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## **Definition of a Relational Database**

A relational database is a collection of relations or two-dimensional tables.

## **Terminologies Used in a Relational Database**

1. A single **ROW** or table representing all data required for a particular employee. Each row should be identified by a primary key which allows no duplicate rows.
2. A **COLUMN** or attribute containing the employee number which identifies a unique employee. Here Employee number is designated as a primary key ,must contain a value and must be unique.
3. A column may contain foreign key. Here Dept\_ID is a foreign key in employee table and it is a primary key in Department table.
4. A Field can be found at the intersection of a row and column. There can be only one value in it. Also it may have no value. This is called a null value.

EMP ID	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	EMAIL
100	King	Steven	Sking
101	John	Smith	Jsmith
102	Neena	Bai	Neenba
103	Eex	De Haan	Ldehaan

## **Relational Database Properties**

### **A relational database :**

- Can be accessed and modified by executing structured query language (SQL) statements. • Contains a collection of tables with no physical pointers.
- Uses a set of operators

## **Relational Database Management Systems**

RDBMS refers to a relational database plus supporting software for managing users and processing SQL queries, performing backups/restores and associated tasks.

(Relational Database Management System) Software for storing data using SQL (structured query language). A relational database uses SQL to store data in a series of tables that not only record existing relationships between data items, but which also permit the data to be joined in new relationships. SQL (pronounced 'sequel') is based on a system of algebra developed by E F Codd, an IBM scientist who first defined the relational model in 1970. Relational databases are optimized for storing transactional data, and the majority of modern business software applications therefore use an RDBMS as their data store. The leading RDBMS vendors are Oracle, IBM and Microsoft.

The first commercial RDBMS was the Multics Relational Data Store, first sold in 1978.

INGRES, Oracle, Sybase, Inc., Microsoft Access, and Microsoft SQL Server are wellknown database products and companies.Others include PostgreSQL, SQL/DS, and RDB. A relational database management system (RDBMS) is a program that lets you create, update, and administer a relational database. Most commercial RDBMS's use the Structured Query Language (SQL) to access the database, although SQL was invented after the development of the relational model and is not necessary for its use.

The leading RDBMS products are Oracle, IBM's DB2 and Microsoft's SQL Server. Despite repeated challenges by competing technologies, as well as the claim by some experts that no current RDBMS has fully implemented relational principles, the majority of new corporate databases are still being created and managed with an RDBMS.

## **SQL Statements**

1. Data Retrieval(DR)
2. Data Manipulation Language(DML)
3. Data Definition Language(DDL)
4. Data Control Language(DCL)
5. Transaction Control Language(TCL)

## **DATA TYPES**

### **1. Character Data types:**

- Char – fixed length character string that can varies between 1-2000 bytes
- Varchar / Varchar2 – variable length character string, size ranges from 1-4000 bytes.it saves the disk space(only length of the entered value will be assigned as the size of column)
- Long - variable length character string, maximum size is 2 GB

### **2. Number Data types :** Can store +ve,-ve,zero,fixed point, floating point with 38 precision.

- Number – {p=38,s=0}
- Number(p) - fixed point
- Number(p,s) –floating point (p=1 to 38,s= -84 to 127)

### **3. Date Time Data type:** used to store date and time in the table.

- DB uses its own format of storing in fixed length of 7 bytes for century, date, month, year, hour, minutes, and seconds.
- Default data type is “dd-mon-yy”
- New Date time data types have been introduced. They are  
TIMESTAMP-Date with fractional seconds  
INTERVAL YEAR TO MONTH-stored as an interval of years and months

INTERVAL DAY TO SECOND-stored as o interval of days to hour's minutes and seconds

**4. Raw Data type:** used to store byte oriented data like binary data and byte string.

**5. Other :**

- CLOB – stores character object with single byte character.
- BLOB – stores large binary objects such as graphics, video, sounds.
- BFILE – stores file pointers to the LOB's.

## EXERCISE-1 Creating and Managing Tables

### OBJECTIVE

After the completion of this exercise, students should be able to do the following:

- Create tables
- Describing the data types that can be used when specifying column definition
- Alter table definitions
- Drop, rename, and truncate tables

### NAMING RULES

Table names and column names:

- Must begin with a letter
- Must be 1-30 characters long
- Must contain only A-Z, a-z, 0-9, \_, \$, and #
- Must not duplicate the name of another object owned by the same user
- Must not be an oracle server reserve words
- 2 different tables should not have same name.
- Should specify a unique column name.
- Should specify proper data type along with width
- Can include “not null” condition when needed. By default it is ‘null’.

### **The CREATE TABLE Statement**

**Table:** Basic unit of storage; composed of rows and columns

**Syntax: 1** Create table table\_name (column\_name1 data\_type (size)  
column\_name2 data\_type (size)....);

**Syntax: 2** Create table table\_name (column\_name1 data\_type (size) constraints,  
column\_name2 data\_type constraints ...); **Example:**

```
Create table employees ( employee_id number(6), first_name varchar2(20), ..job_id varchar2(10),  
CONSTRAINT emp_emp_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (employee_id));
```

### **Tables Used in this course**

#### **Creating a table by using a Sub query**

##### **SYNTAX**

```
// CREATE TABLE table_name(column_name type(size)...);
```

```
Create table table_name as select column_name1,column_name2,.....column_namen from  
table_name where predicate;
```

##### **AS Subquery**

Subquery is the select statement that defines the set of rows to be inserted into the new table.

##### **Example**

```
Create table dept80 as select employee_id, last_name, salary*12 Annsal, hire_date  
from employees where dept_id=80;
```

## The ALTER TABLE Statement

The ALTER statement is used to

- Add a new column
- Modify an existing column
- Define a default value to the new column
- Drop a column
- To include or drop integrity constraint.

### SYNTAX

`ALTER TABLE table_name ADD /MODIFY(Column_name type(size));`

`ALTER TABLE table_name DROP COLUMN (Column_nname);`

*ALTER TABLE ADD CONSTRAINT Constraint\_name PRIMARY KEY (Colum\_Name); Example:*

```
Alter table dept80 add (jod_id varchar2(9));
Alter table dept80 modify (last_name varchar2(30));
Alter table dept80 drop column job_id;
```

**NOTE:** Once the column is dropped it cannot be recovered.

### DROPPING A TABLE

- All data and structure in the table is deleted.
- Any pending transactions are committed.
- All indexes are dropped.
- Cannot roll back the drop table statement.

#### Syntax:

**Drop table tablename;**

#### Example:

```
Drop table dept80;
```

### RENAMING A TABLE

To rename a table or view.

#### Syntax

`RENAME old_name to new_name`

**Example:**

Rename dept to detail\_dept;

**TRUNCATING A TABLE**

Removes all rows from the table.

Releases the storage space used by that table.

**Syntax**

TRUNCATE TABLE *table\_name*; **Example:**

TRUNCATE TABLE copy\_emp;

**Find the Solution for the following:**

Create the following tables with the given structure.

**EMPLOYEES TABLE**

NAME	NULL?	TYPE
Employee_id	Not null	Number(6)
First_Name		Varchar(20)
Last_Name	Not null	Varchar(25)
Email	Not null	Varchar(25)
Phone_Number		Varchar(20)
Hire_date	Not null	Date
Job_id	Not null	Varchar(10)
Salary		Number(8,2)
Commission_pct		Number(2,2)
Manager_id		Number(6)
Department_id		Number(4)

**DEPARTMENT TABLE**

NAME	NULL?	TYPE
Dept_id	Not null	Number(6)
Dept_name	Not null	Varchar(20)

Manager_id		Number(6)
Location_id		Number(4)

#### **JOB\_GRADE TABLE**

NAME	NULL?	TYPE
Grade_level		Varchar(2)
Lowest_sal		Number
Highest_sal		Number

#### **LOCATION TABLE**

NAME	NULL?	TYPE
Location_id	Not null	Number(4)
St_addr		Varchar(40)
Postal_code		Varchar(12)
City	Not null	Varchar(30)
State_province		Varchar(25)
Country_id		Char(2)

1. Create the DEPT table based on the DEPARTMENT following the table instance chart below. Confirm that the table is created.

Column name	ID	NAME
Key Type		
Nulls/Unique		
FK table		
FK column		
Data Type	Number	Varchar2
Length	7	25

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```
CREATE TABLE DEPT1(ID NUMBER(7),NAME VARCHAR(25));
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table created.

0.02 seconds

2. Create the EMP table based on the following instance chart. Confirm that the table is created.

Column name	ID	LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	DEPT_ID
<b>Key Type</b>				
<b>Nulls/Unique</b>				
<b>FK table</b>				
<b>FK column</b>				
<b>Data Type</b>	Number	Varchar2	Varchar2	Number
<b>Length</b>	7	25	25	7

```
CREATE TABLE EMP1(ID NUMBER(7),LAST_NAME VARCHAR2(25),FIRST_NAME VARCHAR2(25),DEPT_ID NUMBER(7));
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table created.

0.01 seconds

3. Modify the EMP table to allow for longer employee last names. Confirm the modification.(Hint: Increase the size to 50)

```
ALTER TABLE EMP1 MODIFY LAST_NAME VARCHAR2(50);
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

Table altered.

0.03 seconds

4. Create the EMPLOYEES2 table based on the structure of EMPLOYEES table. Include Only the Employee\_id, First\_name, Last\_name, Salary and Dept\_id coloumns. Name the columns Id, First\_name, Last\_name, salary and Dept\_id respectively.

```
CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEES2(ID NUMBER(6),First_name VARCHAR2(20),Last_name VARCHAR2(25),Salary NUMBER(8,2),Dept_id NUMBER(4));
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

Table created.

0.00 seconds

5. Drop the EMP table.

```
DROP TABLE EMP1;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table dropped.

0.03 seconds

6. Rename the EMPLOYEES2 table as EMP.

```
RENAME EMPLOYEES2 TO EMP1;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Statement processed.

0.01 seconds

7. Add a comment on DEPT and EMP tables. Confirm the modification by describing the table.

```
COMMENT ON TABLE EMP1 IS 'Employees informations| are stored';
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Statement processed.

