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Commands

Clone the RealEstateDB.git on your local directory, enter the directory and run the following commands to run and test the query on the database.

```
python3.6 -m venv .venv \
source .venv/bin/activate \
pip3 install -r requirements.txt \
python3 create.py \
python3 insert_data.py \
python3 transaction.py \
python3 query.py
```

However, there are still some minor bugs when I translate work done in RealEstateDB.ipynb into py files and some of these files do not work even though they work in RealEstateDB.ipynb. To see the result of the database, please go to RealEstateDB.ipynb file directly.

```
create.py creates the database schema.
insert_data.py inserts mock data to initialize tables.
transaction.py creates mock transactions that sold all the houses on the list.
query.py tested the required queries and generate reports.
```

Database Design

I consider both the principles of database design, what are the needs of different people (e.g. real estate agent and company), and what queries and data needs to be reported together the most when designing this database.

The principles I follow to design the database is the second normalization, which data are separated enough so that every column in a table only depends on its primary keys. However, this principle is not followed blindly in the design because some denormalization is applied in two tables (Office_Sale, Agent_Commission) to so that queries on these two tables do not have to join other tables.

For real estate agents, they need to 1) submit/update new house listing, and 2) to submit/update transaction details. For the company, it wants to be able to analyze data easily on the unit of

agent (e.g. commission per agent), office (e.g. total sale per office), region (e.g. average sale price per zip code), and the company itself (e.g. total sale). Therefore, I designed the architecture of the database as follow:

The tables in the database are organized as follow:

Office

- ID (PK)
- address
- area

Agent

- ID (PK)
- name
- email
- phone

Buyer

- buyerID (PK)
- name
- email
- phone

Seller

- ID (PK)
- name
- email
- phone

HouseListing

- ID (PK)
- sellerID (FK)
- agentID (FK)
- officeID (FK)
- nbedroom
- nbathroom
- saleprice
- zipcode
- listingdate

- sold

SoldRecord

- buyerID (FK)
- agentID (FK)
- HouseListingID (FK)
- saledate

Agent_Office (many-to-many)

- agentID (FK)
- officeID (FK)

Office Sale (one-one)

- OfficeID (PK) (FK)
- OfficeTotalSale
- month

Agent Commission (one-one)

- AgentID (PK) (FK)
- Commission
- month

The advantage of this design is a clear separation of concerns. Updating individual information is separated from updating house listing or transaction records. If we want to extend the separation further, we can give different privileges to different types of users. In this way, agents can be restrained to only update HouseListing, SoldRecord, and Buyer tables, while administrators can access and change information in other tables. Table Office_Sale and Agent_Commission are designed to analyze total sale, sale per office, and commission per agent conveniently to generate reports in a designated month as requested. In these two tables, the foreign keys are also primary keys since they uniquely identify rows in the table.

I want to highlight a few details in my implementation of the database:

- 1) I leveraged a *get_or_create* function to prevent duplicate records in the database. If an instance already exists (e.g. a buyer, a sold record), it will only return the instance rather than creating a new one.
- 2) For the transaction triggered by a house being sold, I used two tricks to prevent data from being half transported. One is to use try and except syntax so that if the transaction failed in the halfway, the except statement will catch it and roll back the transaction so that changes half-made will be undone. The other is to put the query that updates the listing

- status (mark as sold) at the end of the transaction because this query can have some obvious changes in the front end (e.g. a text box changes from available to sold). Therefore, if the transaction failed, the user should have direct observations on the effect.
- 3) To improve the speed of matching and searching id when joining tables, I index every primary key in all the tables.
- 4) The assignment requirement asks to update a summary table containing the total sale when a house is sold. I found this requirement confusing because it does not make sense to create a table only to store one cell or one row. It is very easy to just calculate the total sale by summing up the sale per office in the Office_Sale table. This is also part of the reason why I create table Office_Sale. Technically we can still get the sum using Sold_Record table alone, but since we need to constantly generate reports for sale per office and total sale in the company, having an independent table of Office_Sale makes both queries easier.

