

WRITING BASIC SQL SELECT STATEMENTS.

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, sal*12 AS ANNUAL_SALARY  
FROM employees;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History		
EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	ANNUAL_SALARY
1	Smith	72000
2	Johnson	54000
3	Williams	90000
4	Jones	66000
5	Brown	96000

1. Show the structure of departments the table. Select all the data from it.

DESCRIBE department;

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History									
Object Type		TABLE		Object		DEPARTMENT			
Table	Column	Data Type	Length	Precision	Scale	Primary Key	Nullable	Default	Comment
DEPARTMENT	DEPT_ID	NUMBER	-	6	0	1	-	-	-
	DEPT_NAME	VARCHAR2	20	-	-	-	-	-	-
	MANAGER_ID	NUMBER	-	6	0	-	✓	-	-
	LOCATION_ID	NUMBER	-	4	0	-	✓	-	-
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2. Create a query to display the last name, job code, hire date, and employee number for each employee, with employee number appearing first.

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_code, hire_date
FROM employees;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History				
EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	JOB_CODE	HIRE_DATE	
1	Smith	DEV	05/05/2024	
2	Johnson	HR	02/24/2024	
3	Williams	MGR	06/23/2022	
4	Jones	DEV	03/12/2023	
5	Brown	MGR	09/30/2024	

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3. Provide an alias STARTDATE for the hire date.

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id, hire_date AS STARTDATE
FROM employees;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History				
EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	JOB_CODE	STARTDATE	
1	Smith	DEV	05/05/2024	
2	Johnson	HR	02/24/2024	
3	Williams	MGR	06/23/2022	
4	Jones	DEV	03/12/2023	
5	Brown	MGR	09/30/2024	

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4. Create a query to display unique job codes from the employee table.

```
SELECT DISTINCT job_code  
FROM employees;
```

Results	Explain	Describe
JOB_CODE		
DEV		
HR		
MGR		
3 rows returned in 0.00 second		

5. Display the last name concatenated with the job ID , separated by a comma and space, and name the column EMPLOYEE and TITLE.

```
SELECT last_name || ', ' || job_code AS EMPLOYEE_AND_TITLE  
FROM employees;
```

Results	Explain	Describe	Save
EMPLOYEE_AND_TITLE			
Smith, DEV			
Johnson, HR			
Williams, MGR			
Jones, DEV			
Brown, MGR			
5 rows returned in 0.00 seconds			

6. Create a query to display all the data from the employees table. Separate each column by a comma. Name the column THE_OUTPUT. SELECT employee_id || ',' || last_name || ',' || job_code || ',' || TO_CHAR(hire_date, 'YYYY-MM-DD') AS THE_OUTPUT FROM employees;

Results Explain Describe Save

THE_OUTPUT
1,Smith,DEV,2024-05-05
2,Johnson,HR,2024-02-24
3,Williams,MGR,2022-06-23
4,Jones,DEV,2023-03-12
5,Brown,MGR,2024-09-30

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