0.00 seconds

8. Drop the First\_name column from the EMP table and confirm it.

```
ALTER TABLE EMP1 DROP COLUMN |First_name;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table altered.

0.10 seconds

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	

Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
Faculty Signature	

## EXERCISE-2 MANIPULATING DATA

### OBJECTIVE

After, the completion of this exercise the students will be able to do the following

- Describe each DML statement
- Insert rows into tables
- Update rows into table
- Delete rows from table
- Control Transactions

A DML statement is executed when you:

- Add new rows to a table
- Modify existing rows
- Removing existing rows

A transaction consists of a collection of DML statements that form a logical unit of work.

### To Add a New Row

INSERT Statement

#### Syntax

INSERT INTO table\_name VALUES (column1 values, column2 values, ..., columnn values);

#### Example:

INSERT INTO department (70, 'Public relations', 100,1700);

#### Inserting rows with null values

Implicit Method: (Omit the column)

INSERT INTO department VALUES (30,'purchasing');

Explicit Method: (Specify NULL keyword)

INSERT INTO department VALUES (100,'finance', NULL, NULL);

## Inserting Special Values

### Example:

Using SYSDATE

```
INSERT INTO employees VALUES (113,'louis', 'popp', 'lpopp','5151244567',SYSDATE,  
'ac_account', 6900, NULL, 205, 100);
```

## Inserting Specific Date Values Example:

```
INSERT INTO employees VALUES ( 114,'den', 'raphealy', 'drapheal', '5151274561',  
TO_DATE('feb 3,1999','mon, dd ,yyyy'), 'ac_account', 11000,100,30);
```

## To Insert Multiple Rows

& is the placeholder for the variable value Example:

```
INSERT INTO department VALUES (&dept_id, &dept_name, &location);
```

## Copying Rows from another table

➤ Using Subquery

### Example:

```
INSEr INTO sales_reps(id, name, salary, commission_pct)  
      SELECt employee_id, Last_name, salary, commission_pct  
FROM employees  
WHERE jod_id LIKE '%REP');
```

## CHANGING DATA IN A TABLE

UPDATE Statement

Syntax1: ( to update specific rows)

```
UPDATE table_name SET column=value WHERE condition;
```

Syntax 2: (To updae all rows)

```
UPDATE table_name SET column=value;
```

## Updating columns with a subquery

```
UPDATE employees  
SET job_id= (SELECT job_id
```

```
FROM employees  
WHERE employee_id=205  
WHERE employee_id=114;
```

## **REMOVING A ROW FROM A TABLE**

### **DELETE STATEMENT**

#### **Syntax**

```
DELETE FROM table_name WHERE conditions;
```

#### **Example:**

```
DELETE FROM department WHERE dept_name='finance';
```

#### **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Create MY\_EMPLOYEE table with the following structure

NAME	NULL?	TYPE
ID	Not null	Number(4)
Last_name		Varchar(25)
First_name		Varchar(25)
Userid		Varchar(25)
Salary		Number(9,2)

```
CREATE TABLE MY_EMPLOYEE(ID NUMBER(4),Last_name VARCHAR2(25),First_name VARCHAR2(25),Userid VARCHAR2(25),Salary NUMBER(9,2));
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table created.

0.06 seconds

2. Add the first and second rows data to MY\_EMPLOYEE table from the following sample data.

ID	Last_name	First_name	Userid	salary
1	Patel	Ralph	rpatel	895
2	Dancs	Betty	bdancs	860
3	Biri	Ben	bbiri	1100
4	Newman	Chad	Cnewman	750
5	Ropebur	Audrey	arophebur	1550

```
INSERT INTO MY_EMPLOYEE VALUES(1,'Patel','Ralph','rpatel',895);
```

```
INSERT INTO MY_EMPLOYEE VALUES(2,'Dancs','Betty','bdancs',860);
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) inserted.

0.00 seconds

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) inserted.

0.00 seconds

3. Display the table with values.

```
SELECT * FROM MY_EMPLOYEE;
```

[Results](#) [Explain](#) [Describe](#) [Saved SQL](#) [History](#)

ID	LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	USERID	SALARY
1	Patel	Ralph	rpatel	895
2	Dancs	Betty	bdancs	860

2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds

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4. Populate the next two rows of data from the sample data. Concatenate the first letter of the `first_name` with the first seven characters of the `last_name` to produce `Userid`.

```
SELECT * FROM MY_EMPLOYEE WHERE ID=3 OR ID=4;
```

```
SELECT CONCAT(SUBSTR(first_name,1,1),SUBSTR(last_name,1,7)) AS Userid FROM MY_EMPLOYEE;
```

[Results](#) [Explain](#) [Describe](#) [Saved SQL](#) [History](#)

ID	LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	USERID	SALARY
3	Biri	Ben	bbiri	1100
4	Newman	Chad	Cnewman	750

2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds

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USERID
RPatel
BDancs
BBiri
CNewman
ARopebur

5 rows returned in 0.00 seconds

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5. Make the data additions permanent.

```
COMMIT;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Statement processed.

0.01 seconds

6. Change the last name of employee 3 to Drexler.

```
UPDATE MY_EMPLOYEE SET Last_name = 'Drexler' WHERE ID=3;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) updated.

0.00 seconds

7. Change the salary to 1000 for all the employees with a salary less than 900.

```
UPDATE MY_EMPLOYEE SET Salary = 1000 WHERE Salary < 900;
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

3 row(s) updated.

0.00 seconds

8. Delete Betty dancs from MY\_EMPLOYEE table.

```
DELETE FROM MY_EMPLOYEE WHERE First_name='Betty';
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) deleted.

0.00 seconds

9. Empty the fourth row of the emp table.

```
DELETE FROM MY_EMPLOYEE WHERE ID=4;
```

**Results   Explain   Describe   Saved SQL   History**

1 row(s) deleted.

0.00 seconds

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
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### EXERCISE-3

#### INCLUDING CONSTRAINTS

#### OBJECTIVE

After the completion of this exercise the students should be able to do the following

- Describe the constraints
- Create and maintain the constraints

**What are Integrity constraints?**

- Constraints enforce rules at the table level.
- Constraints prevent the deletion of a table if there are dependencies

**The following types of integrity constraints are valid**

a) **Domain Integrity**

- ✓ NOT NULL
- ✓ CHECK

b) **Entity Integrity**

- ✓ UNIQUE
- ✓ PRIMARY KEY

c) **Referential Integrity**

- ✓ FOREIGN KEY

**Constraints can be created in either of two ways**

1. At the same time as the table is created
2. After the table has been created.

**Defining Constraints**

Create table tablename (column\_name1 data\_type constraints, column\_name2 data\_type constraints ...); **Example:**

Create table employees ( employee\_id number(6), first\_name varchar2(20), ..job\_id varchar2 (10), CONSTRAINT emp\_emp\_id\_pk PRIMARY KEY (employee\_id));

**Domain Integrity**

This constraint sets a range and any violations that takes place will prevent the user from performing the manipulation that caused the breach. It includes:

**NOT NULL Constraint**

While creating tables, by default the rows can have null value. the enforcement of not null constraint in a table ensure that the table contains values.

**Principle of null values:**

- Setting null value is appropriate when the actual value is unknown, or when a value would not be meaningful.
- A null value is not equivalent to a value of zero.
- A null value will always evaluate to null in any expression.
- When a column name is defined as not null, that column becomes a mandatory i.e., the user has to enter data into it.
- Not null Integrity constraint cannot be defined using the alter table command when the table contain rows.

### **Example**

```
CREATE TABLE employees (employee_id number (6), last_name varchar2(25) NOT NULL, salary number(8,2), commission_pct number(2,2), hire_date date constraint emp_hire_date_nn NOT NULL'....);
```

### **CHECK**

Check constraint can be defined to allow only a particular range of values.when the manipulation violates this constraint,the record will be rejected.Check condition cannot contain sub queries.

```
CREATE TABLE employees (employee_id number (6), last_name varchar2 (25) NOT NULL, salary number(8,2), commission_pct number(2,2), hire_date date constraint emp_hire_date_nn NOT NULL'...,CONSTRAINT emp_salary_mi CHECK(salary > 0));
```

### **Entity Integrity**

Maintains uniqueness in a record. An entity represents a table and each row of a table represents an instance of that entity. To identify each row in a table uniquely we need to use this constraint. There are 2 entity constraints:

#### **a) Unique key constraint**

It is used to ensure that information in the column for each record is unique, as with telephone or driver's license numbers. It prevents the duplication of value with rows of a specified column in a set of column. A column defined with the constraint can allow null value.

If unique key constraint is defined in more than one column i.e., combination of column cannot be specified. Maximum combination of columns that a composite unique key can contain is 16.

### **Example:**

```
CREATE TABLE employees (employee_id number(6), last_name varchar2(25) NOT NULL,email varchar2(25), salary number(8,2), commission_pct number(2,2), hire_date date constraint emp_hire_date_nn NOT NULL' COSTRAINT emp_email_uk UNIQUE(email));
```

### **PRIMARY KEY CONSTRAINT**

A primary key avoids duplication of rows and does not allow null values. Can be defined on one or more columns in a table and is used to uniquely identify each row in a table. These values should never be changed and should never be null.

A table should have only one primary key. If a primary key constraint is assigned to more than one column or combination of column is said to be composite primary key, which can contain 16 columns.

### **Example:**

```
CREATE TABLE employees (employee_id number(6) , last_name varchar2(25) NOT NULL,email varchar2(25), salary number(8,2), commission_pct number(2,2), hire_date date constraint emp_hire_date_nn NOT NULL, Constraint emp_id pk PRIMARY KEY (employee_id),CONSTRAINT emp_email_uk UNIQUE(email));
```

### **c) Referential Integrity**

It enforces relationship between tables. To establish parent-child relationship between 2 tables having a common column definition, we make use of this constraint. To implement this, we should define the column in the parent table as primary key and same column in the child table as foreign key referring to the corresponding parent entry.

#### **Foreign key**

A column or combination of column included in the definition of referential integrity, which would refer to a referenced key.

#### **Referenced key**

It is a unique or primary key upon which is defined on a column belonging to the parent table.  
Keywords:

**FOREIGN KEY:** Defines the column in the child table at the table level constraint.

**REFERENCES:** Identifies the table and column in the parent table.

**ON DELETE CASCADE:** Deletes the dependent rows in the child table when a row in the parent table is deleted.

**ON DELETE SET NULL:** converts dependent foreign key values to null when the parent value is removed.

```
CREATE TABLE employees (employee_id number(6) , last_name varchar2(25) NOT NULL,email varchar2(25), salary number(8,2), commission_pct number(2,2), hire_date date constraint emp_hire_date_nn NOT NULL, Constraint emp_id pk PRIMARY KEY (employee_id),CONSTRAINT emp_email_uk UNIQUE(email),CONSTRAINT emp_dept_fk FOREIGN KEY (department_id) references deparments(dept_id));
```

## **ADDING A CONSTRAINT**

Use the ALTER to

- Add or Drop a constraint, but not modify the structure
- Enable or Disable the constraints
- Add a not null constraint by using the Modify clause

### **Syntax**

```
ALTER TABLE table name ADD CONSTRAINT Cons_name type(column name);
```

#### **Example:**

```
ALTER TABLE employees ADD CONSTRAINT emp_manager_fk FOREIGN KEY  
(manager_id) REFERENCES employees (employee_id);
```

## **DROPPING A CONSTRAINT**

#### **Example:**

```
ALTER TABLE employees DROP CONSTRAINT emp_manager_fk;
```

## **CASCADE IN DROP**

- The CASCADE option of the DROP clause causes any dependent constraints also to be dropped.

### **Syntax**

```
ALTER TABLE departments DROP PRIMARY KEY|UNIQUE (column)| CONSTRAINT  
constraint_name CASCADE;
```

## **DISABLING CONSTRAINTS**

- Execute the DISABLE clause of the ALTER TABLE statement to deactivate an integrity constraint
- Apply the CASCADE option to disable dependent integrity constraints.

#### **Example**

```
ALTER TABLE employees DISABLE CONSTRAINT emp_emp_id_pk CASCADE;
```

## **ENABLING CONSTRAINTS**

- Activate an integrity constraint currently disabled in the table definition by using the ENABLE clause.

### **Example**

```
ALTER TABLE employees ENABLE CONSTRAINT emp_emp_id_pk CASCADE;
```

### **CASCADING CONSTRAINTS**

The CASCADE CONSTRAINTS clause is used along with the DROP column clause. It drops all referential integrity constraints that refer to the primary and unique keys defined on the dropped Columns.

This clause also drops all multicolumn constraints defined on the dropped column.

### **Example:**

#### **Assume table TEST1 with the following structure**

```
CREATE TABLE test1 ( pk number PRIMARY KEY, fk number, col1 number,col2 number,
CONSTRAINT fk_constraint FOREIGN KEY(fk) references test1, CONSTRAINT ck1 CHECK
(pk>0 and col1>0), CONSTRAINT ck2 CHECK (col2>0));
```

#### **An error is returned for the following statements**

```
ALTER TABLE test1 DROP (pk);
```

```
ALTER TABLE test1 DROP (col1);
```

#### **The above statement can be written with CASCADE CONSTRAINT**

```
ALTER TABLE test1 DROP(pk) CASCADE CONSTRAINTS;
```

**(OR)**

```
ALTER TABLE test1 DROP(pk, fk, col1) CASCADE CONSTRAINTS;
```

### **VIEWING CONSTRAINTS**

Query the USER\_CONSTRAINTS table to view all the constraints definition and names.

### **Example:**

```
SELECT constraint_name, constraint_type, search_condition FROM user_constraints
WHERE table_name='employees';
```

## **Viewing the columns associated with constraints**

```
SELECT constraint_name, constraint_type, FROM user_cons_columns  
WHERE table_name='employees';
```

## **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Add a table-level PRIMARY KEY constraint to the EMP table on the ID column. The constraint should be named at creation. Name the constraint my\_emp\_id\_pk.