Code

RealEstateSQLAlchemy

April 7, 2019

0.0.1 Code References:

- https://docs.sqlalchemy.org/en/latest/orm/
- https://www.pythoncentral.io/sqlalchemy-orm-examples/ (many to many)
- https://www.pythonsheets.com/notes/python-sqlalchemy.html
- http://www.rmunn.com/sqlalchemy-tutorial/tutorial.html
- https://stackoverflow.com/questions/270879/efficiently-updating-database-using-sqlalchemy-orm
- https://gist.github.com/knu2xs/8ca7e0a39bf26f736ef7 (get_random_date function)
- https://stackoverflow.com/questions/44511046/sqlalchemy-prevent-duplicate-rows (get_or_create function)
- https://stackoverflow.com/questions/2128505/whats-the-difference-between-filter-and-filter-by-in-sqlalchemy (difference between filter and filter_by)

0.0.2 Import Libraries

```
In [103]: import sqlalchemy
          from sqlalchemy import create_engine, update, Column, Text, Integer, String, Float,
          from sqlalchemy.ext.declarative import declarative_base
          from sqlalchemy.orm import relationship, sessionmaker
          from sqlalchemy.orm.exc import NoResultFound
          from sqlalchemy.sql.expression import extract
          from sqlalchemy.sql import func, text
          import pandas as pd
          from datetime import datetime
          import random
          import numpy as np
In [2]: def get_random_date(month, year):
            # try to get a date
            try:
                return datetime.strptime('{} {} {}'.format(random.randint(1, 30), month, year)
            # if the value happens to be in the leap year range, try again
            except ValueError:
                return get_random_date(year)
```

0.0.3 Create Database Schema

```
In [3]: #create database engine and tables
        engine = create_engine('sqlite:///realestate.db')
        engine.connect()
        Base = declarative_base()
        class Office(Base):
            _tablename_ = 'office'
            id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
            name = Column(String)
            address = Column(String)
            area = Column(String)
            agents = relationship('Agent', secondary = 'agent_office') #first class name, seco
            def __repr__(self):
                return "<office(id=%s, name='%s', address='%s', area='%s'>" % (
                    self.id, self.name, self.address, self.area)
        class Agent(Base):
            __tablename__ = 'agent'
            id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
            name = Column(String)
            email = Column(String)
            phone = Column(Integer)
            offices = relationship('Office', secondary = 'agent_office') #reference to class
            def __repr__(self):
                return "<agent(id=%s, name='%s', email='%s', phone=%s>" % (
                    self.id, self.name, self.email, self.phone)
        class Buyer(Base):
            __tablename__ = 'buyer'
            id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
            name = Column(String)
            email = Column(String)
            phone = Column(Integer)
            def __repr__(self):
                return "<buyer(id=%s, name='%s', email='%s', phone=%s)>" % (
                    self.id, self.name, self.email, self.phone)
        class Seller(Base):
            _tablename_ = 'seller'
            id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
            name = Column(String)
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email = Column(String)
   phone = Column(Integer)
    def __repr__(self):
        return "<seller(id=%s, name='%s', email='%s', phone=%s>" % (
            self.id, self.name, self.email, self.phone)
class HouseListing(Base):
    __tablename__ = 'houseListing'
    id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
    sellerID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('seller.id'))
    agentID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('agent.id'))
    officeID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('office.id'))
   nbedroom = Column(Integer)
   nbathroom = Column(Integer)
    saleprice = Column(Float(2))
    zipcode = Column(Integer)
    listdate = Column(DateTime())
    sold = Column(Boolean)
    def __repr__(self):
        return '''<houseListing(</pre>
        id=%s, sellerID=%s, agentID=%s, officeID=%s, nbedroom=%s,
        nbathroom=%s, saleprice=%s, zipcode=%s, listdate='%s', sold='%s'>''' % (
            self.id, self.sellerID, self.buyerID, self.agentID,
            self.officeID, self.houseID, self.listdate)
class SoldRecord(Base):
    __tablename__ = 'soldRecord'
    id = Column(Integer, primary_key = True, index=True)
    buyerID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('buyer.id'))
    agentID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('agent.id'))
   houseListingID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('houseListing.id'))
    saledate = Column(DateTime())
    def __repr__(self):
        return '''<soldRecord(</pre>
        id=%s, buyerID=%s, agentID=%s, houseListingID=%s, saledate='%s'>'''% (
            self.id, self.buyerID, self.agentID, self.houseListingID, self.saledate)
class Agent_Office(Base):
    __tablename__ = 'agent_office'
    agentID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('agent.id'), primary_key = True) #foreign key
    officeID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('office.id'), primary_key = True)
    def __repr__(self):
        return "<agent_office(agentID=%s, officeID=%s>" % (self.agentID, self.officeID
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```
class Office_Sale(Base):
    __tablename__ = 'office_sale'
    officeID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('office.id'), primary_key = True, index=True
   officeTotalSale = Column(Float(2))
   month = Column(Integer)
    def __repr__(self):
        return "<office_sale(officeID=%s, officeTotalSale='%s', month='%s'>" % (
            self.officeID, self.officeTotalSale, self.month)
class Agent_Commission(Base):
    __tablename__ = 'agent_commission'
    agentID = Column(Integer, ForeignKey('agent.id'), primary_key = True, index=True)
    commission = Column(Float(2))
   month = Column(Integer)
    def __repr__(self):
        return "<agent_commission(agentID=%s, commission='%s', month='%s'>" % (
            self.officeID, self.officeTotalSale, self.month)
#drop_all line is to start with a new table that recognizes editions made to declarati
#The metadata create_all() method does not replace existing tables.
Base.metadata.drop_all(bind=engine)
Base.metadata.create_all(bind=engine)
Session = sessionmaker(bind=engine)
```

