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The First Steps

To practice with the examples in this chapter, you will need to use the sample data library provided with the SQL Query Window.

Submit the following statement in the PROGRAM EDITOR window to assign the SAMPLE libname to the sample library:

```
libname sample 'sample library';
```

Consult your SAS Administrator for the location of the sample library. Some of the examples require that you save files to the sample library. If you do not have write-access to the sample library, you can save the files to another library of your choice.

Invoking the Query Window

See “Invoking the SQL Query Window” on page 2 for instructions on the different ways in which you can invoke the SQL Query Window. In this example, invoke the SQL Query Window by typing

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query
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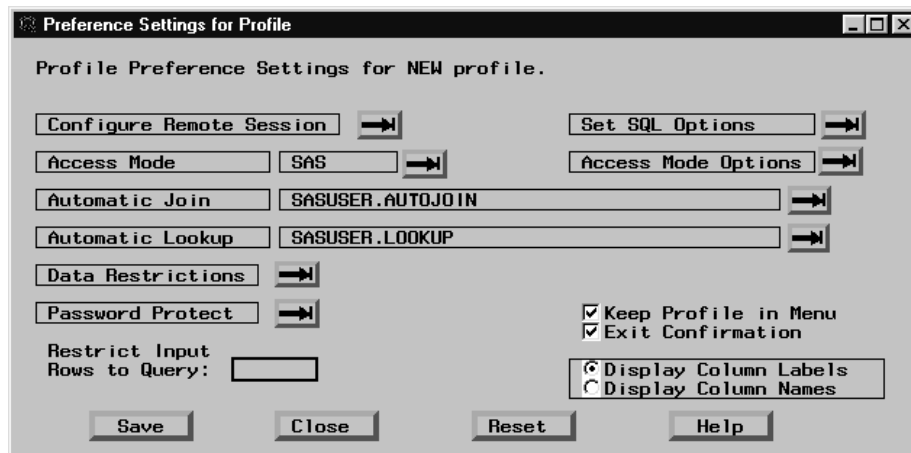
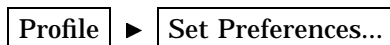
in the Program Editor window.




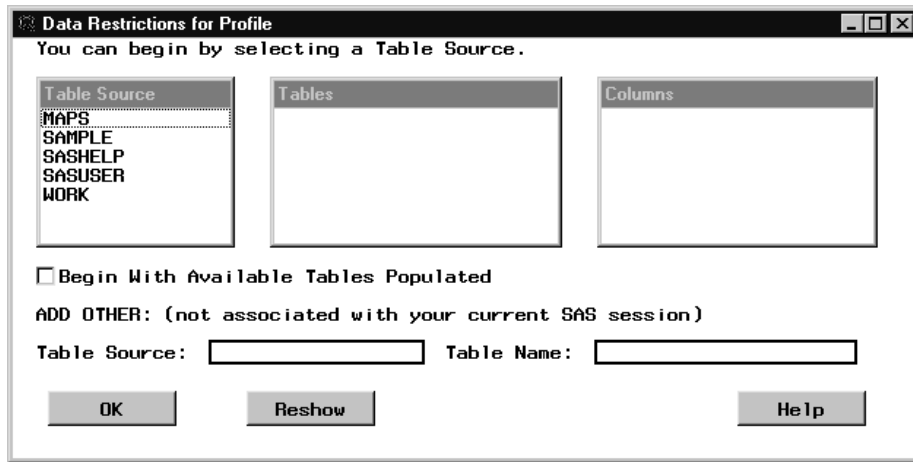
The SQL QUERY TABLES window is displayed. By default, the SASUSER libref is selected and the tables from that libref appear in the list of Available Tables.

Changing Your Profile

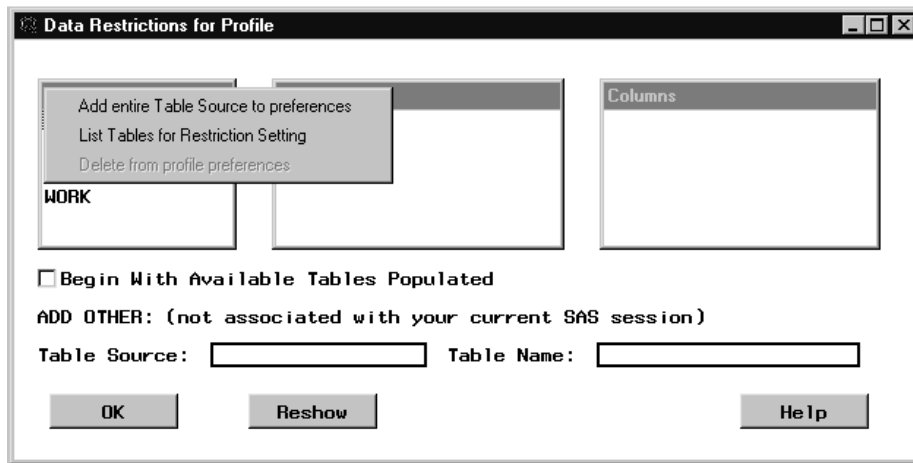
Set your SQL Query Window profile to include the tables in the sample data library. From the PMENU, select



Select the  next to **Data Restrictions** to display the Data Restrictions for Profile window.



Select **SAMPLE** from the list of Table Sources. Select **Add entire Table Source to preferences** from the pop-up menu that appears.



Select **WORK** from the list of Table Sources. Select **Add entire Table Source to preferences** from the pop-up menu.

Select **OK** to return to the Preference Settings for Profile window.
Select **Save** to save your new profile setting.



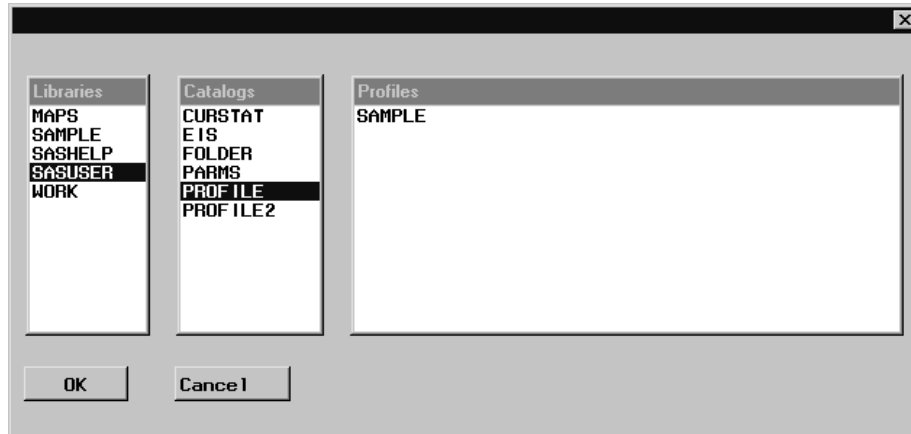
Type **SAMPLE** in the **Entry Name:** field of the Name Catalog Entry for Profile window. Select **OK**.

Select **Close** in the Preference Settings for Profile window.

From the SQL QUERY TABLES window PMENU, select



Select the  next to **Profile Name:** to display a list of profiles.



Select **SASUSER.PROFILE.SAMPLE** from the Preference Profiles in Catalog window.

Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window and to complete the switch to the new profile. The new profile displays only the tables that are in the sample library.

To practice with the SQL Query Window examples, you will need the following data sets:

- SAMPLE.EMPINFO
- SAMPLE.JOBCODES
- SAMPLE.LEAVE
- SAMPLE.SALARY

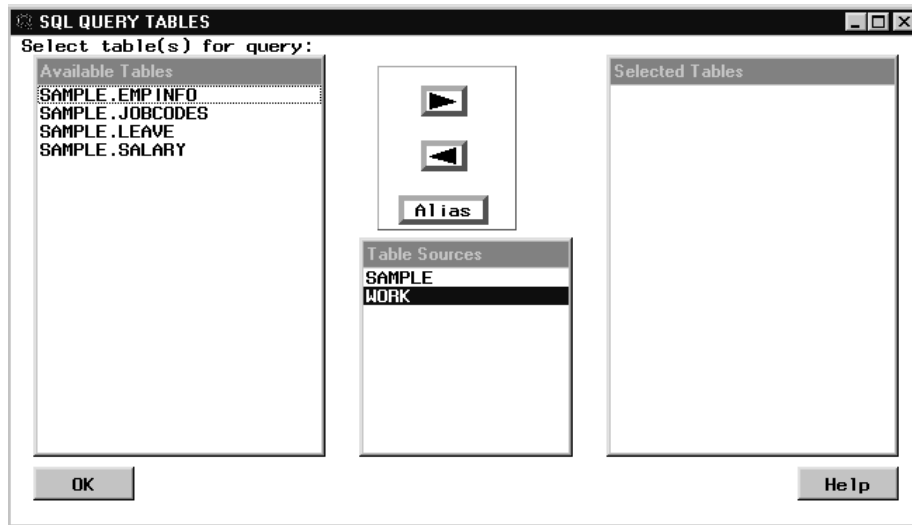
You will also need the following catalog:


- SAMPLE.PROGRAM

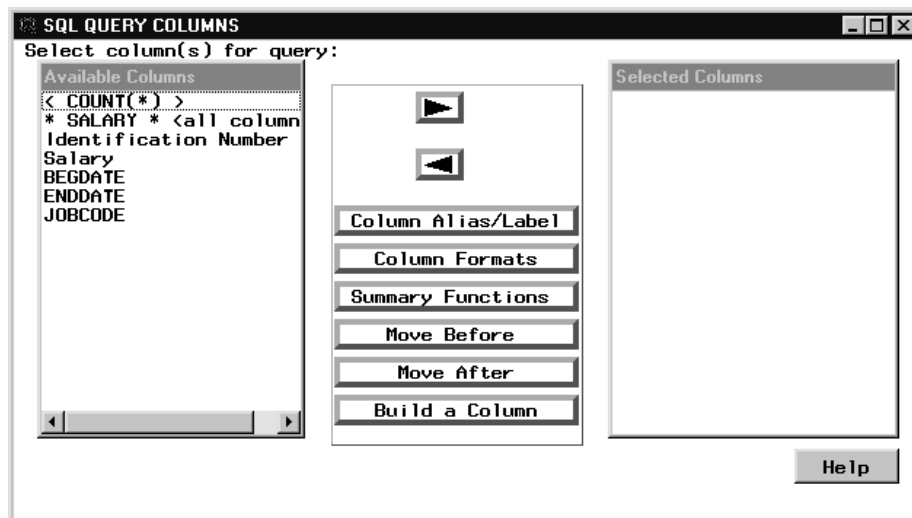
See “Setting Your Profile” on page 73 for more information on the SQL Query Window user profile.

Selecting a Table


First, you will analyze the relation between salary level, position, and hire date. Select **SAMPLE.SALARY** from the list of Available Tables.



Select  to add your selection to the Selected Tables list. You can also double-click on SAMPLE.SALARY to select it. Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

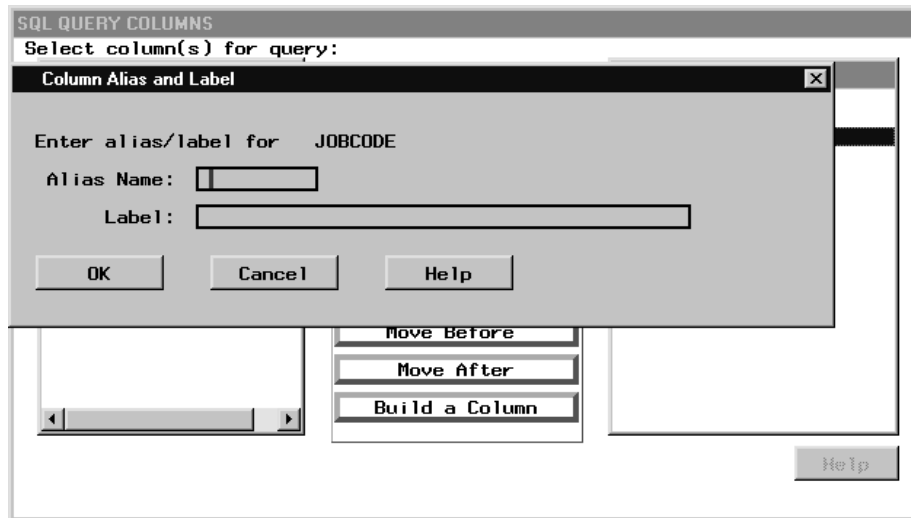


Selecting Columns

Select **Salary**, **BEGDATE**, and **JOBCODE** from the list of Available Columns. Select  to add your selections to the Selected Columns list.

Alias Names and Labels

To create more descriptive labels for JOBCODE and BEGDATE, select **JOBCODE** from the list of Selected Columns. Select **Column Alias/Label** to assign a new label to the JOBCODE column.



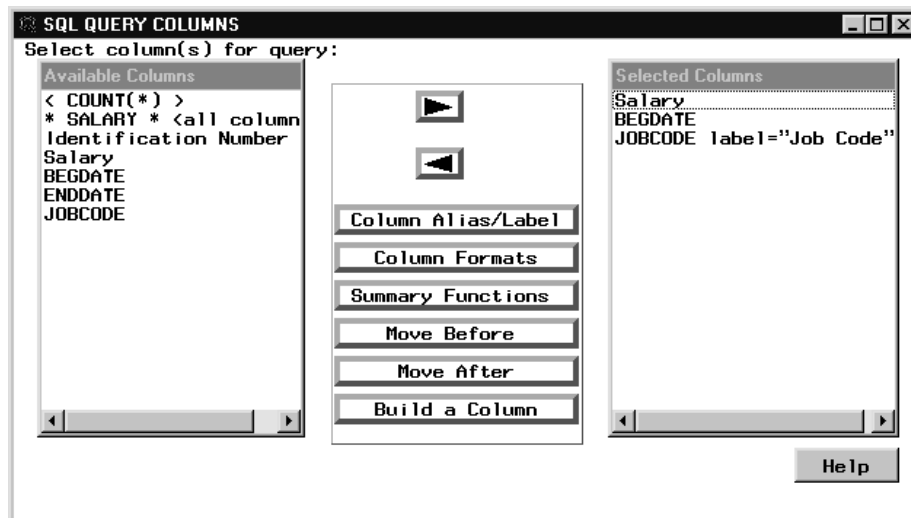
Alias Name

specifies an alias for the column. The alias is used in place of the column name both in the query and in any table or view that is created from the query. Aliases make a result table clearer or easier to read; they can also name a column expression.

Label

associates a label with a column heading.

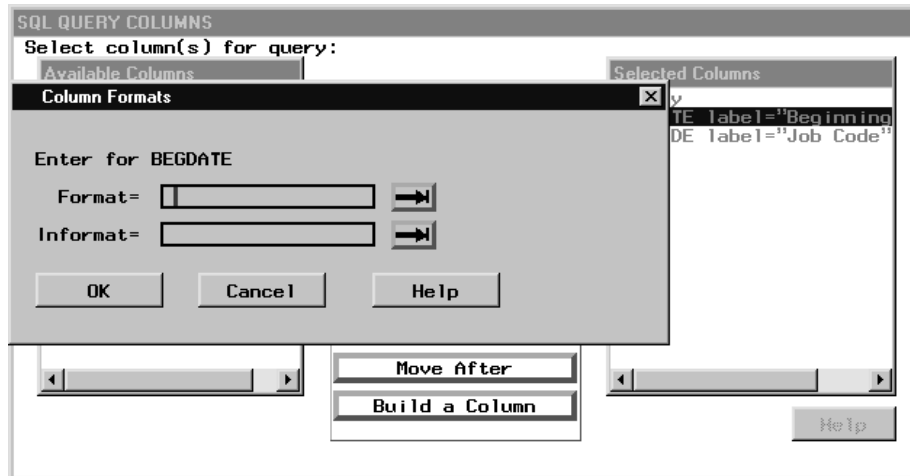
Type **Job Code** in the **Label:** field. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. The assigned label is displayed next to JOBCODE in the Selected Columns List.



Select **BEGDATE** from the Selected Columns list. Select **Column Alias/Label**. Type **Beginning Date** in the **Label:** field. Select **OK**.

Column Format

To modify the format of a column, select **BEGDATE** from the Selected Columns list. Select **Column Formats** to specify the format in which the beginning dates are presented.



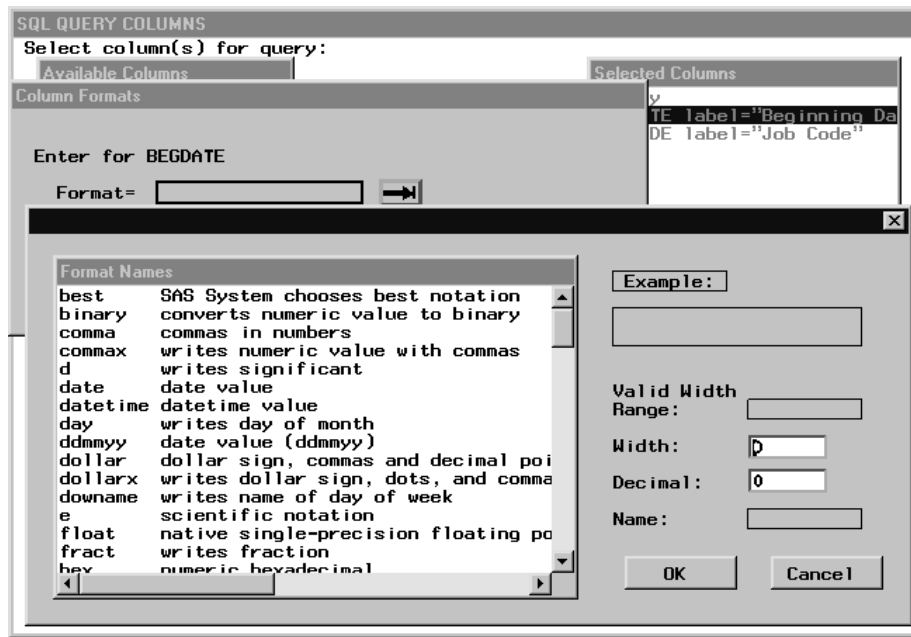
Format

specifies the form in which the column data are displayed. You can enter a format, or select \Rightarrow to see a list of valid formats. When you select a format, a formatted example appears, along with its width range, default width, default decimal, and name. You can either accept the default width and decimal values, or specify your own values in the **width:** field.

Informat

specifies the form in which the column data are read by other SAS procedures if you create a table or view from the query. You can enter an informat, or select \Rightarrow to see a list of valid informats. When you select an informat, a formatted example appears, along with its width range, default width, default decimal, and name. You can either accept the default width and decimal values, or specify your own values.

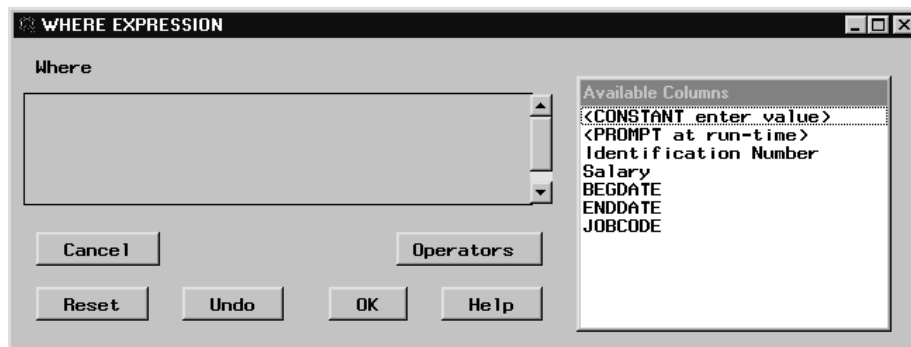
Select the \Rightarrow next to **Format** to display a list of formats.



Select **date** from the list of Format Names. Type **9** in the **width:** field. Select **OK**. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Creating a WHERE Expression

A WHERE expression returns a subset of data that meet conditions you specify. Create a WHERE expression that displays the range of job codes whose employees were hired after October 1991 and whose salaries are less than \$18,000.00. Select **Where Conditions for Subset...** from the **View** PMENU. The WHERE EXPRESSION window appears.



Available Columns

The Available Columns list contains all the columns from the selected tables, in addition to the following choices:

<CONSTANT enter value> enables you to enter a constant value for the Where expression

<PROMPT at run-time> enables you to enter a value for the Where expression when you run the query or create a table or view.

Comparison Operators

Select **salary** from the Available Columns list. A list of numeric comparison operators appears.



The list of operators is specific to the data type.

EQ	is equal to
NE	is not equal to
GT	is greater than
LT	is less than
GE	is greater than or equal to
LE	is less than or equal to
*	multiplies by
/	divides by
+	adds
-	subtracts
**	raises to a power

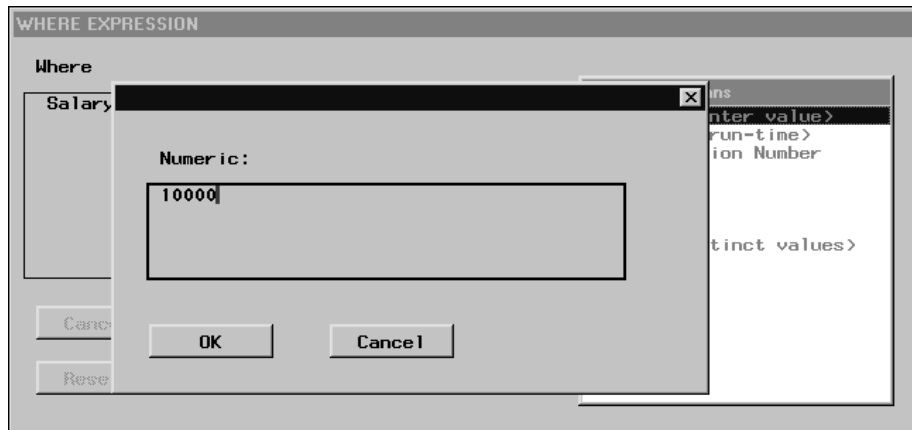
The **OTHER Operators** are:

Is Missing	selects rows in which a column value is missing or null.
Is Not Missing	selects rows in which a column value is not missing or is not null.
Between	Searches for values that lie within the specified parameters.
Not Between	Searches for values that lie outside the specified parameters.
In	Tests if the column value is a member of a set.
Not In	Tests if the column value is not a member of a set.

