

# Advanced Analytics with SQL

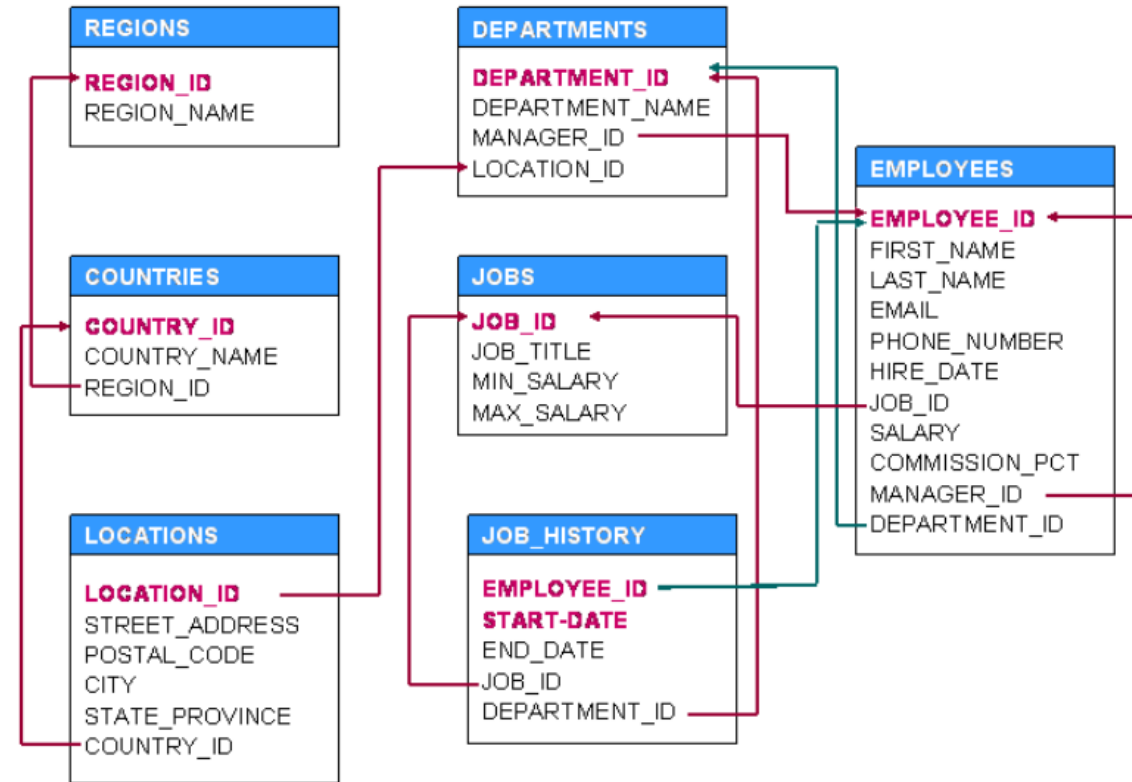
CS 341 Database Systems

# Recall: Subqueries



# Subquery Example

Retrieve employees who are located in location # 1700



# Comparison

Comparison operators  
(=, >, >=, <, <=, <>)

Find the employee(s) who  
have the highest salary

```
SELECT
    employee_id, first_name, last_name,
    salary
FROM
    employees
WHERE
    salary = (SELECT
                MAX(salary)
            FROM
                employees)
ORDER BY first_name , last_name;
```

# Correlated Subqueries

- A subquery that uses values from the outer query.
- The inner query depends on the row that is currently being examined in the outer query.

```
SELECT
    employee_id, first_name, last_name, salary,
    department_id
FROM
    employees e
WHERE
    salary > (SELECT
                AVG(salary)
            FROM
                employees
            WHERE
                department_id = e.department_id)
ORDER BY department_id, first_name, last_name;
```

# ANY - ALL

Find all employees whose salaries are greater than the lowest salary of **every** department

$X > \text{ALL}(\text{subquery})$  - evaluates to true if  $x$  is greater than every value returned by the subquery.

$X > \text{ANY}(\text{subquery})$  - evaluates to true if  $x$  is greater than any value returned by the subquery.

```
SELECT
    employee_id, first_name, last_name,
    salary
FROM
    employees
WHERE
    salary >= ALL (SELECT
                    MIN(salary)
                    FROM
                        employees
                    GROUP BY department_id)
ORDER BY first_name , last_name;
```

# Refactoring

- **Refactoring** is the process of restructuring existing code or queries without changing their external behavior or output. The goal of refactoring is to improve readability, maintainability (updates/debugging code), performance, or structure.

