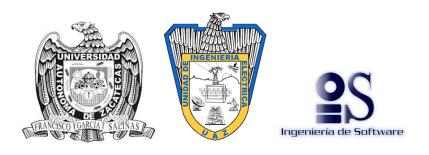
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Database Systems Laboratory II Practice 15 -Using Views

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1 Introduction

SQL language allows the realization of projection and selection of data from several tables to satisfy the needs of reports that may be required for a programmer, developer or end user

In the theory class we saw the topic of chapter 11, which contains what views are, we knew how to create, modify, insert and differentiate between the different types of views

2 Development

Activity 1

Write the section that describes the work developed in the following activities. Read all the choices carefully because there might be more than one correct answer. Choose all the correct answers for each question. Explain the reason for your answer.

CREATE SIMPLE AND COMPLEX VIEWS

- 1. Which of these is a defining characteristic of a complex view, rather than a simple view? (Choose one or more correct answers.)
 - A. Joining two tables
 - B. Naming the view's columns with column aliases
 - C. Restricting the selection of rows with a WHERE clause
 - D. Performing an aggregation
 - E. Restricting the projection by selecting only some of the table's columns

Answer: A

One of the characteristics that we are mentioned as fundamental is that complex views have one or more tables and what is a simple view only has one table

create view v1 as select departmentid,departmentname,lastname from departments join employees using (departmentid);

select departmentname, lastname from v1 where departmentid=20;

select d.departmentname, e.lastname from departments d, employees e where d.departmentid=e.departmentid and d.departmentid=20;

The first query will be quicker than the second because (choose the best answer):2. Consider these three statements:

create view v1 as select departmentid,departmentname,lastname from departments join employees using (departmentid);

select departmentname, lastname from v1 where departmentid=20; select d.departmentname, e.lastname from departments d, employees e where d.departmentid=e.departmentid and d.departmentid=20;

The first query will be quicker than the second because (choose the best answer):

- A. The view has already done the work of joining the tables.
- B. The view uses ISO standard join syntax, which is faster than the Oracle join syntax used in the second query.

- C. The view is precompiled, so the first query requires less dynamic compilation than the second query.
 - D. There is no reason for the first query to be quicker.

Answer: A

because as the view did the work of the join, it should not be necessary to repeat the join process again

- 3. Study this view creation statement: create view dept30 as select departmentid, employeeid, lastname from employees where departmentid=30 with check option; What might make the following statement fail? (Choose the best answer.) update dept30 set departmentid=10 where employeeid=114;
 - A. Unless specified otherwise, views will be created as WITH READ ONLY.
 - B. The view is too complex to allow DML operations.
- C. The WITH CHECK OPTION will reject any statement that changes the DEPARTMENTID.
 - D. The statement will succeed

Answer: C

With the CHEK OPTION we can restrict the data, so when we want to update the data we will be conditioned

RETRIEVE DATA FROM VIEWS

- 4. There is a simple view SCOTT.DEPTVIEW on the table SCOTT.DEPT. This insert fails with an error: SQL; insert into deptview values('SUPPORT','OXFORD'); insert into deptview values('SUPPORT','OXFORD') * ERROR at line 1: ORA-01400: cannot insert NULL into ("SCOTT"."DEPT"."DEPTNO") What might be the problem? (Choose the best answer.)
 - A. The INSERT violates a constraint on the detail table.
 - B. The INSERT violates a constraint on the view.
 - C. The view was created as WITH READ ONLY.
 - D. The view was created as WITH CHECK OPTION.

Answer: A

In this view, the columns that have the NOT in the original table are not specified NULL CONSTRAINT, the insert statement will always fail because there is values must be specified at the time of insertion

- 5. To add the number of columns selected by a view: (Choose the best answer.)
 - A. Add more columns to the underlying table.
 - B. Issue the alter view statement.
 - C. Use a correlated subquery in conjunction with the view.
 - D. Drop and re-create the view with references to select more columns.

Answer: D

When you want to modify a view, we can use the create or replace view to be able to insert new columns to that view, this function helps us in the event that there is already a view, tell us or give us an error and if not, it creates the view.

