

DATA DEFINITION LANGUAGE (DDL) COMMANDS IN RDBMS

AIM:

To execute and verify the Data Definition Language commands and constraints

DDL (DATA DEFINITION LANGUAGE)

- CREATE
- ALTER
- DROP
- TRUNCATE
- COMMENT
- RENAME

PROCEDURE

STEP 1: Start

STEP 2: Create the table with its essential attributes.

STEP 3: Execute different Commands and extract information from the table.

STEP 4: Stop

SQL COMMANDS

1. COMMAND NAME: **CREATE**

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **CREATE** command is used to create objects in the database.

2. COMMAND NAME: **DROP**

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **DROP** command is used to delete the object from the database.

3. COMMAND NAME: **TRUNCATE**

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **TRUNCATE** command is used to remove all the records from the table.

4. COMMAND NAME: **ALTER**

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **ALTER** command is used to alter the structure of database.

5. COMMAND NAME: **RENAME**

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **RENAME** command is used to rename the objects.

QUERY: 01

Q1. Write a query to create a table employee with empno, ename, designation, and salary.

Syntax for creating a table:

**SQL: CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1
<DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);**

QUERY: 01

**SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP (EMPNO NUMBER (4),
ENAME VARCHAR2 (10),
DESIGNATION VARCHAR2 (10),**

SALARY NUMBER (8,2));

Table created.

QUERY: 02

Q2. Write a query to display the column name and datatype of the table employee.

Syntax for describe the table:

SQL: DESC <TABLE NAME>;

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(4)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

QUERY: 03

Q3. Write a query for create a from an existing table with all the fields

Syntax For Create A from An Existing Table With All Fields

**SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> SELECT * FROM
<SOURCE TABLE NAME>;**

QUERY: 03

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP1 AS SELECT * FROM EMP;

Table created.

SQL> DESC EMP1

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(4)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

QUERY: 04

Q4. Write a query for create a from an existing table with selected fields

Syntax For Create A from An Existing Table With Selected Fields

**SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> SELECT EMPNO, ENAME
FROM <SOURCE TABLE NAME>;**

QUERY: 04

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP2 AS SELECT EMPNO, ENAME FROM EMP;

Table created.

SQL> DESC EMP2

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER (4)
ENAME		VARCHAR2 (10)

QUERY: 05

Q5. Write a query to create a new table from an existing table without any record:

Syntax for create a new table from an existing table without any record:

**SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> AS SELECT * FROM
<SOURCE TABLE NAME> WHERE <FALSE CONDITION>;**

QUERY: 05

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP3 AS SELECT * FROM EMP WHERE 1>2;

Table created.

SQL> DESC EMP3;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(4)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2);

ALTER & MODIFICATION ON TABLE

QUERY: 06

Q6. Write a Query to Alter the column EMPNO NUMBER (4) TO EMPNO NUMBER (6).

Syntax for Alter & Modify on a Single Column:

SQL > ALTER <TABLE NAME> MODIFY <COLUMN NAME> <DATATYPE> (SIZE);

QUERY: 06

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP MODIFY EMPNO NUMBER (6);

Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(6)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

QUERY: 07

Q7. Write a Query to Alter the table employee with multiple columns (EMPNO, ENAME.)

Syntax for alter table with multiple column:

**SQL > ALTER <TABLE NAME> MODIFY <COLUMN NAME1> <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), MODIFY <COLUMN NAME2> <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....;**

QUERY: 07

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP MODIFY (EMPNO NUMBER (7), ENAME VARCHAR2(12));

Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2);

QUERY: 08

Q8. Write a query to add a new column in to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD (<COLUMN NAME> <DATA TYPE> <SIZE>);

QUERY: 08

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP ADD QUALIFICATION VARCHAR2(6);
Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)
QUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)

QUERY: 09

Q9. Write a query to add multiple columns in to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD (<COLUMN NAME1> <DATA TYPE> <SIZE>,(<COLUMN NAME2> <DATA TYPE> <SIZE>,);

QUERY: 09

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP ADD (DOB DATE, DOJ DATE);
Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)
QUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)
DOB		DATE
DOJ		DATE

REMOVE / DROP

QUERY: 10

Q10. Write a query to drop a column from an existing table employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> DROP COLUMN <COLUMN NAME>;

QUERY: 10

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP DROP COLUMN DOJ;

Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)
QUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)
DOB		DATE

QUERY: 11

Q10. Write a query to drop multiple columns from employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> DROP <COLUMN NAME1>,<COLUMN NAME2>..... ;

QUERY: 11

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP DROP (DOB, QUALIFICATION);

Table altered.

