_SAL. Name the columns in the result JOB\_TITLE and JOB\_TOTAL, and sort the result on JOB\_TOTAL in descending order.