Introduction to SQL

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What is SQL?

- Structured Query Language
- Usually "talk" to a database server
- Used as front end to many databases (mysql, postgresql, oracle, sybase)
- Three Subsystems: data description, data access and privileges
- Optimized for certain data arrangements
- The language is case-sensitive, but I use upper case for keywords.

When do you need a Database?

- Multiple simultaneous changes to data (concurrency)
- Data changes on a regular basis
- Large data sets where you only need some observations/variables
- Share huge data set among many people
- Rapid queries with no analysis
- Web interfaces to data, especially dynamic data

Uses of Databases

Traditional Uses:

- Live Queries
- Report Generation
- Normalization, foreign keys, joins, etc.

Newer uses:

- Storage - data is extracted and analyzed in another application
- Backends to web sites
- Traditional rules may not be as important

Ways to Use SQL

- console command (`mysql -u` *user* `-p` *dbname*)
- GUI interfaces are often available
- Interfaces to many programming languages: R, python, perl, PHP, etc.
- SQLite - use SQL without a database server
- `PROC SQL` in SAS

Some Relational Database Concepts

- A database server can contain many databases
- Databases are collections of tables
- Tables are two-dimensional with rows (observations) and columns (variables)
- Limited mathematical and summary operations available
- Very good at combining information from several tables

Finding Your Way Around the Server

Since a single server can support many databases, each containing many tables, with each table having a variety of columns, it's easy to get lost when you're working with databases. These commands will help figure out what's available:

- `SHOW DATABASES;`
- `SHOW TABLES IN database;`
- `SHOW COLUMNS IN table;`
- `DESCRIBE table;` - shows the columns and their types

Variable Types

SQL supports a very large number of different formats for internal storage of information.

Numeric

- `INTEGER`, `SMALLINT`, `BIGINT`
- `NUMERIC(w,d)`, `DECIMAL(w,d)` - numbers with width `w` and `d` decimal places
- `REAL`, `DOUBLE PRECISION` - machine and database dependent
- `FLOAT(p)` - floating point number with `p` binary digits of precision

Variable Types (cont'd)

Character

- `CHARACTER(L)` - a fixed-length character of length `L`
- `CHARACTER VARYING(L)` or `VARCHAR(L)` - supports maximum length of `L`

Binary

- `BIT(L)`, `BIT VARYING(L)` - like corresponding characters
- `BINARY LARGE OBJECT(L)` or `BLOB(L)`

Temporal

- `DATE`
- `TIME`
- `TIMESTAMP`

CREATE TABLE statement

Suppose we have data measured on the height and weight of children over a range of ages. The first step is deciding on the appropriate variable types, and creating the table with the CREATE TABLE command.

```
CREATE TABLE kids(id CHAR(6),
                  race SMALLINT,
                  age DECIMAL(6,3),
                  height DECIMAL(7,3),
                  weight DECIMAL(7,3),
                  sex SMALLINT);
```


Entering observations into a table

We could now enter individual items with the INSERT command:

```
INSERT INTO kids VALUES(100011,2,10.346,
                        148.5,38.95,1);
```

This quickly gets tedious. We can automate the process using the LOAD DATA command:

```
LOAD DATA INFILE 'kids.tab'
          INTO TABLE kids
          FIELDS TERMINATED BY '\t';
```

This will read an entire tab-separated file into the database in one command.

Comparison Operators

In SQL, the `WHERE` clause allows you to operate on subsets of a table. The following comparison operators are avaiable:

- Usual logical operators: `< > <= >= = <>`
- `BETWEEN` used to test for a range
- `IN` used to test group membership
- Keyword `NOT` used for negation
- `LIKE` operator allows wildcards
  - `_` means single character, `%` means anything
  - `SELECT salary WHERE name LIKE 'Fred %';`
- `RLIKE` operator allows regular expressions
- Use `AND(&&)` and `OR(||)` to combine conditions

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Updating a Table

To change some of the values of columns of a table, you can use the `UPDATE` command. Changes are provided as a comma-separated list of column/value pairs.

For example, to add one to the weight of an observation in the `kids` table where id is 101311 and age is between 9 and 10, we could use:

```
UPDATE kids SET weight=weight + 1
            WHERE id='101311' AND
            age BETWEEN 9 and 10;
```

Be careful with `UPDATE`, because if you don't provide a `WHERE` clause, all the rows of the table will be changed.