SQL> DESC EMP;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

REMOVE

QUERY: 12

Q10. Write a query to rename table emp to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE RENAME <OLD NAME> TO <NEW NAME>

QUERY: 12

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP RENAME EMP TO EMPLOYEE;

SQL> DESC EMPLOYEE;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)

**DESIGNATION
SALARY**

**VARCHAR2(10)
NUMBER(8,2)**

CONSTRAINTS

Constraints are part of the table definition that limits and restriction on the value entered into its columns.

TYPES OF CONSTRAINTS:

- 1) Primary key
- 2) Foreign key/references
- 3) Check
- 4) Unique
- 5) Not null
- 6) Null
- 7) Default

CONSTRAINTS CAN BE CREATED IN THREE WAYS:

- 1) Column level constraints
- 2) Table level constraints
- 3) Using DDL statements-alter table command

OPERATION ON CONSTRAINT:

- i) ENABLE
- ii) DISABLE
- iii) DROP

Column level constraints Using Primary key

Q13. Write a query to create primary constraints with column level

Primary key

Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);

QUERY:13

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(4) PRIMARY  
KEY,  
ENAME VARCHAR2(10),  
JOB VARCHAR2(6),  
SAL NUMBER(5),  
DEPTNO NUMBER(7));
```

Column level constraints Using Primary key with naming convention

Q14. Write a query to create primary constraints with column level with naming convention

Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL: >CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE
CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);

QUERY:14

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(4)
```

CONSTRAINT EMP_EMPNO_PK PRIMARY KEY,
ENAME VARCHAR2(10),
JOB VARCHAR2(6),
SAL NUMBER(5),
DEPTNO NUMBER(7));

Table Level Primary Key Constraints

Q15. Write a query to create primary constraints with table level with naming convention

Syntax for Table level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL: >CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE) , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF
THE CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE CONSTRAINTS>);

QUERY: 15

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE (EMPNO NUMBER(6),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
JOB VARCHAR2(6),
SAL NUMBER(7),
DEPTNO NUMBER(5),
**CONSTRAINT EMP_EMPNO_PK PRIMARY
KEY(EMPNO));**

Table level constraint with alter command (primary key):

Q16. Write a query to create primary constraints with alter command

Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));
SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF THE
CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <COLUMN NAME>;

QUERY: 16

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(5),
ENAME VARCHAR2(6),
JOB VARCHAR2(6),
SAL NUMBER(6),
DEPTNO NUMBER(6));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP3 ADD CONSTRAINT **EMP3_EMPNO_PK PRIMARY
KEY (EMPNO);**

Reference /foreign key constraint

Column level foreign key constraint:

Q.17. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with column level

Parent Table:

Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);

Child Table:

Syntax for Column level constraints Using foreign key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) REFERENCES <TABLE NAME>

(COLUMN NAME>);

QUERY: 17

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY
KEY,
DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP4
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2) REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
```

Column level foreign key constraint with naming conversions:

Parent Table:

Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

Q.18. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with column level

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);
```

Child Table:

Syntax for Column level constraints using foreign key:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE) , COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <CONST.
NAME> REFERENCES <TABLE NAME> (COLUMN NAME>
.....);
```

QUERY:18

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY,
DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP4A
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2)CONSTRAINT EMP4A_DEPTNO_FK
REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
```

Table Level Foreign Key Constraints

Q.19. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with Table level

Parent Table:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);
```

Child Table:

Syntax for Table level constraints using foreign key:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT <CONST.
NAME> REFERENCES <TABLE NAME> (COLUMN NAME> );
```

QUERY: 19

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT
(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY,
```



```
DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP5
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10)CONSTRAINT ENP2_DEPTNO_FK FOREIGN
KEY(DEPT NO)REFERENCESDEPT(DEPTNO));
```

Table Level Foreign Key Constraints with Alter command

Q.20. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with Table level with alter command.

Parent Table:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)
.....);
```

