

① Distinct keyword operates on a column.

select distinct (column)
from table

② Count

↳ returns i/p rows matching a condition.

select count (*) from table;

③ Where

↓
condition on ~~rows~~ columns for returning rows.

select c1, c2
from table
where condition

3.1. Comparison operators

=, >=, <=, !=, >, <

3.2. Logical operators

AND, OR, NOT

↳ combine multiple comparison operators

④ Order by

select column from table
order by column

select c1, c2 from table
order by, c1, c2.

select c2, c2 from table
order by c1 ASC,
c2 DESC

⑤ Limit

SQL-1

select c2 from table
order by c2 DESC
Limit 10;

⑥ Between (operator)

↓
match value against range of values.

Between LOW and HIGH
↓
(NOT)

* ISO 8601 — std date format
YYYY+MM+DD
YYYY-MM-DD

⑦ In

↓
condition that checks for a value in list of multiple options

value IN (op1, op2, op3, op4)

⑧ LIKE and ILIKE

↓
general pattern in a string
pattern matching

* wildcard character %

where name like 'A%'
(Names that begin with A)

Note: Like is case sensitive

⑨ Under scroll

↓
Allow to replace single char
where value LIKE 'version#_'

where name LIKE 'her%'

% → Any number of characters (open)

_ → only single character

* ILIKE - makes it case-insensitive

(11) Group by

- Appears after from/where state.
- can't group by multiple cols.

```
select c1, c2, sum(c3)
from table
where c1 = A,
group by c1, c2
```

Note: 'where' statements should not refer to aggregate ~~statement~~ result.

(10) Group by → categorical column

- Aggregate data and
- Apply functions

Take multiple inputs and return a single output

Avg(), sum()
max()
min()
count()
min()

can be applied

select clause (OR) Having clause

(1) Avg

Round off

```
select Round(avg(c2), 2)
from film;
```

decimal

```
* select category_col,
      AGG(data_col),
from table
group by category_col
```

(12) DATE

returns date from column and deletes everything else

```
SELECT DATE(column_date)
from table
```

(13) Having

- Filters after an aggregate has taken place.
- X we cannot use where, to filter based on aggregate results
∴ Those happen after where is executed
- use aggregate result as after along with group by

⑭ AS

↓
Allows to create alias for column / result

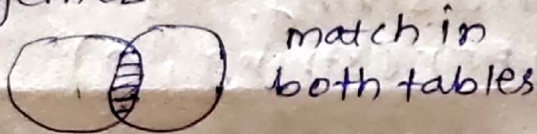
→ SELECT column AS new_name
FROM table

* Can't use AS inside WHERE operator.

* AS gets executed at a very end of query. — to get filtered

⑮ Inner Join

↓
— combine multiple tables together



→ SELECT * FROM tableA
INNER JOIN tableB
ON tableA.col_match
= tableB.col_match

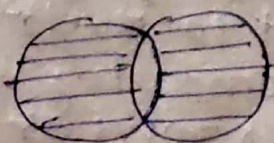
⑯ Full Outer Join

↓
specify how to deal with values present only in one of tables being joined



* Full Outer Join with 'WHERE'

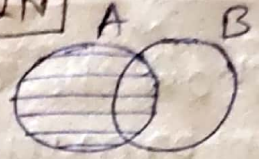
↓
Get rows - unique to either table



→ SELECT * FROM tableA
FULL OUTER JOIN tableB
ON tableA.col_m = tableB.col_m
WHERE tableA.col IS NULL
OR tableB.col IS NULL

⑰ LEFT OUTER JOIN

→ SELECT *
FROM tableA
LEFT OUTER JOIN tableB
ON tableA.col_m = tableB.col_m



* WHERE

↓
Unique Entries to Left table



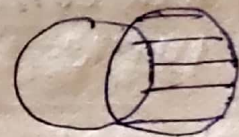
WHERE tableB.col IS NULL

⑱ RIGHT JOIN

RIGHT JOIN



WHERE
NULL



⑲ UNION → Pasting Result

↓
Combine result set of two / more select statements

→ select c1, c2 FROM tableA
UNION
SELECT c1, c2 FROM tableB

① TIME → Time

② DATE → Date

③ TIMESTAMP → Date & Time

④ TIMESTAMPZ → Date, Time & Zone

(20) **SHOW ALL**

↓
show all parameters of
postgres SQL.

(21) **SELECT NOW**

↓
show the Timestamp
information at right
now.

(22) **SELECT TIMEOFDAY()**

↓
Timestamp in string /
readable format

(23) ~~SELECT~~
SELECT CURRENT-TIME
SELECT CURRENT-DATE

(24) **EXTRACT**

↓
obtain sub-component of
a date value

- year
- month
- day
- week
- quarter

EXTRACT (YEAR FROM
date_col)

(25) **AGE**

calculates and returns
current age given a
timestamp

AGE(date_col)

(26) **TO_CHAR**

convert data types to text

TO_CHAR (date_col,
'mm-dd-yyyy')

(27) **dow**

↓
Extract day of week
(start sunday - 0)

(28) **LENGTH (string)**

(29) **||** → concatenate
strings

(30) **upper (string)**

↓
making it uppercase.

