

Queries with PostgreSQL

Audience Course Queries with PostgreSQL

The course Queries with PostgreSQL is designed for developers, database administrators and other interested parties who wish to learn and use PostgreSQL SQL.

Prerequisites Course Queries with PostgreSQL

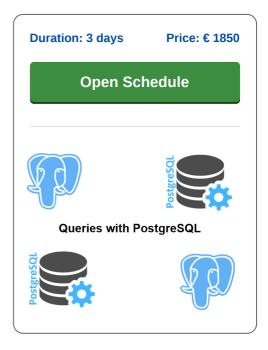
This course has no specific requirements. General knowledge of system development and databases is beneficial to a good understanding.

Realization Training Queries with PostgreSQL

The theory is treated on the basis of presentation slides. Demos are used to explain the theory. There is ample opportunity to practice. The course times are from 9.30 to 16.30.

Certification Queries with PostgreSQL

Participants receive an official certificate Queries with PostgreSQL after successful completion of the course.



Content Course Queries with PostgreSQL

In the course Queries with PostgreSQL, participants learn the syntax and use of the query language SQL in the context of a PostgreSQL database. SQL is an ANSI and ISO standard Query language that is applicable in all relational database management systems (DBMS). With SQL you can both retrieve and modify data in PostgreSQL.

SOL Intro

After an introduction to relational databases, the SQL standard and PostgreSQL, the installation of PostgreSQL, the PostgreSQL environment and tooling are discussed. PostgreSQL, like other DBMS systems, has added extra features of its own to standard SQL and these are also covered in the course.

SQL Data Definition

In the first place it is covered how SQL statements can be created and executed in PostgreSQL. Subsequently, the various components of SQL are discussed step-by-step, such as Data Definition Language with CREATE TABLE and Data Manipulation Language with INSERT and UPDATE.

SQL Select Queries

Next attention is paid to writing SELECT queries. This includes clauses such as WHERE, ORDER BY, LIKE and BETWEEN .. AND. The grouping of data by means of GROUP and HAVING clauses is also on the course schedule.

SOL Functions

The various standard SQL functions are also discussed. Among other things, the mathematical, conversion and aggregation functions for calculating sum and average are treated. Attention is also paid to PostgreSQL specific functions for pattern matching and the processing of geometric and XML data.

Transactions

PostgreSQL is known for its robust referential and transactional integrity. In that respect the relationship between primary and foreign keys and restrictive and cascading foreign keys is treated. Also covered is how PostgreSQL handles transactions, the commit and rollback statements and how to prevent data corruption in PostgreSQL.

Join

Next it is discussed how to combine data from different tables by means of joins. The various types of joins such as inner joins, left outer joins, right joins, right outer joins and full outer joins are discussed. Finally attention is paid to the application of SET operators such as UNION and INTERSECT and the command line interface of PostgreSQL is also treated.

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Modules Course Queries with PostgreSQL

Module 1 : PostgreSQL Introduction	Module 2 : SQL Introduction	Module 3 : Data Definition
Databases	SQL Foundations	CREATE TABLE
DBMS Systems	PostgreSQL GUI Client	Specifying Columns
Types of Database Models	Connection Navigator	ALTER TABLE
Entities and relationships	Creating and Using Connections	NULL and Default Values
Relational databases	SQL Worksheet	DROP COLUMN
PostgreSQL tools	Statements and execution	DROP TABLE
Installing PostgreSQL	SQL History	PURGE
PostgreSQL versions	Storing statements	Virtual columns
Module 4 : Data Manipulatie	Module 5 : SQL Queries	Module 6 : Grouping
Data Manipulation Language	Selecting rows	GROUP BY clause
Transaction control	SELECT statement	Filtering groups
Inserting rows	FROM clause	HAVING clause
INSERT statement	Specifying conditions	Operators
Updating rows	WHERE clause	String and Date Operators
UPDATE statement	Sorting with ORDER BY	Concatenate operator
DELETE statement	NULLS, FIRST, LAST	PostgreSQL Encode
TRUNCATE TABLE	Removing Doubles	Operators for patterns
DML on virtual columns	BETWEEN, IN, ANY, ALL	Operators for intervals
Module 7 : Functions	Module 8 : Joins	Module 9 : SET Operators
Function of column values	Joining Multiple Tables	SET Operatoren
Using functions	Normal Joins	UNION
SELECT clause functions	Outer Join	UNION ALL
WHERE clause functions	Inner joins	INTERSECT
GROUP BY clause functions	Left Outer Joins	MINUS
HAVING clause functions	Right Joins,	Nesting of SET operators
ORDER BY clause functions	Right Outer Joins	Working with Command Line
String and Arithmetic functions	Full Outer Joins	Connect statement and /nolog
Date and Conversion functions	Multiple Join Vonditions	SQL buffer
National Language Support	Subselections	Storing statements
NLS parameters	Sub Queries	Spool files
Cast	EXISTS	Transaction control