

Lesson Plan

SQL Joins



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A join is used to combine two or more tables. When you want to retrieve data from two tables, you have to use joins.

To perform joins, we first create tables and insert values into them.

We are creating three tables: department, manager, and Employee.

```

create database PWIOI
USE PWIOI
Create table department(dept_id int primary key,
dept_name varchar(20));

Create table manager(manager_id int primary key,
manager_name varchar(20),
dept_id int,
FOREIGN KEY(dept_id) REFERENCES department(dept_id));

Create table Employee(
emp_id int primary key,
emp_name varchar(30),
salary float,
dept_id int,
FOREIGN KEY(dept_id) REFERENCES department(dept_id),
manager_id int,
FOREIGN KEY(manager_id) REFERENCES manager(manager_id));

```

Check the structure of the tables-

```
desc manager;
desc department;
desc Employee;
```

Insert values into the tables-

```

insert into department(dept_id,dept_name)
values(10,"Finance"),(20,"Data Science"),(30,"Marketing");

insert into manager(manager_id,manager_name,dept_id)
values(101,"daksh",10),(102,"shiv",20),(103,"ganesh",30),(104,"varun",10);

insert into Employee(emp_id,emp_name,salary,dept_id,manager_id)
values(1000,"poonam",35000,10,101),(2000,"shruti",45000,20,102),(3000,"rajani",50000,30,103),(4000,"ram",35000,10,104),
(5000,"vinay",45000,20,101),(6000,"sushma",35000,30,102);

```

Check the inserted values:

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300 • select * from Employee;

Result Grid



Filter Rows:

Edit:

	emp_id	emp_name	salary	dept_id	manager_id
▶	1000	poonam	35000	10	101
	2000	shruti	45000	20	102
	3000	rajani	50000	30	103
	4000	ram	35000	10	104
	5000	vinay	45000	20	101
	6000	sushma	35000	30	102

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select * from manager;

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Result Grid



Filter Rows:

	manager_id	manager_name	dept_id
▶	101	daksh	10
	102	shiv	20
	103	ganesh	30
	104	var un	10

301 •

select * from department;

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Result Grid

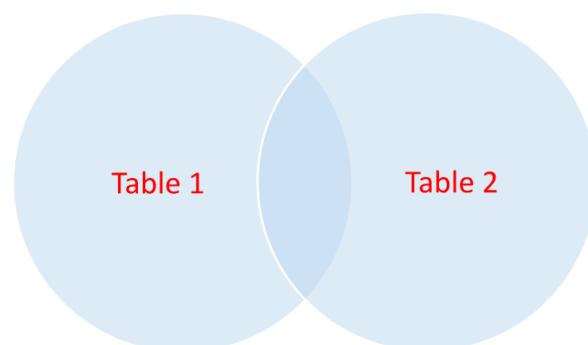


Filter Rows:

	dept_id	dept_name
▶	10	Finance
	20	Data Science
	30	Marketing
*	NULL	NULL

INNER JOIN

An INNER join only returns those rows that have a match in both joined tables.
In the following diagram, the shaded region indicates the inner join.



Example:

Fetch the employee's name and the department name they belong to.

Query:

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303 •   SELECT e.emp_name , d.dept_name
304     FROM Employee e
305   JOIN department d ON e.dept_id = d.dept_id;
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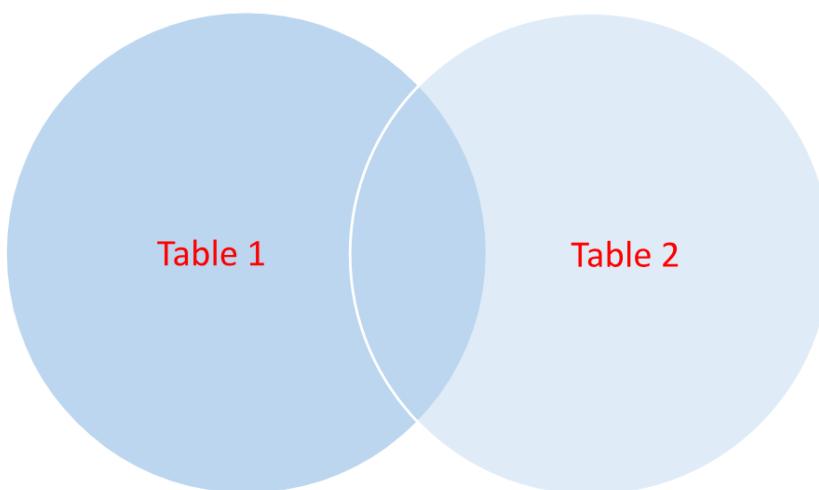
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Result Grid		Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap
	emp_name	dept_name		
▶	poonam	Finance		
	ram	Finance		
	shruti	Data Science		
	vinay	Data Science		
	rajani	Marketing		
	sushma	Marketing		