(31) **LEFT**

↓
select first 'n' characters
in a string.
LEFT (string, n)

* SUBQUERY

e.g. students with score >
avg class score

SELECT student, grade
FROM test_score
WHERE grade >
(SELECT AVG(grade)
FROM test_scores)

(32) **EXISTS**

↓
used to test existence of
rows in a subquery

(33) **SELF-JOIN**

↓
- Table joined to itself
- useful for comparing values
in columns of rows ~~of~~ within
same table

★ Datatypes:

Data Types

- ① Boolean
- ② character

- └─ char
- └─ varchar
- └─ text

- ③ Numeric

- └─ integer
- └─ floating point

- ④ Temporal

- └─ date
- └─ time
- └─ timestamp
- └─ Interval

- ⑤ UUID - Universally Unique Identifiers - Rows

- ⑥ Array

- ⑦ JSON

- ⑧ H-store Key-value pair

- ⑨ Network address and geometric data

Note search for best practices while creating a database

★ Primary Key - a column / number of columns
└─ Unique

★ SERIAL data type

★ Table → constraints (SQL ②)

Primary Key

Foreign Key

★ Constraints:

→ Rules enforced on data columns on table

→ prevent invalid data being entered into a database.

Table constraints

column constraints

- ① NOT NULL

- ② UNIQUE

- ③ Prim. Key

- ④ Foreign Key

- ⑤ check - ensures all values in a column satisfy certain condition

- ⑥ EXCLUSION

- ⑦ REFERENCES

SYNTAX

① CREATE

```
CREATE TABLE table_name (  
    col_name TYPE col_constraint,  
    col_name TYPE col_constraint,  
    table_constraint table_constraint  
) INHERITS existing_table_name
```


② **SERIAL** — data type

- sequence — a special dbase object that generates sequence of integers
- sequence —→ often used as

primary
key
column

- It logs unique integer entries automatically upon insertion

Note If a row is removed, the column with serial data type will not adjust.

1, 2 3 4 6 7

It shows row 5 was removed

```
CREATE TABLE tab-name(  
  col-name SERIAL col-const,  
  col-name TYPE col-const opt,  
);
```

* serial should only be used as a PRIMARY KEY for table that its in.

③ **REFERENCES** — constraint
create table table1(
 c2 INTEGER REFERENCES
 table2(c2))

④ **INSERT** — Rows in a table

```
INSERT INTO table (c1, c2)  
VALUES (v1, v2)
```

* Insert values from another table

```
INSERT INTO table (c1, c2)  
SELECT c1, c2  
FROM another_table  
WHERE condition
```

Note SERIAL columns do not need to be provided a value.

⑤ **UPDATE** — changing values in a column

UPDATE table

```
SET column1 = value1  
column2 = value2
```

WHERE condition

* Update (Join)

UPDATE tableA

```
SET original_col = tableB.new_col  
FROM tableB  
WHERE tableA.id = tableB.id
```

* Reset everything (w/o WHERE)
UPDATE account
SET last_login = CURRENT_TIMESTAMP

* Other column

```
UPDATE account  
SET last_login = created_on  
RETURNING acc_id, last_login
```


⑥ **DELETE** → remove rows from a table

DELETE FROM table
WHERE row_id = 1

* Based on other tables:

DELETE FROM tableA
USING tableB
WHERE tableA.id = tableB.id

* All rows delete

DELETE FROM table

* RETURNING:

To return rows that were removed.

⑦ **ALTER** → changes to an existing table struc.

- Add / drop / rename columns
- changing data type of col
- default values to col
- Add CHECK constraints
- Rename table.

ALTER TABLE
table_name
action

ALTER TABLE
table_name
ADD COLUMN
new_col TYPE

ALTER COLUMN col_name
SET DEFAULT value
SET NOT NULL

⑧ **DROP**

- complete removal of a column in a table.
- Also indices & all constraints associated.

— Note It will not remove columns used in views, triggers, or stored procedures without addⁿ CASCADE clause.

ALTER TABLE table_name
DROP COLUMN col_name

* Remove all dependencies:

ALTER TABLE table_name
DROP COLUMN col_name
CASCADE

* IF EXISTS

ALTER TABLE table_name
DROP COLUMN IF EXISTS
col_name

* DROP multiple:

ALTER TABLE table_name
DROP COLUMN col_one,
DROP COLUMN col_two

⑨ **CHECK** → Allows to create more customised constraints that adhere to certain condⁿ

CREATE TABLE example (
ex_id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
age SMALLINT CHECK (age > 21),
parent_age SMALLINT CHECK (parent_age > age)) ;

* Conditional Expressions and Procedures:

- ⑩ **CASE** → only execute sql when certain condⁿ are met.

CASE expression

WHEN condⁿ1 THEN result1

WHEN condⁿ2 THEN result2

ELSE some_other_result

END

- ⑪ **COALESCE** → e.g. replace null with 0.

↓
Accepts an unlimited no. of argument that is not null, if all argu. are NULL then it will return NULL

COALESCE (column, 0)

- ⑫ **CAST** → convert from one datatype into other

SELECT CAST ('5' AS INTEGER)

SELECT '5' :: INTEGER

e.g.

SELECT CAST (date AS
TIMESTAMP)
FROM table.

- ⑬ **NULLIF** → Takes in 2 inputs and returns NULL if both are equal, otherwise returns first argument passed
↓ (Just to check against zero)
NULL (arg1, arg2).

- ⑭ **VIEW** → Instead of performing same query again and again, create a VIEW to call that query

→ a database object of a stored query

→ Can be accessed as a virtual table in postgresql

Note It does not store the data physically but simply stores a query.

CREATE VIEW view_name AS

- ⑮ **Import | Export** → Import .CSV file to already existing table

Note Import command **does not** create a table