# Practice Session | Python & SQL

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# Agenda

- Python
  - Easy
  - Medium
  - Hard
- SQL
  - Presentation
  - Revision
  - Easy
  - Medium
  - Assignment

# Databases

### **Relational Databases**

A relational database is one that stores data in tables.

 The relationship between each data point is clear and searching through those relationships is relatively easy.

 The relationship between tables and field types is called a schema.

For relational databases, the schema must be defined.

#### Relational Databases



### Non Relational Databases

 A non-relational database is any database that does not use the tabular schema of rows and columns like in relational databases.

 Rather, its storage model is optimized for the type of data it's storing.

#### Non Relational Databases

There are four different types of NoSQL databases

- Document-oriented databases
- Key-Value Stores
- Wide-Column Stores
- Graph Stores

#### How to choose a database?

- What type of data will you be analyzing?
- How much data are you dealing with?

 What kind of resources can you devote to the setup and maintenance of your database?

Do you need real-time data?

# SQL

### Introduction to SQL

 SQL (Structured Query Language) is a computer language aimed to store, manipulate and retrieve data stored in relational databases.

- SQL language has several parts:
  - DDL Data Definition Language
  - DML Data Manipulation Language
  - View Definition
  - Transaction Control

### Data Definition Language

 DDL statements are used to define the database structure or schema.

- Examples :
  - CREATE
  - ALTER
  - DROP
  - RENAME

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### **SQL Query**

- Basic Structure of SQL Query
  - General Structure SELECT, ALL/ DISTINCT, \*, AS, FROM,
     WHERE
  - Comparison IN, BETWEEN, LIKE, ILIKE
  - Grouping GROUP BY, HAVING, COUNT(), SUM(), AVG(), MAX(), MIN()
  - Display Order ORDER BY, ASC/ DESC
  - Logical Operators AND, OR, NOT
  - Output INTO TABLE/ CURSOR, TO SCREEN

# Q&A