```
ALTER TABLE EMP1 ADD CONSTRAINT my_emp_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (ID);
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

Table altered.

0.17 seconds

2. Create a PRIMAY KEY constraint to the DEPT table using the ID colum. The constraint should be named at creation. Name the constraint my\_dept\_id\_pk.

```
ALTER TABLE DEPT1 ADD CONSTRAINT my_dept_id_pk PRIMARY KEY (ID);
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table altered.

0.03 seconds

3. Add a column DEPT\_ID to the EMP table. Add a foreign key reference on the EMP table that ensures that the employee is not assigned to nonexistent department. Name the constraint my\_emp\_dept\_id\_fk.

```
ALTER TABLE EMP1 ADD CONSTRAINT my_emp_dept_id_fk FOREIGN KEY (DEPT_ID) REFERENCES DEPT1(ID);
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table altered.

0.03 seconds

4. Modify the EMP table. Add a COMMISSION column of NUMBER data type, precision 2, scale 2. Add a constraint to the commission column that ensures that a commission value is greater than zero.

```
ALTER TABLE EMP1 ADD (COMMISSION NUMBER (2,2));
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table altered.

0.04 seconds

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
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## **EXERCISE-4**

### **Writing Basic SQL SELECT Statements**

#### **OBJECTIVES**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- List the capabilities of SQL SELECT Statement
- Execute a basic SELECT statement

#### **Capabilities of SQL SELECT statement**

A SELECT statement retrieves information from the database. Using a select statement, we can perform

- ✓ Projection: To choose the columns in a table
- ✓ Selection: To choose the rows in a table
- ✓ Joining: To bring together the data that is stored in different tables

#### **Basic SELECT Statement**

##### **Syntax**

```
SELECT *|DISTINCT Column_name| alias  
      FROM table_name;
```

##### **NOTE:**

DISTINCT—Supress

the duplicates.

Alias—gives selected columns different headings.

##### **Example: 1**

```
SELECT * FROM departments;
```

##### **Example: 2**

```
SELECT location_id, department_id FROM departments;
```

#### **Writing SQL Statements**

- SQL statements are not case sensitive • SQL statements can be on one or more lines.
- Keywords cannot be abbreviated or split across lines
- Clauses are usually placed on separate lines
- Indents are used to enhance readability

#### **Using Arithmetic Expressions**

Basic Arithmetic operators like \*, /, +, -can be used

##### **Example:1**

```
SELECT last_name, salary, salary+300 FROM employees;
```

**Example:2**

```
SELECT last_name, salary, 12*salary+100 FROM employees;
```

The statement is not same as

```
SELECT last_name, salary, 12*(salary+100) FROM employees;
```

**Example:3**

```
SELECT last_name, job_id, salary, commission_pct FROM employees;
```

**Example:4**

```
SELECT last_name, job_id, salary, 12*salary*commission_pct FROM employees;
```

### **Using Column Alias**

- To rename a column heading with or without AS keyword.

**Example:1**

```
SELECT last_name AS Name  
FROM employees;
```

**Example: 2**

```
SELECT last_name "Name" salary*12 "Annual Salary"  
FROM employees;
```

### **Concatenation Operator**

- Concatenates columns or character strings to other columns
- Represented by two vertical bars (||)
- Creates a resultant column that is a character expression **Example:**

```
SELECT last_name||job_id AS "EMPLOYEES JOB" FROM employees;
```

### **Using Literal Character String**

- A literal is a character, a number, or a date included in the SELECT list.
- Date and character literal values must be enclosed within single quotation marks.

**Example:**

```
SELECT last_name||'is a'||job_id AS "EMPLOYEES JOB" FROM employees;
```

### **Eliminating Duplicate Rows**

- Using DISTINCT keyword.

**Example:**

```
SELECT DISTINCT department_id FROM employees;
```

## Displaying Table Structure

- Using DESC keyword.

Syntax DESC

table\_name;

Example:

DESC employees;

Find the Solution for the following:

True OR False

1. The following statement executes successfully.

## **Identify the Errors**

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name  sal*12  
ANNUAL SALARY  
FROM employees;
```

### **Queries**

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop, Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation bar is a toolbar with options like Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 10), Save, and Run. The main area contains a SQL editor window with the following query:

```
SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID, LAST_NAME, SALARY*12 AS ANNUAL_SALARY FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Below the editor, the Results tab is selected, displaying the following table:

EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	ANNUAL_SALARY
106	Charles	84000
107	Lester	78000
108	Bruce	180000
109	Lin	26400
110	Paul	40800
101	Rollins	24000
102	Flower	30000
103	Dawson	156000
104	Le	24000
105	Bruce	144000

At the bottom of the results pane, it says "10 rows returned in 0.01 seconds" and has a "Download" link.

2. Show the structure of departments the table. Select all the data from it.

The screenshot shows two panels of the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The top panel displays the SQL command `DESCRIBE DEPT;` and its results, which is a table describing the columns of the `DEPT` table. The bottom panel shows the SQL command `SELECT * FROM DEPT;` and its results, which is a table containing four rows of department data.

**Object Type TABLE Object DEPT**

Table	Column	Data Type	Length	Precision	Scale	Primary Key	Nullable	Default	Comment
DEPT	DEPTNO	NUMBER	-	2	0	1	-	-	-
	DNAME	VARCHAR2	14	-	-	-	✓	-	-
	LOC	VARCHAR2	13	-	-	-	✓	-	-

**Results**

DEPTNO	DNAME	LOC
10	ACCOUNTING	NEW YORK
20	RESEARCH	DALLAS
30	SALES	CHICAGO
40	OPERATIONS	BOSTON

4 rows returned in 0.01 seconds [Download](#)

3. Create a query to display the last name, job code, hire date, and employee number for each employee, with employee number appearing first.

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```
SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID AS EMPLOYEE_NUMBER, LAST_NAME, JOB_ID AS JOB_CODE, HIRE_DATE FROM EMPLOYEES ;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

EMPLOYEE_NUMBER	LAST_NAME	JOB_CODE	HIRE_DATE
106	Charles	J_01	08/07/1998
107	Lester	J_02	11/12/1994
108	Bruce	J_03	03/13/2005
109	Lin	J_01	12/26/1998
110	Paul	J_03	08/09/2015
101	Rollins	J_01	01/30/1998
102	Flower	J_02	10/18/1994
103	Dawson	J_04	03/29/2004
104	Le	J_03	10/23/2009
105	Bruce	J_02	08/12/2024

10 rows returned in 0.00 seconds [Download](#)

4. Provide an alias STARTDATE for the hire date.

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 10 Save Run

```
SELECT HIRE_DATE AS STARTDATE FROM EMPLOYEES ;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

STARTDATE
08/07/1998
11/12/1994
03/13/2005
12/26/1998
08/09/2015
01/30/1998
10/18/1994
03/29/2004
10/23/2009
08/12/2024

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5. Create a query to display unique job codes from the employee table.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop, Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation is a breadcrumb trail: Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands. The main area contains a SQL editor with the following code:

```
SELECT DISTINCT JOB_ID FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Below the editor are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 10), Save, and Run. The results section is titled "Results" and displays a table with one column, "JOB\_ID". The data in the table is:

JOB_ID
J_03
J_04
J_01
J_02

Below the table, it says "4 rows returned in 0.01 seconds" and has a "Download" link.

6. Display the last name concatenated with the job ID , separated by a comma and space, and name the column EMPLOYEE and TITLE.

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 10 Save Run

```
SELECT (LAST_NAME||', '|| JOB_ID) AS "EMPLOYEE and TITLE" FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

EMPLOYEE and TITLE
Charles, j_01
Lester, j_02
Bruce, j_03
Lin, j_01
Paul, j_03
Rollins, j_01
Flower, j_02
Dawson, j_04
Le, j_03
Bruce, j_02

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7. Create a query to display all the data from the employees table. Separate each column by a comma. Name the column THE\_OUTPUT.

Autocommit Rows 10 Save Run

```
SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID ||','|| FIRST_NAME ||','|| LAST_NAME ||','|| EMAIL ||','|| PHONE_NUMBER ||','|| HIRE_DATE ||','|| JOB_ID ||','|| SALARY ||','|| COMMISSION_PCT ||','|| MANAGER_ID ||','|| DEPARTMENT_ID AS THE_OUTPUT
FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

THE_OUTPUT
106, Lee, Charles, lc@gmail.com, 9140582600, 08/07/1998, j_01, 7000, .18, 2103, 10
107, Amy, Lester, al@gmail.com, 8300713283, 11/12/1994, j_02, 6500, 2, 2102, 20
108, April, Bruce, ab@gmail.com, 6382124090, 03/13/2005, j_03, 15000, .02, 2101, 30
109, Tony, Lin, tl@gmail.com, 7299547190, 12/26/1998, j_01, 2200, .5, .10
110, Kenna, Paul, kp@gmail.com, 6383724601, 08/09/2015, j_03, 3400, .13, 2102, 30
101, Della, Rollins, d@gmail.com, 9042003012, 01/30/1998, j_01, 2000, .05, 2101, 10
102, Wes, Flower, wf@gmail.com, 7395805400, 10/18/1994, j_02, 2500, .1, 2103, 20
103, Lennon, Dawson, ld@gmail.com, 9150722132, 03/29/2004, j_04, 13000, .15, 2102, 40
104, Zaylee, Le, zl@gmail.com, 7695840725, 10/23/2009, j_03, 2000, .12, 2104, 30
105, Davis, Bruce, db@gmail.com, 7401543522, 08/12/2024, j_02, 12000, .07, .20

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Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
Faculty Signature	

## **EXERCISE-5**

### **Restricting and Sorting data**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Limit the rows retrieved by the queries
- Sort the rows retrieved by the queries
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#### **Limiting the Rows selected**

- Using WHERE clause
- Alias cannot be used in WHERE clause

## Syntax

SELECT-----  
FROM----- WHERE  
condition; **Example:**

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id, department_id FROM employees WHERE
department_id=90;
```

## Character strings and Dates

Character strings and date values are enclosed in single quotation marks.

Character values are case sensitive and date values are format sensitive.

