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Using the New TOP n Qualifier in SELECT Commands

R:BASE 7.5 and V-8 "Turbo" for Windows

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Section:	New and Enhanced Commands
Chapter:	Running R:BASE Your Way!
Platform:	R:BASE 7.5 and V-8 "Turbo" for Windows
Builds:	R:BASE 7.5 (7.5.11.30720 or higher) R:BASE V-8 "Turbo" (8.0.9.30720 or higher) Oterro 3.5 and Oterro 8.0

Among major tools, features and enhancements, R:BASE 7.5 for Windows, R:BASE V-8 "Turbo" for Windows, Oterro 3.5 and Oterro 8.0, include the support for **TOP n** qualifier for the SELECT commands.

New Syntax:

SELECT TOP n * FROM tablename WHERE whereclause ORDER BY column(s)

Here is an example:

To show the top 5 bonuses where the bonus is under \$500 from SalesBonus table in ConComp:

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SELECT TOP 5 * FROM SalesBonus WHERE Bonus < 500 ORDER BY Bonus=DESC
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The "TOP n" goes between the word SELECT and the column list for the command.

Imagine the possibilities!