

CSE 414: Section 2

A SeQueL to SQL

Oct 4th, 2018

Administrivia

WQ1 due **Tomorrow!** (Friday, Oct 5th at 11:59 PM)

HW2 due **Tuesday, Oct 9th** at 11:59 PM

Last day to turn in HW1 (with late days)

Git Demo

How to add git remote upstream?

Pull homework and starter code files

SQL 3-Valued Logic

SQL has 3-valued logic

- **FALSE = 0**
[ex] price < 25 is FALSE when price = 99
- **UNKNOWN = 0.5**
[ex] price < 25 is UNKNOWN when price = NULL
- **TRUE = 1**
[ex] price < 25 is TRUE when price = 19

SQL 3-Valued Logic (con't)

Formal definitions:

C1 AND C2 means $\min(C1, C2)$

C1 OR C2 means $\max(C1, C2)$

NOT C means means $1-C$

The rule for SELECT ... FROM ... WHERE C is the following:

if C = TRUE then include the row in the output

if C = FALSE **or** C = **unknown** then do not include it

Importing Files (HW2)

First, create the table.

Then, import the data.

```
.mode csv
  .import ./population.csv Population
  .import ./gdp.csv GDP
  .import ./airport.csv Airport

.import /path/to/file NameOfTable
```

Aliasing

- Good style for renaming attribute operations to more intuitive labels
- Essential for self joins (ex: FROM [table] AS T1, [table] AS T2)
- You can alias without “AS” in the FROM clause (i.e. “AS” keyword can be omitted)

```
SELECT [attribute] AS [attribute_name]
FROM [table] AS [table_name]
... [table_name].[attribute_name] ...
```

Filters

LIMIT *number* - limits the amount of tuples returned

[ex] SELECT * FROM table LIMIT 1;

DISTINCT - only returns different values (gets rid of duplicates)

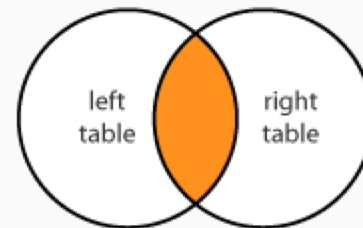
[ex] SELECT DISTINCT column_name FROM table;

Joining

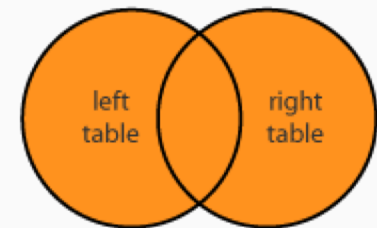
Inner vs. Outer

Self Joins

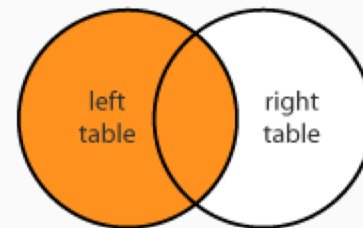
INNER JOIN



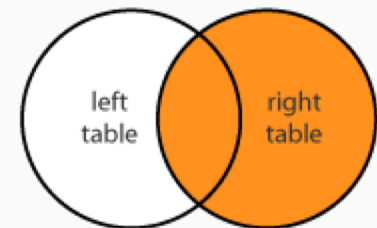
FULL JOIN



LEFT JOIN



RIGHT JOIN



For more information and different types of joins see:

<https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/craigfr/2006/08/16/summary-of-join-properties/>

Join Semantics

- Think as “nested loops”.
- NOT the most efficient implementation on a large database! (we will talk about other ways to join later in the course)
 - Hash Join
 - Sort-Merge Join

Nested Loop Semantics

```
SELECT x_1.a_1, ..., x_n.a_n  
FROM x_1, ..., x_n  
WHERE <cond>
```

for each tuple in x_1 :

...

for each tuple in x_n :

if $\langle \text{cond} \rangle(x_1, \dots, x_n)$:

output($x_1.a_1, \dots, x_n.a_n$)

Aggregates

- Computes aggregated values for a set of tuples.

COUNT(attribute) - counts the number of tuples

SUM(attribute)

MIN/MAX(attribute)

AVG(attribute)

...

Grouping and Ordering

GROUP BY [attribute], ..., [attribute_n]

HAVING [predicate] - operates on groups

ORDER BY

SQL Query Evaluation Order

FWGHOS

(From, Where, Group By, Having, Order By,
Select)