### **Example:**

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id, department_id FROM employees
WHERE last_name='WHALEN';
```

### **Comparison Conditions**

All relational operators can be used. (=, >, >=, <, <= ,<>,!=)

### **Example:**

```
SELECT last_name, salary
FROM employees
WHERE salary<=3000;
```

### **Other comparison conditions**

Operator	Meaning
BETWEEN ...AND...	Between two values
IN	Match any of a list of values
LIKE	Match a character pattern
IS NULL	Is a null values

### **Example:1**

```
SELECT last_name, salary
FROM employees
WHERE salary BETWEEN 2500 AND 3500;
```

### Example:2

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , manager_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE manager_id IN (101, 100,201);
```

### Example:3

- Use the LIKE condition to perform wildcard searches of valid string values.
- Two symbols can be used to construct the search string
  - % denotes zero or more characters
  - \_ denotes one character

```
SELECT first_name, salary  
FROM employees  
WHERE first_name LIKE '%s';
```

### Example:4

```
SELECT last_name, salary FROM  
employees  
WHERE last_name LIKE '_o%';
```

### Example:5

**ESCAPE option**-To have an exact match for the actual % and \_ characters  
To search for the string that contain 'SA\_'

```
SELECT employee_id, first_name, salary, job_id FROM  
employees  
WHERE job_id LIKE '%sa\_%'ESCAPE'\';
```

### Test for NULL

- Using IS NULL operator Example:

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , manager_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE manager_id IS NULL;
```

### Logical Conditions

All logical operators can be used.( AND,OR,NOT)

### Example:1

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , job_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE salary>=10000  
AND job_id LIKE '%MAN%';
```

### Example:2

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , job_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE salary>=10000  
OR job_id LIKE '%MAN%';
```

### Example:3

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , job_id FROM  
employees  
WHERE job_id NOT IN ('it_prog', st_clerk', sa_rep');
```

### Rules of Precedence

Order Evaluated	Operator
1	Arithmetic
2	Concatenation
3	Comparison
4	IS [NOT] NULL, LIKE, [NOT] IN
5	[NOT] BETWEEN
6	Logical NOT
7	Logical AND
8	Logical OR

### Example:1

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , job_id  
FROM employees WHERE  
job_id ='sa_rep'  
OR job_id='ad_pres'  
AND salary>15000;
```

### Example:2

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary , job_id
```

```
FROM employees WHERE  
(job_id='sa_rep'  
OR job_id='ad_pres')  
AND salary>15000;
```

### **Sorting the rows**

Using ORDER BY Clause

**ASC**-Ascending Order,Default

**DESC**-Descending order

#### **Example:1**

```
SELECT last_name, salary , job_id,department_id,hire_date  
FROM employees  
ORDER BY hire_date;
```

#### **Example:2**

```
SELECT last_name, salary , job_id,department_id,hire_date  
FROM employees  
ORDER BY hire_date DESC;
```

#### **Example:3 Sorting by column alias**

```
SELECT last_name, salary*12 annsal , job_id,department_id,hire_date  
FROM employees  
ORDER BY annsal;
```

#### **Example:4 Sorting by Multiple columns**

```
SELECT last_name, salary , job_id,department_id,hire_date  
FROM employees  
ORDER BY department_id, salary DESC;
```

### **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Create a query to display the last name and salary of employees earning more than 12000.

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, SALARY FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE SALARY > 12000;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	SALARY
Bruce	15000
Dawson	13000

2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds Download

2. Create a query to display the employee last name and department number for employee number 176.

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE EMPLOYEE_ID=176;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID
Pauline	30

1 rows returned in 0.00 seconds Download

The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface with a query executed in the SQL Workshop. The query selects the last name and department ID for employee 176 from the EMPLOYEES table. The result is displayed in a table with two columns: LAST\_NAME and DEPARTMENT\_ID. The single row returned is for employee Pauline, who is assigned to department 30.

3. Create a query to display the last name and salary of employees whose salary is not in the range of 5000 and 12000. (hints: not between )

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, SALARY FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE SALARY NOT BETWEEN 5000 AND 12000;
```

Below the editor, there are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 10), Save, and Run. The results section shows a table with two columns: LAST\_NAME and SALARY. The data is as follows:

LAST_NAME	SALARY
Bruce	15000
Lin	2200
Paul	3400
Rollins	2000
Flower	2500
Dawson	13000
Le	2000

7 rows returned in 0.01 seconds [Download](#)

Below the table, there are links for Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History.

4. Display the employee last name, job ID, and start date of employees hired between February 20,1998 and May 1,1998.order the query in ascending order by start date.(hints: between)

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, JOB_ID, HIRE_DATE FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE HIRE_DATE BETWEEN '02-20-1998' AND '05-01-1998' ORDER BY HIRE_DATE;
```

Below the editor, there are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 10), Save, and Run. The results section shows a table with three columns: LAST\_NAME, JOB\_ID, and HIRE\_DATE. The data is as follows:

LAST_NAME	JOB_ID	HIRE_DATE
Charles	j_01	03/17/1998
Lin	j_01	04/26/1998

2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds [Download](#)

Below the table, there are links for Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History.

5. Display the last name and department number of all employees in departments 20 and 50 in alphabetical order by name.(hints: in, orderby)

ORACLE Application Express

The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation is a breadcrumb trail: Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands. The main area contains a SQL editor with the following code:

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, DEPARTMENT_ID FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE DEPARTMENT_ID IN (20,50) ORDER BY LAST_NAME;
```

Below the editor are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 10), Save, and Run. The results section shows the following table:

LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID
Bruce	20
Flower	20
Lester	20
Paul	50

Text at the bottom indicates "4 rows returned in 0.01 seconds" and a "Download" link.

6. Display the last name and salary of all employees who earn between 5000 and 12000 and are in departments 20 and 50 in alphabetical order by name. Label the columns EMPLOYEE, MONTHLY SALARY respectively.(hints: between, in)

The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation is a breadcrumb trail: Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands. The main area contains a SQL editor with the following code:

```
SELECT LAST_NAME AS EMPLOYEE, SALARY AS "MONTHLY SALARY" FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE SALARY BETWEEN 5000 AND 12000 AND DEPARTMENT_ID IN (20,50) ORDER BY LAST_NAME;
```

Below the editor are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 20), Save, and Run. The results section shows the following table:

EMPLOYEE	MONTHLY SALARY
Bruce	12000
Lester	6500

Text at the bottom indicates "2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds" and a "Download" link.

7. Display the last name and hire date of every employee who was hired in 1994.(hints: like)

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, HIRE_DATE FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE HIRE_DATE LIKE '%1994%';
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST_NAME	HIRE_DATE
Lester	11/12/1994
Flower	10/18/1994

2 rows returned in 0.02 seconds [Download](#)

8. Display the last name and job title of all employees who do not have a manager.(hints: is null)

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, JOB_ID FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE MANAGER_ID IS NULL;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST_NAME	JOB_ID
Lin	J_01
Bruce	J_02

2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds [Download](#)

9. Display the last name, salary, and commission for all employees who earn commissions. Sort data in descending order of salary and commissions.(hints: is not null,orderby)

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The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface with the SQL Workshop selected. A query is run:

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, SALARY, COMMISSION_PCT FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE COMMISSION_PCT IS NOT NULL ORDER BY SALARY,COMMISSION_PCT DESC;
```

The results show the last names, salaries, and commission percentages for employees with non-null commission percentages, ordered by salary and commission percentage in descending order. The results are as follows:

LAST_NAME	SALARY	COMMISSION_PCT
Le	2000	.12
Rollins	2000	.05
Lin	2200	.5
Lester	6500	.2
Charles	7000	.18
Pauline	7800	.16
Bruce	12000	.07
Dawson	13000	.15
Bruce	15000	.02

9 rows returned in 0.00 seconds [Download](#)

10. Display the last name of all employees where the third letter of the name is *a*.(hints:like)

The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface with the SQL Workshop selected. A query is run:

```
SELECT LAST_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE LAST_NAME LIKE '__a%';
```

The results show the last name of the employee whose last name starts with two underscores followed by an 'a'. The result is:

LAST_NAME
Charles

1 rows returned in 0.01 seconds [Download](#)

11. Display the last name of all employees who have an *a* and an *e* in their last name.(hints: like)

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The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation is a breadcrumb trail: Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands. The main area contains a toolbar with Autocommit checked, Row count set to 20, and buttons for Save and Run. A SQL command is entered in the text area:

```
SELECT LAST_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE LAST_NAME LIKE '%a%e%';
```

Below the command is a results grid titled "LAST\_NAME" with two rows: Pauline and Charles. A note indicates 2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds, with a Download link.

12. Display the last name and job and salary for all employees whose job is sales representative or stock clerk and whose salary is not equal to 2500 ,3500 or 7000.(hints:in,not in)

