What languages should you NOT learn in 2019?

www.zdnet.com/article/programming-languages-dont-bother-learning-these-ones-in-2019/

"Codementor, a startup that connects developers with questions to developers with answers, has created a list of the **worst programming languages to learn**, based on community engagement, growth, and the job market.

Last year, the company decided that Dart, Objective-C, CoffeeScript, Lua, and Erlang were the top five programming languages not worth learning.

This year, the company focused on which languages aspiring developers should not learn as a first programming language. For this reason, it excluded the top three most popular languages: JavaScript, Python, and Java. **The company's data suggests that languages to not bother learning this year are Elm, CoffeeScript, Erlang, and Perl**. Kotlin, a popular language for building Android apps, rose from 18th place to 11th place on Codementor's worst-to-best list, while Dart was named the "most improved" language."

Announcements

Scheme Recursive Art Contest

Joining Tables

Reminder: John the Patriotic Dog Breeder

```
CREATE TABLE parents AS
SELECT "abraham" AS parent, "barack" AS child UNION
SELECT "abraham"          , "clinton"         UNION
SELECT "delano"           , "herbert"         UNION
SELECT "fillmore"         , "abraham"         UNION
SELECT "fillmore"         , "delano"          UNION
SELECT "fillmore"         , "grover"          UNION
SELECT "eisenhower"       , "fillmore";
```

Parents:

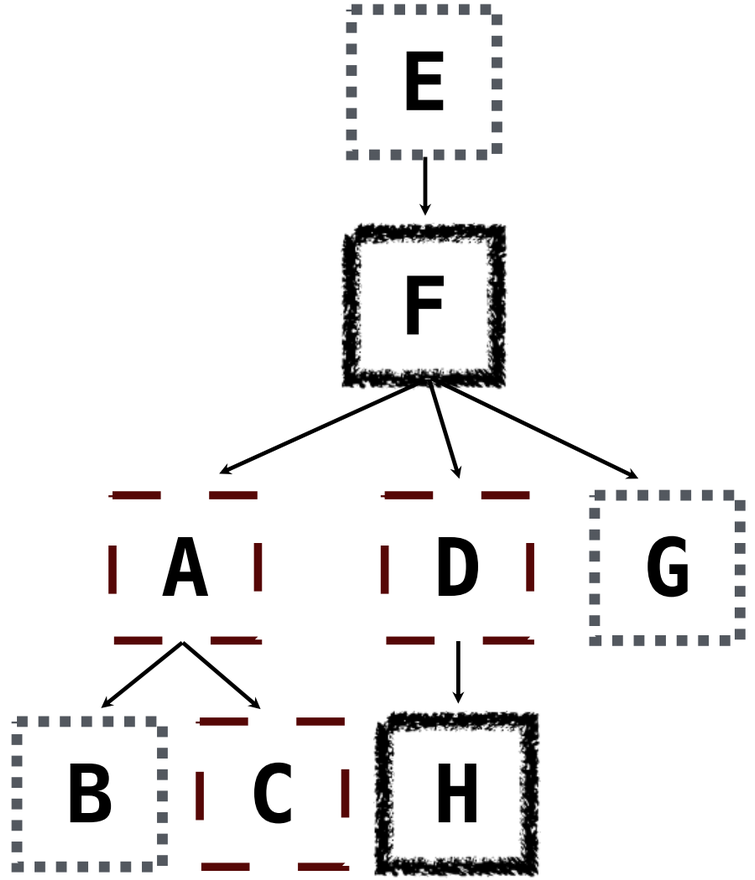
Parent	Child
abraham	barack
abraham	clinton
delano	herbert
fillmore	abraham
fillmore	delano
fillmore	grover
eisenhower	fillmore

