# PLSQL Anonymous block

## **Explicit Cursors**

CURSOR cursor\_name IS select\_statement;

# Syntax for Exception Handling

```
DECLARE

<declarations section>

BEGIN

<executable command(s)>

EXCEPTION

<exception handling goes here >

WHEN exception1 THEN

exception1-handling-statements

WHEN exception2 THEN

exception2-handling-statements

......

WHEN others THEN

exception3-handling-statements

END;
```

### Defining a Record

```
TYPE

type_name IS RECORD

( field_name1 datatype1 [NOT NULL] [:= DEFAULT EXPRESSION],
   field_name2 datatype2 [NOT NULL] [:= DEFAULT EXPRESSION],
   ...
   field_nameN datatypeN [NOT NULL] [:= DEFAULT EXPRESSION);

record-name type_name;
```

# Creating a Procedure

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] PROCEDURE procedure_name
[(parameter_name [IN | OUT | IN OUT] type [, ...])]
{IS | AS}
BEGIN
    < procedure_body >
END procedure_name;
```

#### Creating a Function

#### **User-Defined Package Creation**

### Package Specification:

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE package_name IS

procedure_specification

function_specification

variable_declaration

cursor_declaration etc.

END package_name;
```

## Package Body:

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY package_name IS

private_variable

procedure_definition

function_definition etc.

private function or procedure definition

[ BEGIN executable statements ]

[ EXCEPTION exception handlers ]

END package_name;
```

#### **Collection**

### PLSQL Table

```
TYPE type_name IS TABLE OF element_type [NOT NULL] INDEX BY subscript_type;
```

#### **Nested Tables**

```
TYPE type_name IS TABLE OF element_type [NOT NULL];
```

#### **VARRAY**

```
TYPE type_name IS VARRAY(max_size) OF element data_type;
```