Filtering & Joins in SQL Server

Filtering With DISTINCT

-- 4.3 Using SELECT DISTINCT with column having NULL SELECT DISTINCT phone FROM sales.customers ORDER BY phone;

DISTINCT always takes first value of duplicates records
DISTINCTalways take NULL values in column as one entity.

NOTE: Both DISTINCT and GROUP BY clause reduces the number of returned rows in the result set by removing the duplicates.

- 1. OPERATOR LIKE <,>, <>/!=, IN, LIKE, BETWEEN
- 2. LOGICAL OPERATORS AND, OR, NOT

SELECT product_id, product_name, category_id, model_year, list_price FROM production.products WHERE list_price > 279.99 AND model_year = 2018

ORDER BY list_price;

LIKE

-- Finding rows whose values contain a string
SELECT product_id, product_name, model_year, list_price, category_id
FROM production.products
WHERE product_name LIKE '%Townie%'
ORDER BY list_price DESC;

hr.candidates

hr.emplyees

id	full_name
1	Umair
2	Muhammad Noman
3	Muhammad Salman
4	Arsalan Nawaz

id	full_name
1	Umair
2	Nageeb Shah
3	Muhammad Noman
4	Luqman

lets apply all joins on the two table

INNER join: It will bring the matching rows from both tables

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
INNER JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name;

Result

id	full_name	id	full_name
1	Umair	1	Umair
2	Muhammad Noman	3	Muhammad Noman

Returned all matchin rows in both table

LEFT join: It will bring the all rows from left table and matching values from right table

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
LEFT JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name;

id	full_name	id	full_name
1	Umair	1	Umair
2	Muhammad Noman	3	Muhammad Noman
3	Muhammad Salman	NULL	NULL
4	Arsalan Nawaz	NULL	NULL

All Rows from left and matching from right

RIGHT join: It will bring the all rows from right table and matching values from left table

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
RIGHT JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name;

id	full_name	id	full_name
1	Umair	1	Umair
NULL	NULL	2	Nageeb Shah
2	Muhammad Noman	3	Muhammad Noman
NULL	NULL	4	Luqman

All Rows from right and matching from left

OUTER/FULL join: It will bring all rows from both table.

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
FULL JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name;

id	full_name	id	full_name
1	Umair	1	Umair
2	Muhammad Noman	3	Muhammad Noman
3	Muhammad Salman	NULL	NULL
4	Arsalan Nawaz	NULL	NULL
NULL	NULL	2	Nageeb Shah
NULL	NULL	4	Luqman

All Rows From Left and All Rows From Right But keep the matchin rows on top

LEFT ANTI join: It will bring the all rows from left table that are not matching with right table

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
LEFT JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name
WHERE e.id IS NULL;

id	full_name	id	full_name
3	Muhammad Salman	NULL	NULL
4	Arsalan Nawaz	NULL	NULL

All rows from left table that are not matching in right table

RIGHT ANTI join: It will bring the all values from right table that are not matching with left table

SELECT c.id, c.full_name, e.id, e.full_name
FROM hr.candidates c
RIGHT JOIN hr.employees e
ON c.full_name = e.full_name
WHERE c.id IS NULL;

id	full_name	id	full_name
NULL	NULL	2	Nageeb Shah
NULL	NULL	4	Luqman

All rows from right table that are not matching in left table

cross_join.Meals cross_join.Drinks

	MealName
1	Omlet
2	Fried Egg
3	Sausage

	Drink Name
1	Orange Juice
2	Tea
3	Cofee

Cross Join in SQL produces a result set that contains the cartesian product of two or more tables. Cross join is also called a Cartesian Join.

SELECT *
FROM cross_join.Meals
CROSS JOIN cross_join.Drinks;

	MealName	Drink Name
1	Omlet	Orange Juice
2	Fried Egg	Orange Juice
3	Sausage	Orange Juice
4	Omlet	Tea
5	Fried Egg	Tea
6	Sausage	Tea
7	Omlet	Cofee
8	Fried Egg	Cofee
9	Sausage	Cofee

SELF join: A self join is regular join in which a table is joined to itself.

staff_id	first_name	last_name	email	phone	active	store_id	manager_id
1	Fabiola	Jackson	fabiola.jackson@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5554	1	1	NULL
2	Mireya	Copeland	mireya.copeland@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5555	1	1	1
3	Genna	Serrano	genna.serrano@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5556	1	1	2
4	Virgie	Wiggins	virgie.wiggins@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5557	1	1	2
5	Jannette	David	jannette.david@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4444	1	2	1
6	Marcelene	Boyer	marcelene.boyer@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4445	1	2	5
7	Venita	Daniel	venita.daniel@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4446	1	2	5
8	Kali	Vargas	kali.vargas@bikes.shop	(972) 530-5555	1	3	1
9	Layla	Terrell	layla.terrell@bikes.shop	(972) 530-5556	1	3	7
10	Bemardine	Houston	bemardine.houston@bikes.shop	(972) 530-5557	1	3	7

FROM sales.staffs AS T1
INNER JOIN sales.staffs AS T2
ON T2.staff_id = T1.manager_id;

All Rows from left and matching from right

staff_id	first_name	last_name	email	phone	active	store_id	manager_id
2	Mireya	Copeland	mireya.copeland@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5555	1	1	1
3	Genna	Serrano	genna.serrano@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5556	1	1	2
4	Virgie	Wiggins	virgie.wiggins@bikes.shop	(831) 555-5557	1	1	2
5	Jannette	David	jannette.david@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4444	1	2	1
6	Marcelene	Boyer	marcelene.boyer@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4445	1	2	5
7	Venita	Daniel	venita.daniel@bikes.shop	(516) 379-4446	1	2	5
8	Kali	Vargas	kali.vargas@bikes.shop	(972) 530-5555	1	3	1
9	Layla	Terrell	layla.terrell@bikes.shop	(972) 530-5556	1	3	7
10	Bemardine	Houston	bemardine.houston@bikes	(972) 530-5557	1	3	7