The SELECT statement

For many of the modern uses of databases, all you'll need to do with the database is to select some subset of the variables and/or observations from a table, and let some other program manipulate them. In SQL the SELECT statement is the workhorse for these operations.

```
SELECT columns or computations
     FROM table
     WHERE condition
     GROUP BY columns
     HAVING condition
     ORDER BY column  [ASC | DESC]
     LIMIT offset,count;
```

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Examples of SELECT queries

Suppose we wish to simply see all of the data:

```
SELECT * FROM kids;
```

View

Find the age, race, height and weight for any observations with weight greater than 80kg and height less than 150cm:

```
SELECT age,race,height,weight FROM kids
      WHERE weight > 80 AND height < 150;
```

View

Find all information about the 10 tallest observations:

```
SELECT * FROM kids
      ORDER BY height DESC limit 1,10;
```

View

Find all information about observations where age is from 17 to 18 and weight is from 180 to 185:

```
SELECT * FROM kids WHERE age BETWEEN 17 AND 18
      AND weight BETWEEN 180 AND 185;
```

View

Summaries and Computations

SQL supports basic arithmetic operations to create new columns, as well as some summarization functions which include

- `COUNT()`
- `AVG()` (mean)
- `SUM()`
- `MIN()`
- `MAX()`

Since the `COUNT` for all columns is the same, the form `COUNT(*)` is often used.
Other functions (`ABS()`, `FLOOR()`, `ROUND()`, `SQRT()`, etc.) may also be available.

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Summary and Computation examples

Find max. height for age between 10 and 11 and race=1:

View

```
SELECT MAX(height) FROM kids
     WHERE age BETWEEN 10 AND 11 AND race = 1 ;
```

By combining with the `GROUP BY` command, useful summaries can be obtained.

Find the average BMI (weight/height^2 $*$ 10000) by sex and race:

View

```
SELECT sex,race,count(*) AS n,
     AVG(weight/(height*height)*10000) AS bmi
     FROM kids GROUP BY sex,race;
```

The `SUM` function can count logical expressions:

View

```
SELECT race,SUM(height > 150)/COUNT(*)
     FROM kids GROUP BY race;
```

Selecting based on Summaries

Summaries can't be used in the `WHERE` clause, but they can be used in the `HAVING` clause. For example, suppose we wanted to find all the `ID`s in the `kids` database for which there were less than 2 observations:

View

```
SELECT id FROM kids
    GROUP BY id HAVING COUNT(*) < 2;
```

Get all information about ids that have exactly ten observations:

View

```
SELECT * FROM kids
    GROUP BY id HAVING COUNT(*) = 10;
```

This doesn't work - it only gives the first observation for each id.

Subqueries

By putting a `SELECT` statement in parentheses, you can use it in other `SELECT` statements as if it were another table.

View

```
SELECT * FROM kids
    WHERE id IN
    (SELECT id FROM kids
    GROUP BY id
    HAVING COUNT(*) = 10);
```

This may be slow if the number of ids is large.

A more efficient way is to use the subquery in an inner join (discussed later):

View

```
SELECT * FROM kids
    INNER JOIN
    (SELECT id FROM kids
    GROUP BY id
    HAVING COUNT(*) = 10) AS t USING(id);
```

This is considerably faster than the previous query.

Subqueries (cont'd)

Suppose we want to find all information about the observation with maximum weight:

View

```
SELECT * FROM kids
     HAVING weight = MAX(weight);
```

It returns an empty set!

Subqueries can be used to find the correct information:

View

```
SELECT * FROM kids
     WHERE weight =
     (SELECT MAX(weight) FROM kids);
```

A similar thing can be done when there are grouping variables:

View

```
SELECT k.id,k.sex,k.race,k.age,
     k.weight,k.height FROM kids AS k,
     (SELECT sex,race,max(weight) AS weight from
     kids) AS m WHERE k.sex=m.sex AND
     k.race=m.race AND k.weight=m.weight;
```


Making Tables from Queries

Sometimes it is useful to store a table which results from a query.
Suppose we want to create a table with only observations with age less than 15.

```
CREATE TABLE young LIKE kids;
INSERT INTO young SELECT * FROM kids
     WHERE age < 15;
```

Such a table will stay on the database – to create a temporary one:

```
CREATE TEMPORARY TABLE young LIKE kids;
```

Alternatively, you can `DROP` the table when you're done:

```
DROP TABLE young;
```

Music Collection Example

Traditionally, redundancy is the enemy of database design, because it wastes storage space and increase data entry errors. For this reason, may traditional databases have a separate table for each attribute of importance. For example, suppose we have a collection of songs, organized into albums. Rather than store each song as a row with the album title and artist, we would create three tables: one for songs(tracks), one for albums, and one for artists.