- 6. The following statement is issued against the Oracle database. Which line will produce an error? (Choose the best answer.)
 - A. create view EMPVIEW₀1
 - B. as select E.EMPID, E.LASTNAME, E.FIRSTNAME, A.ADDRESS
 - C. from EMPLOYEE E, EMPLADDRESS A
 - D. where E.EMPID = A.EMPID
 - E. with check option;
 - F. This statement contains no errors.

Answer: F

I believe that all available answer options are well structured, without errors

Activity 2:

Propose an answer to the following issues:

1. What is a simple view? How does it differ from a complex view? Which view allows the user to insert data into the view's underlying table? Explain.

A view is a logical representation of one or more tables. A view does not contain data. All data is derived from one or more underlying tables, in the case of the simple view it only shows the data in a single table Unlike a complex view, this type of view, apart from showing the data in many tables, can also contain functions or data groups, a simple dress would allow inserting

2. What is a complex view? What are the rules that determine when a complex view can be used to modify data in an underlying table? Explain.

A complex view all your data from many tables and can contain functions or data groups as well as this type of view it does not always allow DML operations through the view.

3. How can constraints be created and enforced on views?

In the views that we have or we have two options for this is the option of, check option that forces us to work with the data domain, and we have the one with ready only to select only one view but that is read-only as is, it cannot be modified

- 4. On what principle does a view constraint operate?
- 5. What statement is used to alter the definition of a view? With CREATE OR REMPLACE VIEW
- 6. How are views dropped?

With the function DROP VIEW, the syntax is DROP VIEW NOMBREDEVISTA

- 7. How can you create a view even if the table referenced does not exist?
- 8. What statement is used to recompile or revalidate an existing view definition?

Re-execute the CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW

9. What is object dependency? About views and tables.

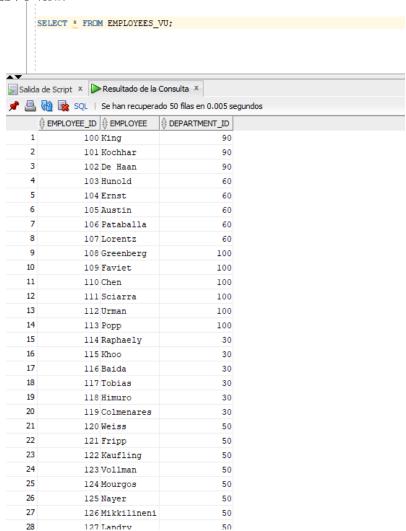
Deleting or changing objects can affect other objects in the database such as views or procedures that depend on them and, in certain instances, can "break" the dependent object. An example can be if a View queries a table and the name of that table changes. The View won't work anymore.

Activity 3:

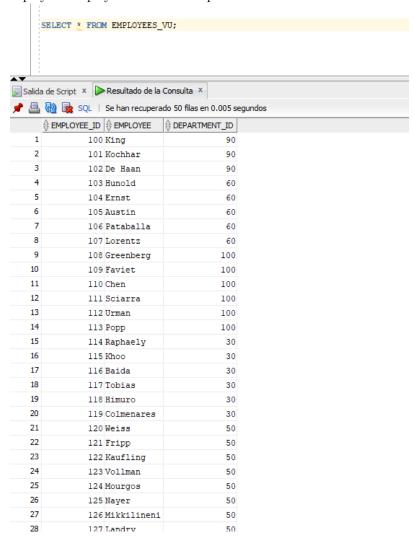
This exercise must be performed using HR schema

a) Problem 1. 1. The staff in the HR department wants to hide some of the data in the EMPLOYEES table. Create a view called EMPLOYEESVU based on the employee numbers, employee last names, and department numbers from the EMPLOYEES table. The heading for the employee name should be EMPLOYEE.

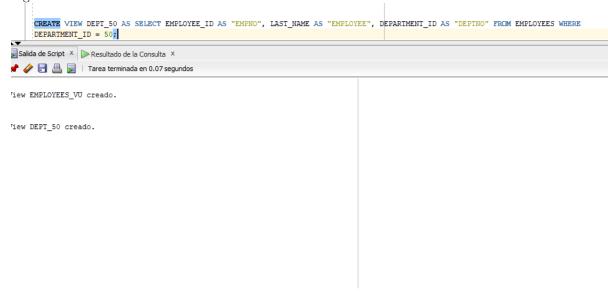
2. Confirm that the view works. Display the contents of the EMPLOY-EESVU view.