Select **LT** from the list of comparison operators.

Constant Values

Select **<CONSTANT enter value>**. Enter **10000** in the **Numeric:** field.



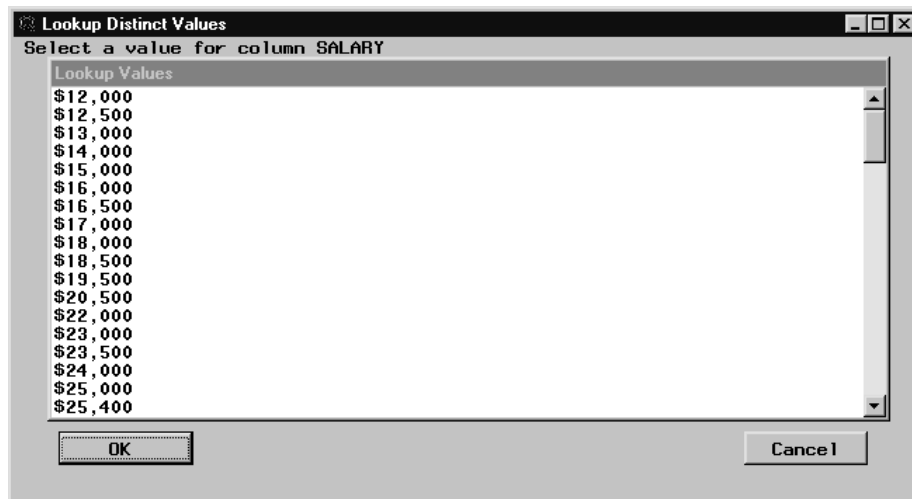
Select **OK**. The WHERE expression is built for you as you select new operators and values.

Undo

Select **Undo** to remove **10000** from the WHERE statement. You can delete your last addition to the WHERE statement by selecting **Undo**.

Lookup Distinct Values

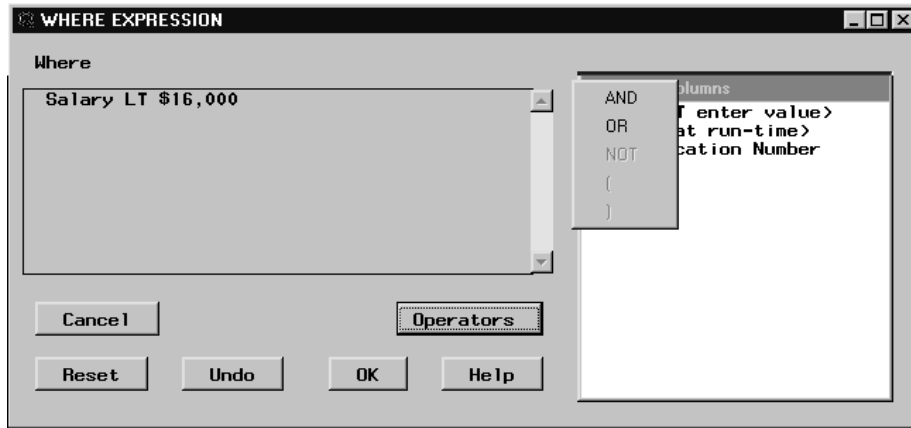
Select **LOOKUP distinct values** to view all of the values for the SALARY column. Distinct values remove duplicate rows from your output table.



Select **\$18,000** from the list of values. Because the LT comparison operator requires only one value, you are automatically returned to the WHERE EXPRESSION window.

Logical Operators

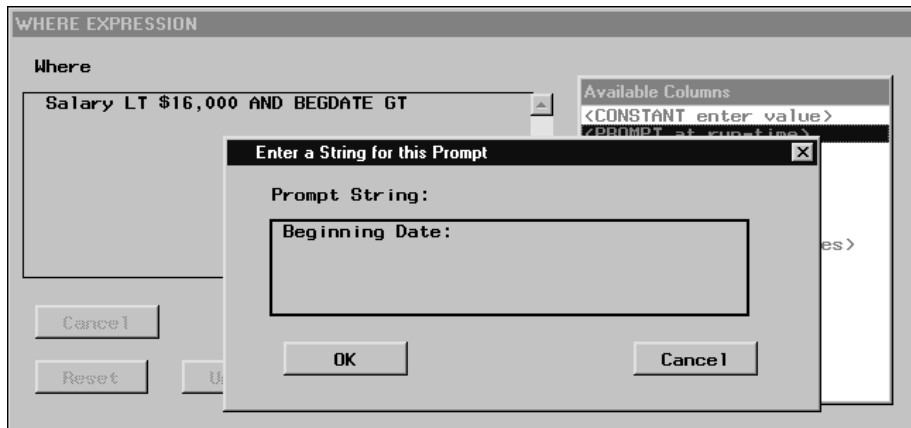
Select **operators** to display the list of operators. Note that the list of comparison operators has changed to a list of logical operators. Select **AND** from the list of operators.



Select **BEGDATE** from the list of Available Columns. Select **GT** from the list of comparison operators.

Run-Time Prompt

Select **PROMPT at run-time** to display the Prompt String window. Type **Beginning Date:** in the Prompt String field.



Select **OK**. **&PROMPT1** in the Where expression indicates that you will supply a value for this variable when you run the query.

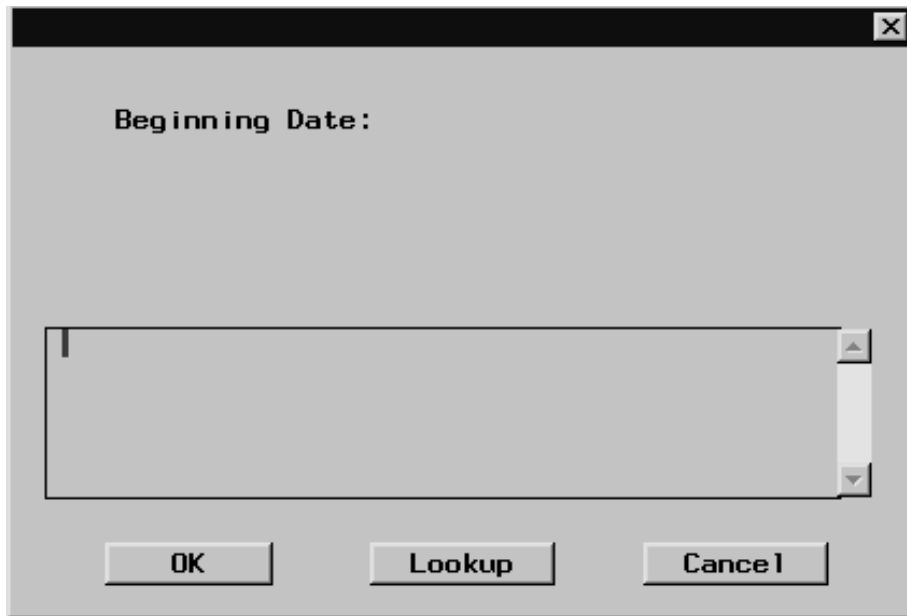
Select **OK** from the WHERE EXPRESSION window to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Running Your Query

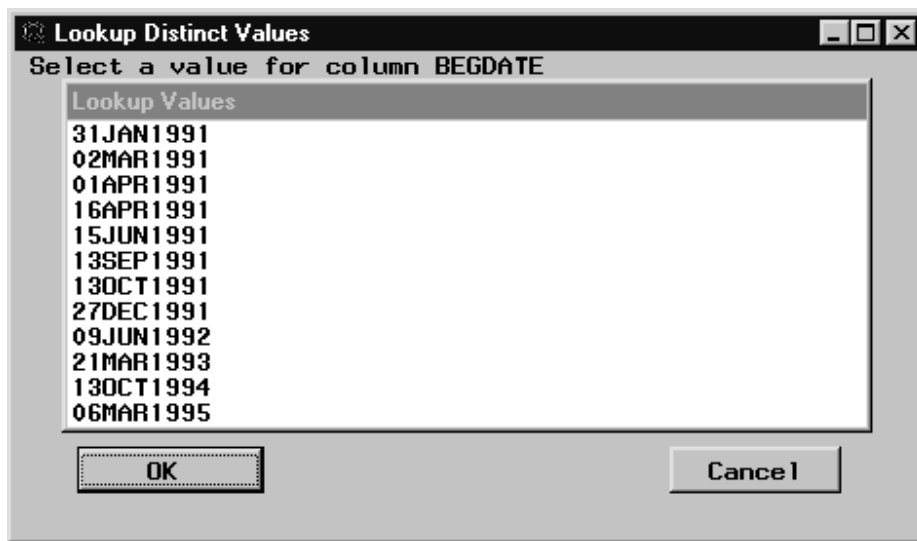
To run your query, select



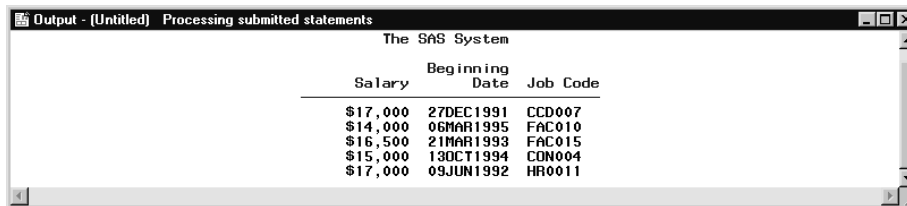
The Prompt at Run Time window appears, with the **Beginning Date:** prompt that you specified in the WHERE expression.



Select **Lookup** to display a list of values for **Beginning Date**:



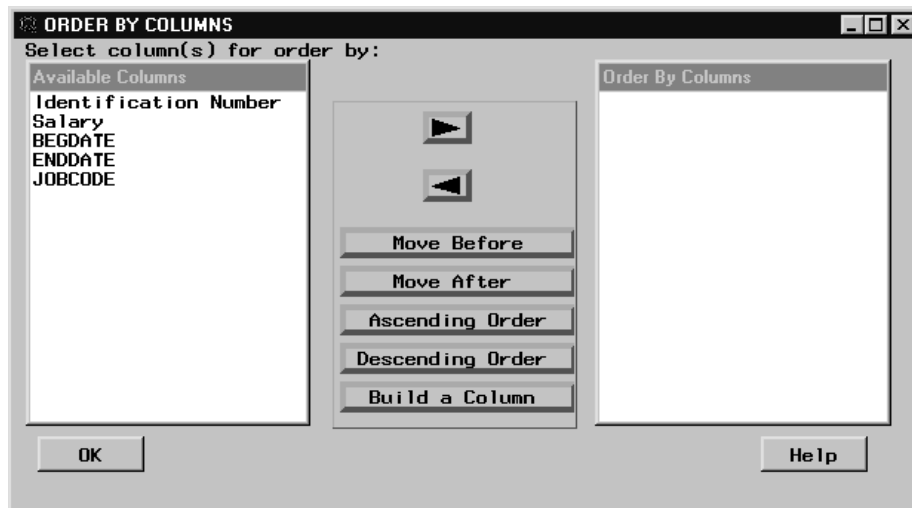
Select **13OCT1991** from the list of values; the Prompt at Runtime Window is displayed with the value that you selected. Select **OK** to continue to run the query and to view your output in the OUTPUT window.



Sorting Your Output


Order By enables you to specify the order in which you want the output sorted. Using the query from the last example, you can change the ordering sequence of the columns in your OUTPUT window. From the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select

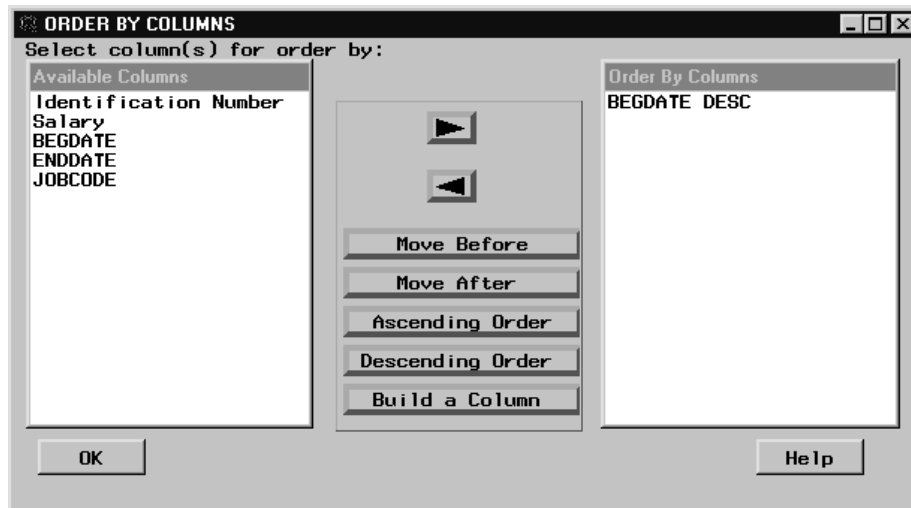
View ► Order By..



- | | |
|-------------------------|--|
| Move Before | displays all columns in the Order By Columns list except the currently chosen one. The currently chosen column(s) will be inserted before the column(s) that you select. |
| Move After | displays all the columns in the Order By Columns list except the currently chosen one. The currently chosen column(s) will be inserted following the column(s) that you select. |
| Ascending Order | changes the ordering sequence of the selected column's values to ascending (lowest value to highest value). |
| Descending Order | changes the ordering sequence of the selected column's values to descending. |
| Build a Column | displays the Build a Column Expression window, which enables you to create your calculated column for use in sorting your output. Use the Build a Column Expression window to create new columns by performing calculations on existing (numeric) columns. |

Order By Columns

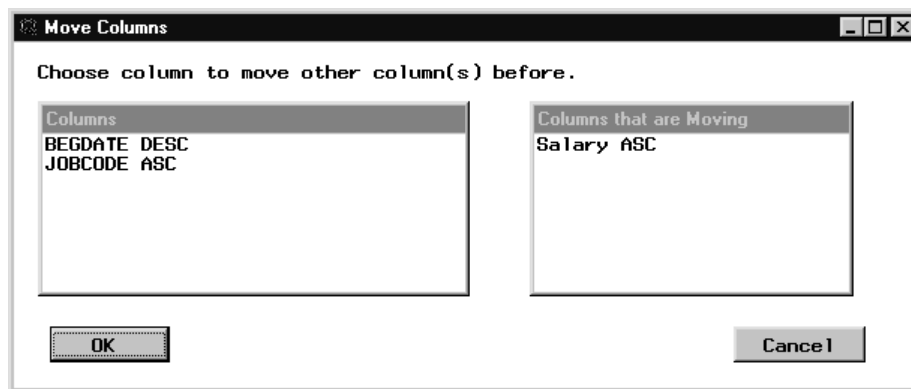
Select **BEGDATE** from the list of Available Columns. Select  to move it to the list of Order By Columns. By default, columns are sorted in ascending order, so the abbreviation ASC appears next to the column name in the Order By Columns list. Select **BEGDATE ASC** and **Descending Order** to change the ordering sequence.



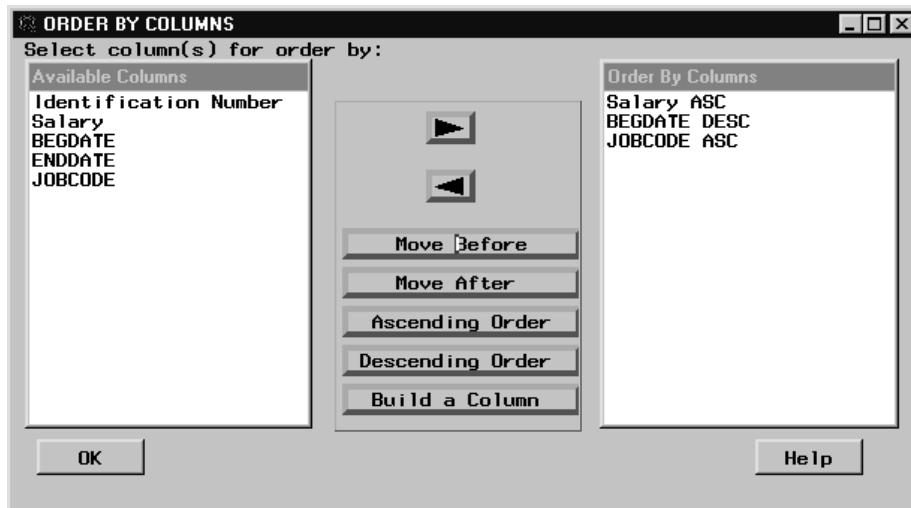
Select **Salary** and **JOBCODE**, and move them to the list of Order By Columns.

Move Columns

Select **Salary** and **Move Before**. The Move Columns window appears.

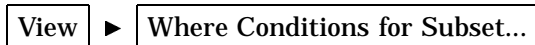


Select **BEGDATE** and **OK**. The ORDER BY COLUMNS window is displayed with **Salary** first in the list of Order By Columns.

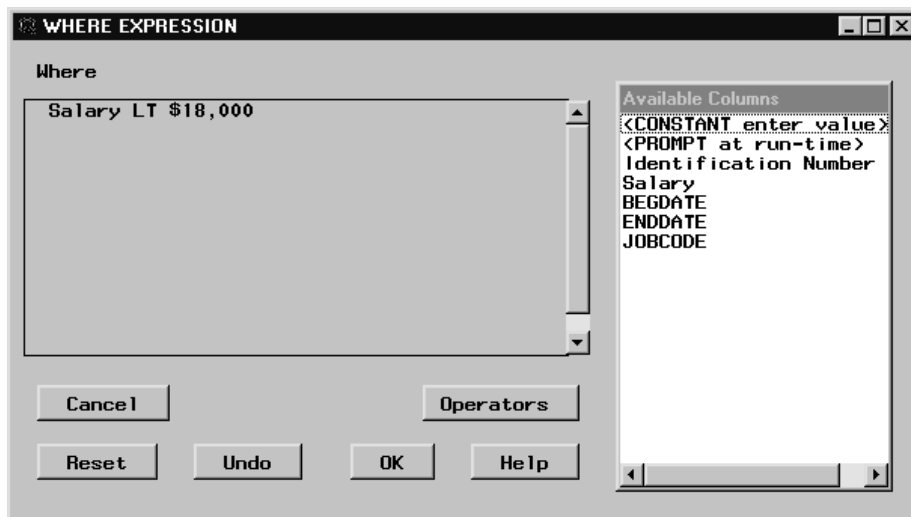


Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Select



The WHERE EXPRESSION window appears. Select **Undo** four times, until only **SALARY LT \$18,000** is displayed.

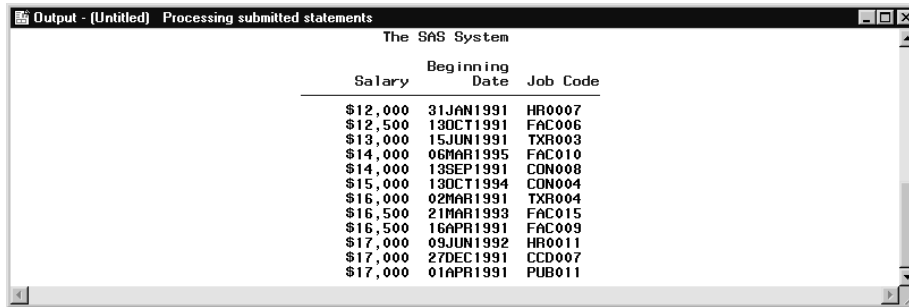


Select **OK**.