Joining Two Tables

Two tables **A** & **B** are joined by a comma to yield all combos of a row from **A** & a row from **B**

```
CREATE TABLE dogs AS
  SELECT "abraham" AS name, "long" AS fur UNION
  SELECT "barack"         , "short"       UNION
  SELECT "clinton"        , "long"        UNION
  SELECT "delano"         , "long"        UNION
  SELECT "eisenhower"     , "short"       UNION
  SELECT "fillmore"       , "curly"       UNION
  SELECT "grover"         , "short"       UNION
  SELECT "herbert"        , "curly";

CREATE TABLE parents AS
  SELECT "abraham" AS parent, "barack" AS child UNION
  SELECT "abraham"          , "clinton"         UNION
  ...;
```



Select the parents of curly-furred dogs

```
SELECT parent FROM parents, dogs
              WHERE child = name AND fur = "curly";
```

(Demo1)

Aliases and Dot Expressions

Joining a Table with Itself

Two tables may share a column name; dot expressions and aliases disambiguate column values

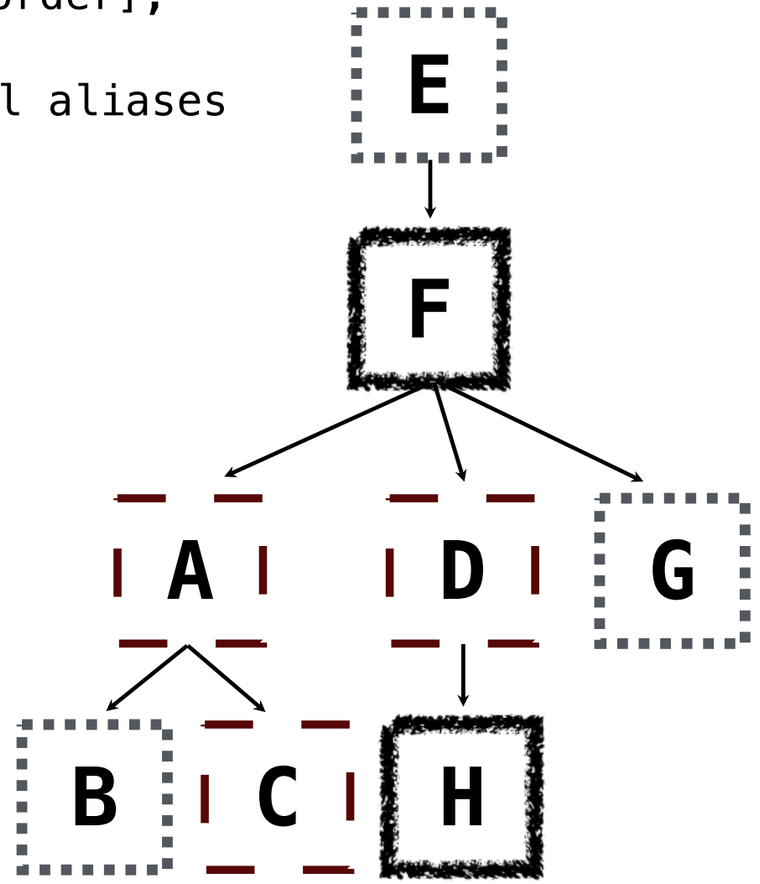
```
SELECT [columns] FROM [table] WHERE [condition] ORDER BY [order];
```

[table] is a comma-separated list of table names with optional aliases

Select all pairs of siblings

```
SELECT a.child AS first, b.child AS second
  FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
  WHERE a.parent = b.parent AND a.child < b.child;
```

First	Second
barack	clinton
abraham	delano
abraham	grover
delano	grover



Example: Grandparents

Which select statement evaluates to all grandparent, grandchild pairs?

