ICS 321 Data Storage & Retrieval The Database Language SQL (iii)

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Bag Semantics in SQL

- SELECT-FROM-WHERE statements preserve duplicates by default, unless DISTINCT is given.
- Set operators UNION, INTERSECT, EXCEPT use set semantics by default!
- To use bag semantics: UNION ALL, INTERSECT ALL, EXCEPT ALL.

(SELECT title, year
FROM Movies)
UNION ALL
(SELECT movieTitle AS title, movieYear AS year
FROM StarsIn)

Aggregate Operators

- SQL supports 5 aggregation operators on a column, say A,
 - 1. COUNT (*), COUNT ([DISTINCT] A)
 - 2. SUM ([DISTINCT] A)
 - 3. AVG ([DISTINCT] A)
 - 4. MAX (A)
 - 5. MIN (A)

Aggregation Queries

Q25: Find the average age of all sailors

```
SELECT AVG(S.age)
FROM Sailors S
```

Q28: Count the number of sailors

```
SELECT COUNT (*)
FROM Sailors S
```

Find the age of the oldest sailor

```
SELECT MAX (S.age) FROM Sailors S
```

Q27: Find the name and age of the oldest sailor

SELECT S.sname, MAX (S.age)
FROM Sailors S

```
SELECT S.sname, S.age
FROM Sailors S
WHERE S.age = ( SELECT MAX(S2.age)
FROM Sailors S2 )
```

 If there is an aggregation operator in the SELECT clause, then it can only have aggregation operators unless the query has a GROUP BY clause -- first query is illegal.

Queries with GROUP BY and HAVING

SELECT [DISTINCT] target-list

FROM relation-list

WHERE qualification

GROUP BY grouping-list

HAVING group-qualification

- The target-list contains (i) attribute names (ii) terms with aggregate operations (e.g., MIN (S.age)).
 - The list of <u>attribute names in (i)</u> must be a subset of grouping-list.
 - Intuitively, each answer tuple corresponds to a group, and these attributes must have a single value per group.
 - A group is a set of tuples that have the same value for all attributes in grouping-list.

Conceptual Evaluation Strategy with GROUP BY and HAVING

- [Same as before] The cross-product of relation-list is computed, tuples that fail qualification are discarded, `unnecessary' fields are deleted
- The remaining tuples are partitioned into groups by the value of attributes in grouping-list.
- The group-qualification is then applied to eliminate some groups. Expressions in group-qualification must have a single value per group!
 - In effect, an attribute in group-qualification that is not an argument of an aggregate op also appears in grouping-list. (SQL does not exploit primary key semantics here!)
- Aggregations in target-list are computed for each group
- One answer tuple is generated per qualifying group

Q32: Find age of the youngest sailor with age >= 18, for each rating with at least 2 such sailors

SELECT S.rating,
MIN(S.age) AS minage
FROM Sailors S
WHERE S.age >= 18
GROUP BY S.rating
HAVING COUNT (*) > 1

Answer relation:

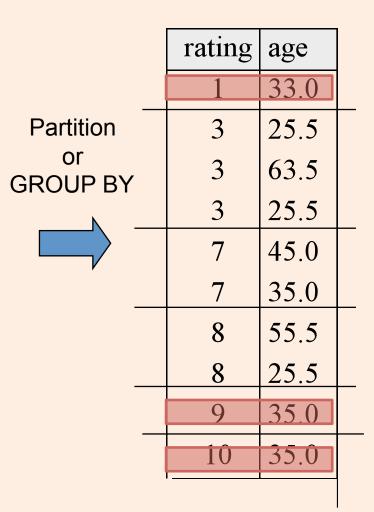
rating	minage
3	25.5
7	35.0
8	25.5

Sailors instance:

sid	sname	rating	age
22	dustin	7	45.0
29	brutus	1	33.0
31	lubber	8	55.5
32	andy	8	25.5
58	rusty	10	35.0
64	horatio	7	35.0
71	zorba	10	16.0
74	horatio	9	35.0
85	art	3	25.5
95	bob	3	63.5
96	frodo	3	25.5