Album		Artist		Track	
alid	`INT`	aid	`INT`	tid	`INT`
aid	`INT`	name	`VARCHAR(40)`	alid	`INT`
title	`VARCHAR(60)`			time	`INT`
				title	`VARCHAR(40)`
				filename	`VARCHAR(14)`

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A Look at the Tables

```
mysql> select * from album limit 1,5;
+------+------+------------------------+
| alid | aid  | title                  |
+------+------+------------------------+
|  140 |  102 | Ugetsu                 |
|  150 |  109 | Born To Be Blue        |
|  151 |  109 | Connecticut Jazz Party |
|  152 |  109 | Easy Does It           |
|  153 |  109 | In Person              |
+------+------+------------------------+
5 rows in set (0.03 sec)
mysql> select * from artist limit 1,5;
+------+-----------------+
| aid  | name            |
+------+-----------------+
|  109 | Bobby Timmons   |
|  134 | Dizzy Gillespie |
|  140 | Elmo Hope       |
|  146 | Erroll Garner   |
|  159 | Horace Silver   |
+------+-----------------+
5 rows in set (0.03 sec)
mysql> select * from track limit 1,5;
+------+------+------+---------------------------------+----------------+
| tid  | alid | time | title                           | filename       |
+------+------+------+---------------------------------+----------------+
| 1713 |  139 |  413 | Sincerely Diane (alternate take) | 1077698286.mp3 |
| 1714 |  139 |  384 | Yama                            | 1077698288.mp3 |
| 1715 |  139 |  404 | When your lover has gone        | 1077698290.mp3 |
| 2276 |  139 |  398 | So tired                        | 1077699502.mp3 |
| 3669 |  139 |  408 | Sincerely Diana                 | 1077702347.mp3 |
+------+------+------+---------------------------------+----------------+
5 rows in set (0.03 sec)
```

SELECT with multiple tables

Produce a list of album titles along with artist:

View

```
SELECT a.title,r.name
      FROM album AS a, artist AS r
      WHERE a.aid = r.aid;
```

This is a common operation, known as an *inner join*:

```
SELECT a.title,r.name FROM album AS a
       INNER JOIN artist AS r USING(aid);
```

This produces the same result as the previous query.

Find the sum of the times on each album:

View

```
SELECT SUM(time) as duration
      FROM track GROUP BY alid
      ORDER BY duration DESC;
```

Unfortunately, all we have are the album ids, not the names

SELECT with multiple tables(cont'd)

To improve our previous example, we need to combine the track information with album and artist information. Suppose we want to find the 10 longest albums in the collection:

View

```
SELECT a.title,r.name,
       SUM(time) AS duration
       FROM track AS t, album as a, artist as r
       WHERE t.alid = a.alid AND a.aid = r.aid
       GROUP BY t.alid ORDER BY duration DESC
       LIMIT 1,10;
```

The Rules Have Changed

As powerful as SQL is, we can use it as a data store without having to use all of the SQL features.

- Don't hesitate to use familiar programs to do the hard work
- Repeated `SELECT` queries in loops can do wonders
- Load up data structures with entire tables
- Use as little or as much pure SQL as you like

These ideas are illustrated using the music collection data, R, python, and perl

Using SQL in R

```
library(RMySQL)
drv = dbDriver("MySQL")
con = dbConnect(drv,dbname="dbname",user="user",pass="pass")
rs = dbSendQuery(con,statement="select * from album")
album = fetch(rs,n=-1)
rs = dbSendQuery(con,statement="select * from track")
track = fetch(rs,n=-1)
rs = dbSendQuery(con,statement="select * from artist")
artist = fetch(rs,n=-1)

tracks = data.frame(
         album = factor(track$alid,levels=album$alid,
                                    labels=album$title),
         artist = factor(merge(track[,"alid",drop=FALSE],
                           album[,c("alid","aid")],by="alid")$aid,
                           levels=artist$aid,
                           labels=artist$name),
         time = track$time)

res  = aggregate(tracks$time,
                 list(album=tracks$album,artist=tracks$artist),sum)
res = res[order(res$x,decreasing=TRUE),]
print(res[1:10,])
```