You can use the keyword JOIN or INNER JOIN. It will give you the common records from the department and the Employee table.

LEFT JOIN

The left outer join takes all the tuples from the left relation that did not match with any tuple in the right relation, which pads the tuple with null values for all other attributes from the right relation, and adds them to the result of the natural join.


Example:

Fetch all the employees' names and the department names they belong to.

Here we have to fetch all the employee records, so we will apply for a leave here.

Query:

```
310 •   SELECT e.emp_name , d.dept_name  
311     FROM Employee e  
312     LEFT JOIN department d ON e.dept_id = d.dept_id;  
313  
314  
315  
316
```

The screenshot shows a database query results grid. At the top, there are tabs for 'Result Grid' and 'Filter Rows'. Below the grid, there are buttons for 'Export' and 'Wrap Cell Content'. The grid itself has two columns: 'emp_name' and 'dept_name'. The data rows are:

	emp_name	dept_name
▶	poonam	Finance
	shruti	Data Science
	rajani	Marketing
	ram	Finance
	vinay	Data Science
	sushma	Marketing

RIGHT JOIN

In the right outer join It allows us to keep all the tuples in the right relation (table). If no matching tuple is found in the left relation, then the attributes from the left relation in the result are filled with null values.

Table 1

Table 2

Example:

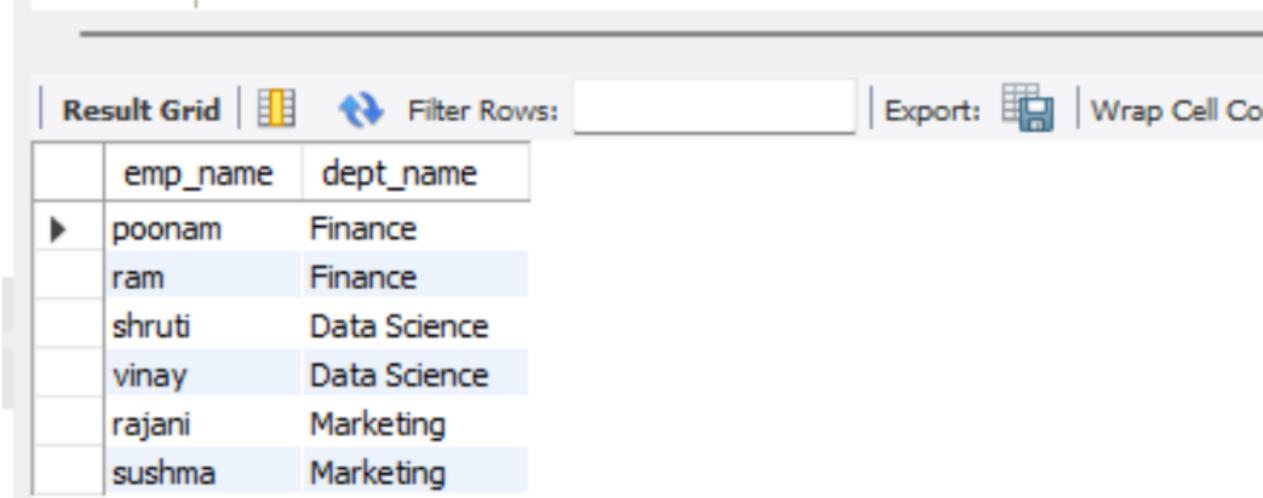
Fetch employees' names and the all department names they belong to.