0.0.4 Initialized Tables and Insert Mock Data

```
In [4]: #A transaction to add mock data
    session = Session()

#create three offices
    office1 = Office(name = "New York Office", address = "14 Broadway Street, NY", area =
        office2 = Office(name = "San Francisco Office", address = "851 California Street, SF",
        office3 = Office(name = "Atlanta Office", address = "123 Martin Luther King Street, AT

#each office has two agents
        agent11 = Agent(name = "John", email="john@gmail.com", phone="11111")
        agent12 = Agent(name = "Michael", email="michael@gmail.com", phone="11112")

        agent21 = Agent(name = "Alice", email="alice@gmail.com", phone="21111")
        agent22 = Agent(name = "Mike", email="mike@gmail.com", phone="21112")

        agent31 = Agent(name = "Ben", email="ben@gmail.com", phone="31111")
        agent32 = Agent(name = "Kelly", email="kelley@gmail.com", phone="31111")

#some agents belong to more than one office
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agent11.offices.append(office2)
agent12.offices.append(office3)
office1.agents.append(agent11)
office1.agents.append(agent12)
office2.agents.append(agent21)
office2.agents.append(agent22)
office3.agents.append(agent31)
office3.agents.append(agent32)
#create one seller
seller1 = Seller(name = "Rockefeller", email="rockefeller@gmail.com", phone="12345")
#add two house listings for each agent
listing1 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 1, officeID=1,
                        nbedroom=2, nbathroom=2, saleprice=80000, zipcode=99999,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing2 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 1, officeID=2,
                        nbedroom=2, nbathroom=1, saleprice=100000, zipcode=88888,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing3 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 2, officeID=2,
                        nbedroom=5, nbathroom=1, saleprice=200000, zipcode=88887,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing4 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 3, officeID=2,
                        nbedroom=1, nbathroom=1, saleprice=250000, zipcode=88887,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing5 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 3, officeID=2,
                        nbedroom=2, nbathroom=3, saleprice=400000, zipcode=88887,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing6 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 4, officeID=1,
                        nbedroom=3, nbathroom=2, saleprice=500000, zipcode=99998,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing7 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 4, officeID=3,
                        nbedroom=3, nbathroom=2, saleprice=1200000, zipcode=77777,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
listing8 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 5, officeID=3,
                        nbedroom=1, nbathroom=1, saleprice=600000, zipcode=77776,
                        listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
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nbedroom=1, nbathroom=1, saleprice=600000, zipcode=77776,
                                listdate=get_random_date(11, 2018), sold=False)
        #initialize Office Sale Table
        officesale1 = Office_Sale(officeID = 1, officeTotalSale = 0.00, month=12)
        officesale2 = Office_Sale(officeID = 2, officeTotalSale = 0.00, month=12)
        officesale3 = Office_Sale(officeID = 3, officeTotalSale = 0.00, month=12)
        #initialize Agent_Commission Table
        agentcommission1 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 1, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        agentcommission2 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 2, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        agentcommission3 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 3, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        agentcommission4 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 4, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        agentcommission5 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 5, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        agentcommission6 = Agent_Commission(agentID = 6, commission = 0.00, month=12)
        session add_all([office1, office2, office3, seller1, listing1, listing2, listing3, lis
                        listing5, listing6, listing7, listing8, listing9, officesale1, offices
                        officesale3, agentcommission1, agentcommission2, agentcommission3,
                        agentcommission4, agentcommission5, agentcommission6])
        session.commit()
Checking if tables created successfully
In [5]: pd.read sql(session.query(Office).statement, session.bind)
Out [5]:
           id
                               name
                                                                address
                                                                                  area
                    New York Office
                                                 14 Broadway Street, NY
        0
            1
                                                                              New York
            2 San Francisco Office
                                             851 California Street, SF
                                                                         San Francisco
        1
                     Atlanta Office 123 Martin Luther King Street, AT
                                                                               Atlanta
In [6]: pd.read_sql(session.query(Agent_Office).statement, session.bind).sort_values(by='agent
Out[6]:
           agentID
                   officeID
        0
                 1
        6
                 1
                           2
                           2
        4
                 2
        5
                 3
                           2
        1
                 4
                           1
        7
                 4
                           3
        2
                 5
                           3
        3
                 6
                           3
In [7]: pd.read_sql(session.query(Seller).statement, session.bind)
Out[7]:
           id
                      name
                                             email phone
            1 Rockefeller rockefeller@gmail.com 12345
```

