

Chapter: MySQL ReVision Tour

Introduction (Advantage of Database)

Database:-

- (i) It is basically a computer based record keeping system
- (ii) The collection of data, usually referred to as the database, contains information about one particular enterprise.

Various advantages of database systems

- (i) It reduce data redundancy(Data duplication) to a large extent.
- (ii) It control data inconsistency to a large extent .
- (iii) Database facilitate sharing of data.
- (iv) Databases enforce standards.
- (v) Centralized databases can ensure data security.

Integrity can be maintained through databases

Relational Data Model

- In relational data model, the data is organized into tables(i.e , rows and columns).
- Tables are called relations.
- A row in a table represents a relationship among a set of values.
- **Note:---** In table rows represents a relationship among a set of values therefore it is generally referred to
- **using the** mathematical term relation , from which the relational data model derives its name.

Terms used In SQL

- **Relation** :- A table storing logically related data , data must be atomic in cell, all rows of the table should be distinct, ordering of rows and columns is immaterial.
- **Domain**:- This is a pool of values which the actual values appearing in a given column are drawn

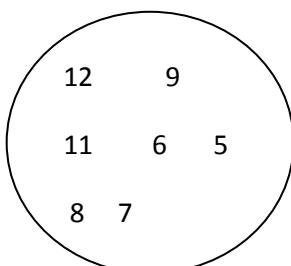


Table 1

| | | |
|----|-------|------|
| Sl | Class | name |
|----|-------|------|

class

| | | |
|---|----|-------|
| 1 | 11 | Raman |
| 2 | 12 | Tilak |
| 3 | 6 | Ashok |
| 4 | 8 | Mohan |
| 5 | 9 | Ram |

Table 3

Table 2

| Class | Add | House |
|-------|----------|-------|
| 6 | Guwahati | LO |
| 7 | Barpata | LA |
| 8 | Goalpara | LO |
| 9 | Patna | EKL |
| 10 | Hajipur | LO |

- **Tuple** :- A row of a table(relation) is generally referred to as tuple.
- **Attribute** :- A column of table(relation) is generally referred to as an attribute.
- **Degree** :-This refers to the number of attributes in a table(relation)
- **Cardinality** :-This refers to the number of tuples in a table(relation.)
- **View** :- It is a virtual table that does not really exist in its own right but is instead derived from one or more underlying base tables.
- **Primary Key** :-This refers to a set of one or more attributes that can uniquely identify tuples with the relation
- **Candidate Key**:- All attribute combinations inside a table(relation) that can serve as primary key are candidates keys as these are candidates for primary key position.
- **Alternate Key** :-A candidate key that is not primary key, is called an alternate key.
- **Foreign Key**:- A non primary key attribute, whose values are derived from the primary key of some other table, is known as foreign key in its

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Primary Key

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In Table 2 :
Primary Key---SI
no

In Table 1 :

Primary Key---Class

Non Primary Key—Add House

- Non primary key Class of table 2 is Foreign key because its values derived from the primary key of a table1(another table) therefore we can say that Class is a foreign key.

Brief History of MySQL.

- MySQL was created and is supported by MySQL AB, a company based in Sweden(www.mysql.com).
- This company is now a subsidiary of Sun Microsystems, which holds the copyright to most of the codebase.
- The chief inventor of MySQL was Michael Widenius(a.k.a. Monty)

MySQL Database System

- The Key role of a database management system is information management.
- A database server is the key to solving the problems of information management.
- MySQL operates using **client /server** architecture in which the server runs on the machine containing the databases and clients connect to the server over a network.
- **The server**(MySQL server) listens for client requests coming in over the network and accesses database contents according to those requests and provides that to the clients.
- **Clients** are programs that connect to the database server and issue queries in a pre-specified format.
- **Key features** are speed, Ease of use, Cost, Query Language Support, MySQL, Portability, Data Types, Security, Scalability and Limits, Connectivity, Localization, Clients and Tools.

