

Aggregation

Lecture 7

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Aggregate Functions

- MySQL supports five aggregate functions.
 - COUNT ()
 - SUM ()
 - AVG ()
 - MAX ()
 - MIN ()

Aggregate Functions

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```
SELECT COUNT(*), SUM(salary), AVG(salary), MIN(salary), MAX(salary)
FROM employees;
```

COUNT(*)	SUM(salary)	AVG(salary)	MIN(salary)	MAX(salary)
12	595000.00	49583.333333	25000.00	100000.00

- Each function applies to the tuples in the table produced by the `SELECT` query.
- The functions `SUM()`, `AVG()`, `MAX()`, and `MIN()` must be applied to specific attributes.

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```
SELECT COUNT(*), SUM(salary), AVG(salary), MIN(salary), MAX(salary)
FROM employees WHERE dept = 2;
```

COUNT(*)	SUM(salary)	AVG(salary)	MIN(salary)	MAX(salary)
5	265000.00	53000.000000	35000.00	80000.00

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The GROUP BY Clause

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```
SELECT select_attribute_list
FROM table_name
WHERE condition
GROUP BY group_attribute_list
```

- We can use the GROUP BY clause to group the tuples according to one or more attributes.

The GROUP BY Clause

Group by Sex

```
SELECT sex, COUNT(*), MIN(bdate), MAX(bdate)
FROM employees
GROUP BY sex;
```

sex	COUNT(*)	MIN(bdate)	MAX(bdate)
F	6	1959-03-31	1985-12-02
M	6	1955-03-17	1986-06-12

- For example, we can group the employees by their sex.
- In such queries, we should also select the group-by attributes, but we should not select any attributes that vary within groups.

The GROUP BY Clause

Group by Sex and Department

```
SELECT dept, sex, COUNT(*), MIN(bdate), MAX(bdate)
FROM employees
GROUP BY dept, sex;
```

dept	sex	COUNT(*)	MIN(bdate)	MAX(bdate)
1	M	1	1974-02-15	1974-02-15
2	F	2	1968-05-22	1985-12-02
2	M	3	1966-11-24	1986-06-12
3	F	4	1959-03-31	1985-10-12
3	M	2	1955-03-17	1966-08-21

- We can group by more than one attribute.
- This will create subgroups within groups.

The HAVING Clause

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```
SELECT select_attribute_list
FROM table_name
WHERE tuple_condition
GROUP BY group_attribute_list
HAVING group_condition
```

- The HAVING clause is the same as the WHERE clause, except that it applies to groups, not tuples.
- The WHERE clause applies only to tuples.

The HAVING Clause

Average Salary by Department

```
SELECT dept, AVG(salary)
FROM employees
GROUP BY dept
HAVING AVG(salary) >= 50000;
```

dept	AVG(salary)
1	100000.000000
2	53000.000000

- Find all departments with an average salary of at least \$50,000.

The HAVING Clause

Average Salary by Department

```
SELECT dept, AVG(salary)
FROM employees
WHERE salary >= 50000
GROUP BY dept
HAVING AVG(salary) >= 50000;
```

dept	AVG(salary)
1	100000.000000
2	63333.333333
3	70000.000000

- How does this example differ from the previous example?

The HAVING Clause

Group by Social Security Number

```
SELECT fname, lname, COUNT(*)
FROM employees AS e, dependents AS d
WHERE e.ssn = d.ssn
GROUP BY e.ssn
HAVING COUNT(*) >= 2
ORDER BY lname;
```

fname	lname	COUNT(*)
Frank	Gilbert	2
James	Green	2
Jennifer	Wallace	3

- Find all employees who have at least 2 dependants, ordered by last name.

Practice

- Find all female employees who have at least 2 dependents.
- Find all employees who have no dependents.
- Display the average number of children among the employees.