listing9 = HouseListing(sellerID = 1, agentID = 6, officeID=3,

```
In [8]: pd.read_sql(session.query(HouseListing).statement, session.bind)
Out[8]:
           id
                sellerID
                          agentID
                                    officeID
                                              nbedroom
                                                         nbathroom
                                                                     saleprice
                                                                                 zipcode
                                                                          80000
                                                                                    99999
        0
            1
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            2
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        1
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                                                                                    77776
                                                                         600000
            listdate
                        sold
        0 2018-11-16 False
        1 2018-11-07
                       False
        2 2018-11-27
                       False
        3 2018-11-14
                       False
        4 2018-11-08 False
        5 2018-11-13 False
        6 2018-11-29
                      False
        7 2018-11-05 False
        8 2018-11-07 False
In [9]: pd.read_sql(session.query(Office_Sale).statement, session.bind)
Out [9]:
           officeID officeTotalSale
                                        month
        0
                   1
                                     0
                                            12
        1
                   2
                                     0
                                            12
        2
                   3
                                     0
                                            12
In [10]: pd.read_sql(session.query(Agent_Commission).statement, session.bind)
Out[10]:
            agentID
                      commission
                                   month
         0
                   1
                                0
                                      12
                   2
                                0
         1
                                      12
                   3
         2
                                0
                                      12
         3
                   4
                                0
                                      12
         4
                   5
                                0
                                      12
         5
                   6
                                0
                                      12
0.0.5 Make Transactions
Testing transaction assuming one house is sold
```

```
In [11]: #define a get_or_create function to prevent duplication of records
    def get_or_create(model, **kwargs):
```

```
class Employee(Base):
                 _{tablename} = 'employee'
                 id = Column(Integer, primary_key=True)
                 name = Column(String, unique=True)
             get_or_create(Employee, name='bob')
             HHHH
             instance = get_instance(model, **kwargs)
             if instance is None:
                 instance = create_instance(model, **kwargs)
             return instance
         def create_instance(model, **kwargs):
             """create instance"""
             try:
                 instance = model(**kwargs)
                 session.add(instance)
                 session.flush()
             except Exception as msg:
                 session.rollback()
                 raise(msg)
             return instance
         def get_instance(model, **kwargs):
             """Return first instance found."""
             try:
                 return session.query(model).filter_by(**kwargs).first()
             except NoResultFound:
                 return
In [12]: session = Session()
         def Transaction(listingid):
             #Assume House Listing #1 is sold. The staff should mark the listing as sold, and
             try:
                 #create a record for the buyer if not exist
                 buyer = get_or_create(Buyer, name = "Trump", email = "trump@gmail.com", phone
                 session.add(buyer)
                 #sync with database so buyer.id is available
                 session.flush()
                 #find corresponding agentID, officeID, and sale price from the House Listing
                 agentid = session.query(
```