Viewing Your Output

To run your query and view the output in the OUTPUT window, select





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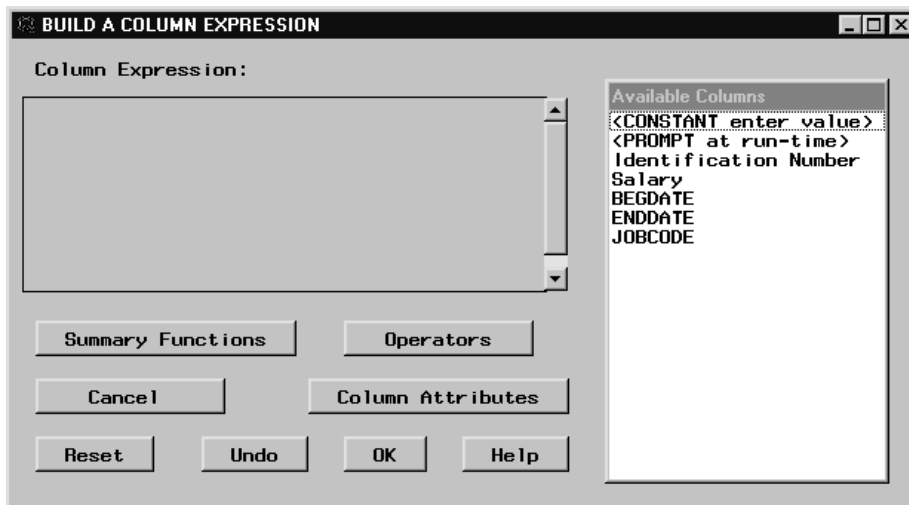
Salary	Beginning Date	Job Code
\$12,000	31JAN1991	HR0007
\$12,500	13OCT1991	FAC006
\$13,000	15JUN1991	TXR003
\$14,000	06MAR1995	FAC010
\$14,000	13SEP1991	CON008
\$15,000	13OCT1994	CON004
\$16,000	02MAR1991	TXR004
\$16,500	21MAR1993	FAC015
\$16,500	16APR1991	FAC009
\$17,000	09JUN1992	HR0011
\$17,000	27DEC1991	CCD007
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Building Calculated Columns

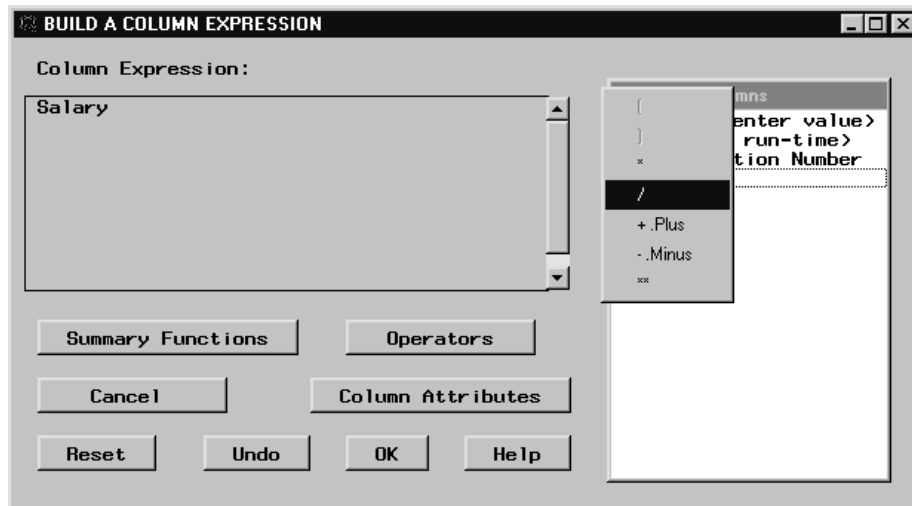
Using the query from the last example, you can create a new column that computes the hourly wage for each salary.

Build a Column Expression

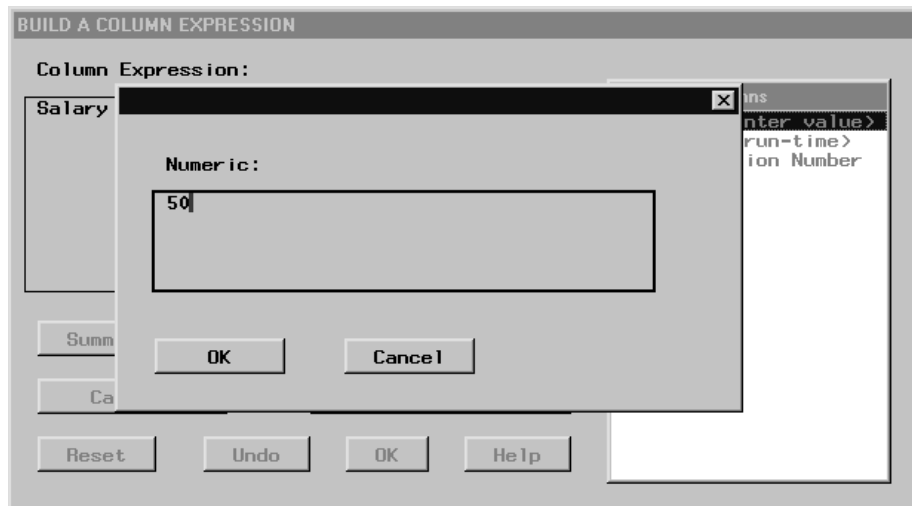
Select **Build a Column** from the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window to display the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window.



Select **Salary** from the Available Columns window. Select the division operator (/) from the list of operators.



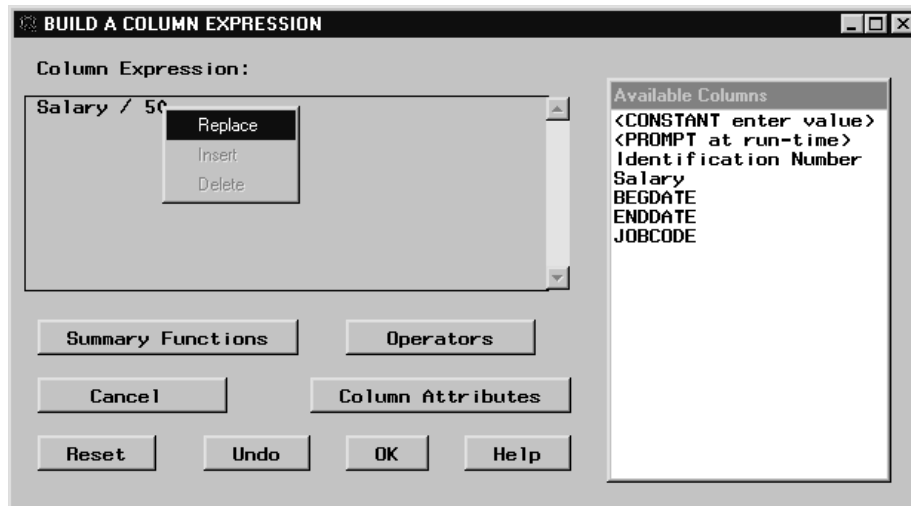
Select **<CONSTANT enter value>** from the Available Columns window. Enter **50** in the Numeric Constant dialog. Select **OK** to return to the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window.



Select the division operator again from the list of operators, and enter 40 to divide the number of weeks by the number of hours in each week. Click **OK**. Click outside the operator box to dismiss the list of operators.

Correcting Your Mistakes

You realize that you have made a mistake and that you want to divide Salary by 52, the number of weeks in a year. Select **50** in the WHERE expression. A pop-up menu displays a list of choices.

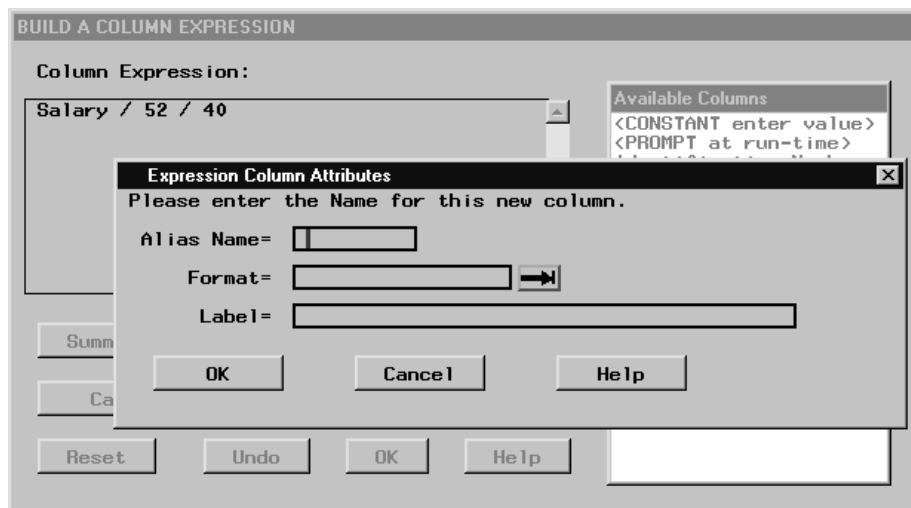



Select **Replace** from the pop-up menu. The BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window displays "Select from Available Columns to replace this value."

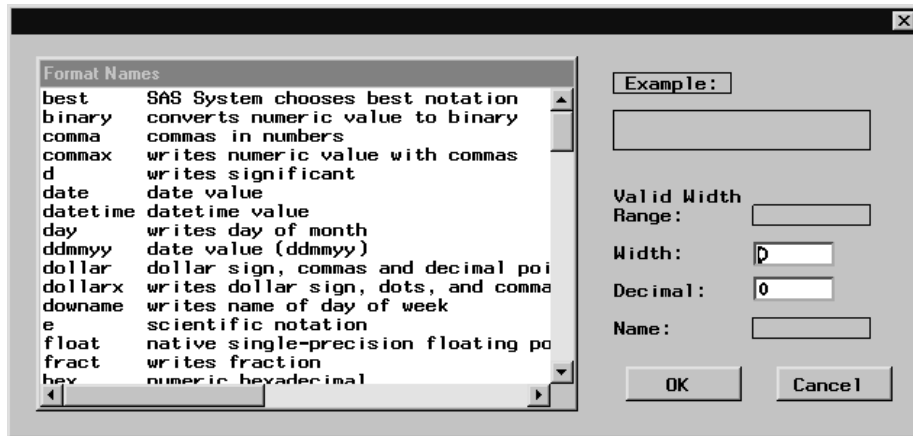
Select **<CONSTANT Enter Values>** from the list of Available Columns. Enter **52** as the new constant.

Defining the Column Format and Label

Select **Column Attributes** to define the format and label for your new column.



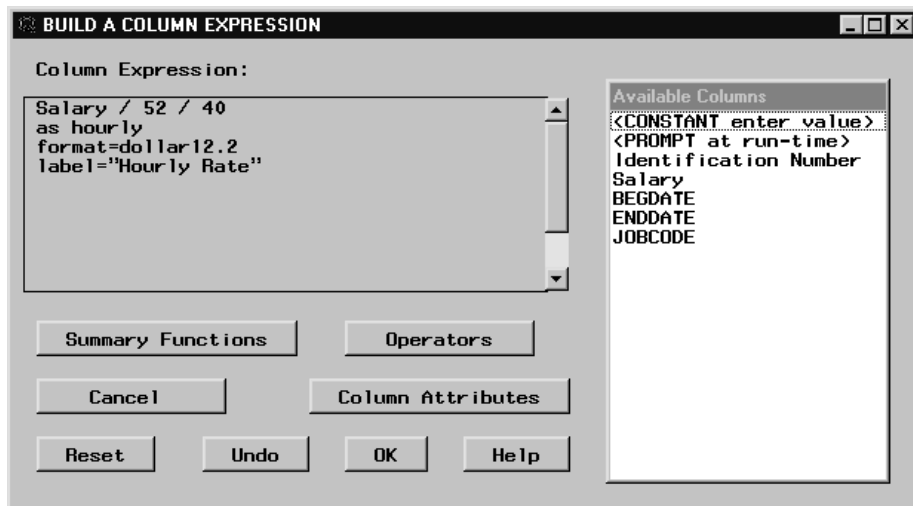
Enter **hourly** as the alias name. Select the  next to the **Format** field to choose the format in which the new column will appear.



Select **dollar** from the list of Format Names. Enter **2** in the **Decimal:** field so that the hourly wage will be displayed to two decimal places. Select **OK**.

Enter **Hourly Rate** in the **Label** field for the column. Select **OK**.

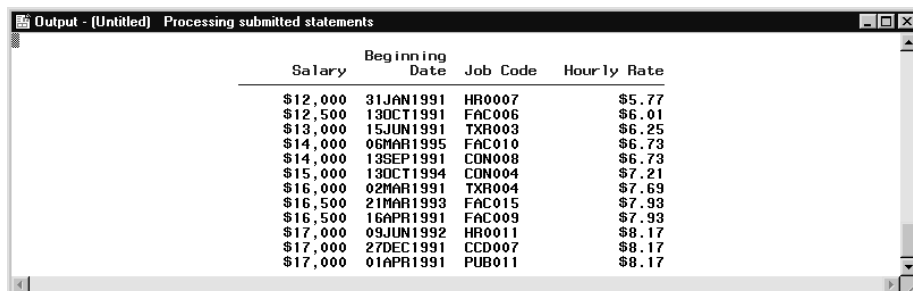
The complete calculated column is displayed in the Column Expression window.



Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Viewing Your Output

To run your query and view the output in the OUTPUT window, select



Building and Adding Tables

Using the query from the last example, you can build a new table from the results of your latest query.

Creating a Table from Query Results

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select

View ► **Tables...**

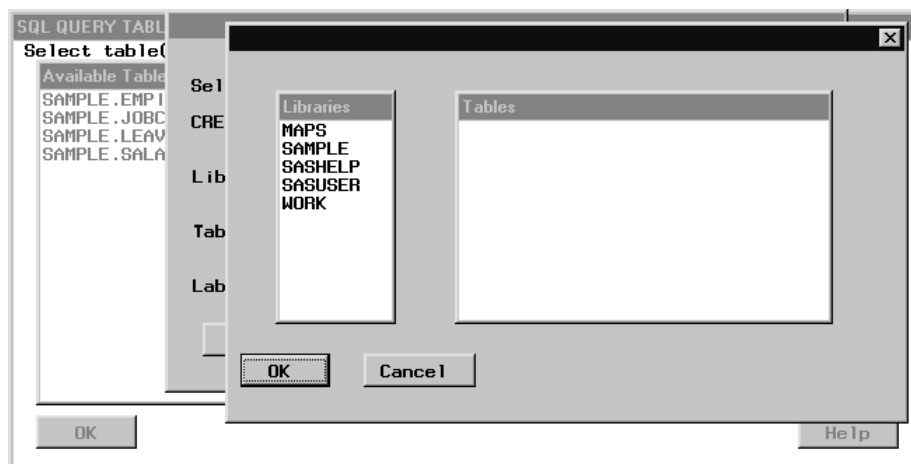
to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

From the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select

File ► **Create Table From Query Results...**



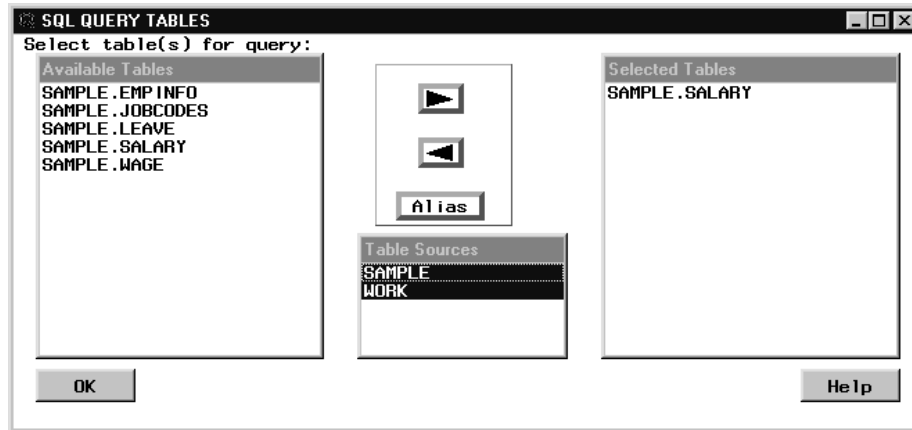
Select the  next to the **Library:** field to display a list of available libraries.




You can also enter the library name in the **Library:** field.

Select **SAMPLE** to include your new table in the SAMPLE library. Select **OK**. Type **WAGE** in the **Table:** field. Type **Hourly Wages** in the **Label:** field to specify the permanent label to be used when displaying that column in a table.

Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window. **SAMPLE.WAGE** is now in the list of Available Tables.



Adding the New Table to Selected Tables

Select **SAMPLE.WAGE** and  to add the new table to the list of Selected Tables.



to reset your query and return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

Joining Matching Data

An inner join returns a result table for all of the rows in a table that has one or more matching rows in another table. You can use an inner join to display the hourly wage for each employee identification number.

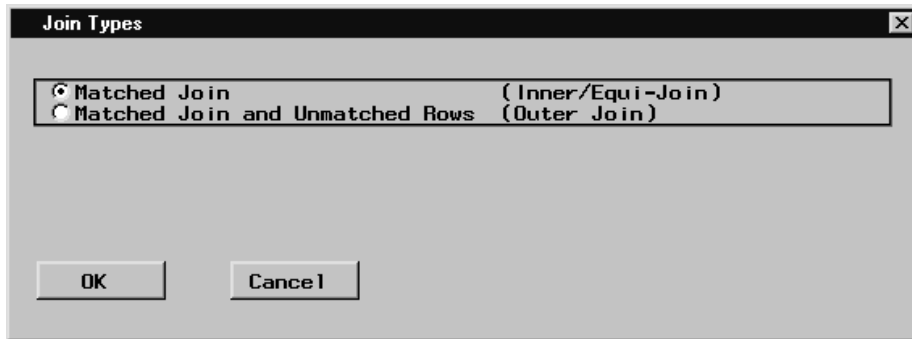
In the previous example, you added **SAMPLE.WAGE** to the list of Available Tables. Select **SAMPLE.SALARY** and **SAMPLE.WAGE** from the list of Available Tables and add them to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. Select **Identification Number**, **JOB CODE**, and **Hourly Rate** from the list of Available Columns and move them to the list of Selected Columns.

Join Types

You can choose to use the results of an inner join or an outer join. See “Creating and Using Outer Joins” on page 66 for more information on outer joins.



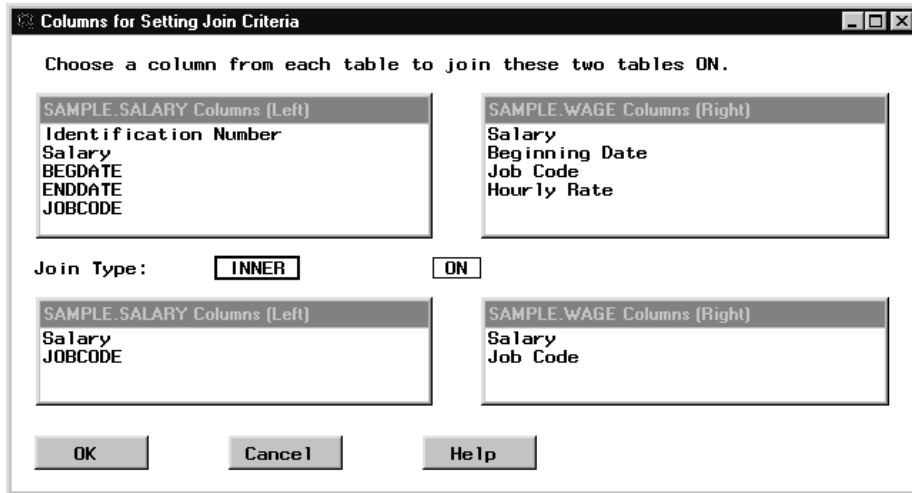
to display the Join Types window.



Select **Matched Join** and **OK**.

Setting Join Criteria

In the Columns for Setting Join Criteria window, select **Salary** from SAMPLE.SALARY Columns and SAMPLE.WAGE Columns. Select **JOBCODE** from SAMPLE.SALARY Columns and **JOBCODE** from SAMPLE.WAGE Columns.



Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Viewing Your Output

To run your query and view the output in the OUTPUT window, select



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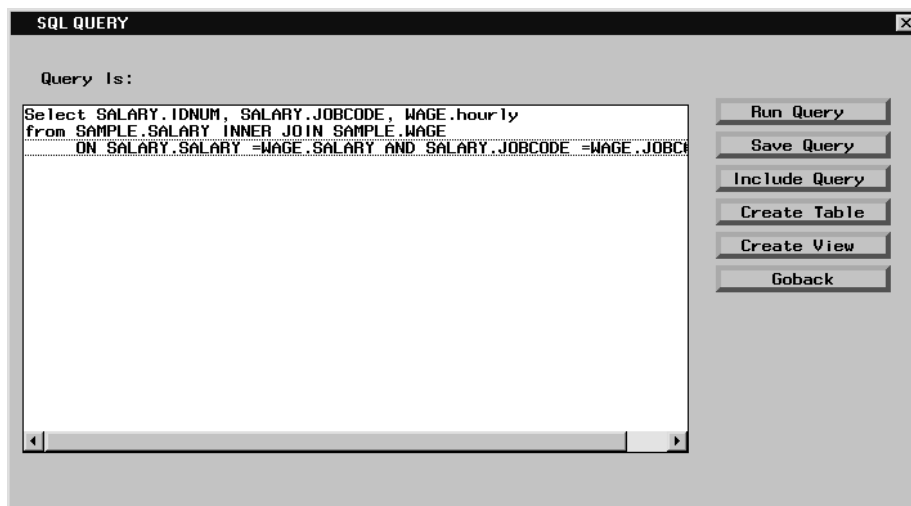
Identification Number	JOBCODE	Hourly Rate
333-88-7115	HR0007	\$5.77
333-88-7139	FAC009	\$7.93
333-88-7176	TXR003	\$6.25
333-88-7308	CON008	\$6.73
333-88-7315	FAC006	\$6.01
333-88-7355	CCD007	\$8.17
333-88-7786	FAC010	\$6.73
333-88-7790	FAC015	\$7.93
361-77-9819	TXR004	\$7.69
733-31-7185	PUB011	\$8.17
735-19-7631	CON004	\$7.21
736-66-5737	HR0011	\$8.17

Saving Queries

To save the query that you created in the previous example in your SASUSER.PROFILE, select

Tools \blacktriangleright Show Query...

to display the SQL QUERY window.