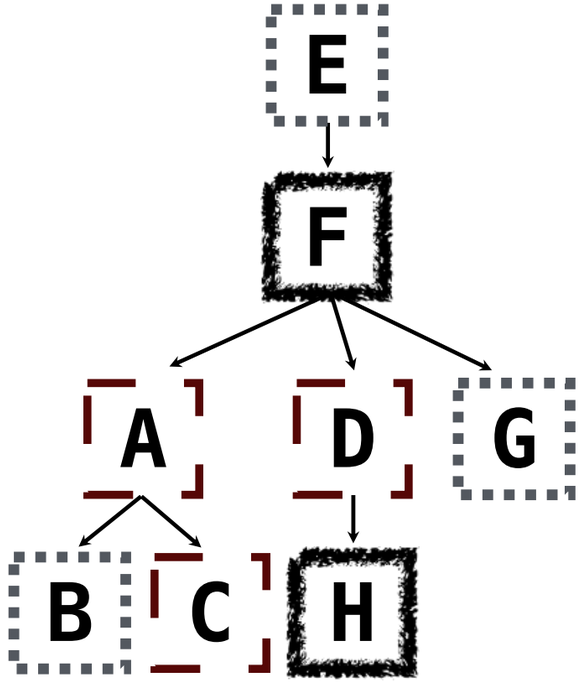
1
```
SELECT a.grandparent, b.child FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
                              WHERE b.parent = a.child;
```

2
```
SELECT a.parent, b.child FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
                         WHERE a.parent = b.child;
```

3
```
SELECT a.parent, b.child FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
                         WHERE a.child = b.parent;
```

4
```
SELECT a.grandparent, b.child FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
                              WHERE a.parent = b.child;
```

5 None of the above



Joining Multiple Tables

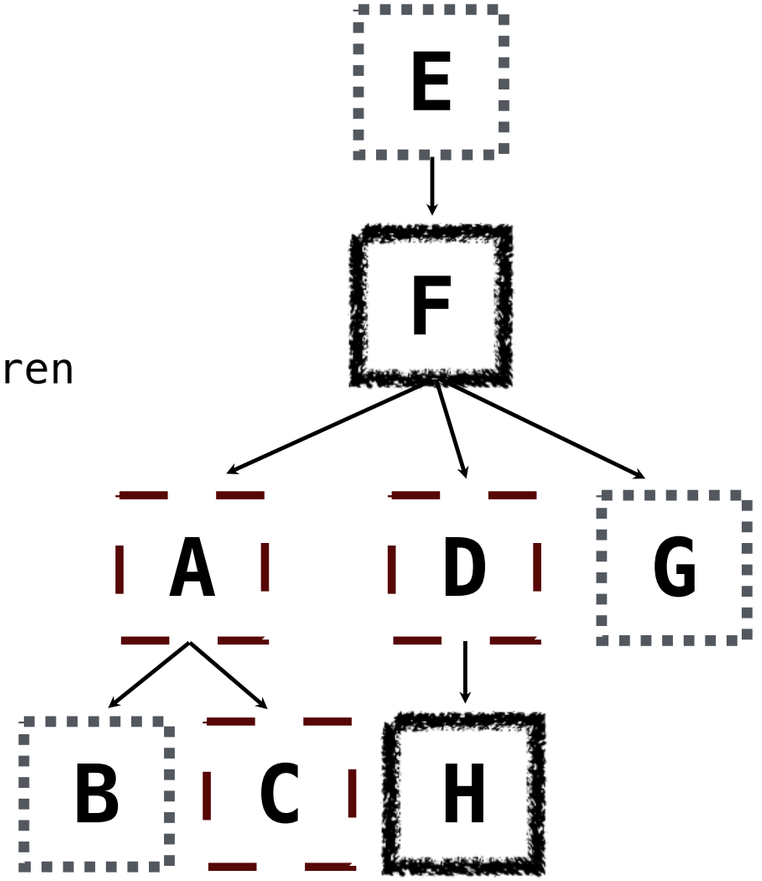
Multiple tables can be joined to yield all combinations of rows from each

```
CREATE TABLE grandparents AS
  SELECT a.parent AS grandog, b.child AS granpup
    FROM parents AS a, parents AS b
    WHERE b.parent = a.child;
```

Select all grandparents with the same fur as their grandchildren

Which tables need to be joined together?

```
SELECT grandog FROM grandparents, dogs AS c, dogs AS d
                WHERE grandog = c.name AND
                      granpup = d.name AND
                      c.fur = d.fur;
```



