

# Lecture 11 - Administrivia

June 17, 2026

# Outline

1. Administrivia
2. A01
3. Mid-Term Exam
4. SQLite versus MS-Access

# Administrivia

1. Instructor office hours today: 15:00-16:00.
2. A01 is now set up on Crowdmark, and will be due on Friday, June 19.
3. TA Office Hours are now posted on our home page. Please check back frequently to see the latest version (a couple of my TAs have yet to confirm their hours).
4. What I still owe you:
  - 4.1 Answers to outstanding emails
  - 4.2 Anything else?

1. Global: Solve all questions in RA, not in SQL.
2. Q2 Boolean condition for inclusion: Let

$C$  : course is offered in W26

$A$  : all course students are from the same major

$B$  : course text published by 'Pearson Publishing'

Then we want

$$(C \wedge (A \vee B))$$

3. Q10: Omit NULL / NA from the computation.

## Mid-Term Exam

1. These details, plus more, will be on the Schedule page of our website, soon.
2. The Mid-Term exam will cover to the end of this week (Lecture 11).
3. The Mid-Term exam will have free-form answer questions, and multiple choice questions.
4. The distribution of points will be roughly proportional to the time spent on each topic in class.
5. I will publish some practice problems on Lectures 09-11 (i.e. what is covered by the Mid-Term exam but not covered by A01) by the end of this week.
6. I will publish model solutions to the practice problems early next week.
7. Practice Problems From Suggested Text: Should you try and fail to solve problems from the text, let me know which one(s) and I will produce a solution for you.

# SQLite versus MS-Access

1. After today's lecture, I will check whether the operations that are syntactically correct, but cause errors in SQLite work better in MS-Access.
2. If they do, then I will
  - 2.1 augment our website to mention MS-Access as an alternative to SQLite, and
  - 2.2 format the Company DB into MS-Access file format.