

```
select dept_name from department
where dept_id not in
(select dept_id from employee where salary > 3000);
```

The first query can be replicated by doing a (theta) join operation:

```
select employee.name, department.dept_name
from department, employee
where department.dept_id = employee.dept_id and salary > 2000;
```

- Also enumerated sets:

```
select name, salary from employee
where title in ('CEO', 'Web Developer');
```

Set comparison

For the query “Employees with salary more than at least one other employee”, one possibility is:

```
select distinct T.name, T.salary
from employee as T, employee as S
where T.salary > S.salary
```

Another way is by set comparison:

```
select name, salary
from employee
where salary > some (select salary
from employee);
```

Here, *some* implies *at least one*.

Notice that Kyle is not included as comparison with null value leads to an unknown.

Also, the sub-statement can only result in single attribute tuples so that salary can be compared with them.

Also: < some, <= some, >= some, = some, <> some.

Similarly we have variations for *all*. For example, the query “Employees who make more than all web developers” can be expressed in SQL as:

```
select name, salary
from employee
where salary > all (select salary
from employee
where title = 'Web Developer');
```

Another use of `all`: “The title whose employees make the most salary on an average”

```
select avg(salary), title
from employee
group by title having avg(salary) >= all (select avg(salary)
from employee group by title);
```

Views

- till now: logical model level
- Often we need to create a different *view* of data:
 - security
 - personalized relations that are more intuitive than the logical model

```
create view v as < query expression >
```

Example:

```
create view CEOs as
select *
from employee
where title = 'CEO';
```

- The view now acts as any other relation
- Can query it, describe it, or drop it.
 - * Can appear in any place a relation would if there is no update applied to it

```
create view expensive_employees as
select name, salary, dept_name
from employee, department
where employee.dept_id = department.dept_id and salary > 2500;
```

Can specify attribute names explicitly:

```
create view department_spending(dept_name, spending) as
select dept_name, sum(salary)
from employee, department
where employee.dept_id = department.dept_id group by dept_name;
```

- Views are computed whenever they are needed rather than when they are first created alone.

- When first created only the defn. of the view is stored.
- When the view appears in another query, it is evaluated then
- Some DBs actually store the content of a view at creation time, called *materialized views*, and *view maintenance* has to be done.
 - allows fast response for frequently used views
 - however issues of storage costs, added overhead for updates

Views defined by other views.

- For example,

```
create view Top_CEOs as
select *
from CEOs
where salary > 2500;
```

- Can expand views

```
repeat
  Find any view  $v_i$  in  $e_i$ 
  Replace the view  $v_i$  by its expression
until no more view relations are present in  $e_i$ 
```

Modification

Deletion

- Can only delete a tuple/tuples. Cannot delete values for particular attributes

```
delete from r
where P
```

Deletes all tuples t in r for which $P(t)$ is true.

- **delete** operates on **one relation only**.
- **delete from r** deletes all tuples (should get a warning; not in MySQL!!).
- delete employees with **null** salary

```
delete from employee
where salary is null;
```

- delete employees from department ‘Programming’

```
delete from employee
where name in (select name
from employee, department
where employee.dept_id = department.dept_id and department.dept_name = ‘Programming’;
```