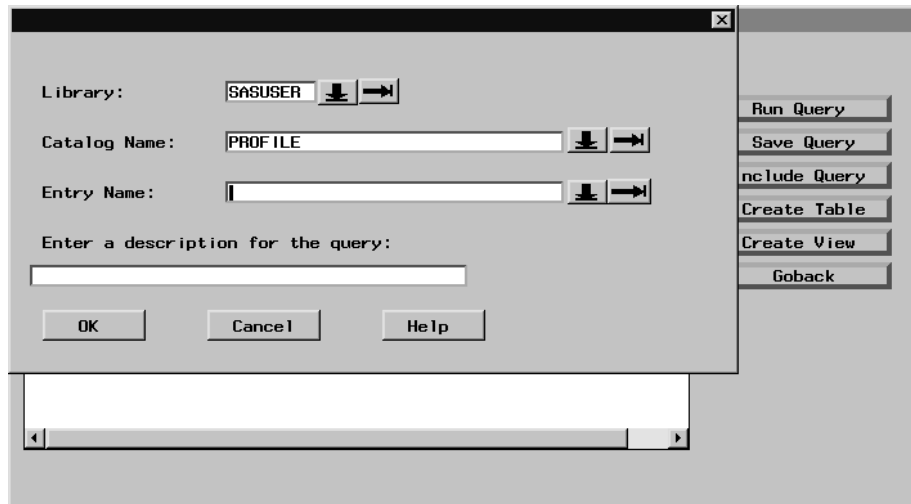


Saving a Query to Include Later

Select

Save Query \blacktriangleright Save as QUERY to Include later...

to save your query to SASUSER.PROFILE or another catalog of your choosing.



Type **IDWAGE** in the **Entry Name** field. Type **ID number and hourly wage** in the description field. Select **OK** to save your query as an entry in **SASUSER.PROFILE** and to return to the **SQL QUERY** window. Select **Goback** to return to the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window.

Saving Several Queries

You can save more than one query and then select from a list of queries that you have saved in the current Query Window session or in a previous Query Window session.

From the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window, select

View ► **Tables...**

to return to the **SQL QUERY TABLES** window.

Remove **SAMPLE.WAGE** from the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** to display the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window.

Select **salary** from the list of Available Columns and add it to the list of Selected Columns. Select

View ► **Where Conditions for Subset...**

to display the **WHERE EXPRESSION** window.

Select **salary** from the list of Available Columns. Select **GT** (Greater Than) from the list of Operators. Select **<LOOKUP distinct values>** from the list of Available Columns. Select **\$25,000** from the Lookup Values window. Select **OK** to save your **WHERE** expression. Select

View ► **Order By...**

to display the **ORDER BY COLUMNS** window. Select **salary** from the list of Available Columns and add it to the list of Selected Columns. Select **OK** to return to the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window.

You can also use the **File** menu to save queries. Select

File ► **Save Query** ► **Save as Query to Include later**

Type **ABOVE25** in the **Entry Name:** field. Type **Salaries above \$25,000** in the Description field.

You can also save queries that will be processed against different tables. For the next query that you will save, select

View ► Tables...

to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window. Remove **SAMPLE.SALARY** from the list of Selected Tables, and select **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** from the list of Available Tables to add to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. Add **NAME**, **DIVISION**, and **Education Level1** to the list of Selected Columns. Select

View ► Where Conditions for Subset...

Select **Education level1** from the list of Available Columns. Select **GE** (Greater than or Equal to) from the list of Operators. Select **<LOOKUP distinct values>**, and select **20** from the list of Lookup Values. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Select

File ► Save Query ► Save as Query to Include later

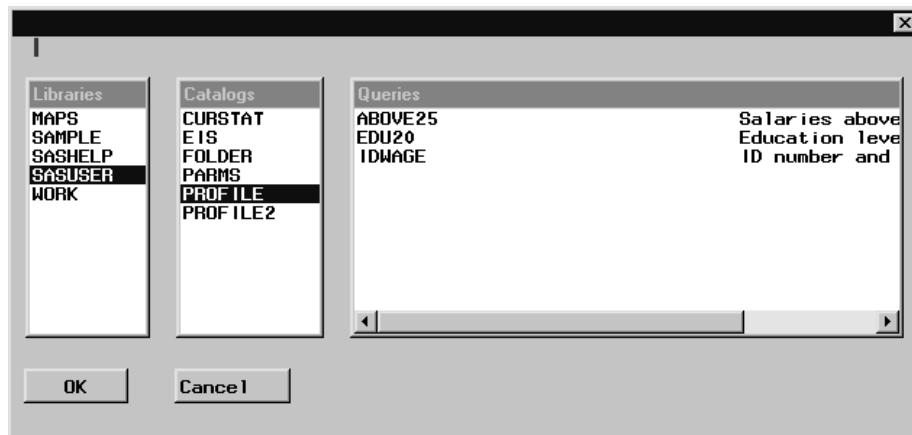
Type **EDU20** in the **Entry Name** field. Type **Education level above 20 years** in the **Description** field. Select **OK** to save the query.

Listing Saved Queries

You can now display a list of the queries that you have saved, and include one of the queries. Select

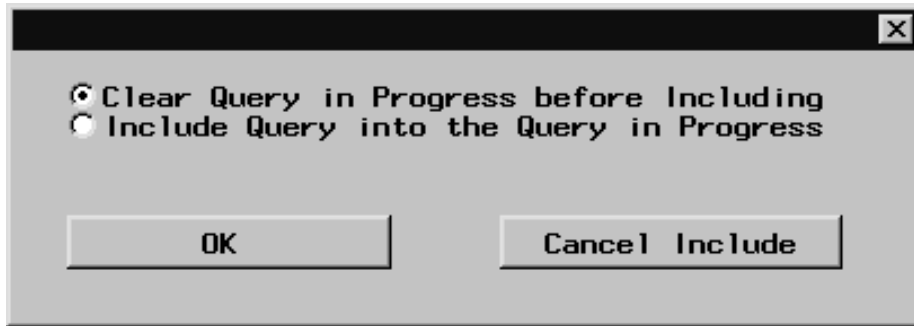
File ► List/Include Saved Queries

The queries that you have created are listed in the Saved Queries window.



Including a Saved Query

Select **SASUSER.PROFILE.EDU20** and select **OK**. A pop-up window asks whether or not you want to clear the previous query or include the previous query with the new one. Select **OK**.



Viewing Your Output

You can run SASUSER.PROFILE.EDU20 by selecting



The results are displayed in the OUTPUT window.

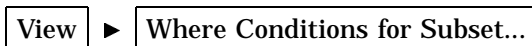
NAME	DIVISION	Education Level
Beekman, Roberta N.	CONTRACTS	20
D'Allesandro, Carl N.	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	20
Drescher, Darlene L.	HOST SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT	20
Gromadzki, Susan Y.	INFORMATION SYSTEMS	20
Hay, Robert M.	EDUCATION	20
Knowles, Randall J.	PUBLICATIONS	20
London, Brenda F.	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	20
Lovette, Linda L.	CONTRACTS	20
Mong, John V.	QUALITY ASSURANCE	20
North, Carolyn N.	HUMAN RESOURCES	20
Perry, Samuel R.	EXECUTIVE	20
Weber, Phil H.	HOST SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT	20

Using Parentheses and Other Operators

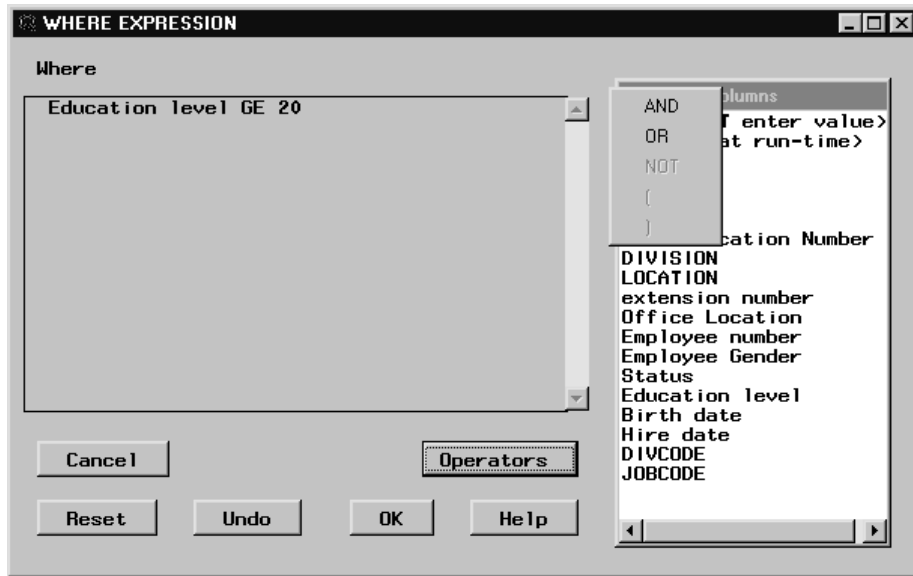
You can use operators other than the comparison operators to subset your data for querying; you can easily change a WHERE condition that has been previously set.

Changing a WHERE Expression

You can change the WHERE expression in SASUSER.PROFILE.EDU20 from the previous example. In the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select



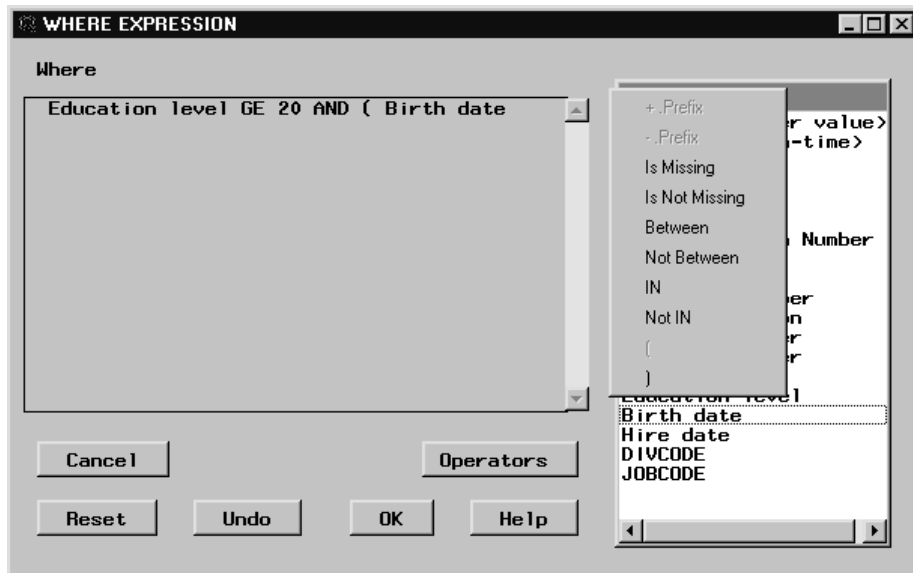
Select **operators** to display the list of valid operators.



AND

Select **AND** from the list.

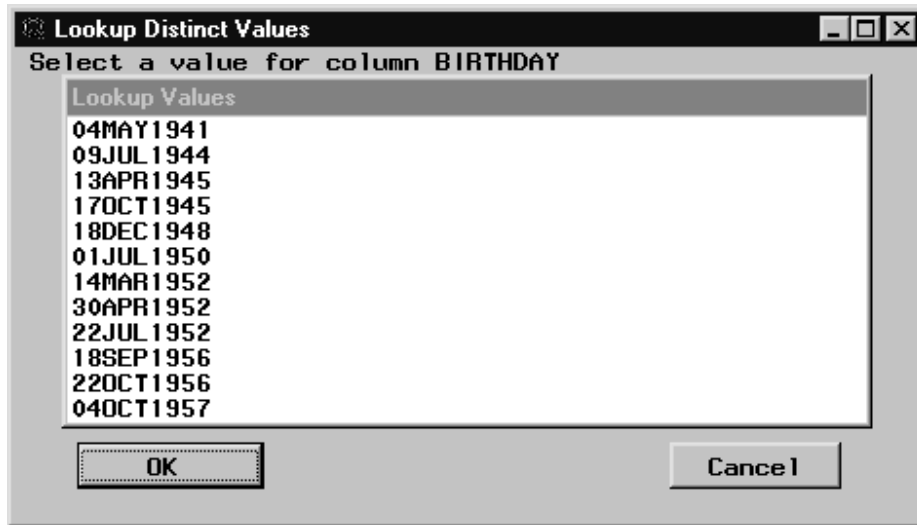
Select **Operators**. Select (from the list. Select **Birth date** from the list of Available Columns. Select **OTHER Operators** from the Operators list to display a second menu of operators.



Between

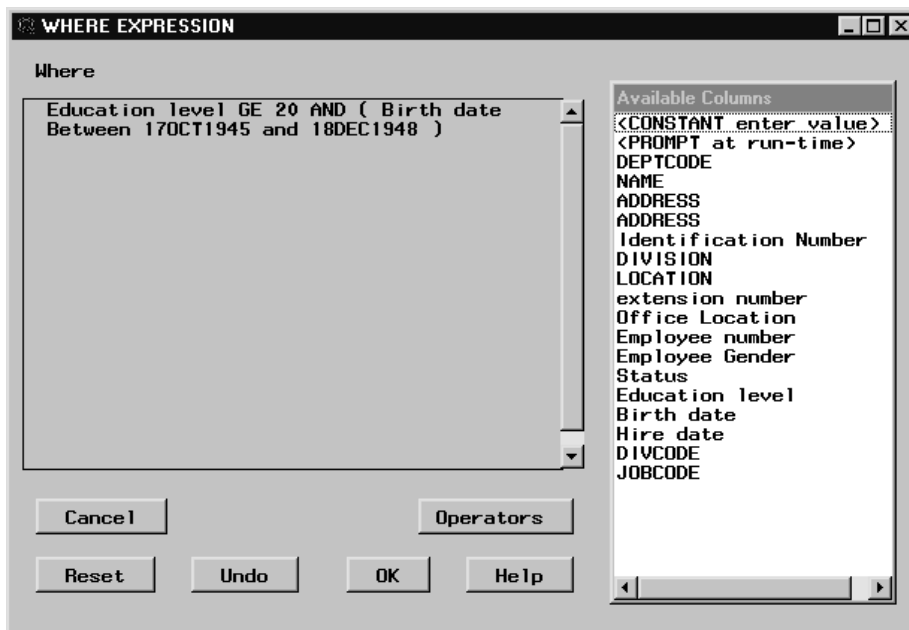
Select **Between** from the list of **OTHER Operators**.

Select **<LOOKUP distinct values>** from the list of Available Columns.



Select **17OCT1945** from the list of Lookup Values. Because the BETWEEN operator requires a second value, the Lookup Distinct Values window appears again after you have selected a value. Select **18DEC1948** from the list of Lookup Values.

In the WHERE EXPRESSION window, select **Operators**. Select **)** from the list of operators to complete the expression that will be evaluated first when the query is run.



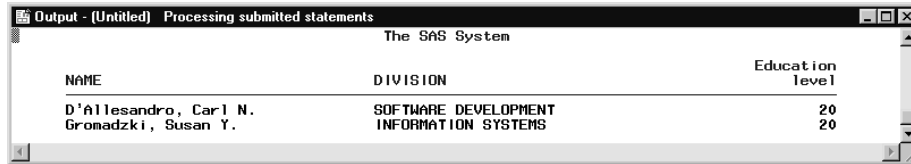
Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Viewing Your Output

Select



to display the output of your query.



NAME	DIVISION	Education level
D'Allesandro, Carl N.	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	20
Gromadzki, Susan Y.	INFORMATION SYSTEMS	20

From the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select

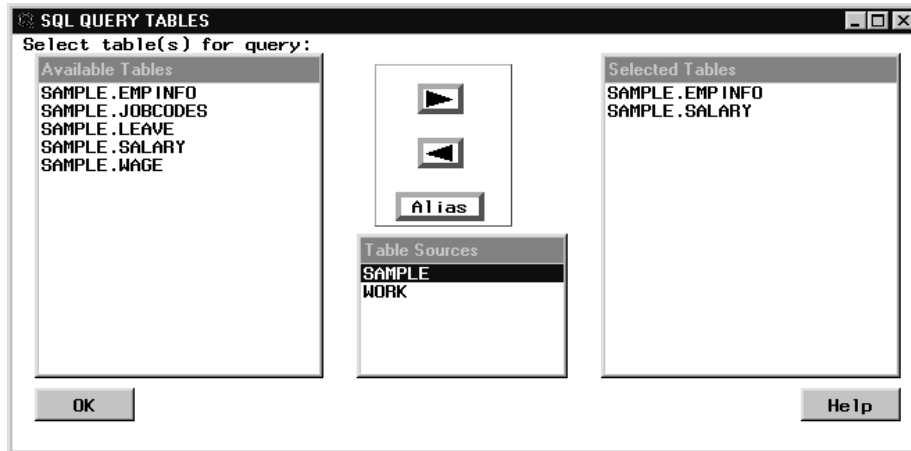
Tools ► **Reset**

to reset your query.

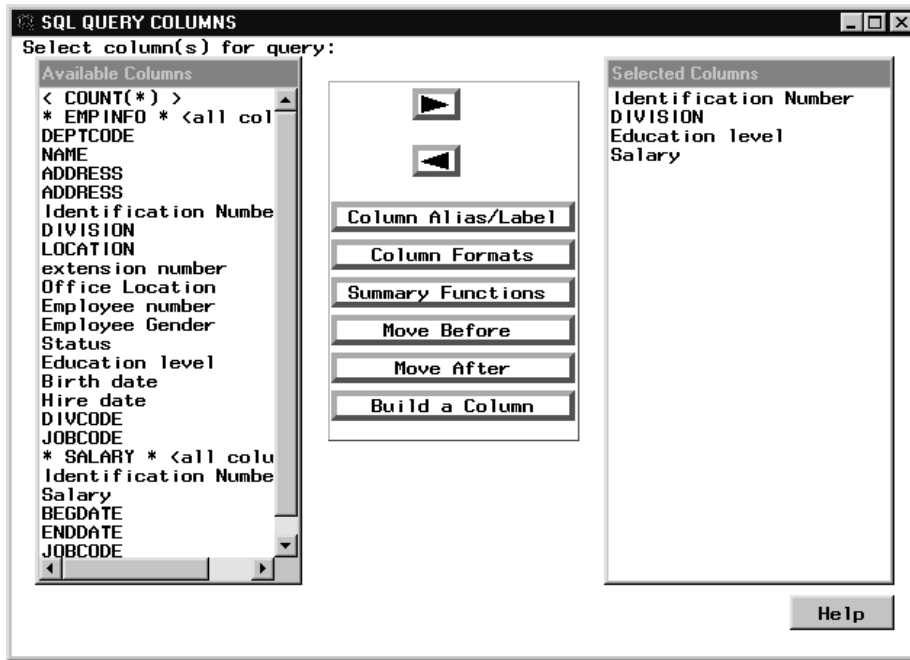
Designing and Saving a Report

When you run your query, you can use the REPORT procedure to modify your output.

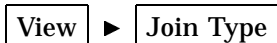
In the SQL QUERY window, select **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** and **SAMPLE.SALARY** from the list of Available Tables and add them to the list of Selected Tables.



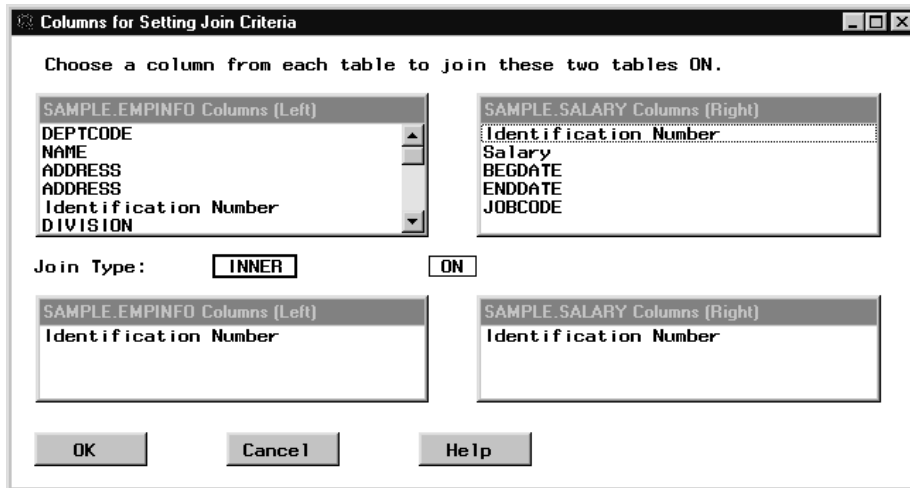
Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. Select **Identification Number**, **DIVISION**, **Education Level**, and **Salary** from the list of Available Columns.



Select



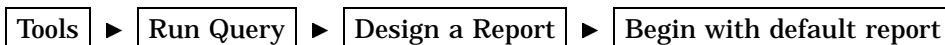
to create an inner join. Select **Matched Join** from the Join Types window. Select **OK**. Select **Identification Number** from both columns in the Columns for Setting Join Criteria window.



Select **OK**.

Producing Output with the REPORT Procedure

Select



The output from your query appears in a PROC REPORT window.

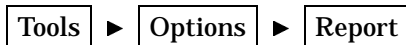
Identification Number	DIVISION	Education level	Salary
333-88-1850	FACILITIES	16	\$28,000
333-88-7366	TECHNICAL SUPPORT	16	\$32,000
301-97-8691	SALES & MARKETING	18	\$52,000
333-44-5555	FINANCE	.	\$37,000
333-78-0101	VIDEO	.	\$25,400
566-78-4241	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	.	\$30,000
739-79-6389	CONTRACTS	19	\$27,000
333-36-6830	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	16	\$32,000
736-15-7096	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	14	\$70,000
265-35-3525	FACILITIES	14	\$23,000
111-88-7330	TEXAS REGIONAL	16	\$27,000
111-88-7176	TECHNICAL SUPPORT	16	\$31,000
214-01-1720	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	15	\$83,000
737-13-5377	FINANCE	18	\$127,000
333-88-1961	CONTRACTS	20	\$29,000
506-08-3698	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	16	\$24,000
068-30-9977	QUALITY ASSURANCE	15	\$33,000
333-88-7063	TEXAS REGIONAL	16	\$39,500
769-38-5061	CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS	15	\$65,000

Modifying the Format of Your Report

You can now modify your report.

