

Chapter 5

SQL



SQL

- Structured Query Language
 - Developed at IBM original as SEQUEL
 - Based on Relational Algebra and Tuple Calculus
 - VERY GOOD at handling structured data
- Main components
 - DDL (Data Definition Language)
 - DML (Data Manipulation Language)
 - Select
 - Insert
 - Update
 - Delete



Assumptions

- Working with the same tables/relations

Sailors(sid:int, sname:string, rating:int, age:real)

Boats(bid: int, bname:string, color:string)

Reserves(sid:int, bid: int, day: date)

SELECT Statement

- case INSENSITIVE
- Basic Syntactical Form

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list | *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions | AND | OR | IS NULL>] ;
```

Notation:

Blue: keywords

[]: optional arguments

<>: mandatory arguments

|: or



```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries – all rows

- Get all data from Sailors (all columns – all rows)

```
SELECT *  
FROM Sailors;
```

- With alias for Sailors table

```
SELECT *  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- Get sailor ids and sailor names from Sailors table (all rows)

```
SELECT S.sid, S.sname  
FROM Sailors S;
```



```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries (2) - Distinct

- Get unique sailor names from Sailors table (all rows)

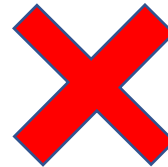
```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- Get unique values of sailor names and ratings from Sailors table

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname, S.rating  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- WRONG SQL

```
SELECT S.sname DISTINCT S.rating  
FROM Sailors S;
```



```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries (3) - tuples

- Get unique sailor names over 18 from Sailors table

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age>18;
```

- Get unique sailor names over 18 and rating less or equal 8 from Sailors table

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age>18 AND  
S.rating<=8;
```



```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries (4) conditions

- Get unique sailor names over 18 or rating less or equal 8 from Sailors table

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age>18 OR  
S.rating<=8;
```

- Get unique sailor names and show their age next year.

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname AS Name, S.age + 1 AS age_next_year  
FROM Sailors S;
```

Notes: Alias for columns




```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries (5) - Mathematical

- Get sailor names whose age is twice their rating

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age= 2* S.rating;
```

- Get sailor names whose twice their age is 3 times their rating

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE 2*S.age= 3* S.rating;
```



```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>];
```

Simple Queries (6) - String

- Find ages of sailors whose name begin and end with B and at least 3 characters long.

```
SELECT S.age  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.sname LIKE 'B_%B';
```

- Find ages of sailors whose name contain the letter a

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.sname LIKE '%a%';
```

- Find ages of sailors whose name is 3 characters long

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.sname LIKE '___';
```



Simple Queries (7) - Sorting

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Get all data from Sailors names sorted alphabetically

```
SELECT *  
FROM Sailors S  
ORDER BY S.sname;
```

OR

```
SELECT *  
FROM Sailors S  
ORDER BY S.sname ASC;
```

- Get Sailor names sorted descending

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
ORDER BY S.sname DESC;
```

OR

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
ORDER BY 1 DESC;
```

- Get Sailors sorted by name then by rating

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
ORDER BY S.sname, S.rating ;
```



Join Queries

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who reserved boat id = 103.

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S, Reserves R  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = 103;
```

- OR

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S JOIN Reserves R ON S.sid = R.sid  
WHERE R.bid = 103;
```



Join Queries (2)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find sids of sailors who reserved a red boat.

```
SELECT Distinct R.sid  
FROM Reserves R, Boats B  
WHERE B.bid = R.bid AND  
      B.color = 'red';
```

- Find names of sailors over 18 who reserved a red boat.

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S, Reserves R, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      B.bid = R.bid AND  
      S.age>18 AND  
      B.color = 'red';
```



Join Queries (3)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who reserved at least one boat

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid;
```

- Find colors of boats reserved by Lubber.