Refactoring in SQL involves:

- Replacing nested subqueries with CTEs or derived tables for better clarity.
- Using window functions instead of complex aggregations.
- Simplifying joins and filtering logic.

# WITH clause

```
WITH cte_name (column1, column2, ...) AS (  
    -- Subquery or SQL statement here  
)  
SELECT *  
FROM cte_name;
```

```
WITH sid_103 AS (  
    SELECT sid FROM Reserves WHERE bid=103  
)  
SELECT * FROM sid_103;
```

```
WITH sid_103 AS (  
    SELECT sid FROM Reserves WHERE bid=103  
)  
SELECT DISTINCT sname FROM Sailors S WHERE  
sid IN (SELECT * FROM sid_103);
```

- Also known as CTE – Common Table Expression used to define a temporary table or result set that can be referenced in another query in SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE or DELETE.
- Works like Assignment operator in relational algebra allowing to break complex SQL queries into smaller and manageable parts.

*\* You can use the CTE as another table available to this specific query*



# Lab11 - Question 23



Find department names whose total salary is greater than the average organization salary. Note that the average organization salary is the average of all department totals.

```
WITH DepartmentTotalSalaries AS (  
    SELECT department_name, SUM(salary) AS total_salary  
    FROM employees e join departments d ON e.department_id=d.department_id  
    GROUP BY department_name  
),  
AverageOrganizationSalary AS (  
    SELECT AVG(total_salary) AS avg_org_salary  
    FROM DepartmentTotalSalaries  
)  
  
SELECT department_name  
FROM DepartmentTotalSalaries  
WHERE total_salary > (SELECT avg_org_salary FROM AverageOrganizationSalary);
```

# Window Functions



# How is this different?

## Joins

Bring together  
tables/information  
for analysis

## Subqueries

Nested queries  
(query within a  
query)  
for a deep dive  
into data

## Window Functions

Allow calculations  
across a specified  
range of rows.

# Window Functions

- *A powerful tool that allows you to perform calculations across a set of rows that are related to the current row within the same query result.*
- **Group by:** Collapses data into a single output for each group
- **Window functions:** Maintain the individual rows in addition to new insights.

# Use Cases


- **Ranking:** Assigning ranks to rows based on specific criteria.
- **Running Totals:** Calculating cumulative sums or averages.
- **Moving Averages:** Smoothing out fluctuations in data over a specified range.
- **Lag and Lead Analysis:** Comparing values from different rows within the same dataset.

# View all Employees

```

1  SELECT
2      EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY
3  FROM EMPLOYEES ORDER BY DEPARTMENT_ID;

```

Query Result x			
 All Rows Fetched: 108 in 0.009 seconds			
	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY
1	200	10	4400
2	201	20	13000
3	202	20	6000
4	114	30	11000
5	119	30	2500
6	115	30	3100
7	116	30	2900
8	117	30	2800
9	118	30	2600
10	203	40	6500

# Group by with Aggregate Function

```

7 SELECT
8     DEPARTMENT_ID, ROUND(AVG(SALARY), 2)
9 FROM EMPLOYEES
10 GROUP BY DEPARTMENT_ID
11 ORDER BY DEPARTMENT_ID;

```

Query Result x

SQL | All Rows Fetched: 12 in 0.003 seconds

	DEPARTMENT_ID	ROUND(AVG(SALARY),2)
1	10	4400
2	20	9500
3	30	4150
4	40	6500
5	50	3475.56
6	60	5760
7	70	10000
8	80	8955.88
9	90	29500
10	100	8601.33
11	110	10154
12	(null)	7000

# How does the group by work?

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY
1	200	10	4400

Department 10

Department 20

2	201	20	13000
3	202	20	6000

Department 30

4	114	30	11000
5	119	30	2500
6	115	30	3100
7	116	30	2900
8	117	30	2800
9	118	30	2600



```
14 SELECT
15     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
16     AVG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID) AS DEPT_AVG
17 FROM EMPLOYEES;
18
```

[illegible]