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, JOB_ID, SALARY FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE JOB_ID IN ('J_01','J_03') AND SALARY NOT IN (2500,3500,7000);
```

Below the command is a results grid titled "LAST\_NAME, JOB\_ID, SALARY" with six rows: Pauline (J\_03, 7800), Bruce (J\_03, 15000), Lin (J\_01, 2200), Paul (J\_03, 3400), Rollins (J\_01, 2000), and Le (J\_03, 2000). A note indicates 6 rows returned in 0.00 seconds, with a Download link.

13. Display the last name, salary, and commission for all employees whose commission amount is 20%.(hints:use predicate logic)

**ORACLE® Application Express**

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20  Save  Run

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, SALARY, COMMISSION_PCT FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE COMMISSION_PCT = .20;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST_NAME	SALARY	COMMISSION_PCT
Lester	6500	.2

1 rows returned in 0.00 seconds [Download](#)

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
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## **EXERCISE-6**

### **Single Row Functions**

#### **Objective**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Describe various types of functions available in SQL.
- Use character, number and date functions in SELECT statement.
- Describe the use of conversion functions.

#### **Single row functions:**

Manipulate data items.

Accept arguments and return one value.

Act on each row returned.

Return one result per row.

May modify the data type.

Can be nested.

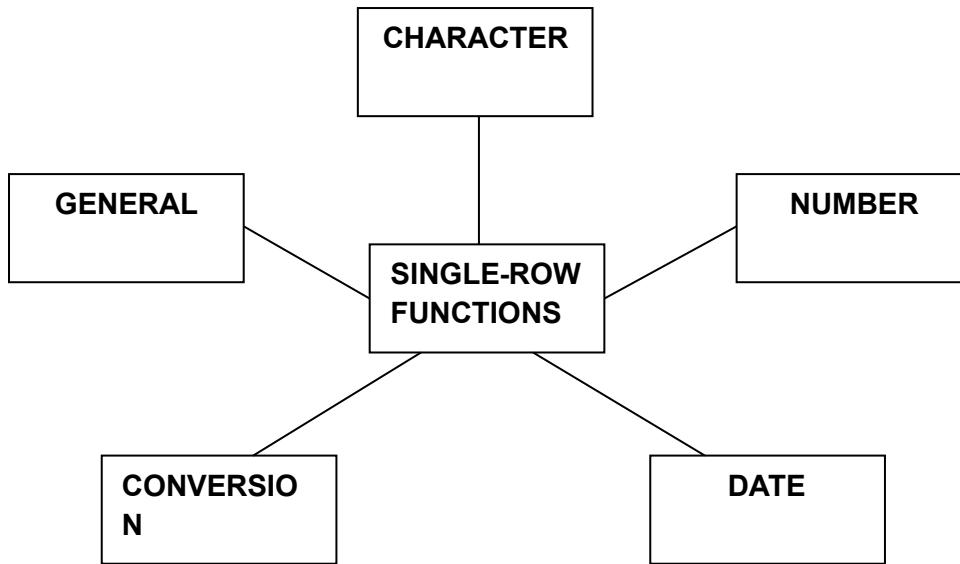
Accept arguments which can be a column or an expression

#### **Syntax**

Function\_name(arg1,...argn)

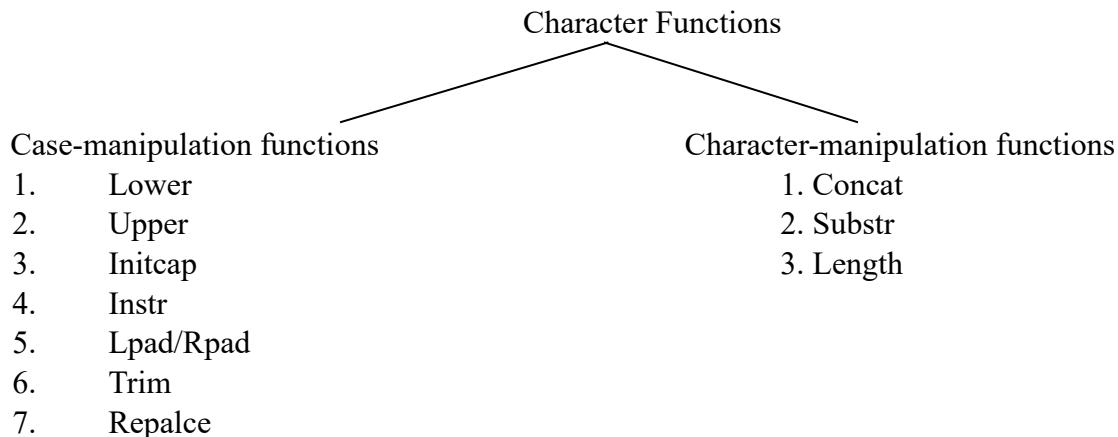
An argument can be one of the following

- ✓ User-supplied constant
- ✓ Variable value
- ✓ Column name
- ✓ Expression



- Character Functions: Accept character input and can return both character and number values.
- Number functions: Accept numeric input and return numeric values.
- Date Functions: Operate on values of the DATE data type.
- Conversion Functions: Convert a value from one type to another.

## Character Functions



Function	Purpose
lower(column/expr)	Converts alpha character values to lowercase
upper(column/expr)	Converts alpha character values to uppercase
initcap(column/expr)	Converts alpha character values the to uppercase for the first letter of each word, all other letters in lowercase
concat(column1/expr1, column2/expr2)	Concatenates the first character to the second character
substr(column/expr,m,n)	Returns specified characters from character value starting at character position m, n characters long

<code>length(column/expr)</code>	Returns the number of characters in the expression
<code>instr(column/expr,'string',m,n)</code>	Returns the numeric position of a named string
<code>lpad(column/expr, n,'string')</code>	Pads the character value right-justified to a total width of n character positions
<code>rpad(column/expr,'string',m,n)</code>	Pads the character value left-justified to a total width of n character positions
<code>trim(leading/trailing/both, trim_character FROM trim_source)</code>	Enables you to trim heading or string. trailing or both from a character
<code>replace(text, search_string, replacement_string)</code>	

**Example:**

`lower('SQL Course')`sql course

`upper('SQL Course')`SQL COURSE

`initcap('SQL Course')`Sql Course

`SELECT 'The job id for'|| upper(last_name)||'is'||lower(job_id) AS "EMPLOYEE DETAILS"`  
FROM employees;

`SELECT employee_id, last_name, department_id FROM employees  
WHERE LOWER(last_name)='higgins';`

Function	Result
<code>CONCAT('hello', 'world')</code>	helloworld
<code>Substr('helloworld',1,5)</code>	Hello
<code>Length('helloworld')</code>	10
<code>Instr('helloworld','w')</code>	6
<code>Lpad(salary,10,'*')</code>	*****24000
<code>Rpad(salary,10,'*')</code>	24000*****
<code>Trim('h' FROM 'helloworld')</code>	elloworld

Command	Query	Output
<code>initcap(char);</code>	<code>select initcap("hello") from dual;</code>	Hello
<code>lower (char); upper (char);</code>	<code>select lower ('HELLO') from dual; select upper ('hello') from dual;</code>	Hello HELLO
<code>ltrim (char,[set]);</code>	<code>select ltrim ('cseit', 'cse') from dual;</code>	IT
<code>rtrim (char,[set]);</code>	<code>select rtrim ('cseit', 'it') from dual;</code>	CSE

replace (char,search string, replace string);	<i>select replace ('jack and jue', 'j', 'bl') from dual;</i>	black and blue
substr (char,m,n);	<i>select substr ('information', 3, 4) from dual;</i>	form

### Example:

SELECT employee\_id, CONCAT(first\_name,last\_name) NAME , job\_id, LENGTH(last\_name),  
INSTR(last\_name,'a') "contains'a'?"

FROM employees WHERE SUBSTR(job\_id,4)=’ERP’;

### NUMBER FUNCTIONS

Function	Purpose
round(column/expr, n)	Rounds the value to specified decimal
trunc(column/expr,n)	Truncates value to specified decimal
mod(m,n)	Returns remainder of division

### Example

Function	Result
round(45.926,2)	45.93
trunc(45.926,2)	45.92
mod(1600,300)	100

SELECT ROUND(45.923,2), ROUND(45.923,0), ROUND(45.923,-1) FROM dual;

**NOTE:** Dual is a dummy table you can use to view results from functions and calculations.

SELECT TRUNC(45.923,2), TRUNC(45.923), TRUNC(45.923,-2) FROM dual;

SELECT last\_name,salary,MOD(salary,5000) FROM employees WHERE job\_id=’sa\_rep’;

### Working with Dates

The Oracle database stores dates in an internal numeric format: century, year, month, day, hours, minutes, and seconds.

- The default date display format is DD-MON-RR.
  - Enables you to store 21st-century dates in the 20th century by specifying only the last two digits of the year
  - Enables you to store 20th-century dates in the 21st century in the same way

### Example

SELECT last\_name, hire\_date FROM employees WHERE hire\_date < '01-FEB-88';

### Working with Dates

SYSDATE is a function that returns:

- Date

- Time

### Example

Display the current date using the DUAL table.

```
SELECT SYSDATE FROM DUAL;
```

### Arithmetic with Dates

- Add or subtract a number to or from a date for a resultant date value.
- Subtract two dates to find the number of days between those dates.
- Add hours to a date by dividing the number of hours by 24.

### Arithmetic with Dates

Because the database stores dates as numbers, you can perform calculations using arithmetic Operators such as addition and subtraction. You can add and subtract number constants as well as dates.

You can perform the following operations:

Operation	Result	Description
date + number	Date	Adds a number of days to a date
date - number	Date	Subtracts a number of days from a date
date - date	Number of days	Subtracts one date from another
date + number/24	Date	Adds a number of hours to a date

### Example

```
SELECT last_name, (SYSDATE-hire_date)/7 AS WEEKS
FROM employees
WHERE department_id = 90;
```

### Date Functions

Function	Result
MONTHS_BETWEEN	Number of months between two dates
ADD_MONTHS	Add calendar months to date
NEXT_DAY	Next day of the date specified
LAST_DAY	Last day of the month
ROUND	Round date
TRUNC	Truncate date

### Date Functions

Date functions operate on Oracle dates. All date functions return a value of DATE data type except MONTHS\_BETWEEN, which returns a numeric value.

- MONTHS\_BETWEEN(date1, date2)::: Finds the number of months between date1 and date2. The result can be positive or negative. If date1 is later than date2, the result is positive; if date1 is earlier than date2, the result is negative. The noninteger part of the result represents a portion of the month.
- ADD\_MONTHS(date, n)::: Adds n number of calendar months to date. The value of n must be an integer and can be negative.
- NEXT\_DAY(date, 'char')::: Finds the date of the next specified day of the week ('char') following date. The value of char may be a number representing a day or a character string.
- LAST\_DAY(date)::: Finds the date of the last day of the month that contains date
- ROUND(date[, 'fmt'])::: Returns date rounded to the unit that is specified by the format model fmt. If the format model fmt is omitted, date is rounded to the nearest day.
- TRUNC(date[, 'fmt'])::: Returns date with the time portion of the day truncated to the unit that is specified by the format model fmt. If the format model fmt is omitted, date is truncated to the nearest day.

### **Using Date Functions**

Function	Result
MONTHS_BETWEEN ('01-SEP-95', '11-JAN-94')	19.6774194
ADD_MONTHS ('11-JAN-94', 6)	'11-JUL-94'
NEXT_DAY ('01-SEP-95', 'FRIDAY')	'08-SEP-95'
LAST_DAY ('01-FEB-95')	'28-FEB-95'

### **Example**

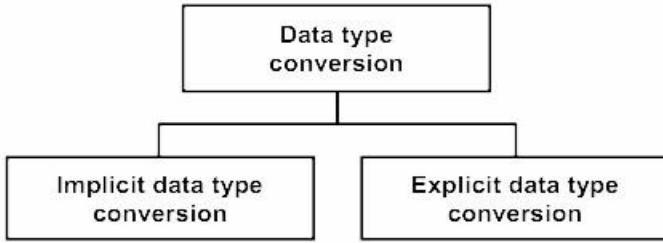
Display the employee number, hire date, number of months employed, sixmonth review date, first Friday after hire date, and last day of the hire month for all employees who have been employed for fewer than 70 months.

```
SELECT employee_id, hire_date, MONTHS_BETWEEN (SYSDATE, hire_date)
TENURE, ADD_MONTHS (hire_date, 6) REVIEW, NEXT_DAY (hire_date, 'FRIDAY'),
LAST_DAY(hire_date)
FROM employees
WHERE MONTHS_BETWEEN (SYSDATE, hire_date) < 70;
```

### **Conversion Functions**

This covers the following topics:

- Writing a query that displays the current date
- Creating queries that require the use of numeric, character, and date functions
- Performing calculations of years and months of service for an employee



## Implicit Data Type Conversion

For assignments, the Oracle server can automatically convert the following:

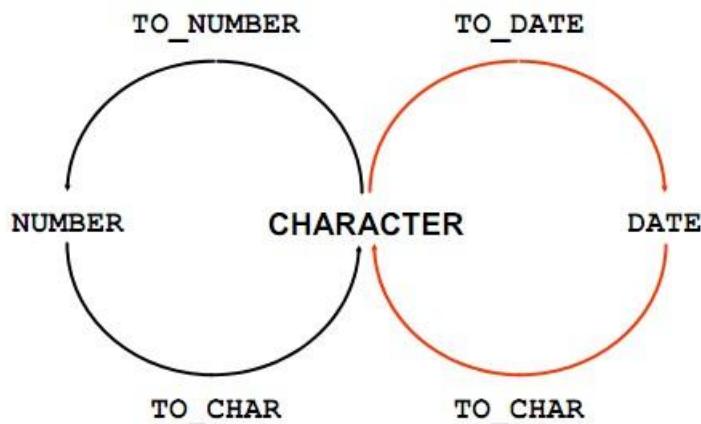
From	To
VARCHAR2 or CHAR	NUMBER
VARCHAR2 or CHAR	DATE
NUMBER	VARCHAR2
DATE	VARCHAR2

For example, the expression `hire_date > '01-JAN-90'` results in the implicit conversion from the string '01-JAN-90' to a date.

For expression evaluation, the Oracle Server can automatically convert the following:

From	To
VARCHAR2 or CHAR	NUMBER
VARCHAR2 or CHAR	DATE

## Explicit Data Type Conversion



SQL provides three functions to convert a value from one data type to another:

**Example:**

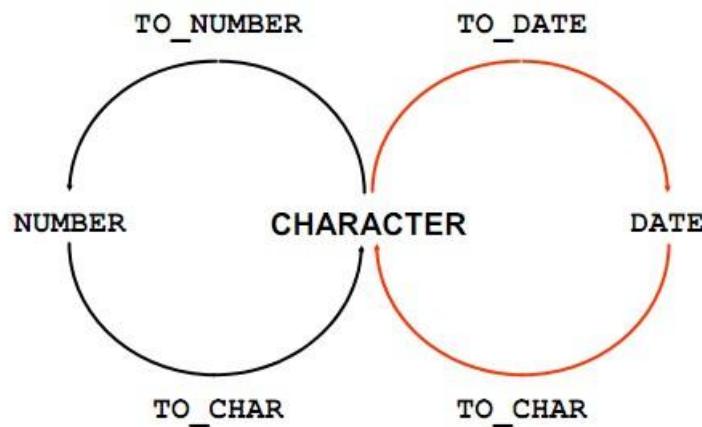
**Using the TO\_CHAR Function with Dates**

TO\_CHAR(date, 'format\_model')    The  
format model:

- Must be enclosed by single quotation marks
- Is case-sensitive
- Can include any valid date format element
- Has an fm element to remove padded blanks or suppress leading zeros
- Is separated from the date value by a comma