MySQL and SQL

- In order to access data within the MySQL database, all programs and users must use, SQL.
- SQL is the set of commands that is recognised by nearly all RDBMSs.
- Usage of SQL has become a standard for most of RDBMSs.
- There are numerous version of SQL. The original version was developed at IBM's San Jose Research Laboratory(now the Almandan Research Centre).
- This language, originally called Sequel.

Processing Capabilities of SQL

- Data Definition Language(DDL)
- Interactive Data Manipulation Language(DML)

- Embedded Data Manipulation Language
- View Definition
- Authorization
- Integrity
- Transaction Control

Classification of SQL Statements

- SQL, technically speaking, is a data sublanguage. That is, it is a language used to interact with database.
- In other words, all SQL statements are instructions to the database only.

SQL commands can be divided into following categories

- Data Definition Language(DDL) Commands
- Data Manipulation Language(DML) Commands
- Transaction Control Language (TCL) Commands eg **COMMIT, ROLLBACK, SAVEPOINT, SET TRANSACTION**
- Session Control Commands
- System Control Commands

SOME MySQL SQL ELEMENT

- Literals – It generally, refer to a fixed data value which may be character type or numeric literal.
- Datatypes – Are means to identify the type of data and associated operations for handling it.
- Nulls – If a column in a row has no value, then column is said to be null, or to contain a null.
Any arithmetic expression containing a null, always evaluates to null.
- Comments- A comment is a text that is not executed; it is only for documentation purpose.

SQL Command Syntax

- The SQL provides a predefined set of commands that help us work on relational database.
- In commands different terminology used are **keywords, commands, or statements.**
- **Clauses** – Commands consist of one or more logically distinct parts called **clauses.**
“FROM sales” AND “WHERE value=1500.00” here from and where are clauses.
- Commands in SQL are not case –sensitive.

Making Simple Queries

- To fully use the power of an RDBMS, we need to communicate with it. A powerful way of communicating with it is making queries.
- We can see desired data in desired format with help of **SELECT** command.
- **Other commands are :-**
 - ✓ Distinct command

- ✓ All keyword
- ✓ Show tables- Viewing Structure of Table
- ✓ Simple calculations(eg select 1+6)
- ✓ Scalar Expressions with Selected Fields
- ✓ Using Column Aliases
- ✓ Handling nulls
- ✓ Putting Text in the Query Output
- ✓ Selecting Specific Rows-**Where** clause
- ✓ Relational Operators
- ✓ Logical Operators
- ✓ Condition based on a Range (eg BETWEEN)
- ✓ Condition Based on a List
- ✓ Condition Based on Pattern Matches (% , _, LIKE, NOT LIKE)
- ✓ Searching for NULL
- ✓ Operator Precedence
- ✓ Sorting Results—ORDER BY clause
- ✓ Sorting by Column Alias

Accessing Database

- **1st we need to open the database for use.**
- **Command--- use <databasename>**
Eg;- USE MENAGERIE

Creating Tables in MySQL

- Before issuing a CREATE TABLE COMMAND, MAKE SURE THAT ITS PARENT DATABASE HAS BEEN OPENED USING **USE<DATABASE> COMMAND.**
 - Tables are defined with the CREATE TABLE command.
 - When tables is created , its columns are named, data types and sizes are supplied for eachcolumn.
 - Each table must have at least one column.

➤ To create an employee table whose schema is as follows:

employee (ecode, ename, sex, grade, gross)

SQL command will be

CREATE TABLE employee
(ecode integer,

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ename char(20),
sex char(1),
grade char(2),
gross decimal);
```

Inserting Data

- The rows (tuples) are added to relations using INSERT command of SQL.
- In its simplest form, Insert takes the following syntax:-

```
INSERT INTO <TABLENAME> [<COLUMN LIST>]
VALUES(<VALUE>,<VALUE>.....);
```

EXAMPLE

```
INSERT INTO employee
VALUES(1001, 'Ravi', 'M', 'E4', 4670.00);
```

OR

```
INSERT INTO employee( ecode, ename, sex, grade , gross)
VALUES(1001,'Ravi','M','E4',4670.00);
```

- The INSERT statement adds a new row to employee giving a value for every column in the row.
- The data values are in the same order as the column names in the table.
- Data can be added only to some columns in a row by specifying the columns and their data.
Eg