Conceptual Evaluation for Q32

rating	age
7	45.0
1	33.0
8	55.5
8	25.5
10	35.0
7	35.0
10	16.0
9	35.0
3	25.5
3	63.5
3	25.5



Eliminate groups
Using HAVING clause



rating	minage
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Perform aggregation on each group

EVERY and ANY in HAVING clauses

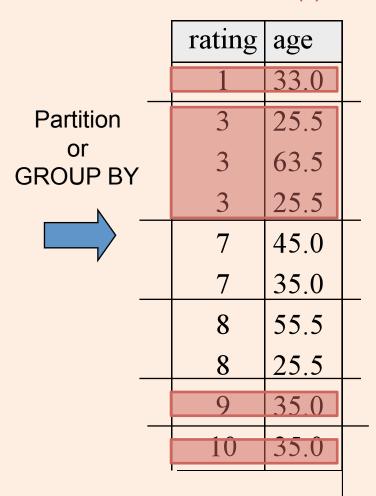
```
SELECT S.rating, MIN(S.age) AS minage
FROM Sailors S
WHERE S.age >= 18
GROUP BY S.rating
HAVING COUNT (*) > 1 AND EVERY ( S.age <=60 )
```

- EVERY: every row in the group must satisfy the attached condition
- ANY: at least one row in the group need to satisfy the condition

Conceptual Evaluation with EVERY

HAVING COUNT (*) > 1 AND EVERY (S.age <=60)

rating	age
7	45.0
1	33.0
8	55.5
8	25.5
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7	35.0
10	16.0
9	35.0
3	25.5
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Perform aggregation on each group

What is the result of changing EVERY to ANY?

Find age of the youngest sailor for each rating with at least 2 sailors between 18 and 60

SELECT S.rating,
MIN (S.age) AS minage
FROM Sailors S
WHERE S.age >= 18 AND S.age <= 60
GROUP BY S.rating
HAVING COUNT (*) > 1

Answer relation:

rating	minage
3	25.5
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Sailors instance:

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Outer Joins

S1	<u>sid</u>	sname	rating	age
	22	Dustin	7	45.0
	31	Lubber	8	55.0
	58	Rusty	10	35.0

R1	<u>sid</u>	<u>bid</u>	day
	22	101	10/10/96
	58	103	11/12/96

- Regular join on sid: Sailor Lubber gets dropped.
- Outer join: Sailor rows without a matching Reserves row appear exactly once in the result, with the columns inherited from Reserves taking null values.
- Left Outer Join: Sailor rows w/o matching reservations appear in the result, but not vice versa
- Right Outer Join: Reservations w/o matching reservations appear in the result, but not vice versa

Example of outer join

SELECT S1.*, R1.*
FROM Sailors S1 NATURAL OUTER JOIN Reserves R1

S1	<u>sid</u>	sname	rating	age
	22	Dustin	7	45.0
	31	Lubber	8	55.5
	58	Rusty	10	35.0

R1	<u>sid</u>	<u>bid</u>	<u>day</u>
	22	101	10/10/96
	58	103	11/12/96

Result

Note the nulls

sid	sname	rating	age	sid	bid	day
22	Dustin	7	45	22	101	10/10/96
31	Lubber	8	55.5	NULL	NULL	NULL
58	Rusty	10	35.0	58	103	11/12/96

Insertion

```
INSERT INTO R(A1, A2, ...)

VALUES (v1, v2, ...);
```

```
INSERT INTO Studio(name)
SELECT DISTINCT studioname
FROM Movies
WHERE studioname NOT IN
(SELECT name
FROM Studio);
```

 If inserting results from a query, query must be evaluated prior to actual insertion

Deletion

```
DELETE FROM R

WHERE <condition>;
```

- Deletion specified using a where clause.
- To delete a specific tuple, you need to use the primary key or candidate keys.

Updates

```
UPDATE R
SET <new value assignments>
WHERE <condition>;
```

```
UPDATE MovieExec
SET name='Pres. ' || name
WHERE cert# IN (
SELECT presC#
FROM Studio );
```

- Tuples to be updated are specified using a where clause.
- To update a specific tuple, you need to use the primary key or candidate keys.