3. Using your EMPLOYEESVU view, write a query for the HR department to display all employee names and department numbers $\frac{1}{2}$



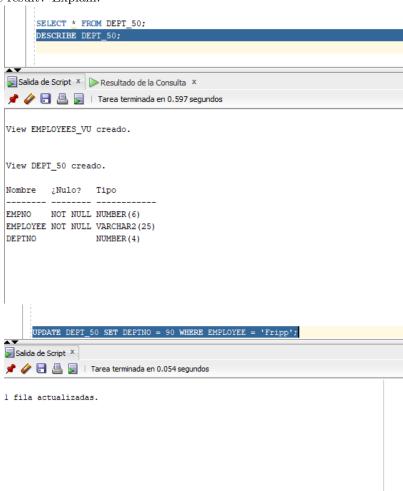
4. Department 50 needs access to its employee data. Create a view named DEPT50 that contains the employee numbers, employee last names, and department numbers for all employees in department 50. You have been asked to label the view columns EMPNO, EMPLOYEE, and DEPTNO. For security purposes, do not allow an employee to be reassigned to another department through the view.

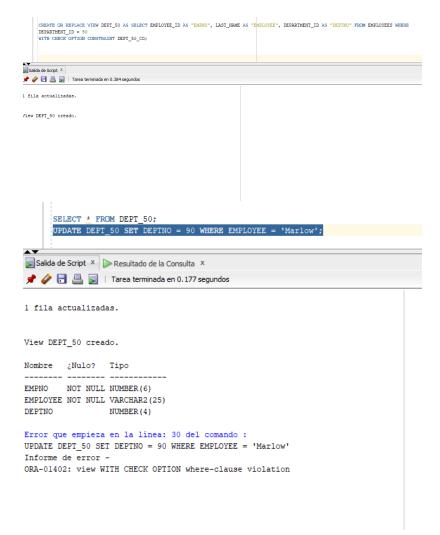


5. Display the structure and contents of the DEPT50 view



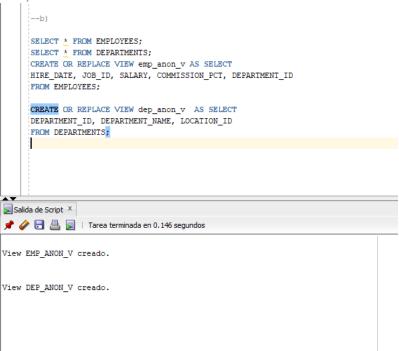
 $6.\ \,$ Test your view. Attempt to reassign Matos to department 80. What is the result? Explain.



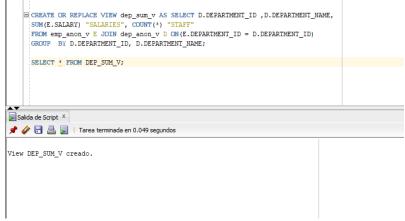


Professor I moved the number to Matos and it no longer came out in the consultation, but I put the name of another I had forgotten to put the restriction, but I put it in order to see what was asked of us after I realized it An error is returned because the WITH CHECK OPTION constraint is violated, only employee data with department id 50 can be updated.s

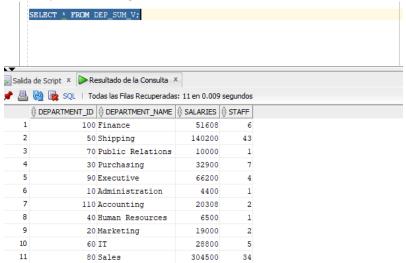
- b) Problem 2.
- 1. Create views on the EMPLOYEES (empanonv) and DEPARTMENT (deptanonv) tables that queries representative personal information (hiredate, jobid, salary,commissionpet, departmentid; departmentid, departmentname, locarionid):



2. Create a complex view that will join and aggregate (sum salary grouped by department's id and name [salaries], count the number of employees [staff]) the two simple views. Name the view depsumv. Note that there is no reason not to have views of views.