Usage:

```
HouseListing.agentID
).filter(
    HouseListing.id == listingid
).first()[0]
officeid = session.query(
    HouseListing.officeID
).filter(
    HouseListing.id == listingid
).first()[0]
saleprice = session.query(
    HouseListing.saleprice
).filter(
    HouseListing.id == listingid
).first()[0]
#create a sold record if not exist
soldRecord = get_or_create(SoldRecord, buyerID=buyer.id, agentID=agentid,
                           houseListingID=listingid, saledate=get_random_date
month = session.query(
    SoldRecord.saledate
).filter(
    SoldRecord.houseListingID == listingid
).first()[0].month
#update office_sale
curr = session.query(
    Office_Sale.officeTotalSale
).filter(
    Office_Sale.officeID == officeid
).first()[0]
session.query(
    Office_Sale
).filter(
    Office_Sale.officeID == officeid
).update(
    {'officeTotalSale': curr + saleprice, 'month': month}
#update agent_commission
if saleprice < 100000:</pre>
    commission = saleprice * 0.1
elif 100000 <= saleprice < 200000:
    commission = saleprice * 0.075
elif 200000 <= saleprice < 500000:
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elif 500000 <= saleprice < 1000000:
                     commission = saleprice * 0.05
                 else:
                     commission = saleprice * 0.04
                 curr = session.query(
                     Agent_Commission.commission
                 ).filter(
                     Agent_Commission.agentID == agentid
                 ).first()[0]
                 session.query(
                     Agent_Commission
                 ).filter(
                     Agent_Commission.agentID == agentid
                 ).update(
                     {'commission': curr + commission, 'month': month}
                 )
                 #update the status of listing. Put this at the last entry of the transaction
                 #because it should have front end correspondence (e.g. change status text)
                 #so if the transaction failed, the front end should not respond and thus staf
                 session.query(
                     HouseListing
                 ).filter(
                     HouseListing.id == listingid
                 ).update(
                     {'sold': True}
                 )
                 # Success, commit everything
                 session.commit()
             except:
                 # if the transaction failed, roll back to the last status
                 session.rollback()
                 print("transaction failed. Redo the transaction again")
                 raise
         Transaction(1)
In [13]: #check if buyer table is created successfully
         pd.read_sql(session.query(Buyer).statement, session.bind)
Out[13]:
            id
                 name
                                 email phone
             1 Trump trump@gmail.com 54321
In [14]: #check if the office total sale is updated.
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commission = saleprice * 0.06

```
pd.read_sql(session.query(Office_Sale).filter(Office_Sale.officeID == 1).statement, se
Out [14]:
            officeID
                     officeTotalSale month
                                 80000
In [15]: #check if the commission is updated
         pd.read_sql(session.query(Agent_Commission).filter(Agent_Commission.agentID == 1).sta
Out[15]:
            agentID commission month
         0
                  1
                            8000
                                     12
In [16]: #check if the housing list is marked as sold
         pd.read_sql(session.query(HouseListing).filter(HouseListing.id == 1).statement, session.
            id sellerID agentID officeID nbedroom nbathroom saleprice
                                                                                zipcode
                                                                         80000
                                                                                  99999
             listdate sold
         0 2018-11-16 True
Make Transactions so that all houses are sold
In [17]: session = Session()
         for i in range(2, 10, 1):
             Transaction(i)
In [18]: pd.read_sql(session.query(HouseListing).statement, session.bind)
Out[18]:
            id
                sellerID
                          agentID
                                    {\tt officeID}
                                              nbedroom nbathroom
                                                                    saleprice
                                                                                zipcode \
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             listdate sold
         0 2018-11-16 True
         1 2018-11-07
                       True
         2 2018-11-27
                       True
         3 2018-11-14
                       True
         4 2018-11-08 True
         5 2018-11-13 True
         6 2018-11-29 True
         7 2018-11-05 True
         8 2018-11-07 True
```

0.0.6 Test Queries. Assume that month refers to 12.

Find the top 5 offices with the most sales for that month. (I only have three offices in total so all of them will be returned)