Using SQL in python

```
#!/usr/bin/python

from MySQLdb import *

con = connect(user='user',passwd='pass',db='dbname')
cursor = con.cursor()
cursor.execute('select * from track')
tracks = cursor.fetchall()

durations = {}
for t in tracks:
    durations[t[1]] = durations.get(t[1],0) + t[2]

alids = durations.keys()
alids.sort(lambda x,y:cmp(durations[y],durations[x]))

for i in range(10):
    cursor.execute(
     'select title,aid from album where alid = %d' % alids[i])
    title,aid  = cursor.fetchall()[0]
    cursor.execute('select name from artist where aid = %d' % aid)
    name = cursor.fetchall()[0][0]
    print '%s\t%s\t%d' % (title,name,durations[alids[i]])
```

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Using SQL in perl

```
#!/usr/bin/perl
use DBI;
$dbh = DBI->connect('DBI:mysql:dbname:localhost','user','pass');

$sth = $dbh->prepare('select * from album');
$sth->execute();
while((@row) = $sth->fetchrow()){
     $album{$row[0]} = $row[2];
     $aartist{$row[0]} = $row[1];
     }

$sth = $dbh->prepare('select * from artist');
$sth->execute();
$artist{$row[0]} = $row[1] while((@row) = $sth->fetchrow());

$sth = $dbh->prepare('select * from track');
$sth->execute();
$duration{$row[1]} += $row[2] while((@row) = $sth->fetchrow());

@salbum = sort({$duration{$b} <=> $duration{$a}} keys(%duration));
foreach $i (0..9){
   print
       "$album{$salbum[$i]}\t$artist{$aartist{$salbum[$i]}}\t",
       "$duration{$salbum[$i]}\n"
   }
```

```
mysql> select * from kids;
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 100011 |    2 | 10.346 | 148.500 |  38.950 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 11.282 | 157.100 |  44.100 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 14.428 | 165.950 |  57.800 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 15.321 | 167.050 |  59.650 |    1 |
| 100031 |    1 | 10.920 | 158.000 |  63.700 |    1 |
| 100031 |    1 | 11.917 | 161.000 |  68.500 |    1 |
| 100031 |    1 | 13.007 | 162.750 |  85.950 |    1 |
                    . . . . . .
| 308091 |    1 |  9.460 | 138.000 |  39.000 |    1 |
| 308091 |    1 | 10.740 | 147.500 |  53.100 |    1 |
| 308091 |    1 | 11.359 | 151.750 |  57.050 |    1 |
| 308101 |    1 |  9.800 | 152.350 |  38.500 |    2 |
| 308101 |    1 | 10.781 | 159.335 |  48.235 |    2 |
| 308101 |    1 | 11.701 | 164.285 |  51.700 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
20704 rows in set (0.18 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select age,race,height,weight from kids
    -> where weight > 80 and height < 150;
+--------+------+---------+--------+
| age    | race | height  | weight |
+--------+------+---------+--------+
| 12.429 |    2 | 147.800 | 83.000 |
| 11.674 |    2 | 149.350 | 82.950 |
| 14.414 |    2 | 149.300 | 86.750 |
+--------+------+---------+--------+
3 rows in set (0.06 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select * from kids order by height desc;
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 302941 |    2 | 19.657 | 201.905 |  83.820 |    2 |
| 300861 |    2 | 17.804 | 201.850 | 126.610 |    2 |
| 302941 |    2 | 16.572 | 201.795 |  76.670 |    2 |
| 300861 |    2 | 14.833 | 201.520 | 124.245 |    2 |
| 300861 |    2 | 18.781 | 201.520 | 123.310 |    2 |
| 302941 |    2 | 18.611 | 201.410 |  83.710 |    2 |
| 107061 |    2 | 17.626 | 201.300 |  82.005 |    2 |
| 302941 |    2 | 15.537 | 201.190 |  72.820 |    2 |
| 304441 |    1 | 17.946 | 201.190 |  67.430 |    2 |
| 116741 |    1 | 17.338 | 201.025 |  72.710 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
10 rows in set (0.10 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select * from kids
    -> where age between 17 and 18
    -> and weight between 180 and 185;
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 304741 |    1 | 17.875 | 194.150 | 184.250 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
1 row in set (0.03 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select max(height) from kids
    ->      where age between 10 and 11 and race = 1;
+-------------+
| max(height) |
+-------------+
|     178.750 |
+-------------+
1 row in set (0.06 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select sex,race,count(*) as n,
    -> avg(weight/(height*height)*10000) as bmi
    -> from kids group by sex,race;
+------+------+------+--------------+
| sex  | race | n    | bmi          |
