PACKAGES:

- > IT IS A COLLECTION OF VARIABLES, CURSORS, PROCEDURES & FUNCTIONS ARE STORED IN ONE LOCATION.
- > EASY TO SHARE THE SUBPROGRAMS IN APPLICATION S/W TOOLS
- > THEY IMPROVE PERFORMANCE WHILE ACCESSING SUBPROGRAMS FROM CLIENT LOCATION
 - > THEY ARE STORED IN "USER_SOURCE" SYSTEM TABLE
- > THEY SUPPORTS FUNCTION OVERLOADING, ENCAPSULATION & DATABINDING
 - > IT HAS TWO PARTS

1. PACKAGE SPECIFICATION:

IT HOLDS THE DECLARATION OF VARIABLES, CURSORS & SUBPROGRAMS.

SYNTAX:

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CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE <PACKAGE NAME>
IS / AS
<DECLARE VARIABLES, CURSORS, SUB BLOCKS>;
END;
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2. PACKAGE BODY:

IT HOLDS THE BODY OF SUBPROGRAMS.

SYNTAX:

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CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE BODY <PACKAGE NAME>
IS / AS
<IMPLEMENTING SUB BLOCKS>;
END;
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EX1:
CREATE A PACKAGE TO ENCAPSULATE / BIND MULTIPLE
PORCEDURES?
SQL> CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE PK1
 IS
 PROCEDURE SP1;
 PROCEDURE SP2;
 END;
 /
PACKAGE CREATED.
SQL> CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY PK1
 IS
 PROCEDURE SP1
 AS
 BEGIN
 DBMS_OUTPUT_LINE ('MY NAME IS PROCEDURE1');
 END SP1;
 PROCEDURE SP2
 AS
 BEGIN
 DBMS_OUTPUT_PUT_LINE ('MY NAME IS PROCEDURE2');
 END SP2;
 END;
 /
PACKAGE BODY CREATED.
SQL> EXECUTE PK1.SP1;
MY NAME IS PROCEDURE
PL/SQL PROCEDURE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED.
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SQL> EXECUTE PK1.SP2;
MY NAME IS PROCEDURE2
PL/SQL PROCEDURE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED.
EX2:
CREATE A PACKAGE TO BIND VARIABLE, PROCEDURE &
FUNCTION?
CREATE PACKAGE PK2
IS
A NUMBER (10): =2000;
PROCEDURE SP1;
FUNCTION SF1(X NUMBER) RETURN NUMBER;
END;
/
PACKAGE CREATED.
CREATE PACKAGE BODY PK2
IS
PROCEDURE SP1
AS
X NUMBER (10);
BEGIN
X: = A/2;
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(X);
END SP1;
FUNCTION SF1(X NUMBER)
RETURN NUMBER
AS
BEGIN
RETURN X*A;
END SF1;
END;
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PACKAGE BODY CREATED.
EX3:
PACKAGE SPECIFICATION:
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE MY_PACK
      IS.
 RESULT VARCHAR2(50);
 PROCEDURE EMP_EXP (TEMPNO EMP.EMPNO%TYPE);
 FUNCTION EMP NETSAL (TEMPNO EMP.EMPNO%TYPE) RETURN
VARCHAR2;
END MY_PACK;
PACKAGE BODY:
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY MY_PACK
          IS
PROCEDURE EMP_EXP (TEMPNO EMP.EMPNO%TYPE)
         IS
TDATE EMP.HIREDATE%TYPE; -- PRIVATE VARIABLES
TEXP NUMBER;
BEGIN
 SELECT HIREDATE INTO TDATE FROM EMP WHERE
EMPNO=TEMPNO;
TEXP: =ROUND((SYSDATE-TDATE)/365);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (TEMPNO||' EMPLOYEE EXPERIENCE
IS '||TEXP||'YEARS.');
END EMP_EXP;
FUNCTION EMP_NETSAL (TEMPNO EMP.EMPNO%TYPE)
       RETURN VARCHAR2
           TS
TSAL EMP.SAL%TYPE;
TCOMM EMP.COMM%TYPE;
BEGIN
 SELECT SAL+NVL(COMM,0) INTO RESULT FROM EMP
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WHERE EMPNO=TEMPNO;
 RETURN (TEMPNO||'EMPLOYEE NET SALARY RS.'||RESULT);
END EMP_NETSAL;
END MY_PACK;
TO EXECUTE ABOVE PACKAGE:
EXEC MY_PACK.EMP_EXP (7788);
SELECT MY_PACK.EMP_NETSAL (7788) FROM DUAL;
FUNCTION OVERLOADING USING PACKAGE:
EX:
SOL> CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE PK3
  IS
  FUNCTION SF1(X NUMBER, Y NUMBER) RETURN NUMBER
  FUNCTION SF1(A NUMBER, B NUMBER, C NUMBER) RETU
  END;
PACKAGE CREATED.
SQL> CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY PK3
  IS
  FUNCTION SF1(X NUMBER, Y NUMBER)
  RETURN NUMBER
  AS
  BEGIN
  RETURN (X*Y);
  END SF1;
  FUNCTION SF1(A NUMBER, B NUMBER, C NUMBER)
 RETURN NUMBER
 AS
 BEGIN
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RETURN A+B+C;

