

Control Flow: Takeaways

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Syntax

- General CASE syntax with two conditions:

```
SELECT (CASE
    WHEN condition_1 THEN result_1
    WHEN condition_2 = value_2 THEN result_2
    ELSE result_3
    END) AS some_name
FROM some_table;
```

- General CASE syntax with two conditions without ELSE:

```
SELECT (CASE
    WHEN condition_1 THEN result_1
    WHEN condition_2 = value_2 THEN result_2
    END) AS some_name
FROM some_table;
```

- General CASE base expression syntax with two conditions:

```
SELECT (CASE expression
    WHEN value_1 THEN result_1
    WHEN value_2 THEN result_2
    ELSE result_3
    END) AS some_name
FROM some_table;
```

Concepts

- Control flow is the terminology we use in programming to refer to "if . . . then . . . else" logic.
- Syntactic sugar is special syntax that makes it easier to program and read code.

Resources

- [Control flow](#)
- [Syntactic sugar](#)