Set Report Options

In the REPORT window, select



To set the width of the output, in the ROPTIONS window, Type 80 in the **Linesize** field. Type 60 in the **Pagesize** field. Select **HEADLINE** and **HEADSKIP**.

Modes	Attributes
<input type="checkbox"/> DEFER	Linesize = 80
<input type="checkbox"/> PROMPT	Pagesize = 60
	Colwidth = 9
	Spacing = 2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CENTER	Split = /
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEADLINE	Panels = 1
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEADSKIP	Panel space = 4
<input type="checkbox"/> NAMED	
<input type="checkbox"/> NOHEADER	User Help
<input type="checkbox"/> SHOWALL	Libname = _____
<input type="checkbox"/> WRAP	Catalog = _____
<input type="checkbox"/> BOX	
<input type="checkbox"/> MISSING	

OK Cancel

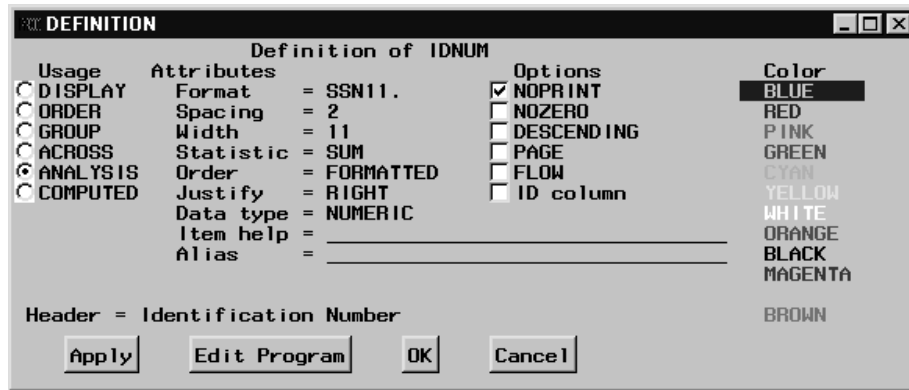
Select **OK**.

Define Selected Item

Select the **Identification Number** heading. Select



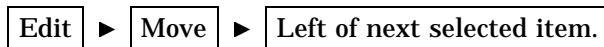
Select **NOPRINT** in the **DEFINITION** window to prevent the identification number from being displayed.



Select **OK**.

Move Selected Item

In the REPORT window, select **Education Level**. Select

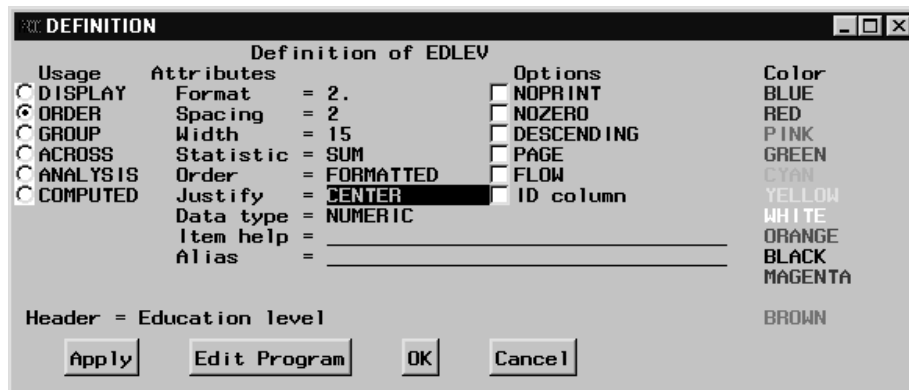


Select the **DIVISION** heading in the REPORT window. Education Level will appear as the first column in the window.

Select the **Education Level** in the REPORT window. Select

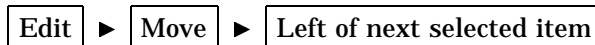


In the DEFINITION window, select **ORDER**. Type **2.** in the Format field. Type **15** in the Width field. Type **CENTER** in the Justify field.



Select **OK**.

Select the **SALARY** heading in the REPORT window. Select



Select the **Division** heading. Salary will appear as the second column in the window.

Select the **Salary** heading. Select



In the DEFINITION window, type **DOLLAR8.** in the Format field. Type **8** in the Width field.

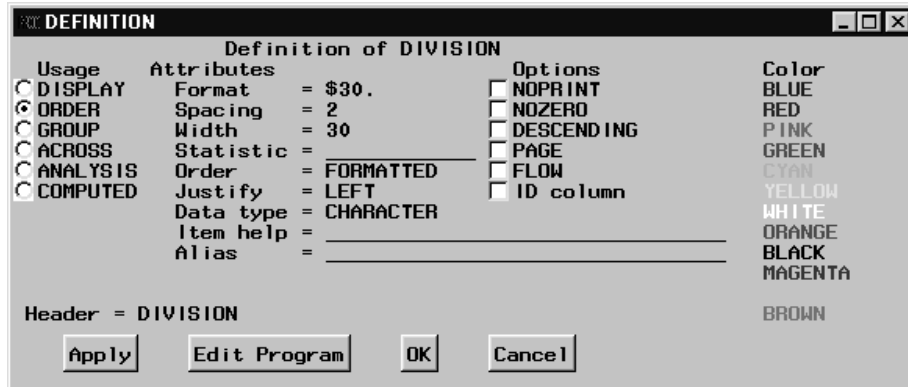


Select **OK**.

Select the **DIVISION** heading in the REPORT window. Select



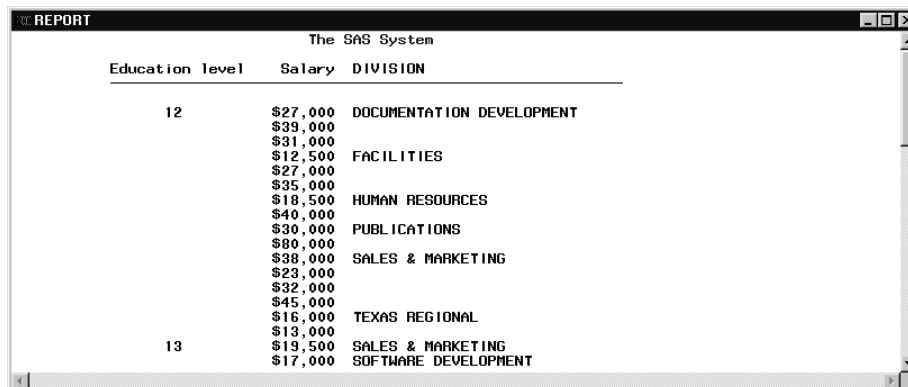
Type **\$30.** in the **Format** field of the DEFINITION window. Type **30** in the **width** field.



Select **OK**.

The Formatted Report

Your completed report compares the salaries of different divisions for employees with the same education level.



Viewing the Report Statements

You can view your report statements in the SOURCE window by selecting



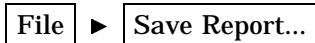
Select



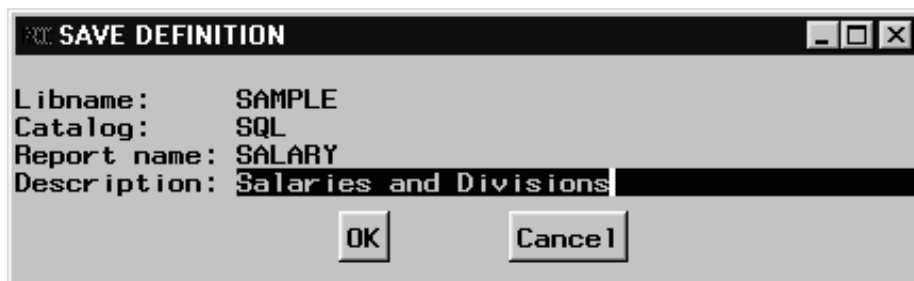
to close the SOURCE window and return to the REPORT window.

Saving Your Report

You can save your customized report to a catalog entry for use with later queries by selecting



to display the SAVE DEFINITION window. Type SAMPLE in the **Libname** field. Type SQL in the **catalog:** field. Type SALARY in the **Report Name:** field. Type Salaries and Divisions in the **Description:** field.



Select **OK**. A dialog window appears that notifies you of the creation of a new catalog. Select **OK**.

Select



to exit the REPORT window. Select **OK** in the dialog window that appears.

You can also save your report definition in the SQL Query Window when you save the query.

Use Definition from Last Report

You can use your customized report definition. In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select

Tools ► Run Query ► Design a Report ► Use definition from last Report

The results of the query are presented using your predefined report.

Creating Summary Reports

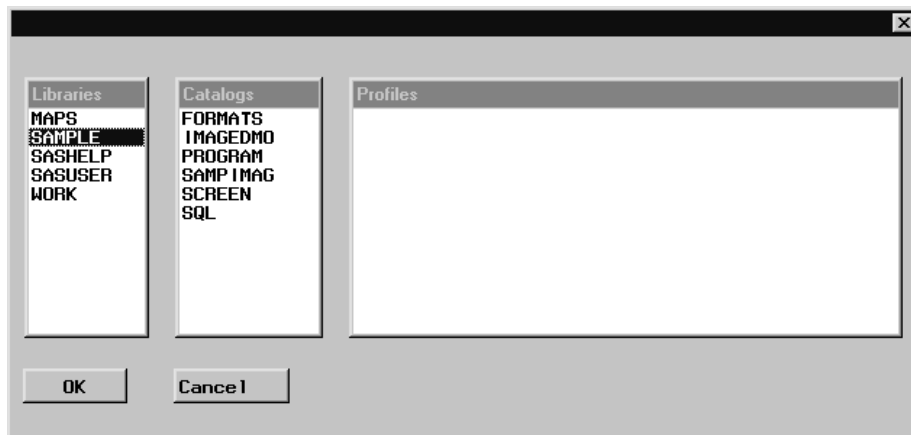
You can use the SQL QUERY Window in conjunction with the REPORT Procedure to create a summary report with totals.

Using a Saved Report Definition

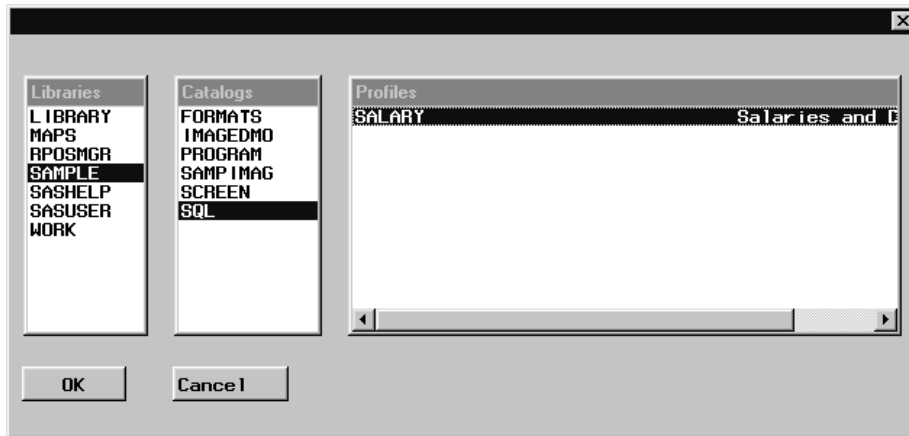
For this example you are modifying the report that you created in the previous example to display the total salaries for each division. In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select

Tools ► Run Query ► Design a Report ► Name a predefined Report...

When the dialog displays, select **SAMPLE** from the list of libraries displayed. The libraries and catalogs that are listed in your display may differ from the ones in the example.



Select **SQL** from the list of catalogs. Select the **SALARY** report definition.



Click **OK**.

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Education level	Salary	DIVISION
12	\$27,000	DOCUMENTATION DEVELOPMENT
	\$39,000	
	\$31,000	
	\$12,500	FACILITIES
	\$27,000	
	\$35,000	
	\$18,500	HUMAN RESOURCES
	\$40,000	
	\$30,000	PUBLICATIONS
	\$80,000	
13	\$38,000	SALES & MARKETING
	\$23,000	
	\$32,000	
	\$45,000	
	\$16,000	TEXAS REGIONAL
	\$13,000	
	\$19,500	SALES & MARKETING
	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	

Deleting a Heading

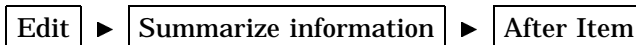
You will not need to display education level for this report. In the REPORT window, select the EDUCATION LEVEL heading. Select



to delete the EDUCATION LEVEL heading from the report. You are not deleting EDUCATION LEVEL from the query.

Summarizing Information

Select the DIVISION heading. Select



to display the BREAK window. Select **Double underline summary** to print a double line over the summary total. Select **Skip line after break**. Select **Summarize analysis columns**.



Select **OK** to return to the REPORT window and display the total salaries for each division.

Salary	DIVISION
\$31,000	CALIFORNIA REGIONAL
\$27,500	
\$38,000	
-----	-----
\$96,500	CALIFORNIA REGIONAL
\$27,000	CONTRACTS
\$29,000	
\$38,000	
\$25,000	
\$23,000	
\$23,000	
\$14,000	
\$45,000	
\$15,000	
\$38,000	
\$27,000	
\$26,000	

Select



Select **OK** in the pop-up dialog to close the REPORT window and to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

Select



to reset the query and return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Counting and Grouping Data Automatically

You can count and report the total number of rows that have the same value for one or more columns. You can use the automatic group by feature to group the values according to their columns.

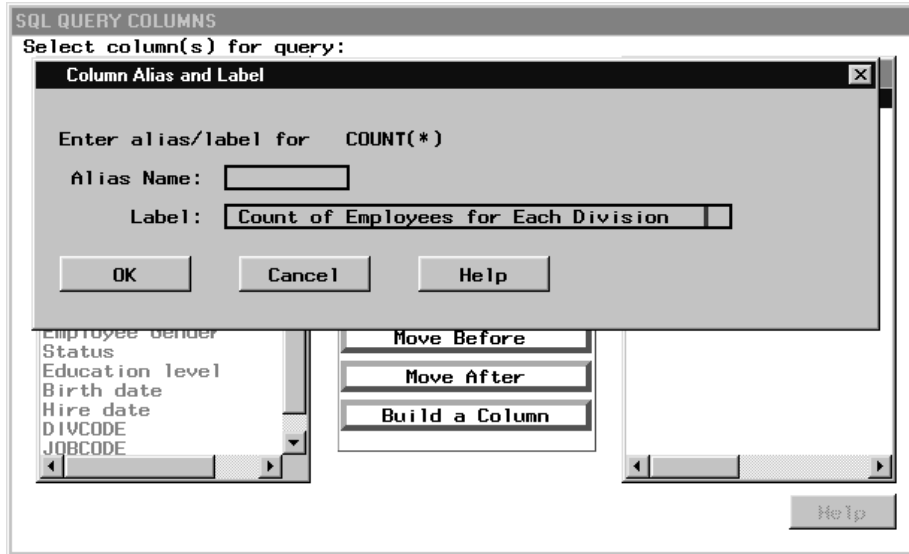
The following query displays the number of employees in each division.

In the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** from the list of Available Tables and add it to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK**.

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select **DIVISION** and **< COUNT(*) >** from the Available Columns list and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

Count

Select **COUNT(*)** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Move After** to move the column. Reselect **COUNT(*)**. Select **COLUMN ALIAS/LABEL**. Type **Count of Employees for Each Division** in the LABEL field of the Column Alias and Label window.



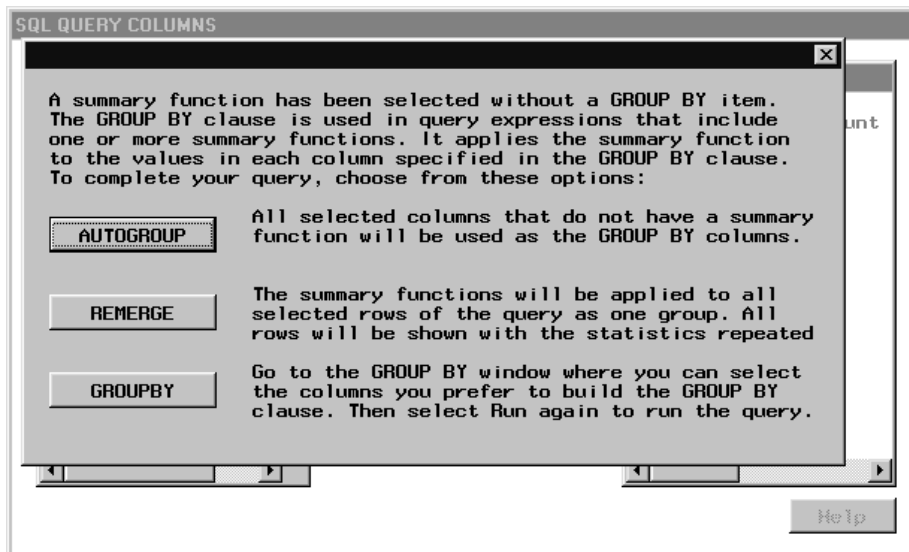
Select **OK**.

Grouping Columns Automatically

Select

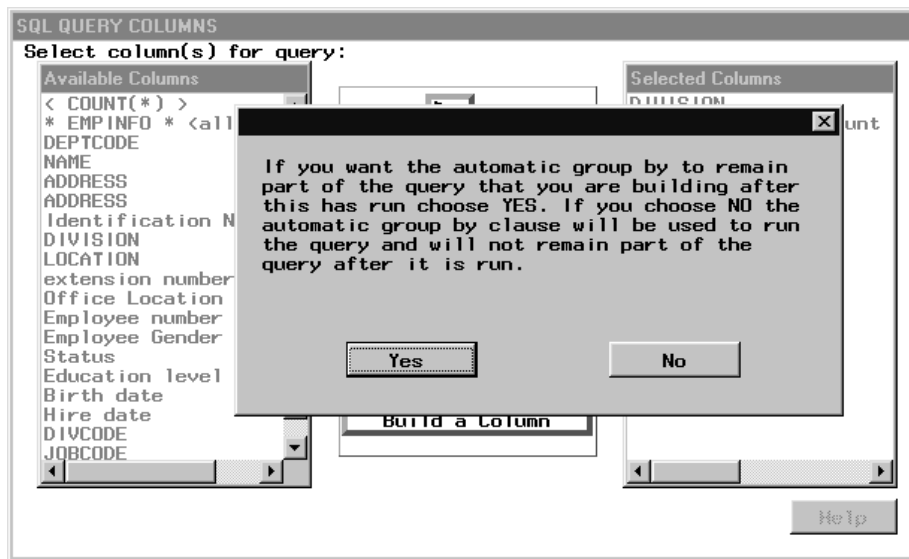


A dialog is displayed.



Select **AUTOGROUP** to automatically select the correct columns. Selected columns that do not have summary functions applied to them will be the group(s) that the summary functions are computed for.

A second dialog is displayed.



Select **NO**. The automatic Group By clause will be part of the query syntax while the query runs, but will not be retained. You can select or remove columns after the query is executed and use **AUTOGROUP** to automatically select the columns again.

The count of employees for each division is displayed in the OUTPUT window.

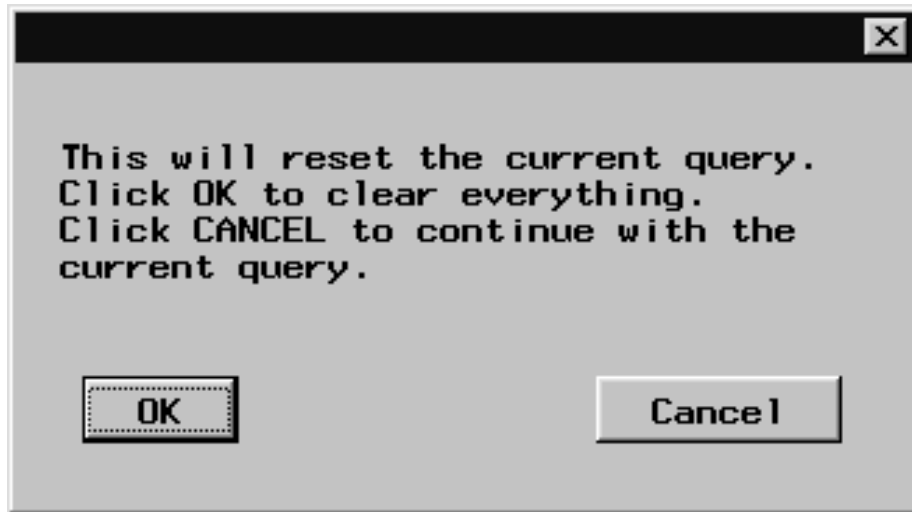
The screenshot shows the 'Output - (Untitled) Processing submitted statements' window. The title bar says 'The SAS System'. The output is a table with two columns: 'DIVISION' and 'Count of Employees for Each Division'. The data is as follows:

DIVISION	Count of Employees for Each Division
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL	3
CONTRACTS	18
CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS	4
DOCUMENTATION DEVELOPMENT	8
EDUCATION	17
EXECUTIVE	3
FACILITIES	21
FINANCE	4
HOST SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT	22
HUMAN RESOURCES	25
INFORMATION SYSTEMS	17
INTERNAL DATA BASE	4
PUBLICATIONS	18
QUALITY ASSURANCE	20
SALES & MARKETING	32
SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT	48

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select



to reset your query. A dialog appears.



Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window. The components of the current query are cleared.