```
INSERT INTO employee(ecode, ename, sex)
VALUES(2014, 'Manju', 'F');
```
- The columns that are not listed in the INSERT command will have their default value, if it is defined for them, otherwise, NULL value.
- If any other column (that does not have a default value and is defined NOT NULL) is skipped or omitted, an error message is generated and the row is not added.

Inserting NULL values

- To insert value NULL in a specific column. We can type NULL without quotes and NULL will be inserted in that column.
- Eg

```
INSERT INTO EMPL(Empno, Ename, Job, Mgr, Hiredate, Sal, Comm, Deptno)
VALUES(8100, 'YASH', 'ANALYST', NULL, '10-MAY-03', 6000, NULL, 20);
```

Inserting Dates

- Dates are by default entered in 'YYYY-MM-DD' format i.e 1st four digits depicting year, followed by a hyphen, followed by 2 digits of month followed by a hyphen and a two digit day.
- All this is enclosed in single quotes.

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- Making Simple Queries Through Select Command

- General form

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Test

- SELECT what_to_select
- FROM which_table
- WHERE conditions_to_satisfy;

- Selecting particular Rows

- Select sl, class

- From Test

- Where name=Ashok

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- Select *

- From test

- Where name= Ashok

-

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| Sl | Class | name | Date_of_admission |
|----|-------|-------|-------------------|
| 1 | 11 | Raman | 11/07/05 |
| 2 | 12 | Tilak | 13/08/02 |
| 3 | 6 | Ashok | 24/09/01 |
| 4 | 8 | Mohan | 17/05/99 |
| 5 | 9 | Ram | 19/09/00 |

| Sl | Class |
|----|-------|
| 3 | 6 |

| Sl | Class | name | Date_of_admission |
|----|-------|-------|-------------------|
| 3 | 6 | Ashok | 24/09/01 |

Select *

From Test

Where Date_of_admission>='13/08/02';

| Sl | Class | name | Date_of_admission |
|----|-------|-------|-------------------|
| 1 | 11 | Raman | 11/07/05 |
| 2 | 12 | Tilak | 13/08/02 |

Select name, date_of_admission

From test

Where Date_of_admission >= '13/08/02';

| name | Date_of_admission |
|-------|-------------------|
| Raman | 11/07/05 |
| Tilak | 13/08/02 |

Example of some select statement

- (I) Select *
from pet
where species='dog' & sex='f';
- (II) Select *
From pet
Where species ='snake' or species='bird';
- (iii) Select *
from pet
where(species='cat' and sex='m');

SELECTING Particular Columns

Ex select class , name

From test

Eliminating Redundant Data (with keyword Distinct)

- We always use “**DISTINCT**” keyword to remove redundant(duplicate) data.
- The **DISTINCT** KEYWORD eliminates duplicate rows from the results of a select statement

Example:

