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Sommario/riassunto	Photography has transformed the way we picture ourselves. Although photographs seem to "prove" our existence at a given point in time, they also demonstrate the impossibility of framing our multiple and fragmented selves. As Linda Haverty Rugg convincingly shows, photography's double take on self-image mirrors the concerns of autobiographers, who see the self as simultaneously divided (in observing/being) and unified by the autobiographical act. Rugg tracks photography's impact on the formation of self-image through the study of four literary autobiographers concerned with the transformative power of photography. Obsessed with self-image, Mark Twain and August Strindberg both attempted (unsuccessfully) to integrate

photographs into their autobiographies. While Twain encouraged photographers, he was wary of fakery and kept a fierce watch on the distribution of his photographic image. Strindberg, believing that photographs had occult power, preferred to photograph himself. Because of their experiences under National Socialism, Walter Benjamin and Christa Wolf feared the dangerously objectifying power of photographs and omitted them from their autobiographical writings. Yet Benjamin used them in his photographic conception of history, which had its testing ground in his often-ignored Berliner Kindheit um 1900. And Christa Wolf's narrator in Patterns of Childhood attempts to reclaim her childhood from the Nazis by reconstructing mental images of lost family photographs. Confronted with multiple and conflicting images of themselves, all four of these writers are torn between the knowledge that texts, photographs, and indeed selves are haunted by undecidability and the desire for the returned glance of a single self.

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Tables; Good Database Design; Creating the Example Database; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 2: Entering Information; Inserting New Data; Inserting Data into the Case Study Database; Updating Data; Deleting Data
 SummaryExercises; Chapter 3: Extracting Information; The SELECT Statement; Logical Operators and Operator Precedence; Ordering Results with ORDER BY; Selecting Data from More Than One Table; Introducing NULL Data; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 4: Advanced Database Design; Normalization; Ensuring Data Validity with Constraints; Speeding Up Results with Indexes; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 5: Manipulating Data; Understanding SQL Arithmetic; Introducing String Functions; Converting Different Data Types; Re-examining NULL; Using INSERT INTO with the SELECT Statement; Summary; Exercises
 Chapter 6: Grouping and Aggregating DataGrouping Results; Summarizing and Aggregating Data; Using the HAVING Clause with GROUP BY Statements; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 7: Selecting Data from Different Tables; Joins Revisited; Combining Results Sets with the UNION Operator; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 8: Queries within Queries; Subquery Terminology; Subqueries in a SELECT List; Subqueries in the WHERE Clause; Operators in Subqueries; Correlated Subquery; Subqueries Used with Other Statements; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 9: Advanced Queries; Updating the Database; Tackling Difficult Queries
 Top Tips for Efficient QueriesSummary; Exercises; Chapter 10: Views; Introducing Views; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 11: Transactions; Introducing Transactions; Transaction Logs; Locks; Isolation Levels; Problem Examples; Revisiting the Example Code; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 12: SQL Security; Security Concepts; Summary; Exercises; Chapter 13: Database Tuning; Tuning Hardware; Tuning SQL; Tuning Tips; Summary; Exercises; Appendix A: Exercise Answers; Chapter 1; Chapter 2; Chapter 3; Chapter 4; Chapter 5; Chapter 6; Chapter 7; Chapter 8; Chapter 9; Chapter 10; Chapter 11; Chapter 12
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Taking readers through the basics of the language, right up to some more advanced topics, this book is a practical, hands-on resource and aims to keep the reader involved at all timesFocuses on the SQL standard and is loaded with detailed examples and code; each chapter includes practice exercises that readers can challenge themselves with before looking at the sample solutions in the appendixPaul Wilton is a successful Wrox ""Beginning"" book author and is an ideal author to write for those who want a firm grasp of standard SQL before learning the details specific to a particu