Automatic Group By with More than One Table

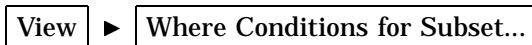
The next query joins two tables to display the number of employees for each job title. The JOBCODES table contains the job title for each job code.

Select **SAMPLE.JOBCODES** and **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** from the list of Available Tables and add them to the list of Selected Tables.

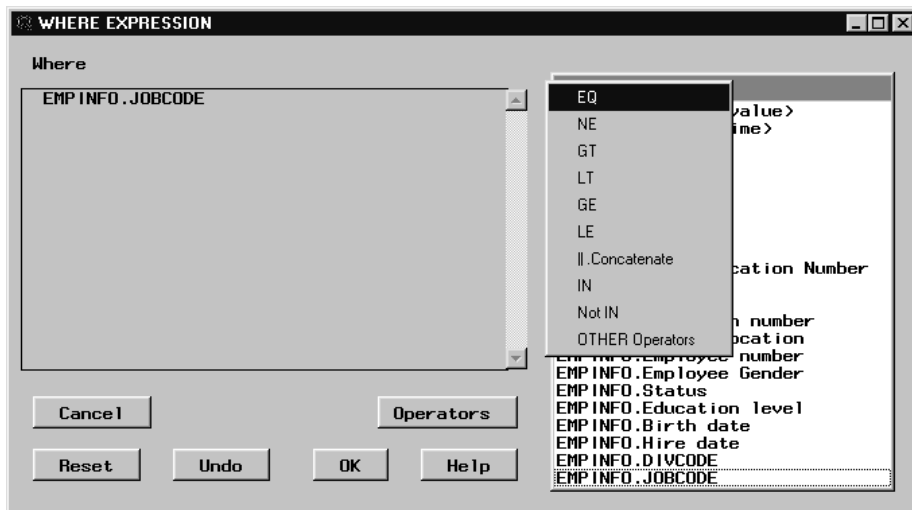
Select **OK**.

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select **TITLE** and **< COUNT(*) >** from the list of Available Columns and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

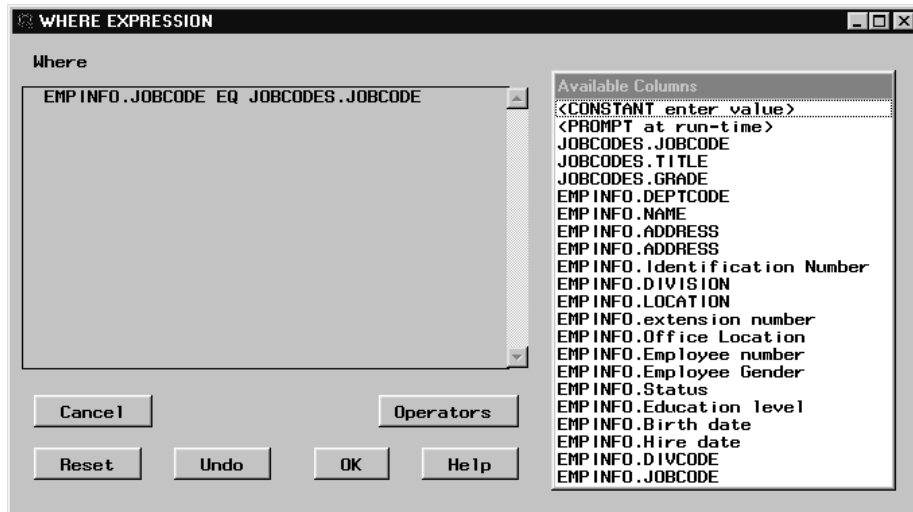
Select



In the WHERE EXPRESSION window, select **EMPINFO.JOBCODE** from the Available Columns list. Select **EQ** from the list of comparison operators.

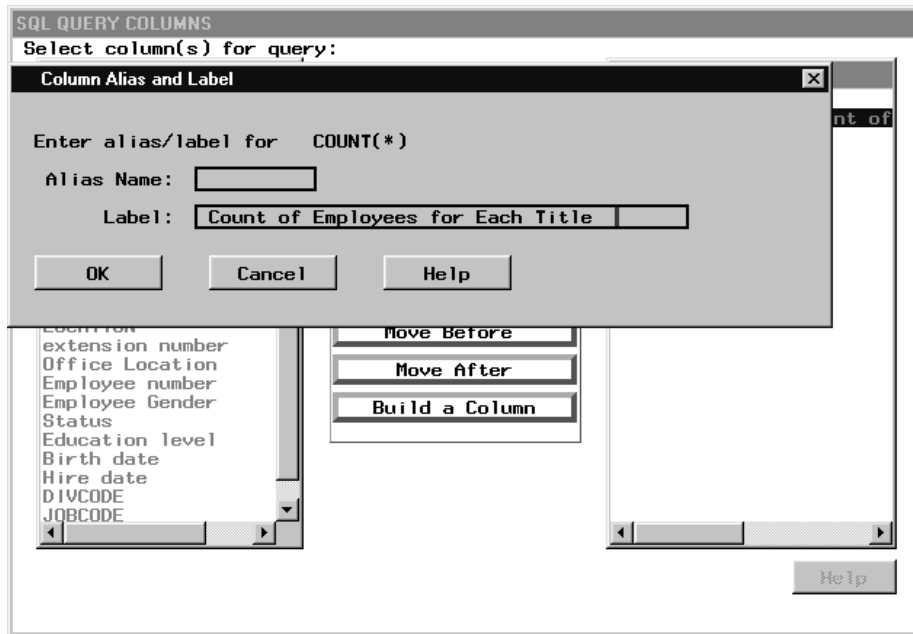


Select **JOBCODES . JOBCODE** from the Available Columns List.



Select **OK** to return to SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Select **COUNT(*)** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Move After** to move the column. Reselect **COUNT (*)**. Select **Column Alias/Label**. Type **Count of Employees for Each Title** in the LABEL field of the Column Alias and Label window.



Select **OK**.

Retaining an Automatic Group By as Part of a Query

Select



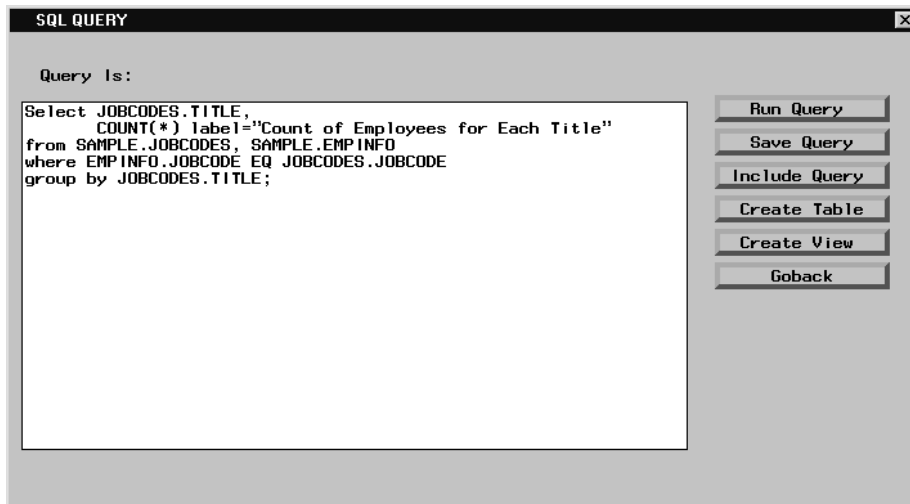
A dialog is displayed. Select **AUTOGROUP** in the dialog window to use **JOBCODES.TITLE** as the Group By column. A second dialog is displayed. Select **YES** in the second dialog window to retain the Group By column as part of the query. The **OUTPUT** window displays the number of employees for each job title.

The screenshot shows the SAS Output window titled "Output - (Untitled) Processing submitted statements". The window displays the following table:

TITLE	Count of Employees for Each Title
ACCOUNT MANAGER	3
ACCOUNT REP	9
ACCOUNTING ASST I	1
ADMIN ASST II	1
ADMIN SPEC I	1
ADMIN SPEC II	5
ADMIN SUPERVISOR	3
APPLICATIONS DEV	6
ASSOC ACCT REP	1
ASSOC APPL DEV	2
ASSOC C ANALYST	1
ASSOC CONT ADMIN	3
ASSOC DEV TESTER	4
ASSOC INSTRUCTOR	2
ASSOC MKT COUNSEL	1
ASSOC MKT REP	2

In the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window, select

Tools ► **Show Query...**



The automatic Group By will be retained as part of the query syntax when the query is run again, saved, or used to create a table or view. Select **Goback** to return to the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window.

In the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window, select

File ► **Save Query** ► **Save as Query to Include later**

In the **Entry Name** field, type **COUNTS** as the name of the query. In the **Enter a description for the query field** type **COUNT OF EMPINFO BY TITLE**. Select **OK** to save the query and return to the **SQL QUERY COLUMNS** window.

Select

View ► **Tables...**

to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window. Remove SALARY.JOBCODES from the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** in the pop-up dialog.

Summarizing Groups of Data

Summary functions produce a statistical summary of a table or of group(s) of data. The following example displays the minimum, average, and maximum level of education within each division. Use the **GROUPBY** clause and a summary function to summarize information about a group of data. If you omit a **GROUPBY**, one summary value is produced for the entire table.

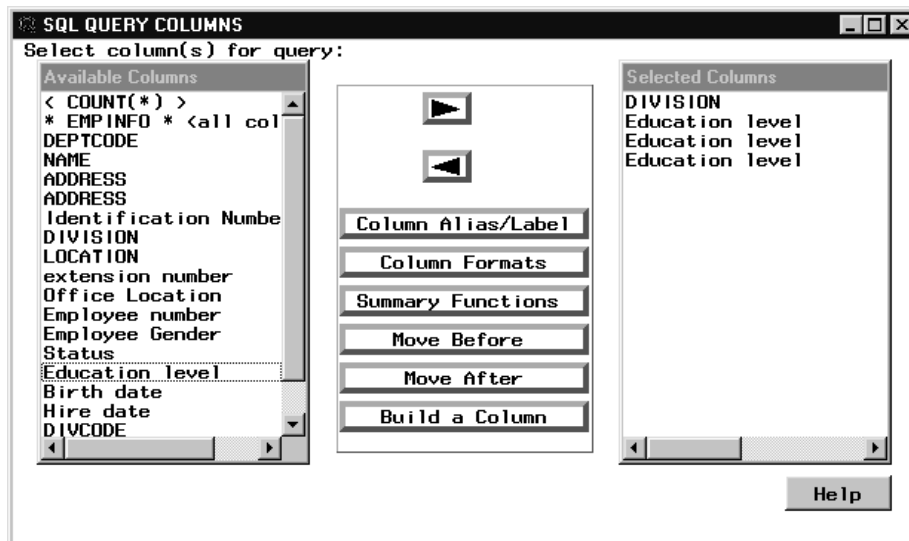
Summary Functions

The list of Selected Tables in the SQL QUERY TABLES window contains SAMPLE.EMPINFO from the previous example. Select **OK**.

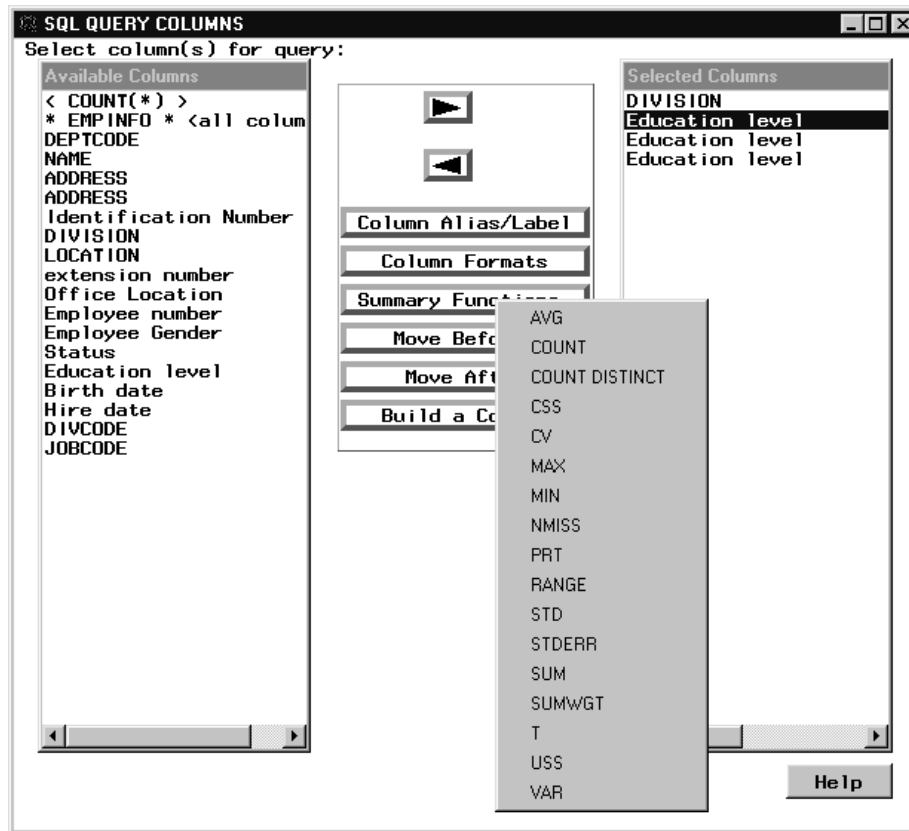
In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, remove **COUNT(*)** from the list of Selected Columns. Select **DIVISION** and **Education level** from the Available Columns list and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

Select **Education level** a second time from the Available Columns List and add it to the list of Selected Columns.

Select **Education level** a third time from the Available Columns list and add it to the list of Selected Columns.



Select the first **Education level** from the Selected Columns list. Select **Summary Functions**.

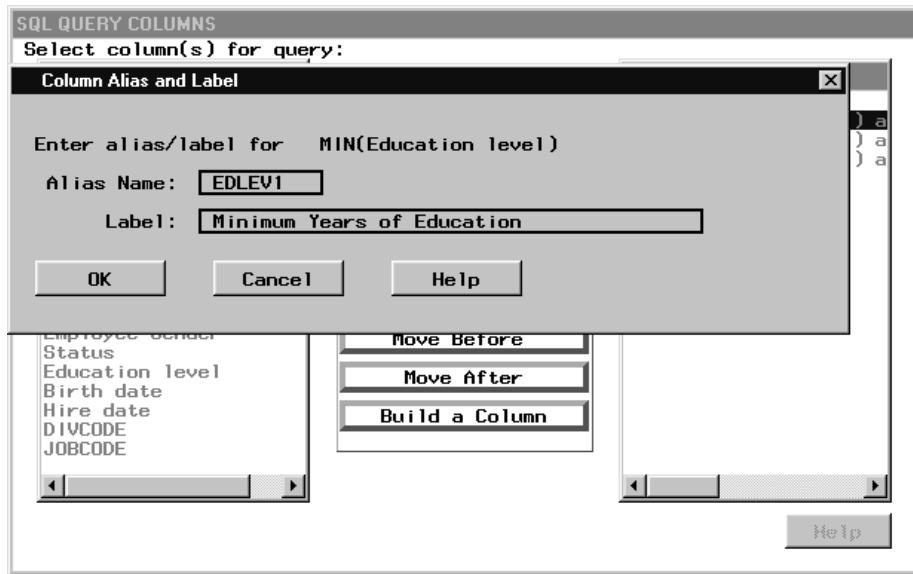


Select **MIN** from the list of Summary Functions. A summary function is applied to the selected column and a default unique column alias is automatically generated. The summary function and the selected column name are automatically set as the label. You can use this default label in the report, or you can set a new alias or label.

Select the second **Education level** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Summary Functions**. Select **AVG** from the list of Summary Functions.

Select the third **Education level** from the Selected Columns list. Select **Summary Functions**. Select **MAX** from the list of Summary Functions.

Select the first **Education level** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Column Alias/Label**. Type **Minimum Years of Education** in the LABEL field of the Column Alias and Label window.



Select **OK**.

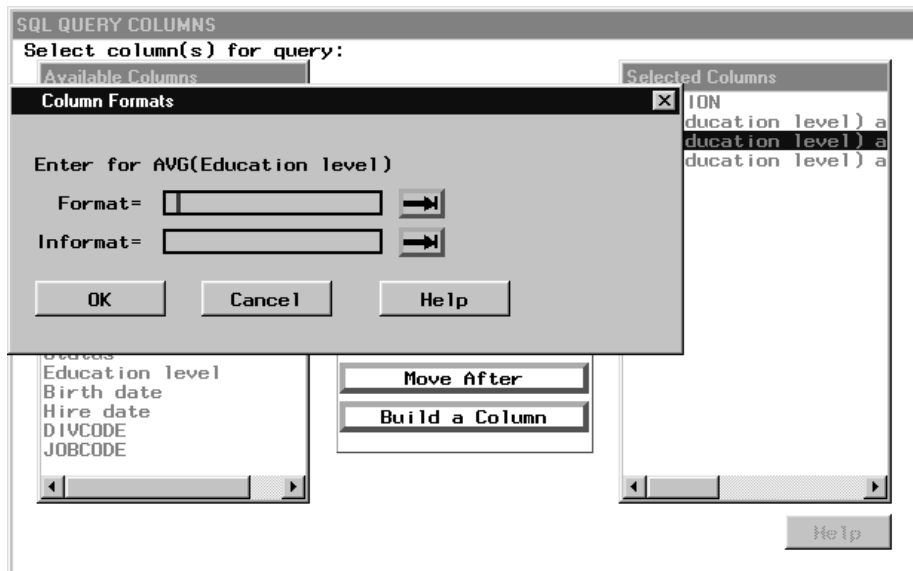
Select the second **Education level** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Column Alias/Label**. Type **Average Years of Education** in the LABEL field of the Column Alias and Label window.

Select **OK**.

Select the third **Education level** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Column Alias/Label**. Type **Maximum Years of Education** in the LABEL field of the Column Alias and Label window.

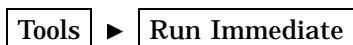
Select **OK**.

Select the second **Education level** from the Selected Columns List. Select **Column Formats**.



Type **comma4.0** in the Format= field. Select **OK**.

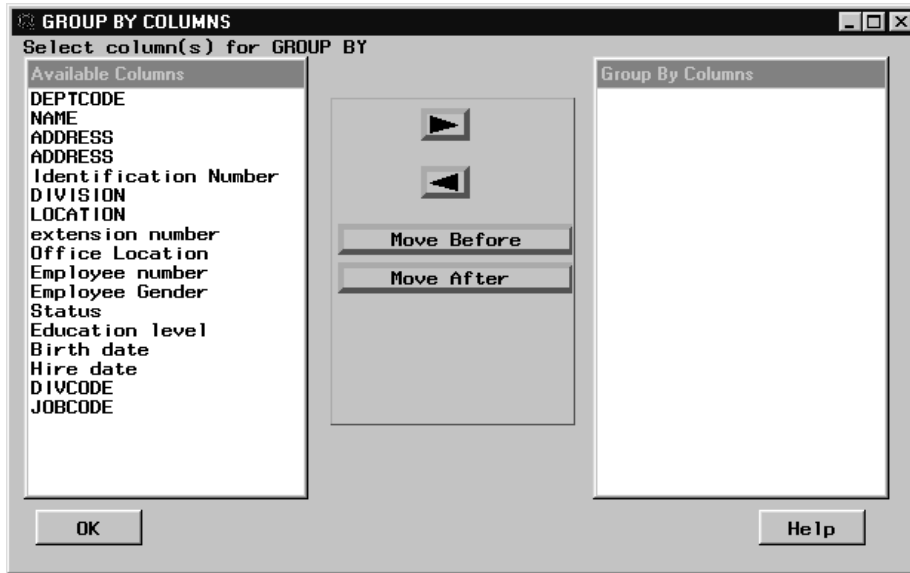
Select



A dialog is displayed.

Group By Columns

Select **Group(s)** for **Summary Functions** to display the GROUP BY COLUMNS window.

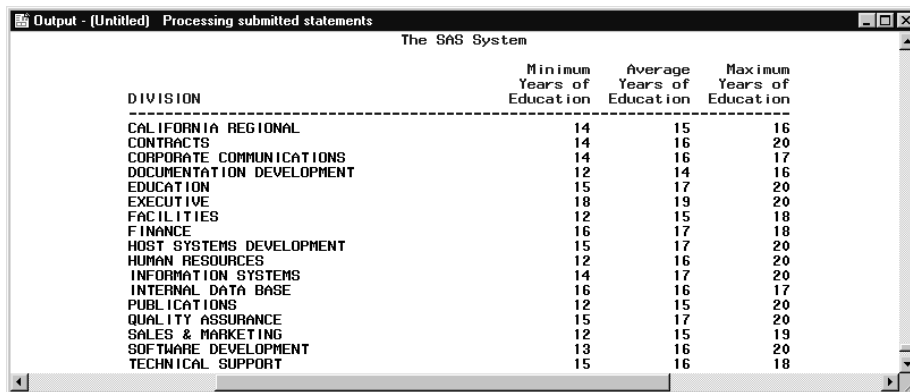


Select **DIVISION** from the Available Columns list and add it to the list of Selected Columns. Select **OK**.

Select



The maximum, minimum, and average education levels for each division are displayed in the OUTPUT window.



Select



to reset your query and return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

Removing Duplicate Rows

You can remove duplicate rows from your query output. To display each distinct division and location, select **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** and add it to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK**.