```
select distinct name  
from test
```

| name |
|-------|
| Raman |
| Tilak |
| Mohan |

Selecting From All the Rows ---(**ALL** keyword)

In place of keyword **Distinct** , we can give keyword **ALL** then the result retains the duplicate

| name |
|-------|
| Raman |
| Tilak |
| Mohan |
| Mohan |
| Mohan |

(i) Viewing Structure of a table

`DESCRIBE/DESC<table name>;`

(ii) Performing Simple Calculations

To perform simple calculation on a table we have to write expression/formula to be calculated next to keyword SELECT, e.g.,

Eg `select 4*6*6`

`Select curdate()`

(iii) Using Column Aliases

The columns that we select in a query can be given a different name i.e column alias name for output purpose. As per following syntax:

| ssgclass |
|----------|
| 11 |
| 12 |
| 6 |
| 8 |
| 9 |

| Sl | class | name | Date_of_admission |
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(primary key)

(iv) Condition Based on a Range

- The BETWEEN operator defines a range of values that the column values must fall in to make the condition true.
- The range includes both lower value and the upper value.

Eg `Select sl, name, date_of_admission
From test`

`Where class between 6 and 9`

| Sl | name | Date_of_admission |
|----|-------|-------------------|
| 3 | Mohan | 24/09/01 |
| 4 | Mohan | 17/05/99 |
| 5 | Mohan | 19/09/00 |

(v) Condition Based on a list

- To specify a list of values , IN operator is used.
- The IN operator selects values that match any value in a given list of value .
- `Select *`
`From test`
`Where class in(11,12);`

| Sl | class | name | Date_of_admission |
|----|-------|-------|-------------------|
| 1 | 11 | Raman | 11/07/05 |
| 2 | 12 | Tilak | 13/08/02 |

(vi) Condition Based on Pattern Matches

- SQL includes a string –matching operator , LIKE for comparisons on character strings using patterns .
- Two special wildcard characters

➤ Percent (%) . The character matches any substrings

Eg

```
select firstname , lastname, city
from members
where pin like '13%' ;
```

| Pin |
|--------|
| 130006 |
| 130007 |
| 240000 |
| 139676 |
| 119870 |

Select name

From emp

Where name like '%y'

➤ Underscore(_).The _ character matches any character.

(vii) Searching for Null

➤ The NULL value in a column can be searched in a table using IS NULL IN THE WHERE CLAUSE

EG

```
SELECT EMPNO, ENAME, JOB
FROM EMP
WHERE DEPTNO IS NULL
```

(viii) Creating Tables with SQL Constraints

- To apply conditions on columns , SQL constraints are used
- Common types of constraints are
 - NOT NULL (It ensures that a column cannot have NULL value)
 - DEFAULT(Provides a default value for a column when none is specified.)
 - UNIQUE(Ensures that all values in a column are different)
 - CHECK(Makes sure that all values in a column satisfy certain criteria)
 - PRIMARY KEY(used to uniquely identify a row in the table.)
 - FOREIGN KEY(used to ensure referential integrity of the data.)

Eg. Create table student

(Student_ID integer check (Student_ID>0), Unique

Student_Rollno integer NOT NULL, Primary Key

| |
|---------|
| Student |
|---------|

Last_Name varchar(30),

Score Default 80);

| Student_Rollno | Student_ID | Last_Name | Score |
|----------------|------------|-----------|-------|
| 1003 | 2 | Das | 67 |
| 1002 | 2 | Deka | 80 |
| 1003 | 3 | Singh | 40 |
| 1005 | 23 | Hajarika | 87 |

(ix) Inserting Data Into another Table

Eg

```
INSERT INTO EMPLOYEE  
VALUES(1001,'Rahman','M','E4',1400.00 );
```

Or

```
INSERT INTO STUDENT  
VALUES(1005,23, HAJARIKA,87)
```

Eg

```
Insert into branch1  
Select * from branch2  
Where gross>7000.00
```

(x) Modifying Data in Tables

- We can modify data in tables using UPDATE COMMAND OF SQL
- The UPDATE command specifies the rows to be changed using WHERE clause
- The new data using the SET keyword.

```
Eg UPDATE STUDENTS  
SET Student_Rollno=1009  
Where (Score=40)
```

```
UPDATE ITEMS  
SET ROL=400,QOh=700  
Where icode<'1040';
```

(xi) Deleting Data from Tables

- To delete some data from tables , we can use SQL delete commands.
- Delete fro emp
- Where gross<2200

(xii) Altering Tables

```
To change the existing column namely First_Name of table Student, to FirstName  
Alter TABLE customers  
Change First_Name FirstName VARCHAR(20)
```

(xiii) Dropping Table

The DROPTABLE USE FOR DROPPING A TABLE FROM THE DATABASE.

Syntax:---

Name of table.

Eg DROP TABLE items

