

Oracle DB Constraint

a constraint is a rule enforced on the data in a table. Constraints ensure the accuracy and integrity of the data by restricting the types of data that can be inserted into a table. Here's a breakdown of the different types of constraints you might encounter in Oracle DB

1. Primary Key Constraint

2. Foreign Key Constraint

3. Unique Constraint

4. Not Null Constraint

5. Not Null Constraint

5. Check Constraint

Oracle DB Constraint

```
INSERT INTO jobs VALUES (100,null,1,10000);  
INSERT INTO jobs VALUES (100,'My_Job',1,10000);  
INSERT INTO jobs(job_id,min_salary,max_salary) VALUES (100,1,10000);  
CREATE TABLE managers (manager_id    NUMBER NOT NULL,  
                           first_name   VARCHAR2(50),  
                           last_name    VARCHAR2(50) CONSTRAINT lname_not_null NOT NULL,  
                           department_id NUMBER NOT NULL);
```



1. NOT+NULL+Constraint+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id      NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_uk UNIQUE,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id   NUMBER NOT NULL
);

INSERT INTO managers VALUES (100, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80);
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (101, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80);

CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id      NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_uk UNIQUE,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id   NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number    VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email           VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE (email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_composite_uk UNIQUE(first_name, last_name, department_id)
);

INSERT INTO managers VALUES (100, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80, '123-456-789', 'abrown');
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (101, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80, '123-456-789', 'abrown');
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (101, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80, '123-456-780', 'abrown');
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (101, 'Alex', 'Brown', 80, '123-456-780', 'abrown2');
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (101, 'Alex', 'Brown', 90, '123-456-780', 'abrown2');
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (null, null, null, null, null, null);
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (null, null, null, 90, null, null);
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (null, null, null, 90, '123-456-781', null);
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (null, null, null, 90, '123-456-782', null);
INSERT INTO managers VALUES (null, null, null, 100, '123-456-782', null);

SELECT * FROM managers;
UPDATE managers SET department_id = 90 WHERE manager_id = 100;
```



2. UNIQUE+Constraint+(Code+Samples).sql

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```
DROP TABLE managers;
CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id      NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_uk UNIQUE,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id   NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number    VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email           VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE (email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_composite_uq UNIQUE(department_id, first_name, last_name)
);

CREATE TABLE directors
(
    director_id     NUMBER CONSTRAINT dir_did_pk PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50)
);

CREATE TABLE executives
(
    executive_id    NUMBER,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    CONSTRAINT dir_did_pk PRIMARY KEY (executive_id, last_name)
);

CREATE TABLE executives
(
    executive_id    NUMBER,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    CONSTRAINT exec_eid_pk PRIMARY KEY (executive_id, last_name)
);

INSERT INTO directors VALUES(100, 'John', 'Goodman');
INSERT INTO directors VALUES(null, 'John', 'Goodman');
INSERT INTO executives VALUES(100, 'John', null);

DROP TABLE executives;
```



3. PRIMARY+KEY+Constraint+(Code+Samples).sql

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```
DROP TABLE managers;
CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id      NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_uk UNIQUE,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id   NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number    VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email           VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE(email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_composite_uq UNIQUE(department_id, first_name, last_name)
);

SELECT * FROM employees;
SELECT * FROM employees_copy;

CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id      NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_pk PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id   NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number    VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email           VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE(email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_emp_fk FOREIGN KEY (manager_id) REFERENCES employees_copy (employee_id)
);

DROP TABLE employees_copy;
CREATE TABLE employees_copy
(
    employee_id     NUMBER(6) CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_eid_pk PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name      VARCHAR2(20),
    last_name       VARCHAR2(20),
    department_id   NUMBER(4)
);

INSERT INTO employees_copy
SELECT employee_id, first_name, last_name, department_id
FROM employees;
```



4. FOREIGN+KEY+Constraint+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
DROP TABLE managers;
CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id    NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_pk PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name    VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name     VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number  VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email         VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE(email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_emp_fk FOREIGN KEY (manager_id) REFERENCES employees_copy (employee_id)
);

DELETE FROM managers;
INSERT INTO managers values (103, 'John', 'King', 90, '123-456-789', 'jking');
INSERT INTO managers values (104, 'John2', 'King', 90, '123-456-780', 'jking2');
INSERT INTO managers values (105, 'John3', 'King', 90, '123-456-781', 'jking3');

SELECT * FROM employees_copy;
SELECT * FROM managers;

CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id    NUMBER,
    first_name    VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name     VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number  VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email         VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE(email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_emp_fk FOREIGN KEY (manager_id) REFERENCES employees_copy (employee_id) ON DELETE SET NULL
);

DELETE FROM employees_copy
WHERE employee_id = 103;

DELETE FROM employees_copy
WHERE employee_id = 150;
```



5. The+ON+DELETE+CASCADE++ON+DELETE+SET+NULL+Clause+(Code+Samples).sql

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```
CREATE TABLE managers2
(
    manager_id NUMBER,
    first_name VARCHAR2(50),
    salary      NUMBER,
    CONSTRAINT salary_check CHECK (salary > 100 AND salary < 50000)
);

