

# Mathematical functions and operators

Operator	Description	Example	Result
+	addition	$4 + 3$	7
-	subtraction	$5 - 3$	2
*	multiplication	$4 * 2$	8
/	division (integer division truncates the result)	$8 / 4$	2
%	modulo (remainder)	$10 \% 4$	2
^	exponentiation	$2 ^ 3$	8

# SYNTAX

```
SUM (replacement_cost) * 2
```

```
SUM (replacement_cost) + 1
```

```
SUM (replacement_cost) / SUM (rental_rate)*100
```

# Mathematical functions and operators

Function	Description	Example	Result
<b>abs(x)</b>	absolute value	abs(-7)	7
<b>round(x,d)</b>	round x to d decimal places	round(4.3543)	4.35
<b>ceiling(x)</b>	round up to integer	ceiling(4.3543)	5
<b>floor(x)</b>	round down to integer	floor(4.3543)	4

# Challenge

Your manager is thinking about increasing the prices for films that are more expensive to replace.

For that reason, you should create a list of the films including the relation of rental rate / replacement cost where the rental rate is less than 4% of the replacement cost.

Create a list of that film\_ids together with the percentage rounded to 2 decimal places. For example 3.54 (=3.54%).

## Result

	film_id [PK] integer	percentage numeric
1	417	3.30
2	663	3.30

	film_id [PK] integer	percentage numeric
1	417	3.3000
2	663	3.3000

	film_id [PK] integer	percentage numeric
1	395	3.00
2	196	3.00

# CASE

**Like IF/THEN statement:**

**Goes through a set of conditions  
returns a value if a condition is met**

# SYNTAX

Start of CASE statement

CASE

WHEN condition1 THEN result1

WHEN condition2 THEN result2

WHEN conditionN THEN resultN

ELSE result



END

Conditions & results

End of CASE statement

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT  
amount,  
CASE  
WHEN amount < 2 THEN 'low amount'  
WHEN amount < 5 THEN 'medium amount'  
ELSE 'high amount'  
END  
FROM payment
```

amount numeric (5,2) 	case text 
1.99	low amount
0.99	low amount
6.99	high amount
0.99	low amount
4.99	medium amount

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT  
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),  
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon'),  
CASE  
  WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'  
  WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon') = 'Jul' THEN 'July special'  
END  
FROM bookings
```

Result of first true  
condition!

Mon	Aug	Monday special
Sat	Jul	July special
Tue	Jul	July special
Mon	Jul	Monday special



# SYNTAX

```
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TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),  
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon'),  
CASE  
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'  
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon') = 'Jul' THEN 'July special'  
END  
FROM bookings
```

No condition met => [null]

Wed	Jul	July special
Fri	Jul	July special
Tue	Aug	[null]
Thu	Aug	[null]
Mon	Aug	Monday special

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon'),
CASE
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Mon') = 'Jul' THEN 'July special'
ELSE 'no special'
END
FROM bookings
```

ELSE => result if no  
condition is met

Wed	Jul	July special
Fri	Jul	July special
Tue	Aug	no special
Thu	Aug	no special
Mon	Aug	Monday special

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT
total_amount,
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),
CASE
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'
WHEN total_amount < 30000 THEN 'Special deal'
ELSE 'no special at all'
END
FROM bookings
```

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT
total_amount,
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),
CASE
WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'
WHEN total_amount * 1.4 < 30000 THEN 'Special deal'
ELSE 'no special at all'
END
FROM bookings
```

total_amount numeric (10,2)	to_char text	case text
265700.00	Wed	no special at all
37900.00	Fri	no special at all
18100.00	Tue	Special deal
131800.00	Thu	no special at all
23600.00	Mon	Monday special

# SYNTAX