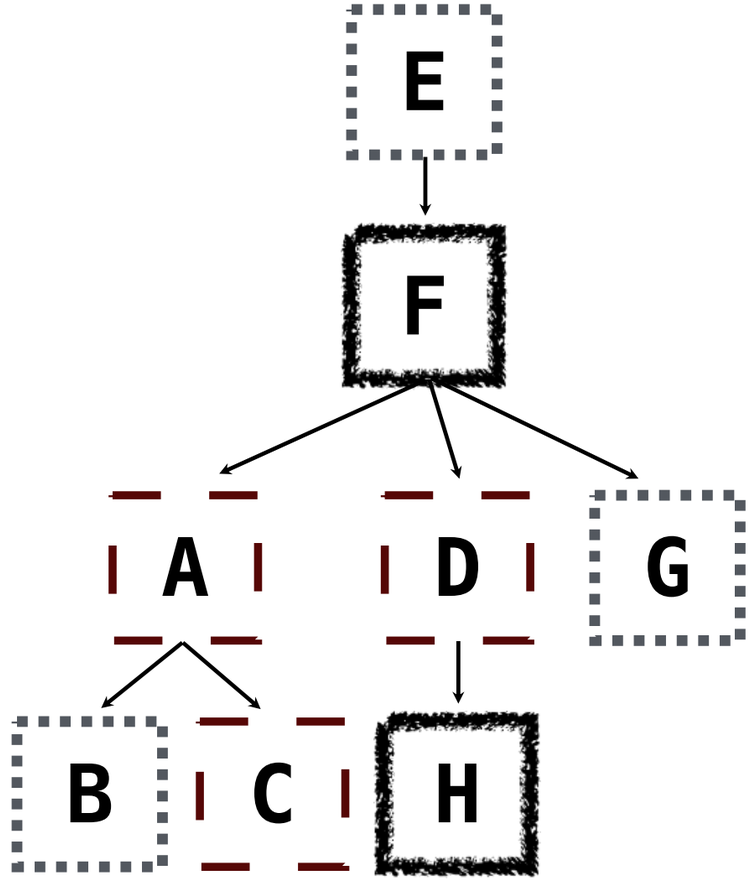
Example: Dog Triples

Fall 2014 Quiz Question (Slightly Modified)

Write a SQL query that selects all possible combinations of three different dogs with the same fur and lists each triple in *inverse* alphabetical order

```
CREATE TABLE dogs AS
  SELECT "abraham" AS name, "long" AS fur UNION
  SELECT "barack"         , "short"       UNION
  ...;

CREATE TABLE parents AS
  SELECT "abraham" AS parent, "barack" AS child UNION
  SELECT "abraham"          , "clinton"         UNION
  ...;
```



Expected output:

```
delano|clinton|abraham
grover|eisenhower|barack
```

(Demo2)

Numerical Expressions

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Expressions can contain function calls and arithmetic operators

```
[expression] AS [name], [expression] AS [name], ...

SELECT [columns] FROM [table] WHERE [expression] ORDER BY [expression];
```

Combine values: +, -, *, /, %, and, or

Transform values: abs, round, not, -

Compare values: <, <=, >, >=, <>, !=, =

(Demo3)

String Expressions

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String values can be combined to form longer strings

```
sqlite> SELECT "hello," || " world";
hello, world
```

Basic string manipulation is built into SQL, but differs from Python

```
sqlite> CREATE TABLE phrase AS SELECT "hello, world" AS s;
sqlite> SELECT substr(s, 4, 2) || substr(s, instr(s, " ")+1, 1) FROM phrase;
low
```

Strings can be used to represent structured values, but doing so is rarely a good idea

```
sqlite> CREATE TABLE lists AS SELECT "one" AS car, "two,three,four" AS cdr;
sqlite> SELECT substr(cdr, 1, instr(cdr, ",")-1) AS cadr FROM lists;
two
```

(Demo4)