# ROUND

```

20 SELECT
21     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
22     ROUND(AVG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID), 2) AS DEPT_AVG
23 FROM EMPLOYEES;
24

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.004 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	DEPT_AVG
1	200	10	4400	4400
2	201	20	13000	9500
3	202	20	6000	9500
4	114	30	11000	4150
5	119	30	2500	4150
6	115	30	3100	4150
7	116	30	2900	4150
8	117	30	2800	4150
9	118	30	2600	4150
10	203	40	6500	6500
11	198	50	2600	3475.56
12	199	50	2600	3475.56
13	120	50	8000	3475.56





# Department Name

```

26 SELECT
27     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY,
28     ROUND(AVG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID), 2) AS DEPT_AVG
29 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID);
30

```

Query Result x

    SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.006 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY	DEPT_AVG
1	200	Administration	4400	4400
2	201	Marketing	13000	9500
3	202	Marketing	6000	9500
4	114	Purchasing	11000	4150
5	119	Purchasing	2500	4150
6	115	Purchasing	3100	4150
7	116	Purchasing	2900	4150
8	117	Purchasing	2800	4150
9	118	Purchasing	2600	4150
10	203	Human Resources	6500	6500
11	198	Shipping	2600	3475.56
12	199	Shipping	2600	3475.56

# Visualize the Windows

```
6 SELECT
7     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY
8 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID)
9 ORDER BY DEPARTMENT_NAME;
```

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY
1	205	Accounting	12008
2	206	Accounting	8300

4	101	Executive	17000
5	102	Executive	17000
6	800	Executive	60000
7	100	Executive	24000

8	108	Finance	12008
9	110	Finance	8200
10	109	Finance	9000
11	112	Finance	7800
12	113	Finance	6900
13	111	Finance	7700

# Syntax: OVER ( )

- **OVER() clause** creates a window.
- When there is nothing written within the bracket, it creates a large window with all the rows of the table

```

38 SELECT
39     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
40     ROUND(AVG(SALARY) OVER (), 2) AS ORG_AVG
41 FROM EMPLOYEES;
42

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.003 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	ORG_AVG
1	198	50	2600	6957.56
2	199	50	2600	6957.56
3	200	10	4400	6957.56
4	201	20	13000	6957.56
5	202	20	6000	6957.56
6	203	40	6500	6957.56
7	204	70	10000	6957.56
8	205	110	12008	6957.56

# Syntax: Partition By

- OVER(Partition By \_\_\_\_\_)** : The groups of rows are formed on the basis of the partition specified.

```

44 SELECT
45     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
46     ROUND(AVG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID),2) AS DEPT_AVG
47 FROM EMPLOYEES;
48
49

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.002 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	DEPT_AVG
1	200	10	4400	4400
2	201	20	13000	9500
3	202	20	6000	9500
4	114	30	11000	4150
5	119	30	2500	4150
6	115	30	3100	4150
7	116	30	2900	4150

# More Aggregates alongside original rows

```

50 SELECT
51     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY,
52     ROUND(AVG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_NAME), 2) AS DEPT_AVG,
53     MIN(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_NAME) AS DEPT_MIN,
54     MAX(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_NAME) AS DEPT_MAX
55 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID);
56

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.005 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY	DEPT_AVG	DEPT_MIN	DEPT_MAX
1	205	Accounting	12008	10154	8300	12008
2	206	Accounting	8300	10154	8300	12008
3	200	Administration	4400	4400	4400	4400
4	101	Executive	17000	29500	17000	60000
5	102	Executive	17000	29500	17000	60000
6	800	Executive	60000	29500	17000	60000
7	100	Executive	24000	29500	17000	60000



# Department-wise total salary along with each employee information

```

58 SELECT
59     EMPLOYEE_ID, FIRST_NAME, LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
60     SUM(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID)
61     AS CUMULATIVESALARY
62 FROM EMPLOYEES
63

```

Script Output x Query Result x						
SQL   Fetched 50 rows in 0.004 seconds						
	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	CUMULATIVESALARY
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	4400
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	19000
3	202	Pat	Fav	20	6000	19000
4	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	24900
5	119	Karen	Colmenares	30	2500	24900
6	115	Alexander	Khoo	30	3100	24900
7	116	Shelli	Baida	30	2900	24900
8	117	Sigal	Tobias	30	2800	24900
9	118	Guy	Himuro	30	2600	24900
10	203	Susan	Mavris	40	6500	6500