```
SELECT employee_id, TO_CHAR(hire_date, 'MM/YY') Month_Hired
FROM employees WHERE last_name = 'Higgins';
```

**Elements of the Date Format Model**



## **Sample Format Elements of Valid Date**

Element	Description
SCC or CC	Century; server prefixes B.C. date with -
Years in dates YYYY or SYYYY	Year; server prefixes B.C. date with -
YYY or YY or Y	Last three, two, or one digits of year
Y,YYY	Year with comma in this position
IYYY, IYY, IY, I	Four-, three-, two-, or one-digit year based on the ISO standard
SYEAR or YEAR	Year spelled out; server prefixes B.C. date with -
BC or AD	Indicates B.C. or A.D. year
B.C. or A.D.	Indicates B.C. or A.D. year using periods
Q	Quarter of year
MM	Month: two-digit value
MONTH	Name of month padded with blanks to length of nine characters
MON	Name of month, three-letter abbreviation
RM	Roman numeral month
WW or W	Week of year or month
DDD or DD or D	Day of year, month, or week
DAY	Name of day padded with blanks to a length of nine characters
DY	Name of day; three-letter abbreviation
J	Julian day; the number of days since December 31, 4713 B.C.

## **Date Format Elements: Time Formats**

Use the formats that are listed in the following tables to display time information and literals and to change numerals to spelled numbers.

Element	Description
AM or PM	Meridian indicator
A.M. or P.M.	Meridian indicator with periods
HH or HH12 or HH24	Hour of day, or hour (1–12), or hour (0–23)
MI	Minute (0–59)
SS	Second (0–59)
SSSSS	Seconds past midnight (0–86399)

#### **Other Formats**

Element	Description
/ . ,	Punctuation is reproduced in the result.
"of the"	Quoted string is reproduced in the result.

#### **Specifying Suffixes to Influence Number Display**

Element	Description
TH	Ordinal number (for example, DDTH for 4TH)
SP	Spelled-out number (for example, DDSP for FOUR)
SPTH or THSP	Spelled-out ordinal numbers (for example, DDSPTH for FOURTH)

#### **Example**

```
SELECT last_name,
TO_CHAR(hire_date, 'fmDD Month YYYY') AS HIREDATE
FROM employees;
```

Modify example to display the dates in a format that appears as “Seventeenth of June 1987 12:00:00 AM.”

```
SELECT last_name,
TO_CHAR (hire_date, 'fmDdspth "of" Month YYYY fmHH:MI:SS AM') HIREDATE
FROM employees;
```

#### **Using the TO\_CHAR Function with Numbers**

`TO_CHAR(number, 'format_model')`

These are some of the format elements that you can use with the TO\_CHAR function to display a number value as a character:

Element	Result
9	Represents a number
0	Forces a zero to be displayed
\$	Places a floating dollar sign
L	Uses the floating local currency symbol
.	Prints a decimal point
,	Prints a comma as thousands indicator

#### **Number Format Elements**

If you are converting a number to the character data type, you can use the following format elements:

Element	Description	Example	Result
9	Numeric position (number of 9s determine display width)	999999	1234
0	Display leading zeros	099999	001234
\$	Floating dollar sign	\$999999	\$1234
L	Floating local currency symbol	L999999	FF1234
D	Returns in the specified position the decimal character. The default is a period (.).	99D99	99.99
.	Decimal point in position specified	999999.99	1234.00
G	Returns the group separator in the specified position. You can specify multiple group separators in a number format model.	9,999	9G999
,	Comma in position specified	999,999	1,234
MI	Minus signs to right (negative values)	999999MI	1234-
PR	Parenthesize negative numbers	999999PR	<1234>
EEEE	Scientific notation (format must specify four Es)	99.999EEEE	1.234E+03
U	Returns in the specified position the "Euro" (or other) dual currency	U9999	€1234
V	Multiply by 10 $n$ times ( $n$ = number of 9s after V)	9999V99	123400
S	Returns the negative or positive value	S9999	-1234 or +1234
B	Display zero values as blank, not 0	B9999.99	1234.00

```
SELECT TO_CHAR(salary, '$99,999.00') SALARY
FROM employees
WHERE last_name = 'Ernst';
```

### Using the TO\_NUMBER and TO\_DATE Functions

- Convert a character string to a number format using the TO\_NUMBER function:  
TO\_NUMBER(char[, 'format\_model'])
- Convert a character string to a date format using the TO\_DATE function:  
TO\_DATE(char[, 'format\_model'])
- These functions have an fx modifier. This modifier specifies the exact matching for the character argument and date format model of a TO\_DATE function.

The fx modifier specifies exact matching for the character argument and date format model of a TO\_DATE function:

- Punctuation and quoted text in the character argument must exactly match (except for case) the corresponding parts of the format model.
- The character argument cannot have extra blanks. Without fx, Oracle ignores extra blanks.

- Numeric data in the character argument must have the same number of digits as the corresponding element in the format model. Without fx, numbers in the character argument can omit leading zeros.

```
SELECT last_name, hire_date
FROM employees
WHERE hire_date = TO_DATE('May 24, 1999', 'fxMonth DD, YYYY');
```

### Find the Solution for the following:

- Write a query to display the current date. Label the column Date.

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The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express interface. The top navigation bar includes Home, Application Builder, SQL Workshop, Team Development, and Administration. Below the navigation is a toolbar with Autocommit checked, Row count set to 10, and Save/Run buttons. The main area contains the SQL command: `SELECT SYSDATE AS "Date" FROM DUAL;`. The results section shows a single row with the date 09/02/2025. The bottom status bar indicates 1 row returned in 0.01 seconds and provides a Download link.

Date
09/02/2025

1 rows returned in 0.01 seconds    [Download](#)

- The HR department needs a report to display the employee number, last name, salary, and increased by 15.5% (expressed as a whole number) for each employee. Label the column New Salary.

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employee number	last name	SALARY	New Salary
176	Pauline	7800	9009
106	Charles	7000	8085
107	Lester	6500	7508
108	MRUCE	15000	17325
109	AIN	2200	2541
110	JAUL	3400	3927
101	Rollins	2000	2310
102	Flower	2500	2888
103	Dawson	13000	15015
104	Le	2000	2310
105	Bruce	12000	13860

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- Modify your query lab\_03\_02.sql to add a column that subtracts the old salary from the new salary. Label the column Increase.

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20

```
SELECT EMPLOYEE_ID, LAST_NAME, SALARY, ROUND(SALARY*0.155) AS "Increase", ROUND(SALARY+(SALARY*0.155)) AS "New Salary" FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	SALARY	Increase	New Salary
176	Pauline	7800	1209	9009
106	Charles	7000	1085	8085
107	Lester	6500	1008	7508
108	MRUCE	15000	2325	17325
109	AIN	2200	341	2541
110	JAUL	3400	527	3927
101	Rollins	2000	310	2310
102	Flower	2500	388	2888
103	Dawson	13000	2015	15015
104	Le	2000	310	2310
105	Bruce	12000	1860	13860

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4. Write a query that displays the last name (with the first letter uppercase and all other letters lowercase) and the length of the last name for all employees whose name starts with the letters J, A, or M. Give each column an appropriate label. Sort the results by the employees' last names.

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20

```
SELECT INITCAP(LAST_NAME) AS "LAST NAME", LENGTH(LAST_NAME) AS "LENGTH" FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE UPPER(SUBSTR(LAST_NAME,1,1)) IN ('J','A','M') ORDER BY LAST_NAME;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST NAME	LENGTH
Ain	3
Jaul	4
Mruce	5

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5. Rewrite the query so that the user is prompted to enter a letter that starts the last name. For example, if the user enters H when prompted for a letter, then the output should show all employees whose last name starts with the letter H.

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE UPPER(LAST_NAME) LIKE UPPER('L') || '%';
```

Below the editor, there are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 20), Save, and Run. The results section is titled "Results" and displays a table with one column "LAST\_NAME". The data rows are Lester and Le. A note below the table says "2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds".

6. The HR department wants to find the length of employment for each employee. For each employee, display the last name and calculate the number of months between today and the date on which the employee was hired. Label the column MONTHS\_WORKED. Order your results by the number of months employed. Round the number of months up to the closest whole number.

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```
SELECT LAST_NAME, ROUND(MONTHS_BETWEEN(SYSDATE,HIRE_DATE)) AS "MONTHS_WORKED" FROM EMPLOYEES ORDER BY MONTHS_WORKED;
```

Below the editor, there are buttons for Autocommit (checked), Rows (set to 20), Save, and Run. The results section is titled "Results" and displays a table with two columns: "LAST\_NAME" and "MONTHS\_WORKED". The data rows are Bruce (13), JAUL (121), Pauline (153), Le (191), MRUCE (246), Dawson (268), ALIN (329), Charles (330), Rollins (332), Lester (370), and Flower (371). A note below the table says "11 rows returned in 0.00 seconds".

**Note:** Your results will differ.

7. Create a report that produces the following for each employee:  
<employee last name> earns <salary> monthly but wants <3 times salary>. Label the column Dream Salaries.

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Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20 Save Run

```
SELECT LAST_NAME || ' earns ' || SALARY || ' monthly but wants ' || (SALARY*3) AS "DREAM SALARY" FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

**DREAM SALARY**

Pauline earns 7800 monthly but wants 23400
Charles earns 7000 monthly but wants 21000
Lester earns 6500 monthly but wants 19500
MRUCE earns 15000 monthly but wants 45000
AIN earns 2200 monthly but wants 6600
JAUL earns 3400 monthly but wants 10200
Rollins earns 2000 monthly but wants 6000
Flower earns 2500 monthly but wants 7500
Dawson earns 13000 monthly but wants 39000
Le earns 2000 monthly but wants 6000
Bruce earns 12000 monthly but wants 36000

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8. Create a query to display the last name and salary for all employees. Format the salary to be 15 characters long, left-padded with the \$ symbol. Label the column SALARY.

**ORACLE® Application Express**

Home Application Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Administration

Home > SQL Workshop > SQL Commands

Autocommit Rows 20 Save Run

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, LPAD(TO_CHAR(SALARY),15,'$') AS "SALARY" FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

**LAST\_NAME SALARY**

Pauline \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$7800
Charles \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$7000
Lester \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$6500
MRUCE \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$15000
AIN \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$2200
JAUL \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$3400
Rollins \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$2000
Flower \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$2500
Dawson \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$13000
Le \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$2000
Bruce \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$12000

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9. Display each employee's last name, hire date, and salary review date, which is the first Monday after six months of service. Label the column REVIEW. Format the dates to appear in the format similar to "Monday, the Thirty-First of July, 2000."