+------+------+------+--------------+
|    1 |    1 | 4977 | 21.312670406 |
|    1 |    2 | 5532 | 23.489962065 |
|    2 |    1 | 4973 | 19.153469602 |
|    2 |    2 | 5222 | 21.040500147 |
+------+------+------+--------------+
4 rows in set (0.12 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select race,sum(height > 150)/count(*)
    -> from kids group by race;
+------+----------------------------+
| race | sum(height > 150)/count(*) |
+------+----------------------------+
|    1 |                       0.85 |
|    2 |                       0.89 |
+------+----------------------------+
2 rows in set (0.05 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select id from kids
    ->        group by id having count(*) < 2;
+--------+
| id     |
+--------+
| 101051 |
| 103181 |
| 103191 |
| 107231 |
| 109001 |
  . . .
| 207291 |
| 207961 |
| 302241 |
| 304561 |
| 307081 |
+--------+
22 rows in set (0.10 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select * from kids group by id having count(*)=10;
+--------+------+--------+---------+--------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+--------+------+
| 100031 |    1 | 10.920 | 158.000 | 63.700 |    1 |
| 100041 |    1 | 10.070 | 159.500 | 51.700 |    2 |
| 100071 |    2 | 10.630 | 139.700 | 37.500 |    1 |
| 100081 |    2 |  9.110 | 152.130 | 36.795 |    2 |
| 100091 |    2 |  9.200 | 148.250 | 54.150 |    1 |
                    . . . . . .
| 308021 |    1 |  9.330 | 157.850 | 41.470 |    2 |
| 308041 |    1 | 10.810 | 157.025 | 38.060 |    2 |
| 308061 |    1 | 10.120 | 156.200 | 32.780 |    2 |
| 308071 |    1 | 10.990 | 138.500 | 29.450 |    1 |
| 308081 |    1 |  9.920 | 152.900 | 31.130 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+--------+------+
1303 rows in set (0.11 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select * from kids where id in
    ->     (select id from kids group by id
    ->      having count(*)=10);
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 100011 |    2 | 10.346 | 148.500 |  38.950 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 11.282 | 157.100 |  44.100 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 12.336 | 163.900 |  51.150 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 13.388 | 166.450 |  57.400 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 14.428 | 165.950 |  57.800 |    1 |
                    . . . . .
| 308081 |    1 | 14.803 | 183.700 |  55.935 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 15.780 | 183.590 |  54.780 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 16.865 | 184.195 |  58.905 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 17.864 | 184.580 |  56.320 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 18.631 | 184.195 |  56.100 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
13030 rows in set (35 min 33.96 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select * from kids inner join
    ->   (select id from kids group by id having count(*)=10)
    ->   as a using(id);
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 100011 |    2 | 10.346 | 148.500 |  38.950 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 11.282 | 157.100 |  44.100 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 12.336 | 163.900 |  51.150 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 13.388 | 166.450 |  57.400 |    1 |
| 100011 |    2 | 14.428 | 165.950 |  57.800 |    1 |
                    . . . . .
| 308081 |    1 | 14.803 | 183.700 |  55.935 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 15.780 | 183.590 |  54.780 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 16.865 | 184.195 |  58.905 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 17.864 | 184.580 |  56.320 |    2 |
| 308081 |    1 | 18.631 | 184.195 |  56.100 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
13030 rows in set (11.89 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select * from kids
    -> having weight = max(weight);
Empty set (0.00 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select * from kids
    -> where weight = (select max(weight) from kids);
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| id     | race | age    | height  | weight  | sex  |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
| 304741 |    1 | 18.680 | 192.940 | 189.695 |    2 |
+--------+------+--------+---------+---------+------+
1 row in set (0.03 sec)
```

