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More Dangerous Subtleties of JOINS in SQL — Two examples of how common, yet profoundly consequential, semantic errors in SQL can be.

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Implementing State Machines with SQL in Postgres — A practical look at creating a FSM using a transition function, a user-defined aggregate function and a table to keep track of events.

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A Live Demo With a VividCortex Engineer — Join a live demo with a VividCortex engineer to show how the VividCortex solution can eliminate your most critical visibility gaps.

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How To Write Better SQL Queries — A reasonably thorough primer to SQL queries and the decisions you have to make while constructing them.

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TiSpark: Run Apache Spark on Top of TiDB/TiKV — A thin layer that brings Spark SQL to TiKV (a distributed key value store) for doing complex OLAP queries.

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A Practical Guide to SQL Transaction Isolation — A detailed post on how transaction isolation works, particularly in Postgres. A good read if you just rely on the defaults.

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Shoveling Data to Redshift with Pipes and Filters

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How to migrate from SQL to MongoDB — Learn why today's most innovative companies are migrating to MongoDB.

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Building a Simple GraphQL Server with Neo4j

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How Far Can You Go with MySQL or MariaDB? — There are installations heading into multiple terabytes.

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Analyzing 320 GB of SQL for Comma Usage — “Leading with commas is not a popular style— but I’ll argue that it’s a productive one. Can I prove this?”

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Open Source Redshift Vacuum and Analyze Tool — Save time on maintenance, use our dockerized vacuum & analyze tool. Pull the image, schedule, and get reports to your email.

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TablePlus: A Mac App for Working with Relational Databases — Currently supports Postgres, MySQL/MariaDB, and Redshift.

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Neo4j Releases Efficient Graph Algorithms Library for Neo4j — Covers things like PageRank, partitioning, and path finding.

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Apache Calcite: A Foundation for High Performance Databases — A Java dynamic data management framework that includes a SQL parser, a relational algebra API, and a query planning engine.

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