The screenshot shows a SQL query being run in a database interface. The query selects the last name, hire date, and a review date (six months from hire) for all employees, formatting the dates to show the day of the week.

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE, 'Day, "the" DDth "of" Month, YYYY') AS "HIRE DATE", TO_CHAR(NEXT_DAY(ADD_MONTHS(HIRE_DATE,6), 'MONDAY'), 'Day, "the" DDth "of" Month, YYYY') AS "REVIEW" FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

The results table has columns: LAST\_NAME, HIRE\_DATE, and REVIEW. The data shows various employees' names, their hire dates, and the corresponding Monday dates six months later.

LAST_NAME	HIRE_DATE	REVIEW
Pauline	Sunday , the 23RD of December , 2012	Monday , the 24TH of June , 2013
Charles	Tuesday , the 17TH of March , 1998	Monday , the 21ST of September , 1998
Lester	Saturday , the 12TH of November , 1994	Monday , the 15TH of May , 1995
MRUCE	Sunday , the 13TH of March , 2005	Monday , the 19TH of September , 2005
AIN	Sunday , the 26TH of April , 1998	Monday , the 02ND of November , 1998
JAUL	Sunday , the 09TH of August , 2015	Monday , the 15TH of February , 2016
Rollins	Friday , the 30TH of January , 1998	Monday , the 03RD of August , 1998
Flower	Tuesday , the 18TH of October , 1994	Monday , the 24TH of April , 1995
Dawson	Monday , the 29TH of March , 2004	Monday , the 04TH of October , 2004
Le	Friday , the 23RD of October , 2009	Monday , the 26TH of April , 2010
Bruce	Monday , the 12TH of August , 2024	Monday , the 17TH of February , 2025

11 rows returned in 0.01 seconds    Download

10. Display the last name, hire date, and day of the week on which the employee started. Label the column DAY. Order the results by the day of the week, starting with Monday.

The screenshot shows a SQL query being run in Oracle Application Express. The query selects the last name, hire date, and the day of the week (labeled DAY) for all employees, ordering the results by the day of the week.

```
SELECT LAST_NAME, HIRE_DATE, TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE, 'Day') AS "DAY" FROM EMPLOYEES ORDER BY TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE - 1, 'D') ;
```

The results table has columns: LAST\_NAME, HIRE\_DATE, and DAY. The data shows various employees' names, their hire dates, and the corresponding day of the week they started.

LAST_NAME	HIRE_DATE	DAY
Dawson	03/29/2004	Monday
Bruce	08/12/2024	Monday
Flower	10/18/1994	Tuesday
Charles	03/17/1998	Tuesday
Le	10/23/2009	Friday
Rollins	01/30/1998	Friday
Lester	11/12/1994	Saturday
AIN	04/26/1998	Sunday
MRUCE	03/13/2005	Sunday
Pauline	12/23/2012	Sunday
JAUL	08/09/2015	Sunday

11 rows returned in 0.00 seconds    Download

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
Faculty Signature	

## EXERCISE-7

### Displaying data from multiple tables

#### **Objective**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Write SELECT statements to access data from more than one table using equality and nonequality joins
- View data that generally does not meet a join condition by using outer joins
- Join a table to itself by using a self join

Sometimes you need to use data from more than one table.

## **Cartesian Products**

- A Cartesian product is formed when:
  - A join condition is omitted
  - A join condition is invalid
  - All rows in the first table are joined to all rows in the second table
- To avoid a Cartesian product, always include a valid join condition in a WHERE clause.

A Cartesian product tends to generate a large number of rows, and the result is rarely useful. You should always include a valid join condition in a WHERE clause, unless you have a specific need to combine all rows from all tables.

Cartesian products are useful for some tests when you need to generate a large number of rows to simulate a reasonable amount of data.

### **Example:**

To displays employee last name and department name from the EMPLOYEES and DEPARTMENTS tables.

```
SELECT last_name, department_name dept_name  
FROM employees, departments;
```

## **Types of Joins**

- Equijoin
- Non-equijoin
- Outer join
- Self join
- Cross joins
- Natural joins
- Using clause
- Full or two sided outer joins
- Arbitrary join conditions for outer joins

## **Joining Tables Using Oracle Syntax**

```
SELECT table1.column, table2.column  
FROM table1, table2  
WHERE table1.column1 = table2.column2;
```

Write the join condition in the WHERE clause.

- Prefix the column name with the table name when the same column name appears in more than one table.

## **Guidelines**

- When writing a SELECT statement that joins tables, precede the column name with the table name for clarity and to enhance database access.
- If the same column name appears in more than one table, the column name must be prefixed with the table name.

- To join n tables together, you need a minimum of n-1 join conditions. For example, to join four tables, a minimum of three joins is required. This rule may not apply if your table has a concatenated primary key, in which case more than one column is required to uniquely identify each row

### **What is an Equijoin?**

To determine an employee's department name, you compare the value in the DEPARTMENT\_ID column in the EMPLOYEES table with the DEPARTMENT\_ID values in the DEPARTMENTS table.

The relationship between the EMPLOYEES and DEPARTMENTS tables is an equijoin—that is, values

in the DEPARTMENT\_ID column on both tables must be equal. Frequently, this type of join involves primary and foreign key complements.

Note: Equijoins are also called simple joins or inner joins

```
SELECT employees.employee_id, employees.last_name, employees.department_id,
       departments.department_id, departments.location_id
  FROM employees, departments
 WHERE employees.department_id = departments.department_id;
```

### **Additional Search Conditions**

#### **Using the AND Operator Example:**

To display employee Matos' department number and department name, you need an additional condition in the WHERE clause.

```
SELECT last_name, employees.department_id, department_name
  FROM employees, departments
```

```
 WHERE employees.department_id = departments.department_id AND last_name = 'Matos';
```

#### **Qualifying Ambiguous Column Names**

- Use table prefixes to qualify column names that are in multiple tables.
- Improve performance by using table prefixes.
- Distinguish columns that have identical names but reside in different tables by using column aliases.

### **Using Table Aliases**

- Simplify queries by using table aliases.
- Improve performance by using table prefixes Example:

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, e.department_id,
       d.department_id, d.location_id
  FROM employees e ,
       departments d
```

```
 WHERE e.department_id = d.department_id;
```

## **Joining More than Two Tables**

To join n tables together, you need a minimum of n-1 join conditions. For example, to join three tables, a minimum of two joins is required.

### **Example:**

To display the last name, the department name, and the city for each employee, you have to join the EMPLOYEES, DEPARTMENTS, and LOCATIONS tables.

```
SELECT e.last_name, d.department_name, l.city
FROM employees e, departments d, locations l
WHERE e.department_id = d.department_id
AND d.location_id = l.location_id;
```

## **Non-Equijoins**

A non-equijoin is a join condition containing something other than an equality operator. The relationship between the EMPLOYEES table and the JOB\_GRADES table has an example of a nonequijoin. A relationship between the two tables is that the SALARY column in the EMPLOYEES table must be between the values in the LOWEST\_SALARY and HIGHEST\_SALARY columns of the JOB\_GRADES table. The relationship is obtained using an operator other than equals (=).

### **Example:**

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.salary, j.grade_level
FROM employees e, job_grades j
WHERE e.salary
BETWEEN j.lowest_sal AND j.highest_sal;
```

## **Outer Joins**

### **Syntax**

- You use an outer join to also see rows that do not meet the join condition.
- The Outer join operator is the plus sign (+).

```
SELECT table1.column, table2.column
FROM table1, table2
WHERE table1.column(+) = table2.column;
SELECT table1.column, table2.column
FROM table1, table2
WHERE table1.column = table2.column(+);
```

The missing rows can be returned if an outer join operator is used in the join condition. The operator is a plus sign enclosed in parentheses (+), and it is placed on the “side” of the join that is deficient in information. This operator has the effect of creating one or more null rows, to which one or more rows from the nondeficient table can be joined.

### **Example:**

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name
```

```
FROM employees e, departments d  
WHERE e.department_id(+) = d.department_id ;
```

### Outer Join Restrictions

- The outer join operator can appear on only one side of the expression—the side that has information missing. It returns those rows from one table that have no direct match in the other table.
- A condition involving an outer join cannot use the IN operator or be linked to another condition by the OR operator

### Self Join

Sometimes you need to join a table to itself.

#### Example:

To find the name of each employee's manager, you need to join the EMPLOYEES table to itself, or perform a self join.

```
SELECT worker.last_name || ' works for ' ||  
manager.last_name  
FROM employees worker, employees manager  
WHERE worker.manager_id = manager.employee_id ;
```

### Use a join to query data from more than one table.

```
SELECT table1.column, table2.column  
FROM table1  
[CROSS JOIN table2] |  
[NATURAL JOIN table2] |  
[JOIN table2 USING (column_name)] |  
[JOIN table2  
ON(table1.column_name = table2.column_name)] |  
[LEFT|RIGHT|FULL OUTER JOIN table2  
ON (table1.column_name = table2.column_name)];
```

In the syntax: table1.column Denotes the table and column from which data is retrieved

CROSS JOIN Returns a Cartesian product from the two tables

NATURAL JOIN Joins two tables based on the same column name

JOIN table USING column\_name Performs an equijoin based on the column name

JOIN table ON table1.column\_name = table2.column\_name Performs an equijoin based on the condition in the ON clause

### LEFT/RIGHT/FULL OUTER

### **Creating Cross Joins**

- The CROSS JOIN clause produces the crossproduct of two tables.
- This is the same as a Cartesian product between the two tables.

#### **Example:**

```
SELECT last_name, department_name  
FROM employees  
CROSS JOIN departments ;  
SELECT last_name, department_name  
FROM employees, departments;
```

### **Creating Natural Joins**

- The NATURAL JOIN clause is based on all columns in the two tables that have the same name.
- It selects rows from the two tables that have equal values in all matched columns.
- If the columns having the same names have different data types, an error is returned. **Example:**

```
SELECT department_id, department_name, location_id,  
city  
FROM departments  
NATURAL JOIN locations ;
```

LOCATIONS table is joined to the DEPARTMENT table by the LOCATION\_ID column, which is the only column of the same name in both tables. If other common columns were present, the join would have used them all.

#### **Example:**

```
SELECT department_id, department_name, location_id,  
city  
FROM departments  
NATURAL JOIN locations  
WHERE department_id IN (20, 50);
```

### **Creating Joins with the USING Clause**

- If several columns have the same names but the data types do not match, the NATURAL JOIN clause can be modified with the USING clause to specify the columns that should be used for an equijoin.
- Use the USING clause to match only one column when more than one column matches.
- Do not use a table name or alias in the referenced columns.
- The NATURAL JOIN and USING clauses are mutually exclusive. **Example:**

```
SELECT l.city, d.department_name
```

```
FROM locations l JOIN departments d USING (location_id)
WHERE location_id = 1400; EXAMPLE:
```

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, d.location_id
FROM employees e JOIN departments d
USING (department_id);
```

### **Creating Joins with the ON Clause**

- The join condition for the natural join is basically an equijoin of all columns with the same name.
- To specify arbitrary conditions or specify columns to join, the ON clause is used.
- The join condition is separated from other searchconditions.
- The ON clause makes code easy to understand.

### **Example:**

```
SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_id,
d.location_id
FROM employees e JOIN departments d ON
(e.department_id = d.department_id);
EXAMPLE:
```

```
SELECT e.last_name emp, m.last_name mgr
FROM employees e JOIN employees m
ON (e.manager_id = m.employee_id);
INNER Versus OUTER Joins
```

- A join between two tables that returns the results of the inner join as well as unmatched rows left (or right) tables is a left (or right) outer join.
- A join between two tables that returns the results of an inner join as well as the results of a left and right join is a full outer join.