Return


```
mysql> select k.id,k.sex,k.race,k.age,k.weight,k.height
    -> from kids as k, (select sex,race,max(weight) as weight
    -> from kids group by sex,race) as m
    -> where k.sex = m.sex and k.race = m.race and
    -> k.weight = m.weight;
+--------+------+------+--------+---------+---------+
| id     | sex  | race | age    | weight  | height  |
+--------+------+------+--------+---------+---------+
| 207201 |    2 |    2 | 19.405 | 173.360 | 191.565 |
| 207931 |    1 |    2 | 19.674 | 151.200 | 164.900 |
| 208171 |    1 |    1 | 18.633 | 128.500 | 168.100 |
| 304741 |    2 |    1 | 18.680 | 189.695 | 192.940 |
+--------+------+------+--------+---------+---------+
4 rows in set (0.34 sec)
```

Return

```
mysql> select a.title,r.name from album as a,artist as r where a.aid = r.aid;
+---------------------------------------------------+-----------------------------+
| title                                             | name                        |
+---------------------------------------------------+-----------------------------+
| A Night in Tunisia                                | Art Blakey & Jazz Messengers |
| Ugetsu                                            | Art Blakey & Jazz Messengers |
| Born To Be Blue                                   | Bobby Timmons               |
| Connecticut Jazz Party                            | Bobby Timmons               |
| Easy Does It                                      | Bobby Timmons               |
| In Person                                         | Bobby Timmons               |
| Moanin' Blues                                     | Bobby Timmons               |
| The Prestige Trio Sessions                        | Bobby Timmons               |
| Soul Man Soul Food                                | Bobby Timmons               |
| Soul Time                                         | Bobby Timmons               |
| Workin' Out                                       | Bobby Timmons               |
| 1945-1950 Small Groups                            | Dizzy Gillespie             |

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| Live at the Circle Room and Mo                    | Nat King Cole               |
| Birth of the Cole 1938-1939                       | Nat King Cole               |
| Rockin' Boppin' & Blues                           | Nat King Cole               |
| WWII Transcriptions                               | Nat King Cole               |
| Oscar Peterson And Clark Terry                    | Oscar Peterson              |
| A Tribute To My Friends                           | Oscar Peterson              |
| The Oscar Peterson Trio Live At Zardi's - Disc One | Oscar Peterson              |
| The Oscar Peterson Trio Live At Zardi's - Disc Two | Oscar Peterson              |
| Skol                                              | Oscar Peterson              |
| Oscar Peterson and Dizzy Gillespie                | Oscar Peterson              |
| Overseas                                          | Tommy Flanagan              |
| The Tommy Flanagan Trio                           | Tommy Flanagan              |
| Trio & Sextet                                     | Tommy Flanagan              |
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Return


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mysql> select alid,sum(time) as duration
    -> from track group by alid order by duration desc;
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| alid | duration |
+------+----------+
|  150 |     6057 |
|  286 |     5664 |
|  264 |     5028 |
|  156 |     4764 |
|  158 |     4674 |
     . . . .
|  343 |     2031 |
|  263 |     1865 |
|  281 |     1749 |
|  280 |     1611 |
|  287 |     1519 |
|  203 |     1061 |
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mysql> select a.title,r.name,sum(time) as duration
    -> from track as t,album as a,artist as r
    -> where t.alid=a.alid and a.aid = r.aid
    -> group by t.alid
    -> order by duration desc limit 1,10;
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| title                                               | name           | duration |
+-----------------------------------------------------+----------------+----------+
| My Funny Valentine                                  | Miles Davis    |     5664 |
| Trio                                                | Kenny Drew     |     5028 |
| Soul Man Soul Food                                  | Bobby Timmons  |     4764 |
| Workin' Out                                         | Bobby Timmons  |     4674 |
| The All-Stars Sessions                              | Elmo Hope      |     4636 |
| The Oscar Peterson Trio Live At Zardi's - Disc Two  | Oscar Peterson |     4567 |
| Memories Of You                                     | Erroll Garner  |     4538 |
| Elmo Hope                                           | Elmo Hope      |     4536 |
| WWII Transcriptions                                 | Nat King Cole  |     4456 |
| The Oscar Peterson Trio Live At Zardi's - Disc One  | Oscar Peterson |     4355 |
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