# Department-wise cumulative salary along with each employee information (running total)

```
58 SELECT
59     EMPLOYEE_ID, FIRST_NAME, LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
60     SUM(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY SALARY DESC)
61     AS CumulativeSalary
62 FROM EMPLOYEES
63
```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.003 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	CUMULATIVESALARY
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	4400
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	13000
3	202	Pat	Fay	20	6000	19000
4	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	11000
5	115	Alexander	Khoo	30	3100	14100
6	116	Shelli	Baida	30	2900	17000
7	117	Sigal	Tobias	30	2800	19800



# Window Functions with OVER clause

- **RANK():** used to rank items within a partition
- **OVER (ORDER BY salary DESC)** - orders rows within each window

```
76 SELECT
77     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY,
78     RANK() OVER (ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS OVERALL_RANK
79 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID);
```

Query Result x | Script Output x | Query Result 1 x | Query Result 2 x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.004 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY	OVERALL_RANK
1	800	Executive	60000	1
2	100	Executive	24000	2
3	102	Executive	17000	3
4	101	Executive	17000	3
5	145	Sales	14000	5
6	146	Sales	13500	6
7	201	Marketing	13000	7
8	108	Finance	12008	8
9	205	Accounting	12008	8
10	147	Sales	12000	10
11	168	Sales	11500	11
12	114	Purchasing	11000	12
13	148	Sales	11000	12
14	174	Sales	11000	12

# RANK () with partition

```

82 SELECT
83     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY,
84     RANK() OVER(ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS OVERALL_RANK,
85     RANK() OVER(PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_NAME ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS DEPT_RANK
86 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID);
87 ORDER BY DEPARTMENT_NAME;

```

Query Result x   Script Output x   Query Result 1 x   Query Result 2 x					
SQL   Fetched 50 rows in 0.003 seconds					
	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY	OVERALL_RANK	DEPT_RANK
1	800	Executive	60000	1	1
2	100	Executive	24000	2	2
3	101	Executive	17000	3	3
4	102	Executive	17000	3	3
5	145	Sales	14000	5	1
6	146	Sales	13500	6	2
7	201	Marketing	13000	7	1
8	108	Finance	12008	8	1
9	205	Accounting	12008	8	1
10	147	Sales	12000	10	3
11	168	Sales	11500	11	4
12	148	Sales	11000	12	5
13	174	Sales	11000	12	5
14	114	Purchasing	11000	12	1

# DENSE\_RANK()

Does not skip a rank for duplicate values in the data.

```

90 SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_NAME, SALARY,
91      RANK() OVER(ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS OVERALL_RANK,
92      DENSE_RANK() OVER(ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS OVERALL_RANK
93      --RANK() OVER(PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_NAME ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS DEPT_RANK
94 FROM EMPLOYEES JOIN DEPARTMENTS USING (DEPARTMENT_ID);

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.004 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME	SALARY	OVERALL_RANK	OVERALL_RANK_1
1	800	Executive	60000	1	1
2	100	Executive	24000	2	2
3	102	Executive	17000	3	3
4	101	Executive	17000	3	3
5	145	Sales	14000	5	4
6	146	Sales	13500	6	5
7	201	Marketing	13000	7	6
8	108	Finance	12008	8	7
9	205	Accounting	12008	8	7
10	147	Sales	12000	10	8
11	168	Sales	11500	11	9
12	114	Purchasing	11000	12	10
13	148	Sales	11000	12	10
14	174	Sales	11000	12	10
15	162	Sales	10500	15	11

# Find the highest salaried person in each department using the RANK window function

```

97 WITH RANKEDEMPLOYEES AS
98     (SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID, FIRST_NAME, LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
99         RANK() OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS SALARYRANK
100        FROM EMPLOYEES)
101 SELECT * FROM RANKEDEMPLOYEES WHERE SALARYRANK = 1;

```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.003 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	SALARYRANK
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	1
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	1
3	202	Pat	Fav	20	6000	2
4	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	1
5	115	Alexander	Khoo	30	3100	2
6	116	Shelli	Baida	30	2900	3
7	117	Sigal	Tobias	30	2800	4
8	118	Guy	Himuro	30	2600	5
9	119	Karen	Colmenares	30	2500	6



# Find the highest salaried person in each department using the RANK window function