Query:

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314 •   SELECT e.emp_name , d.dept_name
315     FROM Employee e
316     RIGHT JOIN department d ON e.dept_id = d.dept_id;

```



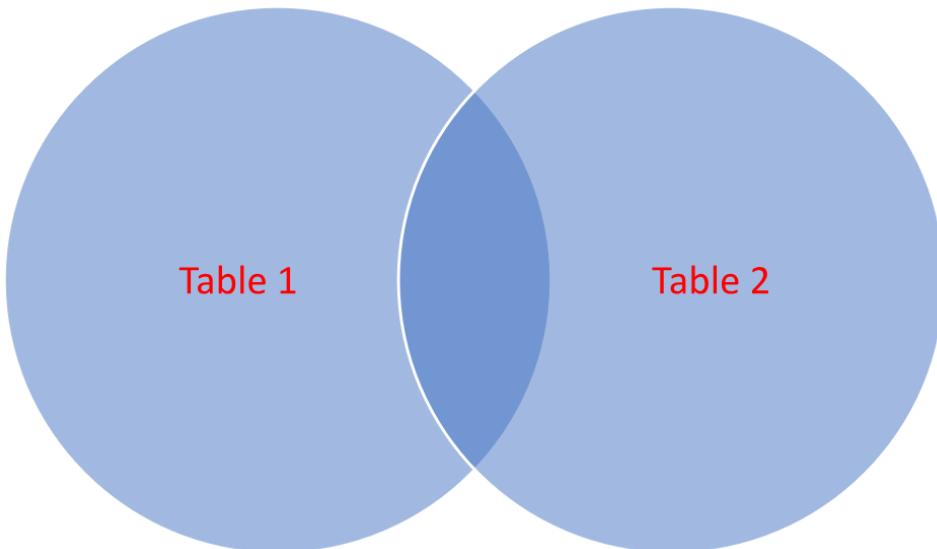
The screenshot shows the MySQL Workbench interface with a query editor and a result grid. The query is a right join between the Employee and department tables. The result grid contains the following data:

	emp_name	dept_name
▶	poonam	Finance
	ram	Finance
	shruti	Data Science
	vinay	Data Science
	rajani	Marketing
	sushma	Marketing

Here, you will get all the common records from the Employee and the department table and all the remaining records from the department.

FULL OUTER JOIN

In the full outer join, all the tuples from both relations are added into the result.



SELF JOIN

Self-join it joins the table itself.

Query:

```
324 • select a.manager_id , b.manager_name , a.dept_id
325   from manager a , manager b
326   where a.dept_id < b.dept_id;
327
```

Result Grid			Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:
	manager_id	manager_name	dept_id		
▶	101	shiv	10		
	101	ganesh	10		
	104	shiv	10		
	104	ganesh	10		
	102	ganesh	20		

CROSS/CARTESIAN JOIN

When combining two tables without specifying a join condition, the database system merges each row from the first table with each record from the second.

Query:

```
327
328 • SELECT e.emp_name , d.dept_name
329   FROM Employee e
330   CROSS JOIN department d;
331
```

Result Grid		Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:
	emp_name	dept_name		
	poonam	Data Science		
	poonam	Finance		
	shruti	Marketing		
	shruti	Data Science		
	shruti	Finance		
	rajani	Marketing		
	rajani	Data Science		
	rajani	Finance		
	ram	Marketing		
	ram	Data Science		
	ram	Finance		
	vinay	Marketing		
	vinay	Data Science		
	vinay	Finance		
	sushma	Marketing		
	sushma	Data Science		
	sushma	Finance		

NATURAL JOIN

In SQL, a natural join merges data from two or more columns based on a shared column. In both tables, the common column must have the exact same name and data type. We do not need to explicitly provide the join condition because SQL connects the tables based on this shared field.

- The ON clause is not required for the join condition in a natural join.
- The result of a natural join will always contain columns that are unique.

Query:

```
331 •   SELECT * FROM Employee  
332     NATURAL JOIN department;  
333  
334  
335
```

Result Grid | Filter Rows: Export: Wrap Cell Content:

	dept_id	emp_id	emp_name	salary	manager_id	dept_name
▶	10	1000	poonam	35000	101	Finance
	20	2000	shruti	45000	102	Data Science
	30	3000	rajani	50000	103	Marketing
	10	4000	ram	35000	104	Finance
	20	5000	vinay	45000	101	Data Science
	30	6000	sushma	35000	102	Marketing