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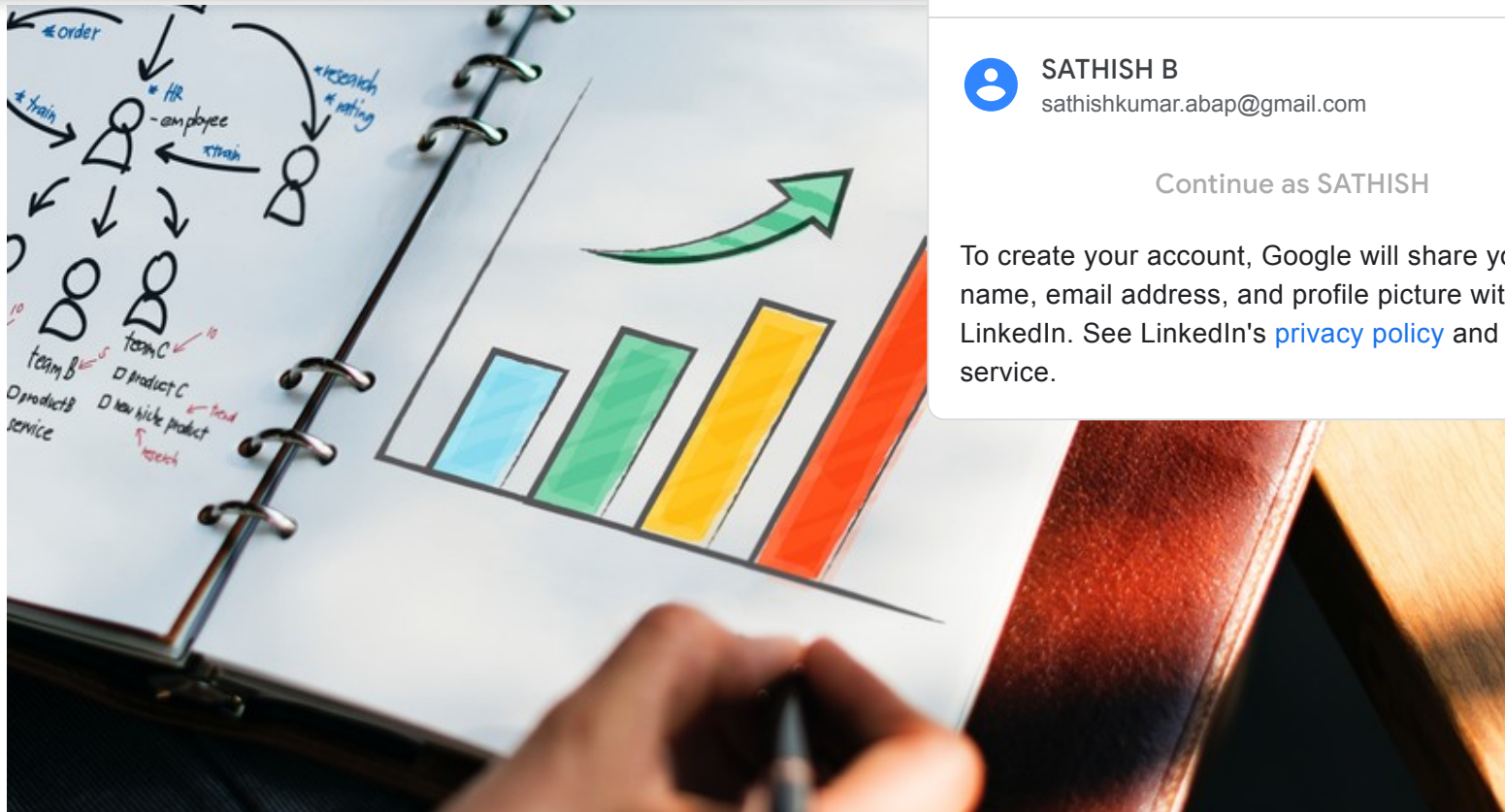


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## About ROW\_NUMBER(), RANK(), and DENSE\_RANK() Functions in SAP HANA

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The output of the this function can be non-deterministic as the sequence is determined by the <windows\_order\_by\_clause> clause

### ***RANK()***

This function returns duplicate values in the ranking sequence and the next rankings are skipped.

### ***DENSE\_RANK()***

This function is used to give rank based on measure/measures. This function is same as the RANK function, but the rank number will not skip when ties are found.

