DAT100: SQL Fundamentals

Code: DAT100 Duration: 2 days

Audience:

This course is aimed at a wide audience of system administrators, end users of Office applications and novice programmers without knowledge of databases who wish to learn to access relational databases efficiently using queries in Structured Query Language (SQL).

Prerequisites:

To participate in this course has some familiarity with database systems is desirable.

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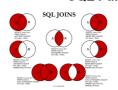
The theory will treated using presentation slides. Demos are used to illustrate the theory. There is ample opportunity to practice.

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Contents:

In the course SQL Fundamentals participants learn the generic SQL ANSI SQL standard. This SQL can be used in a variety of databases, such as Oracle, MySQL, Microsoft Access, Microsoft SQL Server, DB2, Informix, PostgreSQL and other relational databases. This course is designed for people who wish to acquire the skills necessary to retrieve data from a database to analyze and create reports with these data. Participants learn what relational databases are and how we can use them. In particular you will learn the practical skills to write SQL queries like SELECT queries and UPDATE queries. You will also learn what relationships are and how they can be used to capture the structure of the data.

Module 1 : SQL Intro

What is SQL?
History of SQL
SQL Standard
What are relational databases?
Database Creation
DDL Create Table
Normalisation
Data Types
SQL Language Elements
DML Insert Into
SQL Errors
Select Queries

Module 2 : Select Queries

Ouery Structure
SELECT .. FROM
Options SELECT .. FROM
SELECT DISTINCT
WHERE Clause
Comparison Operators
Logical AND and OR
Aggregate Functions
LIKE Condition
BETWEEN .. AND Condition
IN Condition
IS NULL Condition
ORDER BY Clause
GROUP BY Clause
HAVING Clause
Query Evaluation Order
Query Processing

Module 3: SQL Data Definition

Database Creation
Catalogue Creation
Creating Schema's
Data Definition Language
CREATE Table
Table Constraints
Primary Keys
Foreign Keys
Character Data Types
Numeric Data Types
Numeric Data Types
Other Data Types
ALTER Table
DROP Table

Module 4 : SQL Functions

Standard Functions
Finding Functions
Mathematical Functions
String Functions
Conversion Functions
Date Functions
Converting Text Dates
Aggregate Functions
Formatting Numbers
Replacing NULL
Standard WHERE Functions
CASE for Output Conditions

Module 5 : SQL Data Manipulation

UPDATE Command DELETE Command DROP Command Transactions COMMIT ROLLBACK SAVEPOINT Implicit rollbacks Implicit commits Explicit rollbacks Explicit commits

Module 6 : Joins

What are Joins? ANSI Join Syntax Inner Join Table Aliases Self Joins Left Join Right Join Full Outer Join Left Excluding Join Right Excluding Join Outer Excluding Join