```
97 WITH RANKEmployees AS
98   (SELECT Employee_ID, First_Name, Last_Name, Department_ID, Salary,
99     RANK() OVER (PARTITION BY Department_ID ORDER BY Salary DESC) AS SalaryRank
100    FROM Employees)
101 SELECT * FROM RANKEmployees WHERE SalaryRank = 1;
```

Query Result x

SQL | All Rows Fetched: 12 in 0.004 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	SALARYRANK
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	1
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	1
3	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	1
4	203	Susan	Mavris	40	6500	1
5	121	Adam	Fripp	50	8200	1
6	103	Alexander	Hunold	60	9000	1
7	204	Hermann	Baer	70	10000	1
8	145	John	Russell	80	14000	1
9	800	Muhammad	Shehzad	90	60000	1
10	108	Nancy	Greenberg	100	12008	1
11	205	Shelley	Higgins	110	12008	1
12	178	Kimberely	Grant	(null)	7000	1

# ROW\_NUMBER()

```

104 SELECT
105     EMPLOYEE_ID, FIRST_NAME, LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
106     ROW_NUMBER() OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS MyRowNum
107 FROM EMPLOYEES;
108
109

```

Query Result x						
SQL   Fetched 50 rows in 0.003 seconds						
	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	MYROWNUM
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	1
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	1
3	202	Pat	Fay	20	6000	2
4	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	1
5	115	Alexander	Khoo	30	3100	2
6	116	Shelli	Baida	30	2900	3
7	117	Sigal	Tobias	30	2800	4



# Working Similar to Ranking

```

110 WITH RANKEDEMPLOYEES AS
111 (SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID, FIRST_NAME, LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
112 ROW_NUMBER() OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY SALARY DESC) AS MYROWNUM
113 FROM EMPLOYEES)
114 SELECT *FROM RANKEDEMPLOYEES WHERE MYROWNUM <= 3;
115

```

Query Result x						
All Rows Fetched: 26 in 0.005 seconds						
	EMPLOYEE_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	MYROWNUM
1	200	Jennifer	Whalen	10	4400	1
2	201	Michael	Hartstein	20	13000	1
3	202	Pat	Fay	20	6000	2
4	114	Den	Raphaely	30	11000	1
5	115	Alexander	Khoo	30	3100	2
6	116	Shelli	Baida	30	2900	3
7	203	Susan	Mayris	40	6500	1
8	121	Adam	Fripp	50	8200	1
9	120	Matthew	Weiss	50	8000	2
10	122	Pavam	Kaufling	50	7900	3

# LAG ()

- Write a query to compare salary of each employee with the previous employee in the same department.
- By default, lag checks previous row.
- Lag (salary, 2 ,0) → attribute, 2 record previous to the selected, default value

```
117 SELECT
118     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
119     LAG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY EMPLOYEE_ID)
120     AS PREV_EMP_SALARY
121 FROM EMPLOYEES E;
122
```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.002 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	PREV_EMP_SALARY
1	200	10	4400	(null)
2	201	20	13000	(null)
3	202	20	6000	13000
4	114	30	11000	(null)
5	115	30	3100	11000
6	116	30	2900	3100
7	117	30	2800	2900
8	118	30	2600	2800
9	119	30	2500	2600

# LEAD ()

Similar to lag, now for rows following or next to the specific record

```
124 SELECT
125     EMPLOYEE_ID, DEPARTMENT_ID, SALARY,
126     LAG(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY EMPLOYEE_ID)
127     AS PREV_EMP_SALARY,
128     LEAD(SALARY) OVER (PARTITION BY DEPARTMENT_ID ORDER BY EMPLOYEE_ID)
129     AS NEXT_EMP_SALARY
130 FROM EMPLOYEES E;
```

Query Result x

SQL | Fetched 50 rows in 0.005 seconds

	EMPLOYEE_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID	SALARY	PREV_EMP_SALARY	NEXT_EMP_SALARY
1	200	10	4400	(null)	(null)
2	201	20	13000	(null)	6000
3	202	20	6000	13000	(null)
4	114	30	11000	(null)	3100
5	115	30	3100	11000	2900
6	116	30	2900	3100	2800
7	117	30	2800	2900	2600
8	118	30	2600	2800	2500
9	119	30	2500	2600	(null)
10	203	40	6500	(null)	(null)
11	120	50	8000	(null)	8200

# Practice Questions

Test it out on  
SQL Developer

# Write SQL queries using Window Functions

1. Write a query to display if the salary of an employee is higher, lower or equal to the previous employee in the same department.
2. Get the Top 3 employees with highest salaries in each Job title.
3. Assign row number to the employees table based on the increasing value of commission. Ignore the employees having a null valued commission. Output employee\_id, department\_id, commission and row number.