INSERT INTO managers2 VALUES(1, 'Steven', 50);
INSERT INTO managers2 VALUES(1, 'Steven', 500);
UPDATE managers2
SET salary = 20
WHERE manager_id = 1;

DROP TABLE managers2;
CREATE TABLE managers2 (
    manager_id NUMBER,
    first_name VARCHAR2(50),
    salary NUMBER,
    email VARCHAR2(100),
    CONSTRAINT demo_check CHECK (salary > 100 AND salary < 50000 AND upper(email) LIKE '%.COM')
);

INSERT INTO managers2 VALUES (1, 'Steven', 500, 'thisisademoemail.xyz');
INSERT INTO managers2 VALUES (1, 'Steven', 500, 'thisisademoemail.com');
```



6. CHECK+Constraint+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
DROP TABLE managers;
DROP TABLE employees_copy;
CREATE TABLE employees_copy AS SELECT * FROM employees;

ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_email_uk UNIQUE (email);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_names_uk UNIQUE (first_name, last_name);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD UNIQUE (phone_number);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CHECK (salary > 10000);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CHECK (salary > 1000);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_emp_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (employee_id);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_dept_fk FOREIGN KEY (department_id) REFERENCES departments(department_id);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy MODIFY salary CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_salary_nn NOT NULL;
ALTER TABLE employees_copy MODIFY last_name NOT NULL;
ALTER TABLE employees_copy MODIFY first_name NOT NULL;
```



7. Adding+Constraints+via+ALTER+TABLE+Statements+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
SELECT * FROM employees_copy;
CREATE TABLE managers
(
    manager_id    NUMBER CONSTRAINT mgr_mid_pk PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name    VARCHAR2(50),
    last_name     VARCHAR2(50),
    department_id NUMBER NOT NULL,
    phone_number  VARCHAR2(11) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
    email         VARCHAR2(100),
    UNIQUE(email),
    CONSTRAINT mgr_emp_fk FOREIGN KEY (manager_id) REFERENCES employees_copy (employee_id)
);
DROP TABLE managers;

ALTER TABLE employees_copy DROP CONSTRAINT emp_cpy_emp_id_pk
```



8. Dropping+(Removing)+Constraints+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
DROP TABLE employees_copy;
DROP TABLE departments_copy;
CREATE TABLE employees_copy AS SELECT * FROM employees;
CREATE TABLE departments_copy AS SELECT * FROM departments;

ALTER TABLE departments_copy ADD CONSTRAINT dept_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (department_id);
ALTER TABLE departments_copy ADD CONSTRAINT dept_cpy_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (department_id);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy
ADD CONSTRAINT emp_dept_cpy_fk FOREIGN KEY (department_id) REFERENCES departments_copy (department_id);

ALTER TABLE departments_copy DROP COLUMN department_id;
ALTER TABLE departments_copy DROP COLUMN department_id CASCADE CONSTRAINTS;
ALTER TABLE employees_copy ADD UNIQUE (first_name, last_name);
ALTER TABLE employees_copy DROP COLUMN last_name;
ALTER TABLE employees_copy DROP COLUMN last_name CASCADE CONSTRAINTS;
```



9. Cascading+Constraints+in+Oracle+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
CREATE TABLE employees_copy AS SELECT * FROM employees;
```

```
ALTER TABLE employees_copy RENAME CONSTRAINT SYS_C008743 TO email_nn;
```



10. Renaming+Constraints+(Code+Samples).sql

Oracle DB Constraint

```
DROP TABLE employees_copy;
DROP TABLE departments_copy;
CREATE TABLE departments_copy AS SELECT * FROM departments;
CREATE TABLE employees_copy AS SELECT * FROM employees;

ALTER TABLE departments_copy
ADD CONSTRAINT dept_cpy_id_pk PRIMARY KEY(department_id);

ALTER TABLE employees_copy
ADD CONSTRAINT emp_dept_copy_fk FOREIGN KEY(department_id) REFERENCES departments_copy (department_id);

UPDATE departments_copy
SET department_name = null
WHERE department_id = 10;

ALTER TABLE departments_copy
DISABLE CONSTRAINT SYS_C008762;

UPDATE departments_copy
SET department_id = 5
WHERE department_id = 80;

ALTER TABLE departments_copy
DISABLE CONSTRAINT dept_cpy_id_pk;

ALTER TABLE departments_copy
ADD CONSTRAINT dept_cpy_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (department_id) DISABLE;
```



11.Disabling+Constraints+(Code+Samples).sql



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```
INSERT INTO departments_copy VALUES (10, 'TempDept', 100, 1700);  
  
ALTER TABLE departments_copy ENABLE CONSTRAINT dept_cpy_id_pk;  
  
SELECT * FROM departments_copy ORDER BY department_id;  
  
DELETE FROM departments_copy WHERE department_name = 'TempDept';
```

