

# **ASD LAB**

## **experiment 8 and 9**

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# THEORY:

## built in Functions:

In SQL a built-in function is a piece for programming that takes zero or more inputs and returns a value.

- **String functions**  
eg; lower(),upper(),concat(),reverse(),replace()
- **Numeric functions**  
eg:abs(),avg(),sum(),count()
- **Date functions**  
eg:isdate(),month(),year(),day()
- **Advanced Functions**  
eg:cast(),convert(),if(),ifnull()

## Aggregate Functions :

An aggregate function performs a calculation on a set of values, and returns a single **value**

eg :

avg() , min(), max(), sum() ,count()

## Execution steps:

1. use the existing database say "mess" using the following commands

```
mysql> use "mess";
```

2. Execute the batch script for the 1st and 2<sup>nd</sup> Experiment (Exp1 and Exp2) using the following commands.

```
mysql> source 56exp8.sql;
```

```
mysql>source 56exp9.sql;
```

"56exp8.sql " and "56exp9.sql" which are attached with this should be in the execution destination.(same destination in which the terminal is operating).