```
In [21]: session = Session()
         query = (session.query(Office_Sale)
                  .filter_by(month=12)
                  .order_by(Office_Sale.officeTotalSale.desc())
                  .limit(5)
                 )
         pd.read_sql(query.statement, session.bind)
Out[21]:
            officeID officeTotalSale month
                              2400000
                   3
                                          12
                   2
                                          12
         1
                               950000
         2
                   1
                               580000
                                           12
```

Find the top 5 estate agents who have sold the most (include their contact details and their sales details so that it is easy contact them and congratulate them).

```
In [25]: session = Session()
         query = (session.query(Agent_Commission)
                  .join(Agent)
                 .filter(Agent.id==Agent_Commission.agentID, Agent_Commission.month==12)
                 .order_by(Agent_Commission.commission.desc())
                 .limit(5)
                 )
         pd.read_sql(query.statement, session.bind)
Out [25]:
            agentID
                     commission month
                  4
                          73000
                                     12
         1
                  3
                          39000
                                     12
         2
                  5
                          30000
                                     12
         3
                  6
                          30000
                                     12
                  1
                           15500
                                     12
```

Calculate the commission that each estate agent must receive and store the results in a separate table.

```
1
          2
                   12000
                               12
2
          3
                   39000
                               12
3
          4
                   73000
                               12
4
          5
                   30000
                               12
5
          6
                   30000
                               12
```

For all houses that were sold that month, calculate the average number of days that the house was on the market. I cannot figure out how to subtract two date columns. I tried using func.datediff, but it keeps giving me syntax error.

```
In [76]: session = Session()
         query = (session.query(HouseListing.listdate, SoldRecord.saledate)
                 .join(SoldRecord)
                 .filter(HouseListing.id==SoldRecord.houseListingID,
                         extract('month', SoldRecord.saledate) == 12)
                 )
         # query = (session.query(func.datediff(text('day'), SoldRecord.saledate, HouseListing
                                   extract('month', SoldRecord.saledate).label('month'))
         #
                   .join(HouseListing)
                   .filter(SoldRecord.houseListingID == HouseListing.id,
         #
                           extract('month', SoldRecord.saledate) == 12)
         #
           query = (session.query(func.avg((SoldRecord.saledate - HouseListing.listdate).days)
                                   extract('month', SoldRecord.saledate).label('month'))
         #
                   .join(HouseListing)
                   .filter(SoldRecord.houseListingID == HouseListing.id,
         #
                           extract('month', SoldRecord.saledate) == 12)
                   )
         average = []
         for i in query:
             delta = i[1] - i[0]
             average.append(delta.days)
         print("average days for sale", np.mean(average))
         pd.read_sql(query.statement, session.bind)
average days for sale 27.444444444
Out [76]:
             listdate
                        saledate
         0 2018-11-16 2018-12-09
         1 2018-11-07 2018-12-22
         2 2018-11-27 2018-12-16
```

3 2018-11-14 2018-12-08

```
4 2018-11-08 2018-12-05
5 2018-11-13 2018-12-09
6 2018-11-29 2018-12-10
7 2018-11-05 2018-12-07
8 2018-11-07 2018-12-17
```

For all houses that were sold that month, calculate the average selling price

Find the zip codes with the top 5 average sales prices

```
In [96]: session = Session()
         query = (session.query(HouseListing.zipcode, func.avg(HouseListing.saleprice).label(')
                 .join(SoldRecord)
                 .group_by(HouseListing.zipcode)
                 .filter(HouseListing.id==SoldRecord.houseListingID)
                 .order_by(func.avg(HouseListing.saleprice).desc())
                 .limit(5)
                 )
         pd.read_sql(query.statement, session.bind)
Out [96]:
            zipcode average sale price
                         1200000.000000
         0
              77777
         1
              77776
                          600000.000000
         2
              99998
                          500000.000000
         3
              88887
                          283333.333333
                          100000.000000
              88888
```

Return the sum of total sale in the entire company

pd.read_sql(query.statement, session.bind)

Out[72]: sum 0 3930000