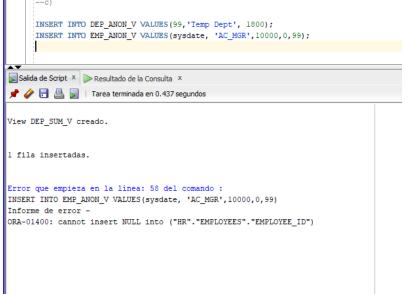


3. Query the resulting table:



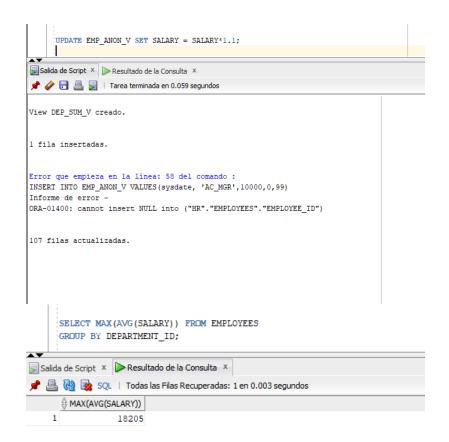
4. Execute these statements and show results.

c) Problem 3. 1. Insert a new department through the DEPTANONV view and attempt to insert an employee through EMPANONV: insert into DEPTANONV values(99, 'Temp Dept', 1800); insert into EMPANONV values(sysdate, 'ACMGR', 10000, 0,99); What is the result? Why? Try to update through it: update empanonv set salary=salary*1.1; What is the result? Why? Then roll back the changes:



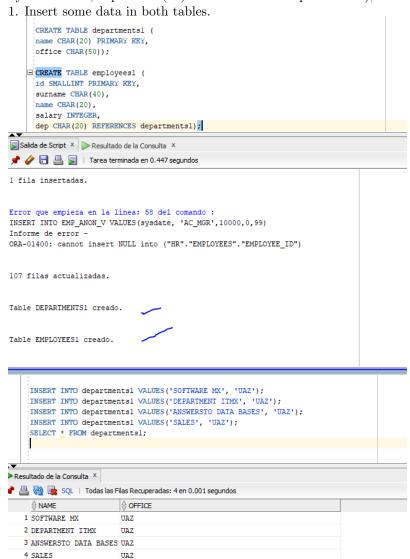
2. Find out the salary of the department with the highest average salary, by querying the EMPLOYEES table (use a subquery in the FROM clause to extract the average salary from employees):

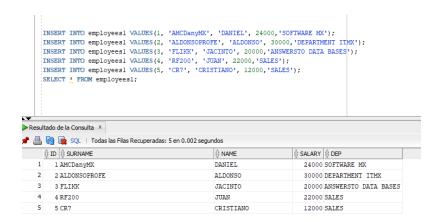
and find the same information from the DEPSUMV view, which is a much simpler query:



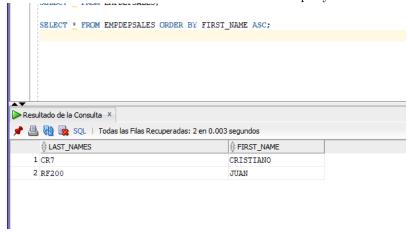
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d) Problem 4. From de following tables: CREATE TABLE departments1 (name CHAR(20) PRIMARY KEY, office CHAR(50)); CREATE TABLE employees1 (id SMALLINT PRIMARY KEY, surname CHAR(40), name CHAR(20), salary INTEGER, dep CHAR(20) REFERENCES departments1);

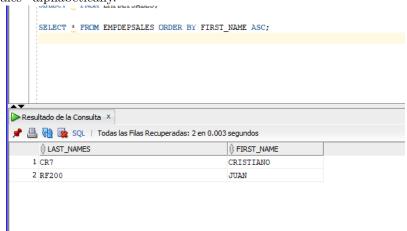




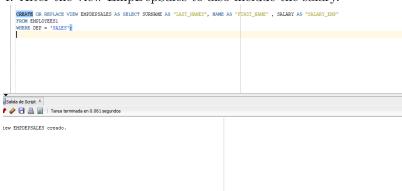
2. Create a view called EmpDepSales that contains the surname and first name of the employees of the department "Sales" renaming those properties as "lastname" and "firstname". Use alias out of the subquery.