```
SELECT DISTINCT B.color  
FROM Sailors S, Reserves R, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      B.bid = R.bid AND  
      S.sname = 'Lubber';
```



Nested Queries

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who have reserved a red boat

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.sid IN  
    (SELECT R.sid  
     FROM Reserves R  
     WHERE R.bid IN  
         (SELECT B.bid  
          FROM Boats B  
          WHERE B.color = 'red'));
```



Nested Queries (2)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who have not reserved a red boat

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.sid NOT IN  
  (SELECT R.sid  
   FROM Reserves R  
   WHERE R.bid IN  
     (SELECT B.bid  
      FROM Boats B  
      WHERE B.color = 'red'));
```



Nested Queries (3) - Correlated

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who have reserved a boat 103

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE EXISTS  
  (SELECT *  
   FROM Reserves R  
   WHERE R.bid = 103 AND  
         R.sid = S.sid);
```



Set Operations Queries

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who reserved a red or green boat

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='red'  
UNION  
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='green';
```

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      (B.color='red' OR B.color='green');
```



Set Operations Queries (2)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who reserved a red AND green boat

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='red'  
INTERSECT  
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='green';
```

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='red' AND  
      S.sid IN  
      (SELECT S.sid  
       FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
       WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
            R.bid = B.bid AND  
            B.color='green' );
```



Set Operations Queries (3)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM [relations list]  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors who reserved a red but not green boat

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='red'  
EXCEPT  
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='green';
```

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
      R.bid = B.bid AND  
      B.color='red' AND  
      S.sid NOT IN  
      (SELECT S.sid  
       FROM Reserves R, Sailors S, Boats B  
       WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND  
            R.bid = B.bid AND  
            B.color='green' );
```



Set Comparison Queries

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors whose rating is better than some sailor named 'Randy'

```
SELECT DISTINCT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.rating > ANY  
  (SELECT S2.rating  
   FROM Sailors S2  
   WHERE S2.sname = 'Randy');
```



Combining ideas

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- Find names of sailors reserved all boats

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE NOT EXISTS  
  (SELECT B.bid  
   FROM Boats B AND  
   B.bid NOT IN  
   (SELECT R.bid  
    FROM Reserves R  
   WHERE R.sid = S.sid));
```



Aggregate operators

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- How many Sailors do we have?

```
SELECT COUNT(*)  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- How many Sailors over 18 do we have?

```
SELECT COUNT(*)  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age>18;
```

- How many different Sailor ratings do we have?

```
SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT S.rating)  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- What is the average age of Sailors?

```
SELECT AVG(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S;
```



Aggregate operators (2)

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC|DESC]];
```

- What is the maximum age of Sailors?

```
SELECT MAX(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- What is the minimum age of Sailors?

```
SELECT MIN(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- What is the sum of ages of Sailors?

```
SELECT SUM(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S;
```

- Find the name of the oldest Sailor?

```
SELECT S.sname  
FROM Sailors S  
WHERE S.age =  
(SELECT MAX(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S);
```

```
SELECT S.sname, MAX(S.age)  
FROM Sailors S;
```



Group By

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[GROUP BY <columns>  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC| DESC]]];
```

- What is the maximum age of each sailor rating?

```
SELECT MAX(S.age), S.rating  
FROM Sailors S  
GROUP BY S.rating;
```

- What is the maximum age of each sailor rating sorted by rating?

```
SELECT MAX(S.age), S.rating  
FROM Sailors S  
GROUP BY S.rating  
ORDER BY 2;
```

- For each red boat, find the number of reservations?

```
SELECT B.bid, COUNT(*) AS reservationcount  
FROM Boats B, Reserves R  
WHERE R.bid = B.bid AND  
       B.color = 'red'  
GROUP BY B.bid;
```



Having

```
SELECT [DISTINCT] <columns list| *>  
FROM <relations list>  
[WHERE <conditions| AND| OR>]  
[GROUP BY <columns>  
  [HAVING <conditions>] ]  
[ORDER BY <columns> [ASC| DESC]];
```

- Find the average age of sailors in each rating group with at least two sailors. Sort by rating descending.

```
SELECT AVG(S.age), S.rating  
FROM Sailors S  
GROUP BY S.rating  
HAVING COUNT(*)>1  
ORDER BY 2 DESC;
```



Find the average age of sailors who are of voting age (i.e., at least 18years old) for each rating level that has at least two sailors.



- Find the average age of sailors who are of voting age (i.e., at least 18 years old) for each rating level that has at least two sailors.

- SELECT S.rating, AVG (S.age) AS avgage

FROM Sailors S

WHERE S. age >= 18

GROUP BY S.rating

HAVING 1 < (SELECT COUNT (*)

FROM Sailors S2

WHERE S.rating = S2.rating)

