

Subqueries And. Views. → OS. → Transactions.

Saturday → 3 - 3:30 hour
class.

Main Benefit of subqueries.

→ Easy to read and understand complex queries.

- Full text queries.
- Clustered and Non-clustered index.
- Insertion in mapping.

Students

id	Name	batch_id	psp	university Name
1.	Alok	2	91	XYZ
7.	Sumit	2	84	XYZ
18.	Manju	3	87	XYZ
21.	Neha	3	92	XYZ
30.	Rahul	2	70	ABC

Quest Find all the students who have a psp greater than psp of student with id = 18

Using self join

select a.*
from Students a
join Students b
on a.psp > b.psp
and b.id = 18

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Subqueries are mostly used to do things in a more understandable/intuitive way.

(Most of the things that we will do with subqueries can also be done using joins).

Idea

- 1) Get psp of student with id=18 (87)
- 2) Get students with psp > 87.

Query 1:-

```
select psp
from students
where id=18
```

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Query 2:-

```
select id
from students
where psp > 87
```

```
select id
from students
where psp > (
    select psp
    from students
    where id=18
);
```

```
select *
from students
where condition
```

- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 - 5.
 - 6.
 - 7.
 - 8.
 - 9.
 - 10.
- for every row of this table
execute the query →
select psp
from students
where id=18.

Caveats of subquery.

→ Slower Impact on performance.

<u>Students</u>			
id	Name	batch-id	psp
1.	Alok	1	80
2.	Sumit	3	60
3.	Manju	3	4
4.	Neha	2	90
5.	Rahul	1	80

<u>TA</u>			
id	Name	isStudent	stu-id

Print psp of students who are also a TA.

Idea 1:- Using Joins.

```
select s.psp
from ta t
join students s
on t.stu-id = s.id.
```

Idea 2:- Using subquery

```
select psp
from students
where id IN (
    select stu-id
    from ta
)
```

id IN(1,3,5,7);

NOT IN

optimise this.

→ EXISTS

```
select s.psp
from students s
where EXISTS (
```

```
    select *
    from ta
    where ta.stu-id = s.id
)
```

→ Returns true even if a single row is present.

→ Most of the times EXISTS is faster than IN.

Q Select students who have psp greater than every student of batch-id=3

Students

id	Name	batch-id	psp
1.	Alok	2	91
2.	Sumit	2	84
3.	Manju	3	87
4.	Neha	3	92
5.	Rahul	2	97

Idea 1 :- Joins.

Try it out.

Idea 2 :- Subquery.

select name
from students
where psp > (

select max (psp)
from students

group by batch-id
having batch-id=3

→ where batch-id=3

);

Idea 3 :- ALL

select name
from students
where psp > ALL (

select psp
from students
where batch-id=3;

);

> ALL (1, 2, 7, 5)

- ① Get multiple values from subquery.
- ② Matches condition with all values from subquery.
- ③ Only if all satisfy, select that particular row.

→ ANY

→ Outputs the row, if any of the subquery row matches.

psp > ANY (1, 2, 3) ✓

psp > IN (- .) ✗

→ Correlated Subqueries.

Q. Select all students with psp greater than average psp of their batch.

Assume batch-id is given.

Select name
from students s → outer query has a variable.

where psp > (

select avg(psp)

from students

where batch-id = s .batch-id.

)

→ Correlated subquery.

Select name

from students s

where psp > (

select avg(psp)

from students

group by batch-id.

having batch-id = s .batch-id.

)

psp > 40

psp >

batchid	avg
1	40
2	45
3	50

x

for (_____)

8:45 → Break

Non-correlated subqueries $\rightarrow 2N$ time

\downarrow N time to get result for inner query
 \downarrow N time to run the outer query
 \rightarrow This is stored and used.

Correlated subqueries $\rightarrow N^2$ time.

\downarrow
Depends on outer query.

- \rightarrow Correlated subqueries are costly.
- \rightarrow Try to use joins preferably.

Subqueries in SELECT

Students.

id, name, b-id, psp

o/p table.

id, name, b-id, psp, avg psp.

Select id, name, psp, b-id
from Students;

select id, name, psp, b-id, (select avg (psp) As avg-psp
from Students
group by batch-id
having batch-id = s.batch-id) ✓
from Students s;

→ Returning a single cell for every student.

select id, name, psp, b-id, (select avg (psp) As avg-psp
from Students
where batch-id = s.batch-id) ✓
from Students s;

→ for every student

① execute the query.

② the value of the cell is put along with the row.