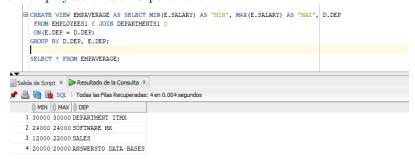
3. List the surname and first name of the employees of the department "Sales" alphabetically.



4. Alter the view EmpDepSales to also include the salary.



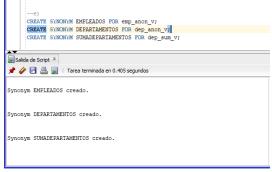
5. Create a view that displays the minimum, maximum and average salaries of the employees of each department.



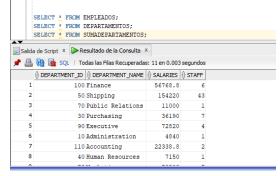
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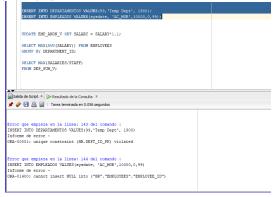
- e) Problem 5.
- 1. Connect to your database as user HR. 2. Create synonyms for the three views created in Exercise b, problem 2:



3. Confirm that the synonyms are identical to the underlying object:



4. Confirm that the synonyms work (even to the extent of producing the same errors) by running the statements in b and c against the synonyms instead of the views:



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UPDATE EMPLEADOS SET SALARY = SALARY*1.1;

SELECT MAX(AVG(SALARY)) FROM EMPLEADOS
GROUP BY DEPARTMENT_ID;

SELECT MAX(SALARIES/STAFF)
FROM SUMADEPARTAMENTOS;

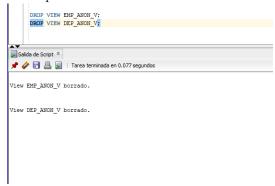
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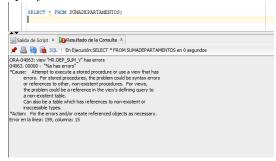
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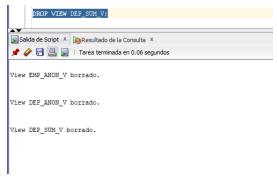
5. Drop two of the views:



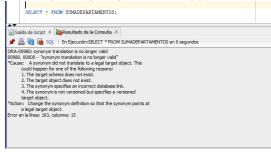
6. Query the complex view that is based on the dropped views: Note that the query fails.



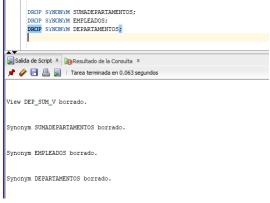
- 7. Attempt to recompile the broken view: This will fail as well.
- 8. Drop the DEPSUMV view:



9. Query the synonym for a dropped view: This will fail.



- 10. Recompile the broken synonym: Note that this does not give an error, but rerun the query from step 9. It is definitely still broken.
 - 11. Tidy up by dropping the synonyms:



The NOTE: Capture an image for each statement output

3 PRE-EVALUATION

Practices pre-Assessment for Database Systems Laboratory II Pre-Assessment PRACTICE 15 carried out by student

1 COMPLIES WITH THE REQUESTED FUNCTIONALITY YES

 $4~\mathrm{HAS}$ THE CORRECT INDENTATION YES

 $6~\mathrm{HAS}$ AN EASY WAY TO ACCESS THE PROVIDED FILES YES

7 HAS A REPORT WITH IDC FORMAT YES

 $8\ \mbox{REPORT}$ INFORMATION IS FREE OF SPELLING ERRORS YES

9 DELIVERED IN TIME AND FORM YES

10 IS FULLY COMPLETED (SPECIFY THE PERCENTAGE COMPLETED) YES,100 percent

4 Conclusion

This practice was very helpful to me to finish understanding and practicing with the views, it is a subject that is relatively simple but like everyone you must pay attention when doing them to do them correctly.