Select **DIVISION** and **LOCATION** in the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

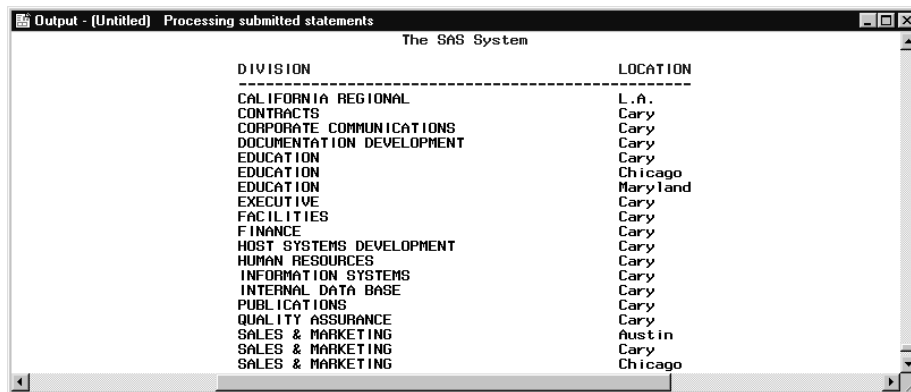
Select

View ► Distinct

Select

Tools ► Run Query ► Run Immediate

Lines in the OUTPUT window which contain the same division and location are not repeated.



DIVISION	LOCATION
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL	L.A.
CONTRACTS	Cary
CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS	Cary
DOCUMENTATION DEVELOPMENT	Cary
EDUCATION	Chicago
EDUCATION	Maryland
EXECUTIVE	Cary
FACILITIES	Cary
FINANCE	Cary
HOST SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT	Cary
HUMAN RESOURCES	Cary
INFORMATION SYSTEMS	Cary
INTERNAL DATA BASE	Cary
PUBLICATIONS	Cary
QUALITY ASSURANCE	Cary
SALES & MARKETING	Austin
SALES & MARKETING	Cary
SALES & MARKETING	Chicago

Subsetting Groups of Data with the Having Condition

The Having condition specifies the condition(s) that each group must satisfy in order to be included in the query output. You can use a Having condition to subset grouped data by using **HAVING** in the same query with a **GROUPBY** and a summary function.

Which divisions in the previous example have a minimum education level that is greater than 15 years?

To find out, remove **LOCATION** from the Selected Columns list in the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. Remove duplicate values by selecting

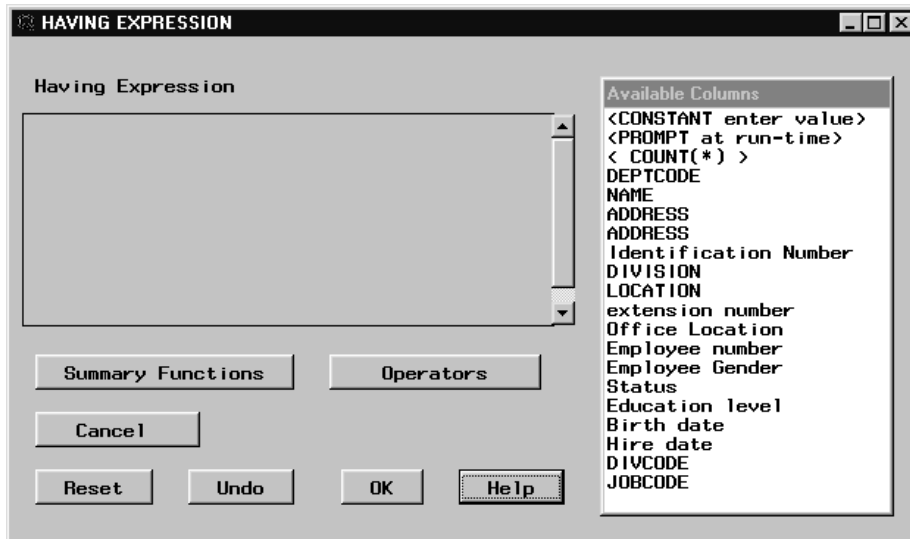
View ► Distinct

Having Expression Window

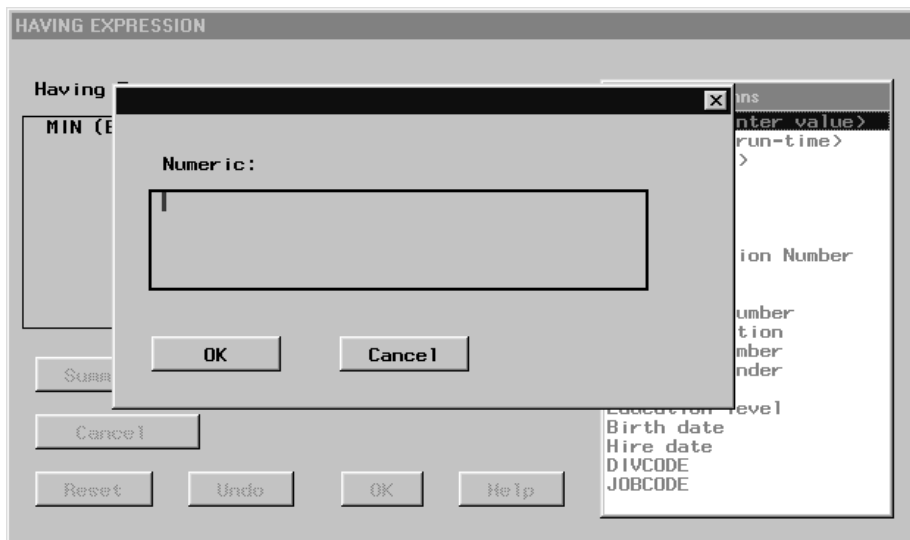
To create a condition that each group must satisfy, select

View ► Having Condition for Group...

to display the **HAVING EXPRESSION** window.



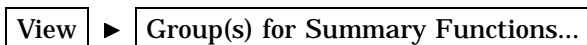
Select **Summary Functions**. Select **MIN** from the list of summary functions.
 Select **Education level** from the list of Available Columns.
 Select **GT** from the list of operators that appears.
 Select **<CONSTANT enter value>** from the list of Available Columns. The Numeric Values window appears.



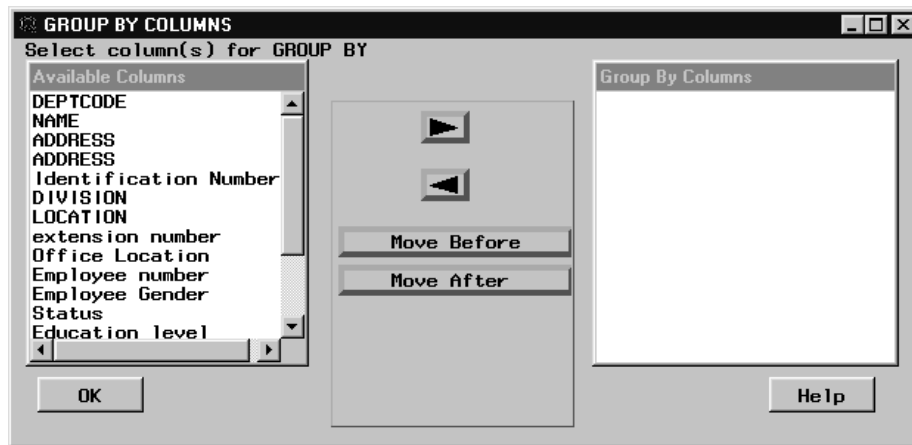
Type 15 in the Numeric Values window and select **OK**.
 In the HAVING EXPRESSION window, select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Viewing the Results of the HAVING Condition

Select



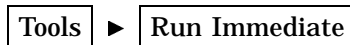
to display the GROUP BY COLUMNS window.



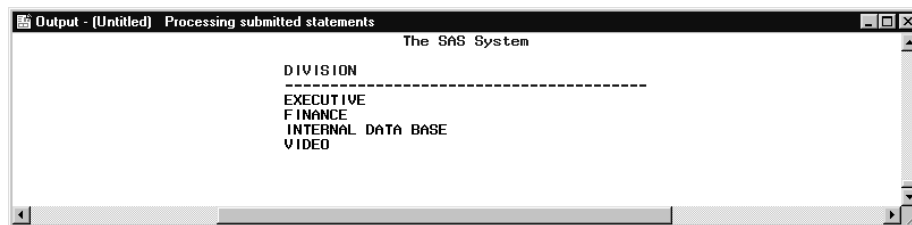
Select **DIVISION** from the list of Available Columns and add it to the list of Group By Columns.

Select **OK**.

Select



to display the divisions whose minimum employee education level is greater than 15.



Select



to reset the query and return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

Using the Automatic Lookup Feature

You can implement automatic lookup for any column in a table that can be accessed from the SQL Query window. An action automatically occurs when that column and an operator is selected from the Where Expression window.

Implement automatic lookup by creating a SAS data set called a lookup table. Insert a set of values into the lookup table for each column for which you want a Lookup Values window to be displayed.

Lookup Strategies

You can specify any one of five lookup strategies for each column:

V (Value)

Automatically retrieves the distinct values of the column that has been specified in the lookup table. The distinct values appear in a Lookup Values window in the

Where Expression window when you have selected both the specified column from the Available Columns window and an operator from the menu that subsequently appears. When you select one or more values, these values are inserted into the Where expression. The EQ operator is converted to the IN operator to allow multiple selections.

T (Table)

Reads a table and displays the values of all the columns in the Lookup Values window. The first column in the table must contain the values that are needed in the Where expression. You can use other columns to provide descriptive information.

If the first column contains a small number of distinct rows in comparison to the number of rows in the table, the distinct values and their descriptions can be stored in a separate table. This table can be used to display automatic lookup values for the subset conditions.

L (List)

Enables you to select specific columns from a table for display in the Lookup Values window. The first column that you specify must contain the values that are needed for the Where expression. You can use other columns to provide descriptive data values.

F (Format)

Displays column data values and their corresponding formatted values that have been created with the FORMAT procedure.

P (Program)

Invokes a user-written SAS/AF program. A list that contains the currently pending Where expression is passed to the program, where it can be either used or ignored.

Creating an Empty Lookup Table

You can use the following PROC SQL statements to create an empty lookup table.

```
proc sql;
create table sasuser.lookup
  (lookltc char(100) label='library.table.column',
   lookinfo char(200) label='varies depending on strategy',
   strategy char(8) label='lookup strategy to use'
  );
```

SASUSER.LOOKUP is the default name of the lookup table.

Adding a Row to the Lookup Table

After you create the empty lookup table, you can submit additional PROC SQL statements to insert values into the table's LOOKLTC, LOOKINFO, and STRATEGY columns. You can also invoke PROC FSEDIT to add this information. The syntax for inserting values into the table is:

```
proc sql;
insert into lookup.table
  values('lookltc-value','lookinfo-value','strategy-value');
```

Add a row to the SASUSER.LOOKUP data set by submitting the following code in the PROGRAM EDITOR window:

```
proc sql;
insert into sasuser.lookup
  values('sample.empinfo.location', 'sample.program.region.frame', 'P');
quit;
```

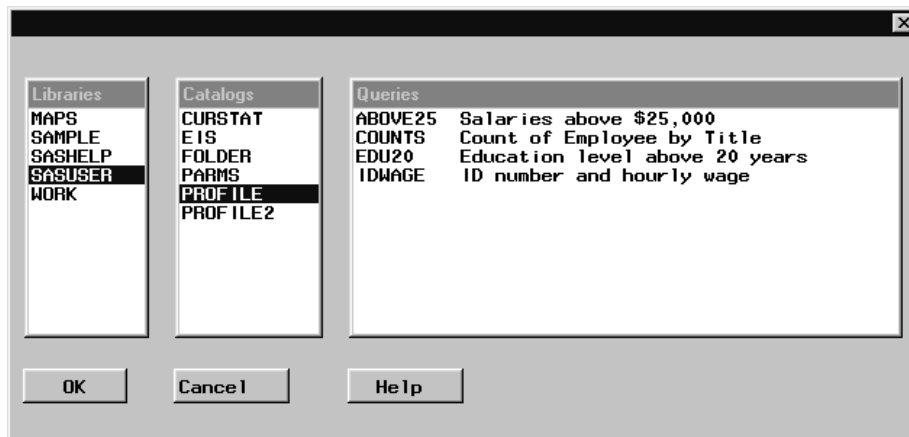
SAMPLE.PROGRAM.REGION.FRAME is a FRAME entry that is part of the sample library you are using for these examples.

Using the Lookup Table

To display the number of employees in each division within a specific geographic region, from the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select

File ► **List/Include Saved Queries...**

to display the Saved Queries window.

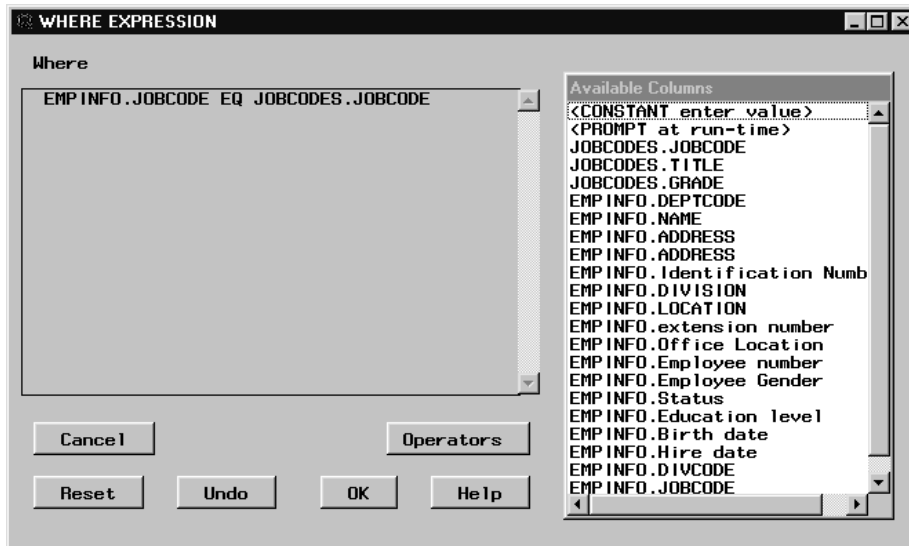


Select **SASUSER.PROFILE.COUNTS**, which was created in “Counting and Grouping Data Automatically” on page 46. Select **Include** to include the query and to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

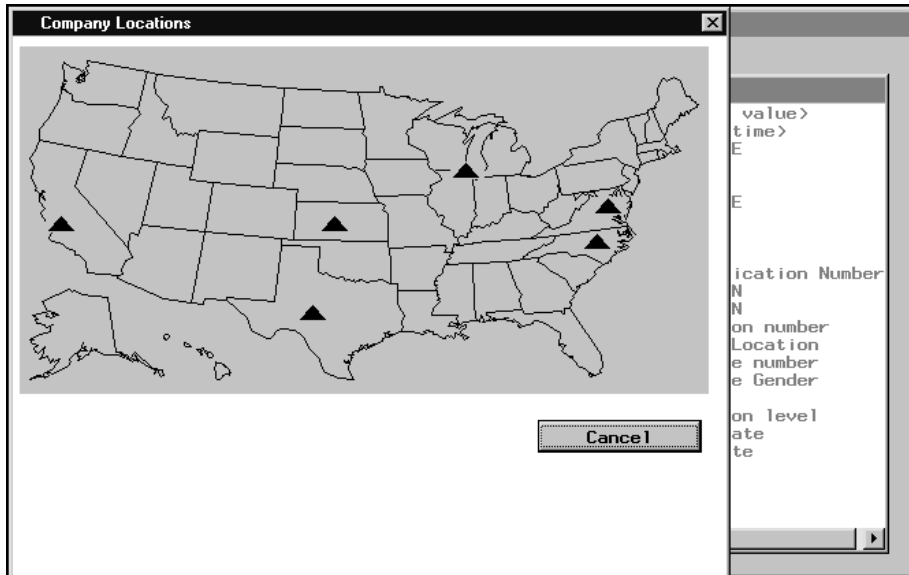
Select

View ► **Where Conditions for Subset...**

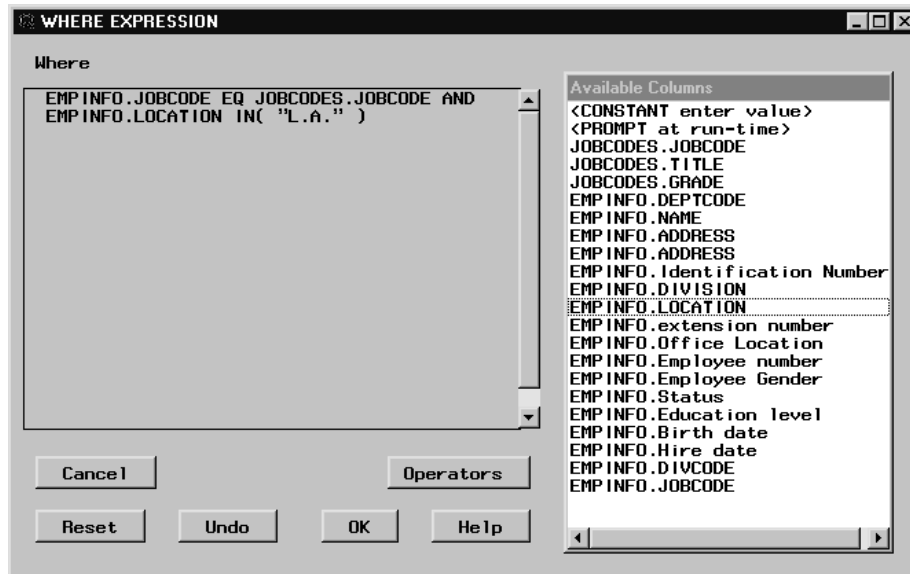
to display the WHERE EXPRESSION window.



Select **Operators**. Select **AND** from the list of operators.
 Select **EMPINFO.LOCATION** from the list of Available Columns. Select **EQ** from the list of comparison operators that appears. Because you have defined EMPINFO.LOCATION with an automatic lookup, the Company Locations window will automatically appear.



Select the westernmost site to complete the WHERE clause.



Viewing Your Output

Select **OK**.

Select



to display the results of your query.

TITLE	Count of Employees for Each Title
ACCOUNT MANAGER	1
ACCOUNT REP	2

Select



to reset your query.

Creating a Slider Bar to Indicate a Range

You can use a slider bar to select a range of lookup values in a query.

In this example, you will associate the slider with EMPINFO.salary. Because you may not want to permanently associate these lookup values with the EMPINFO.salary column, you can insert the lookup table into a different profile and switch to that profile when you want to use the slider bar.

Creating a New Lookup Table

Use the following PROC SQL statements to create an empty lookup table in the SAMPLE directory.

```
proc sql;
create table sample.lookup
  (lookltc char(100) label='library.table.column',
  lookinfo char(200) label='varies depending on strategy',
  strategy char(8) label='lookup strategy to use'
  );
```

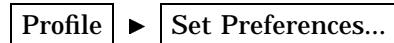
Add a row to the SAMPLE.LOOKUP data set by submitting the following code in the PROGRAM EDITOR window:


```
proc sql;
insert into sample.lookup
  values('sample.salary.salary','sample.program.salrange.frame','P');
quit;
```

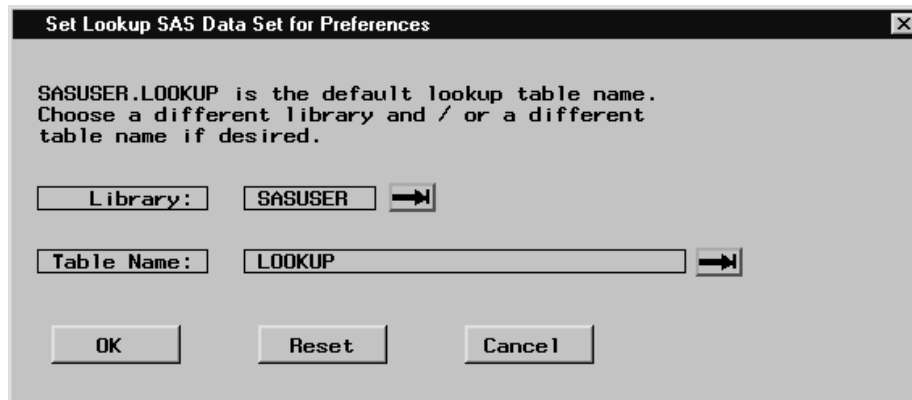
SAMPLE.PROGRAM.SALRANGE.FRAME is a FRAME entry that is part of the sample library you are using for these examples.

Creating a New Profile


Create an SQL Query Window profile that specifies SAMPLE.LOOKUP as the automatic lookup table. From the PMENU, select



Select the  next to **Automatic Lookup** to display the Set Lookup SAS Data Set for Preferences window.



Select **SAMPLE** from the list of Libraries. Select **OK** to return to the Preference Settings for Profile window.

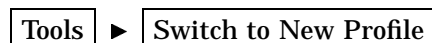
Select the  next to **Data Restrictions** to display the Data Restrictions for Profile window. Select **SAMPLE** from the list of Table Sources. Select **Add entire Table Source to preferences** from the pop-up menu that appears. Select **WORK** from the list of Table Sources. Select **Add entire Table Source to preferences** from the pop-up menu that appears.


Select **OK** to return to the Preference Settings for Profile window.

Select **Save** to save your new profile setting. Type **LOOKUP** in the **Entry Name:** field of the Name Catalog Entry for Profile window. Type **Slider Bar for Salary Range** in the **Entry description for the profile:** field.

Select **OK** to return to the Preference Settings for Profile window. Select **Close**.

From the SQL QUERY TABLES window PMENU, select



Select the  next to **Profile Name:** to display a list of profiles. Select **SASUSER.PROFILE.LOOKUP** from the Preference Profiles in Catalog window.



Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window and to complete the switch to the new profile.

See “Setting Your Profile” on page 73 for more information on the SQL Query Window user profile.

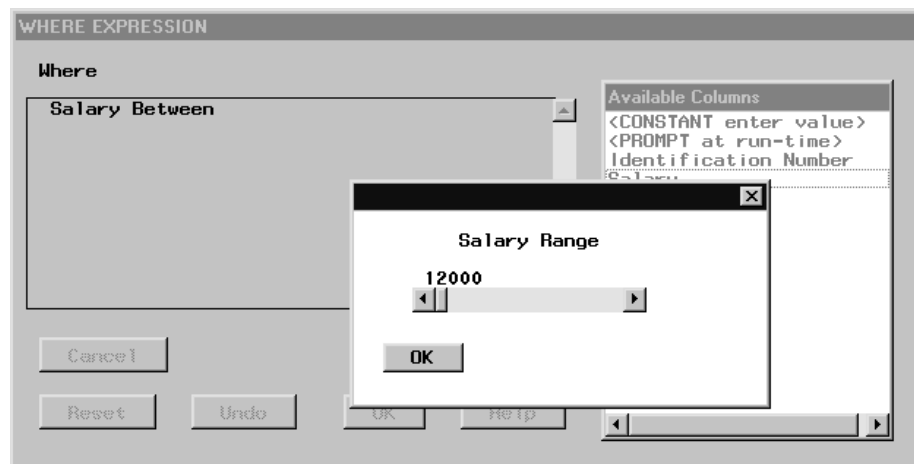
A Demonstration of the Slider Bar

To show how the slider works, you can construct a simple WHERE expression that displays the range of salaries. In the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select **SAMPLE.SALARY** from the list of Available Tables and add it to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

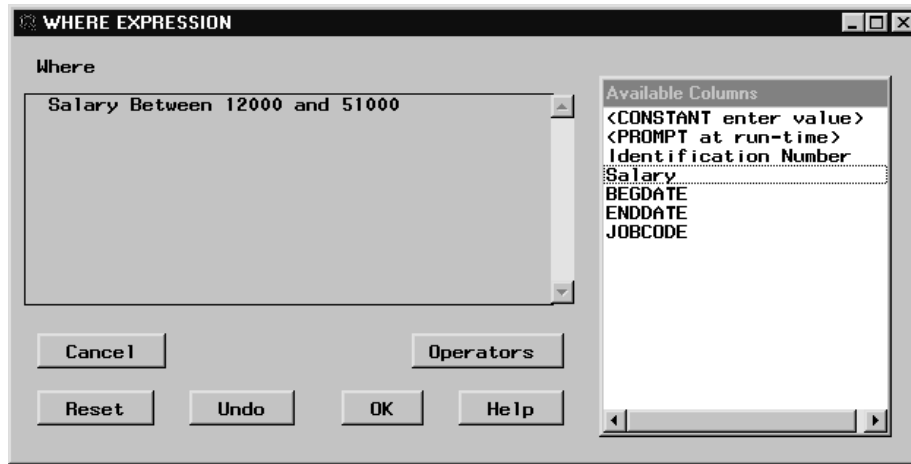
In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select **Salary** and **Identification Number** from the list of Available Columns and add them to the list of Selected Columns. Select

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In the WHERE EXPRESSION window, select **Salary** from the list of Available Columns. Select **Between** from the list of **OTHER Operators**. Because the lookup table is associated with the Salary column, the slider bar that is the **FRAME** entry appears.



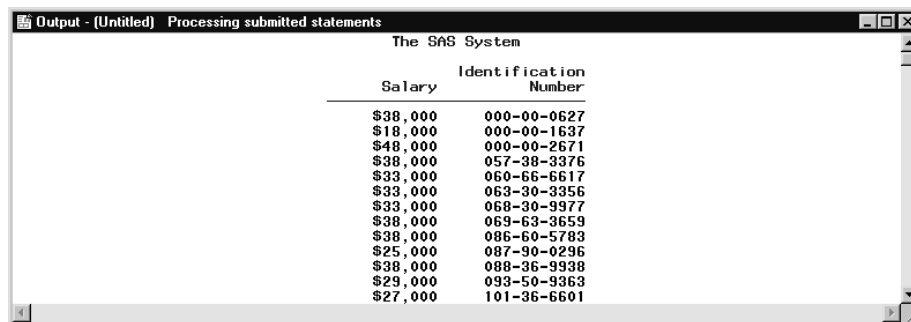
Select **OK** to accept the value of **12000**. The slider bar appears again because the **Between** requires a second value. Move the slider to the right until **51000** is displayed. Select **OK** to complete the WHERE expression.



Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window. Select



to display the employee identification numbers whose salaries are between \$12,000 and \$51,000.



Select



to reset the query and return to the SQL QUERY TABLES window.

How to Use SCL to Call a FRAME Entry

If your site is licensed to use SAS/AF software, you can use SAS Screen Control Language (SCL) to create a lookup table that uses the SAMPLE.PROGRAM.SALRANGE.FRAME entry or another FRAME entry that you design.

```
entry looklst 8 lkuptype $1 rc 8 msg $40 wherelst 8;
```

```
init:
  salrange =12000;
  lkuptype = 'N';
return;
```

```
main:
```

```

return;

term:
return;

range:
  call notify('range', '_GET_VALUE_', value);
  call notify('salrange', '_SET_VALUE_', value);
return;

ok:
  call notify('salrange', '_GET_VALUE_', value);
  looklst = insertn(looklst, value, 1);
  rc      = 0;
  _status_ = 'H';
  link term;
return;

```

Refer to *SAS Component Language: Reference* for more information on SCL.

Creating and Using Outer Joins

An outer join combines rows of data from two tables. There are three types of outer joins:

left join

returns all matching rows in both tables, in addition to rows in the left table that have no matching rows in the right table.

right join

returns all matching rows in both tables, in addition to rows in the right table that have no matching rows in the left table.

full join

returns all matching and unmatching rows from both tables.

In all three types of outer joins, the columns in the result row that are from the unmatched row are set to missing values.

In this example, you will first create an inner join that relates employee identification number and salary. Then, you will create an outer join that combines this data with data from another table to compute the gross monthly pay for employees who have taken leave.

Creating a Query View

You can create an SQL view that contains the syntax of your query. You will use this view to create an outer join query.

In the SQL QUERY TABLES window, select **SAMPLE.EMPINFO** and **SAMPLE.SALARY** from the list of Available Tables and add them to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK**.

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select **NAME**, the two **ADDRESS** items, **Identification Number**, **Employee number**, **Salary**, **BEGDATE**, and **ENDDATE** and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

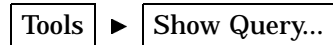
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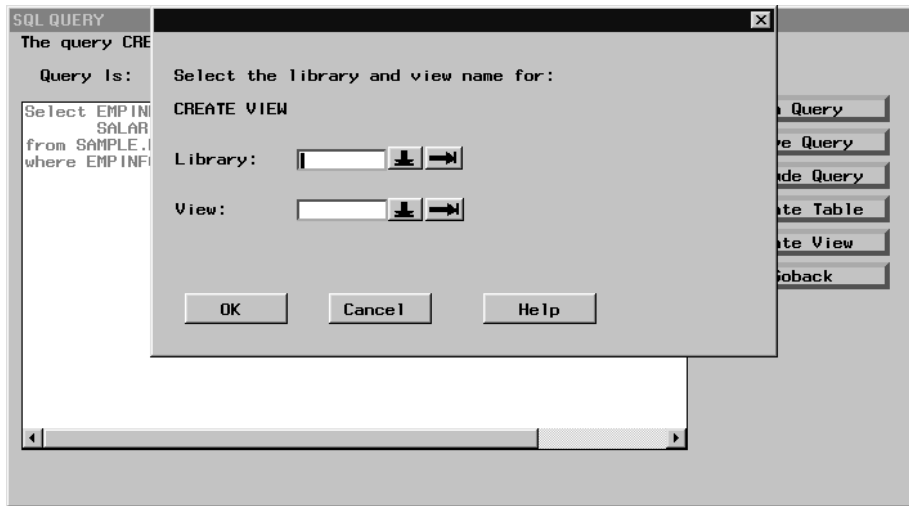
to display the WHERE EXPRESSION window.


Select **EMPINFO.Identification Number** from the list of Available Columns. Select **EQ** from the list of Operators. Select **Salary.Identification Number** from the list of Available Columns. Select **OK**.

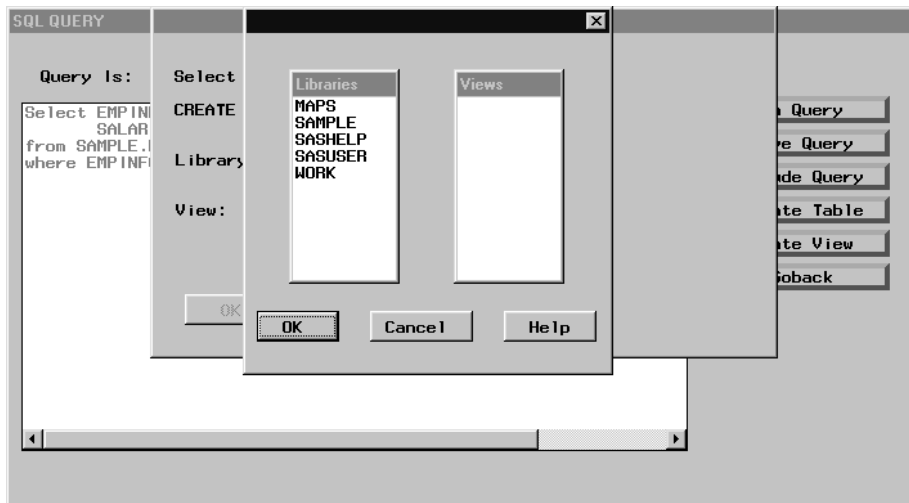
This WHERE expression creates an inner join of EMPINFO and Salary based on Identification Number. To save the query as a view, select



to display the SQL QUERY window. Select **Create View**.



Select the  next to the **Library:** field to display a list of SAS libraries.



The list of libraries displayed at your site may be different from the ones in the illustration. Select **SAMPLE** from the list of libraries. Select **OK**.

Type MYVIEW in the **view:** field. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY window. Select **Goback** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Creating an Outer Join

You can now create an outer join with other tables. Select

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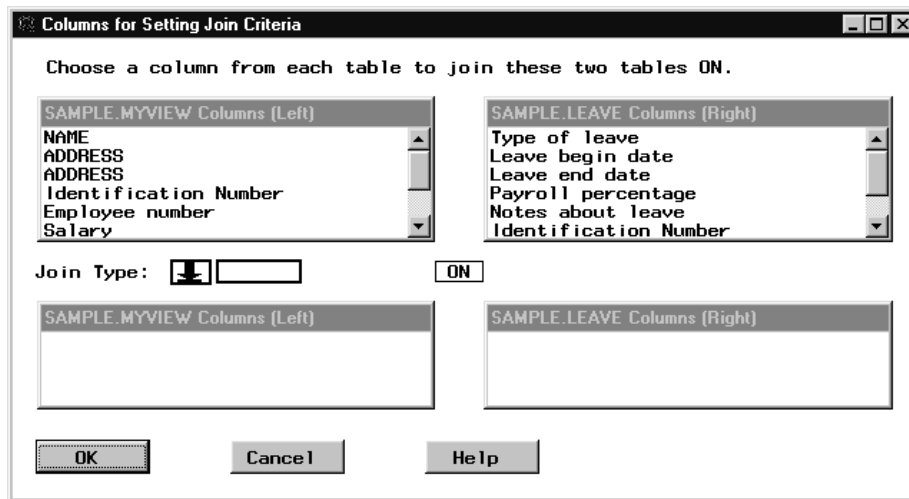
Select **OK** in the pop-up dialog to reset the query.

Select **SAMPLE.MYVIEW** and **SAMPLE.LEAVE** from the list of Available Tables and add them to the list of Selected Tables. Select **OK** to display the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Select

View ► Join Type

Select **Matched Join and Unmatched rows (Outer Join)**. Select **OK** to display the Columns for Setting Join Criteria window.



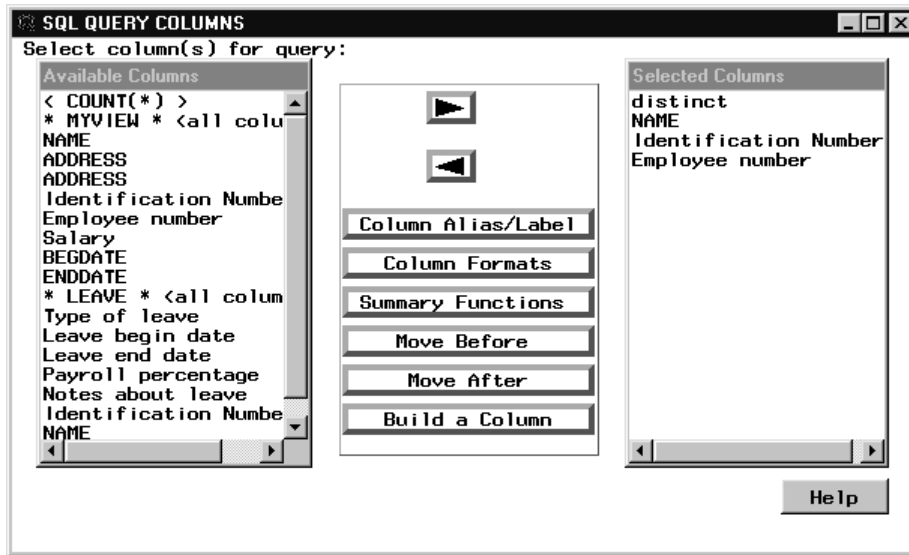
Select **Identification Number** from **SAMPLE.MYVIEW Columns (Left)**. Select **Identification Number** from **SAMPLE.LEAVE Columns (Right)**. Select the arrow next to **Join Type:**. Select **Left** from the pop-up menu. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Select

View ► Distinct

to eliminate duplicate values from your output.

Select **NAME**, **Identification Number**, and **Employee Number** from the list of Available Columns and add them to the list of Selected Columns.

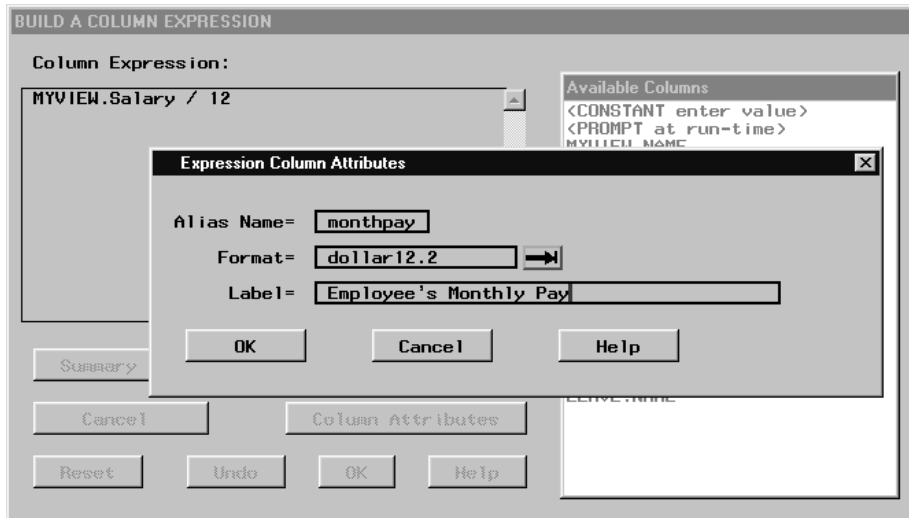


Building a Column Expression

Select **Build a Column** to display the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window.

Select **MYVIEW.Salary** from the list of Available Columns. Select / from the list of Operators. Select **<CONSTANT enter value>** from the list of Available columns. Type **12** in the **Numeric:** field. Select **OK**. Click outside the list of operators to make it disappear.

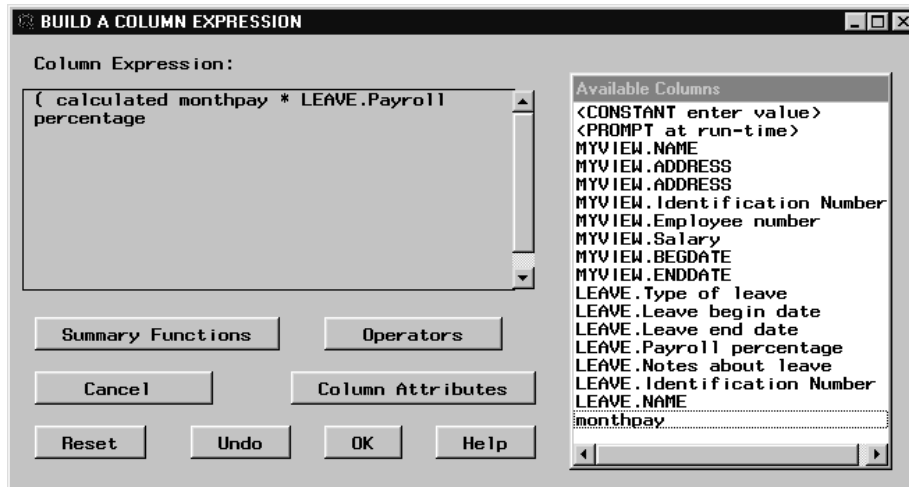
Select **Column Attributes** to display the Expression Column Attributes window. Enter **monthpay** in the **Alias Name=** field. Enter **dollar12.2** in the **Format=** field. Enter **Employee's Monthly Pay** in the **Label=** field.



Select **OK** to return to the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select **Build a Column** to display the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window. Select **Operators**. Select (from the list of Operators.

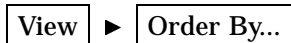
Select **monthpay** from the list of Available Columns. Select * from the list of Operators. Select **LEAVE.Payroll percentage** from the list of Available Columns. Select **)** from the list of Operators. Click outside the list of operators to make it disappear.



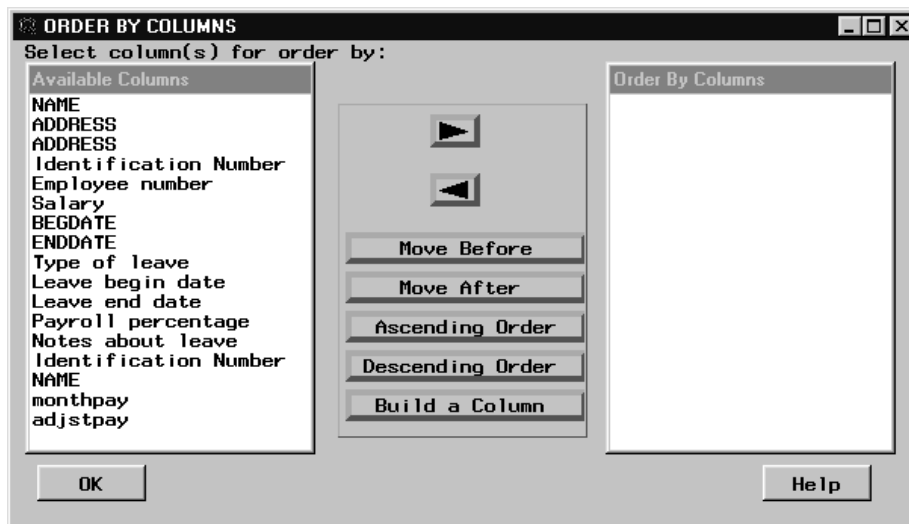
Select **Column Attributes** to display the Expression Column Attributes window. Enter **adjstpay** in the **Alias Name=** field. Enter **dollar12.2** in the **Format=** field. Enter **Employee's Gross Pay** in the **Label=** field. Select **OK** to return to the BUILD A COLUMN EXPRESSION window. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Order By Columns

In the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window, select



to display the ORDER BY COLUMNS window



Select the second **Identification Number** from the list of Available Columns and add it to the list of Selected Columns. Select **OK** to return to the SQL QUERY COLUMNS window.

Viewing Your Output

Select



to display the results of the query in the OUTPUT window.

The screenshot shows a window titled "Output - (Untitled) Processing submitted statements" with the subtitle "The SAS System". The window contains a table with the following data:

NAME	Identification Number	Employee number	Employee's Monthly Pay	Employee's Gross Pay
Knowles, Randall J.	798-37-9676	000925	\$2,500.00	.
Pearce, Frank T.	063-30-3356	000221	\$2,750.00	\$247.50
Thompson, Ann A.	111-11-1111	001111	\$6,666.67	\$600.00
Beane, Bailey E.	111-88-7176	000729	\$2,583.33	\$1,808.33
Berg, Stephen M.	214-01-1720	000991	\$6,916.67	\$6,916.67
Chen, Ronald B.	333-15-3667	000233	\$6,666.67	\$600.00
Danninger, Grace F.	333-88-1903	000647	\$3,291.67	\$3,291.67
Dubois, Joseph E.	333-88-7115	000683	\$1,000.00	\$500.00
Clinton, Melissa A.	333-88-7315	000698	\$1,041.67	\$520.83
Shurtleff, Octavia R.	333-88-7700	000639	\$4,250.00	\$4,250.00
Loflin, Laura Anne	531-88-6044	008000	\$5,000.00	\$3,500.00
Saetana, Alice Ann M.	536-63-9980	000817	\$2,333.33	\$2,333.33
Michaels, Paul H.	709-57-8766	000438	\$5,416.67	\$2,708.33
London, Brenda F.	730-68-6313	000476	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

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