Child Table:

Syntax for Table level constraints using foreign key:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE) , COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));
SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD CONSTRAINT <CONST. NAME>
REFERENCES <TABLE NAME> (COLUMN NAME>);
```

QUERY:20

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT
(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY,
DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP5
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP6 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP6_DEPTNO_FK FOREIGN
KEY(DEPTNO)REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO);
```

Check constraint

Column Level Check Constraint

Q.21. Write a query to create Check constraints with column level

Syntax for column level constraints using Check:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE) CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS>
(CONSTRAINTS CRITERIA) , COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));
```

QUERY:21

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP7(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5)CONSTRAINT EMP7_SAL_CK CHECK(SAL>500 AND
SAL<10001),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2));
```

Table Level Check Constraint:

Q.22. Write a query to create Check constraints with table level

Syntax for Table level constraints using Check:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT
<CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> (CONSTRAINTS
CRITERIA));
```

QUERY:22

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP8(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5),DEPTNO NUMBER(2),
CONSTRAINTS EMP8_SAL_CK CHECK(SAL>500 AND
SAL<10001));
```

Check Constraint with Alter Command

Q.23. Write a query to create Check constraints with table level using alter command.

Syntax for Table level constraints using Check:

```
SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE>
(SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT
<CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> (CONSTRAINTS
CRITERIA));
```

QUERY:23

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP9(EMPNO NUMBER,
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP9 ADD CONSTRAINTS EMP9_SAL_CK
CHECK(SAL>500 AND SAL<10001);
```

Unique Constraint

Column Level Constraint

Q.24. Write a query to create unique constraints with column level

Syntax for Column level constraints with Unique:

```
SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>
<DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS>
<CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));
```

QUERY:24

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP10(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15)CONSTRAINT EMP10_DESIGN_UK UNIQUE,
SAL NUMBER(5));
```

Table Level Constraint

Q.25. Write a query to create unique constraints with table level

Syntax for Table level constraints with Unique:

```
SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>
<DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT
```

<NAME OF CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINT TYPE>(COLUMN NAME););

QUERY:25

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP11(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5),CONSTRAINT EMP11_DESIGN_UK UNIQUE(DESIGN));
```

Table Level Constraint Alter Command

Q.26. Write a query to create unique constraints with table level

Syntax for Table level constraints with Check Using Alter

```
SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>
<DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)) ;
SQL> ALTER TABLE ADD <CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINTS NAME>
<CONSTRAINTS TYPE>(COLUMN NAME);
```

QUERY:26

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP12
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP12 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP12_DESIGN_UK
UNIQUE(DESING);
```

Not Null

Column Level Constraint

Q.27. Write a query to create Not Null constraints with column level

Syntax for Column level constraints with Not Null:

```
SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>
<DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS>
<CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)) ;
```

QUERY: 27

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP13
(EMPNO NUMBER(4),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20) CONSTRAINT EMP13_ENAME_NN NOT NULL,
DESIGN VARCHAR2(20),
SAL NUMBER(3));
```

Null

Column Level Constraint

Q.28. Write a query to create Null constraints with column level

Syntax for Column level constraints with Null:

```
SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>
<DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS>
<CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)) ;
```

QUERY:28

```
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP13
(EMPNO NUMBER(4),
```

```
ENAME VARCHAR2(20) CONSTRAINT EMP13_ENAME_NN NULL,  
DESIGN VARCHAR2(20),  
SAL NUMBER(3));
```

Constraint Disable \ Enable

Constraint Disable

Q.29. Write a query to disable the constraints

Syntax for disabling a single constraint in a table:

```
SQL>ALTER TABLE <TABLE-NAME> DISABLE CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTNAME>
```

QUERY:29

```
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP13 DISABLE CONSTRAINT EMP13_ENAME_NN  
NULL;
```

Constraint Enable

Q.30. Write a query to enable the constraints

Syntax for disabling a single constraint in a table:

```
SQL>ALTER TABLE <TABLE-NAME> DISABLE CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTNAME>
```

QUERY:30

```
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP13 ENABLE CONSTRAINT EMP13_ENAME_NN  
NULL;
```