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END SF1;
 END;
 /
PACKAGE BODY CREATED.
SQL> SELECT PK3.SF1 (10,20,30) FROM DUAL;
PK3.SF1 (10,20,30)
       60
SQL> SELECT PK3.SF1 (10,20) FROM DUAL;
PK3.SF1 (10,20)
     200
EX:
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE FO PACK
       IS
FUNCTION ADDVAL (A NUMBER, B NUMBER) RETURN NUMBER;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (A NUMBER, B NUMBER, C NUMBER) RETURN
NUMBER;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (STR1 VARCHAR2, STR2 VARCHAR2) RETURN
VARCHAR2;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (STR1 VARCHAR2, STR2 VARCHAR2, STR3
VARCHAR2) RETURN VARCHAR2;
END FO_PACK;
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PACKAGE BODY:
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY FO_PACK
       IS
FUNCTION ADDVAL (A NUMBER, B NUMBER) RETURN NUMBER
          IS
BEGIN
RETURN(A+B);
END ADDVAL;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (A NUMBER, B NUMBER, C NUMBER) RETURN
NUMBER
             IS
BEGIN
RETURN(A+B+C);
END ADDVAL;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (STR1 VARCHAR2, STR2 VARCHAR2) RETURN
VARCHAR2
            IS
BEGIN
RETURN(STR1||STR2);
END ADDVAL;
FUNCTION ADDVAL (STR1 VARCHAR2, STR2 VARCHAR2, STR3
VARCHAR2) RETURN VARCHAR2
                IS
BEGIN
RETURN(STR1||STR2||STR3);
END ADDVAL;
END FO_PACK;
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CALLING PACKAGE:
SELECT FO_PACK.ADDVAL(10,20) FROM DUAL;
SELECT FO_PACK.ADDVAL('RAMA ','KRISHNA ','RAJU') FROM
DUAL;
SELECT FO PACK.ADDVAL(10,20,50) FROM DUAL;
NOTE:
> ALL PACKAGES BODIES ARE STORED IN 'USER_SOURCE'.
> TO SEE THE PACKAGE BODY.
EX:
SQL> SELECT TEXT FROM USER_SOURCE WHERE
NAME='FO_PACK';
DROPPING PACKAGE BODY:
SYNTAX:
SQL> DROP PACKAGE BODY <PACKAGE NAME>;
EX:
SQL> DROP PACKAGE BODY MY_PACK;
DROPPING PACKAGES:
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SYNTAX:
SQL> DROP PACKAGE <PACKAGE NAME>;
EX:
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SQL> DROP PACKAGE MY_PACK;