See the simple example with small data set.

Eg: We have a MARKS table like below:



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2	2	JEO	40			
3	3	SCOTT	50			
4	4	ADAM	50			
5	5	MARY	55			
6	6	TAM	53			
7	7	PAM	73			
8	8	JAMI	36	31	54	121
9	9	MAX	28	70	32	130
10	10	TORI	28	70	32	130

### ***Scenario 1:***

Now apply functions ROW\_NUMBER(), RANK() and DENSE\_RANK() on above table.

Write below Code in HANA Studio in SQL Console. The below code gives first priority for Maths marks, second priority for Physics, and third priority for Chemistry.



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```
"TOTAL",  
ROW_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY "MATHS" DESC, "PHYSICS" DESC  
RANK() OVER (ORDER BY "MATHS" DESC, "PHYSICS" DESC  
DENSE_RANK() OVER (ORDER BY "MATHS" DESC, "PHYSICS" DESC  
FROM "<Your Schema>". "MARKS";
```

Execute the above code and see the Results.

SQL

Result

```
SELECT "SNO",
       "SNAME",
       "MATHS",
```

	SNO	SNAME	MATHS	PHYSICS	CHEMISTRY	TOTAL	Using ROW_NUMBER	Using RANK	Using DENSE_RANK
1	7	PAM	73	37	55	165	1	1	1
2	5	MARY	55	65	70	190	2	2	2
3	6	TAM	53	42	36	131	3	3	3
4	3	SCOTT	50	60	70	180	4	4	4
5	4	ADAM	50	60	70	180	5	4	4
6	1	JAMES	40	50	60	150	6	6	5
7	2	JEO	40	50	60	150	7	6	5
8	8	JAMI	36	31	54	121	8	8	6
9	9	MAX	28	70	32	130	9	9	7
10	10	TORI	28	70	32	130	10	9	7

**ROW\_NUMBER()** is generated numbers from 1 to 10 and allocated in sequence.



skipped and it allocated Rank# 6 for JAMS and JEO.

**DENSE\_RANK()** is generated Ranks from 1 to 7. If two allocated same Rank for both students instead of skipping

### ***Scenario 2:***

Removing the priority on individual subjects and using the same functions on TOTAL marks, see the below code.

```
➤ SELECT  "SNO",  
          "SNAME",  
          "MATHS",  
          "PHYSICS",  
          "CHEMISTRY",  
          "TOTAL",  
          ROW_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY "TOTAL" DESC) AS "Using ROW_NUMBER",  
          RANK() OVER (ORDER BY "TOTAL" DESC) AS "Using RANK",  
          DENSE_RANK() OVER (ORDER BY "TOTAL" DESC) AS "Using DENSE_RANK"  
FROM "<Your Schema>". "MARKS";
```

The result of above code is:



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3	4	ADAM	50	60	70	180
4	7	PAM	73	37	55	165
5	1	JAMES	40	50	60	150
6	2	JEO	40	50	60	150
7	6	TAM	53	42	36	131
8	9	MAX	28	70	32	130
9	10	TORI	28	70	32	130
10	8	JAMI	36	31	54	121



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### Scenario 3:

Apply ROW\_NUMBER () function using PARTITION BY Clause.

We have PRODUCTS table with fields like Products, Color and List Price. Apply ROW\_NUMBER based on COLOR (Partitioning Products based on Color) and List Price.

```
SELECT "COLOR",  
       "PRODUCTKEY",  
       "LISTPRICE",  
       ROW_NUMBER() OVER (PARTITION BY "COLOR" ORDER BY "LISTPRICE" DESC) AS "Using RANK_NUMBER"  
FROM "Your Schema"."PRODUCTS"  
ORDER BY 1 ASC;
```

**Note:** In above code I used ORDER BY 1 ASC, it means the data will be sorted based on First Column i.e. COLOR.



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2	Blue	575	2384.1	
3	Blue	576	2384.1	
4	Grey	446	125.1	
5	Multi	223	8.1	
6	Multi	224	8.1	
7	Red	331	782.1	
8	Red	330	699.10	2
9	Red	214	34.99	3
10	Silver	289	1240.45	1
11	Silver	288	1204.32	2
12	White	218	9.50	1
13	White	219	9.50	2
14	Yellow	434	594.83	1
15	Yellow	433	540.75	2



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