## **Oracle String data types**

It is used to store character data within the predefined length. It can be stored up to CHAR(size)

2000 bytes.

It is used to store national character data within the predefined length. It can be NCHAR(size)

stored up to 2000 bytes.

**VARCHAR2(size** It is used to store variable string data within the predefined length. It can be stored

up to 4000 byte.

**VARCHAR(SIZE** It is the same as VARCHAR2(size). You can also use VARCHAR(size), but it is )

suggested to use VARCHAR2(size)

**NVARCHAR2(si** ze)

It is used to store Unicode string data within the predefined length. We have to must specify the size of NVARCHAR2 data type. It can be stored up to 4000 bytes.

## **Oracle Numeric Data Types**

It contains precision p and scale s. The precision p can range from 1 to 38, and the NUMBER(p, s)

scale s can range from -84 to 127.

It is a subtype of the NUMBER data type. The precision p can range from 1 to 126. FLOAT(p)

BINARY\_FLOA

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It is used for binary precision (32-bit). It requires 5 bytes, including length byte.

**BINARY\_DOUB** It is used for double binary precision (64-bit). It requires 9 bytes, including length

LE bvte.

**Oracle Date and Time Data Types** 

It is used to store a valid date-time format with a fixed length. Its range varies from **DATE** 

January 1, 4712 BC to December 31, 9999 AD.

**TIMESTAMP** It is used to store the valid date in YYYY-MM-DD with time hh:mm:ss format.

Oracle Large Object Data Types (LOB Types)

It is used to specify unstructured binary data. Its range goes up to  $2^{32}$ -1 bytes or 4 GB. **BLOB** 

It is used to store binary data in an external file. Its range goes up to  $2^{32}$ -1 bytes or 4 GB. **BFILE** 

It is used for single-byte character data. Its range goes up to  $2^{32}$ -1 bytes or 4 GB. **CLOB** 

It is used to specify single byte or fixed length multibyte national character set (NCHAR) **NCLOB** 

data. Its range is up to  $2^{32}$ -1 bytes or 4 GB.

It is used to specify variable length raw binary data. Its range is up to 2000 bytes per row. RAW(size)

Its maximum size must be specified.

It is used to specify variable length raw binary data. Its range up to  $2^{31}$ -1 bytes or 2 GB. LONG

RAW per row.