```
SELECT
total_amount,
TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy'),
CASE
    WHEN TO_CHAR(book_date, 'Dy') = 'Mon' THEN 'Monday special'
    WHEN total_amount < 30000 THEN 'Special deal'
    ELSE 'no special at all'
END
FROM bookings
```

# Challenge

You need to find out how many tickets you have sold in the following categories:

- Low price ticket: total\_amount < 20,000
- Mid price ticket: total\_amount between 20,000 and 150,000
- High price ticket: total\_amount >= 150,000

How many high price tickets has the company sold?

Result

	Data Output	Explain	Mess
	count bigint	ticket_price text	
1	205036	mid price ticket	
2	30012	high price ticket	
3	27740	low price ticket	

# Challenge

You need to find out how many flights have departed in the following seasons:

- Winter: December, January, February
- Spring: March, April, May
- Summer: June, July, August
- Fall: September, October, November

Result

	Data Output	Explain
	flights bigint	season text
1	7596	Fall
2	25525	Summer

# Challenge

You want to create a tier list in the following way:

1. Rating is 'PG' or 'PG-13' or length is more then 210 min:  
'Great rating or long (tier 1)'
2. Description contains 'Drama' and length is more than 90min:  
'Long drama (tier 2)'
3. Description contains 'Drama' and length is not more than 90min:  
'Shcity drama (tier 3)'
4. Rental\_rate less than \$1:  
'Very cheap (tier 4)'

If one movie can be in multiple categories it gets the higher tier assigned.  
How can you filter to only those movies that appear in one of these 4 tiers?

## Result



	title text	case text
1	ACADEMY DINOSAUR	Great rating or very long (tier 1)
2	AGENT TRUMAN	Great rating or very long (tier 1)
3	AIRPLANE SIERRA	Great rating or very long (tier 1)
4	ALABAMA DEVIL	Great rating or very long (tier 1)
5	ALAMO VIDEOTAPE	Very cheap (tier 4)




# COALESCE

✓ Returns first value of a list of values which is not null

**COALESCE(actual\_arrival, schedule\_arrival)**

actual_arrival 	scheduled_arrival 
timestamp with time zone	timestamp with time zone
2017-08-05 19:01:00+02	2017-08-05 19:00:00+02
2017-08-05 09:34:00+02	2017-08-05 09:30:00+02
[null]	2017-09-09 12:20:00+02






coalesce 
timestamp with time zone
2017-08-05 19:01:00+02
2017-08-05 09:34:00+02
2017-09-09 12:20:00+02

# SYNTAX

COALESCE (actual\_arrival, scheduled\_arrival)

# SYNTAX

COALESCE (actual\_arrival, '1970-01-01 0:00')

actual_arrival timestamp with time zone 	scheduled_arrival timestamp with time zone 	coalesce timestamp with time zone 
[null]	2017-09-10 13:55:00+02	1970-01-01 00:00:00+01

# CAST

✓ Changes the data type of a value

scheduled_arrival
timestamp with time zone
2017-09-10 13:55:00+02
2017-08-25 16:35:00+02

CAST TO TEXT



scheduled_arrival
character varying
2017-09-10 13:55:00+02
2017-08-25 16:35:00+02

# SYNTAX

`CAST (value/column AS data type)`

# SYNTAX

`CAST (scheduled_arrival AS data type)`

# SYNTAX



```
CAST (scheduled_arrival AS VARCHAR)
```

<b>scheduled_arrival</b>
character varying
2017-09-10 13:55:00+02
2017-08-25 16:35:00+02



# SYNTAX

`CAST (scheduled_arrival AS DATE)`

<b>scheduled_arrival</b> timestamp with time zone 	<b>scheduled_arrival</b> date 
2017-09-10 13:55:00+02	2017-09-10
2017-08-25 16:35:00+02	2017-08-25
2017-09-05 13:15:00+02	2017-09-05



# REPLACE

✓ Replaces text from a string in a column with another text

flight_no character (6)
PG0134
PG0052
PG0561

REPLACE 'PG' with 'FL'



replace text
FL0134
FL0052
FL0561

# REPLACE

✓ Replaces text from a string in a column with another text

flight_no character (6)
PG0134
PG0052
PG0561

REPLACE 'PG' with ''




replace_text
0134
0052
0561

# SYNTAX

```
REPLACE (column, old_text, new_text)
```

# SYNTAX

```
REPLACE (flight_no, 'PG', 'FL')
```

replace   
text

FL0134

FL0052

FL0561

# SYNTAX

```
REPLACE (flight_no, 'PG', '')
```

replace  
text

0134

0052

0561