### **LEFT OUTER JOIN Example:**

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name
FROM employees e
LEFT OUTER JOIN departments d
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);
```

#### **Example of LEFT OUTER JOIN**

This query retrieves all rows in the EMPLOYEES table, which is the left table even if there is no match in the DEPARTMENTS table.

This query was completed in earlier releases as follows:

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name  
FROM employees e, departments d  
WHERE d.department_id (+) = e.department_id;
```

### **RIGHT OUTER JOIN Example:**

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name  
FROM employees e  
RIGHT OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);
```

This query retrieves all rows in the DEPARTMENTS table, which is the right table even if there is no match in the EMPLOYEES table.

This query was completed in earlier releases as follows:

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name  
FROM employees e, departments d  
WHERE d.department_id = e.department_id (+);
```

### **FULL OUTER JOIN Example:**

```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name  
FROM employees e  
FULL OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);
```

This query retrieves all rows in the EMPLOYEES table, even if there is no match in the DEPARTMENTS table. It also retrieves all rows in the DEPARTMENTS table, even if there is no match in the EMPLOYEES table.

### **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Write a query to display the last name, department number, and department name for all employees.

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, E.DEPARTMENT_ID, D.DEPT_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID=D.DEPT_ID;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	DEPT_NAME
Pauline	80	Production
DAVIES	50	Sales
Lester	80	Production
MRUICE	80	Production
AIN	10	Marketing
JAUL	50	Sales
Rollins	10	Marketing
Flower	50	Sales
Dawson	80	Production
Le	10	Marketing
Bruce	10	Marketing

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2. Create a unique listing of all jobs that are in department 80. Include the location of the department in the output.

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```
SELECT DISTINCT E.JOB_ID, D.LOCATION_ID FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID = D.DEPT_ID WHERE D.DEPT_ID=80;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

JOB_ID	LOCATION_ID
J_04	6002
J_03	6002
J_02	6002

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3. Write a query to display the employee last name, department name, location ID, and city of all employees who earn a commission

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, D.DEPT_NAME, L.LOCATION_ID, L.CITY FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID=D.DEPT_ID JOIN LOCATION L ON D.LOCATION_ID = L.LOCATION_ID WHERE COMMISSION_PCT IS NOT NULL;
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	DEPT_NAME	LOCATION_ID	CITY
Pauline	Production	6002	DUBAI
DAVIES	Sales	6003	CHENNAI
Lester	Production	6002	DUBAI
MRUCE	Production	6002	DUBAI
AIN	Marketing	6001	TORONTO
Rollins	Marketing	6001	TORONTO
Dawson	Production	6002	DUBAI
Le	Marketing	6001	TORONTO
Bruce	Marketing	6001	TORONTO

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4. Display the employee last name and department name for all employees who have an a(lowercase) in their last names. P

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, D.DEPT_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID = D.DEPT_ID WHERE LOWER(E.LAST_NAME) LIKE '%a%';
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	DEPT_NAME
AIN	Marketing
Dawson	Production
Pauline	Production
JAUL	Sales
DAVIES	Sales

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5. Write a query to display the last name, job, department number, and department name for all employees who work in Toronto.

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, E.JOB_ID, D.DEPT_ID, D.DEPT_NAME FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID = D.DEPT_ID JOIN LOCATION L ON L.LOCATION_ID = D.LOCATION_ID WHERE UPPER(L.CITY) = 'TORONTO';
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	JOB_ID	DEPT_ID	DEPT_NAME
Bruce	J_02	10	Marketing
Le	J_03	10	Marketing
Rollins	J_01	10	Marketing
AlN	J_01	10	Marketing

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6. Display the employee last name and employee number along with their manager's last name and manager number. Label the columns Employee, Emp#, Manager, and Mgr#, Respectively

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME AS EMPLOYEE, E.EMPLOYEE_ID AS EMP#, M.LAST_NAME AS MANAGER, M.EMPLOYEE_ID AS MGR# FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN EMPLOYEES M ON E.MANAGER_ID = M.EMPLOYEE_ID ;
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

EMPLOYEE	EMP#	MANAGER	MGR#
Dawson	103	MRUCE	108
Lester	107	MRUCE	108
Pauline	176	MRUCE	108
JAIL	110	Flower	102
DAVIES	106	Flower	102
Le	104	Bruce	105
Rollins	101	Bruce	105
AlN	109	Bruce	105

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7. Modify lab4\_6.sql to display all employees including King, who has no manager. Order the results by the employee number.

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME AS EMPLOYEE, E.EMPLOYEE_ID AS EMP#, M.LAST_NAME AS MANAGER, M.EMPLOYEE_ID AS MGR# FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN EMPLOYEES M ON E.MANAGER_ID = M.EMPLOYEE_ID ORDER BY E.EMPLOYEE_ID;
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

EMPLOYEE	EMP#	MANAGER	MGR#
Rollins	101	Bruce	105
Dawson	103	MRUCE	108
Le	104	Bruce	105
DAVIES	106	Flower	102
Lester	107	MRUCE	108
AIN	109	Bruce	105
JAUL	110	Flower	102
Pauline	176	MRUCE	108

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8. Create a query that displays employee last names, department numbers, and all the employees who work in the same department as a given employee. Give each column an appropriate label

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```
SELECT E1.LAST_NAME AS EMPLOYEE, E1.DEPARTMENT_ID AS DEPT#, E2.LAST_NAME AS COWORKER FROM EMPLOYEES E1 JOIN EMPLOYEES E2 ON E1.DEPARTMENT_ID = E2.DEPARTMENT_ID AND E1.EMPLOYEE_ID <> E2.EMPLOYEE_ID ORDER BY E1.LAST_NAME,E2.LAST_NAME;
```

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

EMPLOYEE	DEPT#	COWORKER
AIN	10	Bruce
AIN	10	Le
AIN	10	Rollins
Bruce	10	AIN
Bruce	10	Le
Bruce	10	Rollins
DAVIES	50	Flower
DAVIES	50	JAUL
Dawson	80	Lester
Dawson	80	MRUCE
Dawson	80	Pauline
Flower	50	DAVIES
Flower	50	JAUL
JAUL	50	DAVIES

9. Show the structure of the JOB\_GRADES table. Create a query that displays the name, job, department name, salary, and grade for all employees

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, E.JOB_ID, D.DEPARTMENT_NAME, E.SALARY, J.GRADE_LEVEL FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID=D.DEPARTMENT_ID JOIN JOB_GRADE J ON E.SALARY BETWEEN J.LOWEST_SAL AND J.HIGHEST_SAL;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	JOB_ID	DEPT_NAME	SALARY	GRADE_LEVEL
Bruce	J_02	Marketing	12000	A
AIN	J_01	Marketing	2200	C
Rollins	J_01	Marketing	2000	C
Le	J_03	Marketing	2000	C
MRUCE	J_03	Production	15000	A
Dawson	J_04	Production	13000	A
Pauline	J_03	Production	7800	B
Lester	J_02	Production	6500	B
DAVIES	J_01	Sales	7000	B
JAUL	J_03	Sales	3400	B
Flower	J_02	Sales	2500	C

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```
DESC JOB_GRADE;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Object Type TABLE Object JOB\_GRADE

Table	Column	Data Type	Length	Precision	Scale	Primary Key	Nullable	Default	Comment
JOB_GRADE	GRADE_LEVEL	VARCHAR2	2	-	-	-	✓	-	-
	LOWEST_SAL	NUMBER	22	-	-	-	✓	-	-
	HIGHEST_SAL	NUMBER	22	-	-	-	✓	-	-

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10. Create a query to display the name and hire date of any employee hired after employee Davies.

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME, E.HIRE_DATE FROM EMPLOYEES E WHERE E.HIRE_DATE > (SELECT HIRE_DATE FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE LAST_NAME = 'DAVIES'));
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

LAST_NAME	HIRE_DATE
Pauline	12/23/2012
MRUCE	03/13/2005
AIN	04/26/1998
JAUL	08/09/2015
Dawson	03/29/2004
Le	10/23/2009
Bruce	08/12/2024

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11. Display the names and hire dates for all employees who were hired before their managers, along with their manager's names and hire dates. Label the columns Employee, Emp Hired, Manager, and Mgr Hired, respectively.

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```
SELECT E.LAST_NAME AS EMPLOYEE, E.HIRE_DATE AS EMP_HIRED, M.LAST_NAME AS MANAGER, M.HIRE_DATE AS MGR_HIRED FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN EMPLOYEES M ON E.MANAGER_ID = M.EMPLOYEE_ID WHERE E.HIRE_DATE < M.HIRE_DATE;
```

**Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History**

EMPLOYEE	EMP_HIRED	MANAGER	MGR_HIRED
Dawson	03/29/2004	MRUCE	03/13/2005
Lester	11/12/1994	MRUCE	03/13/2005
JAUL	08/09/2015	Flower	10/18/2020
DAVIES	03/17/1998	Flower	10/18/2020
Le	10/23/2009	Bruce	08/12/2024
Rollins	01/30/1998	Bruce	08/12/2024
AIN	04/26/1998	Bruce	08/12/2024

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## **EXERCISE-8**

### **Aggregating Data Using Group Functions**

#### **Objectives**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Identify the available group functions
- Describe the use of group functions
- Group data by using the GROUP BY clause
- Include or exclude grouped rows by using the HAVING clause

#### **What Are Group Functions?**

Group functions operate on sets of rows to give one result per group

#### **Types of Group Functions**

- AVG
- COUNT
- MAX
- MIN
- STDDEV
- SUM

- VARIANCE

Each of the functions accepts an argument. The following table identifies the options that you can use in the syntax:

Function	Description
AVG( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>n</i> )	Average value of <i>n</i> , ignoring null values
COUNT ( {*   [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>expr</i> } )	Number of rows, where <i>expr</i> evaluates to something other than null (count all selected rows using *, including duplicates and rows with nulls)
MAX( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>expr</i> )	Maximum value of <i>expr</i> , ignoring null values
MIN( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>expr</i> )	Minimum value of <i>expr</i> , ignoring null values
STDDEV( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>x</i> )	Standard deviation of <i>n</i> , ignoring null values
SUM( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>n</i> )	Sum values of <i>n</i> , ignoring null values
VARIANCE( [DISTINCT  <u>ALL</u> ] <i>x</i> )	Variance of <i>n</i> , ignoring null values

## Group Functions: Syntax

```
SELECT [column,] group_function(column), ...
FROM table
[WHERE condition]
[GROUP BY column]
[ORDER BY column];
```

## Guidelines for Using Group Functions

- DISTINCT makes the function consider only nonduplicate values; ALL makes it consider every value, including duplicates. The default is ALL and therefore does not need to be specified.
- The data types for the functions with an expr argument may be CHAR, VARCHAR2, NUMBER, or DATE.
- All group functions ignore null values.

## Using the AVG and SUM Functions

You can use AVG and SUM for numeric data.

```
SELECT AVG(salary), MAX(salary),
MIN(salary), SUM(salary)
FROM employees
WHERE job_id LIKE '%REP%';
```

## Using the MIN and MAX Functions

You can use MIN and MAX for numeric, character, and date data types.

```
SELECT MIN(hire_date), MAX(hire_date)  
FROM employees;
```

You can use the MAX and MIN functions for numeric, character, and date data types. example displays the most junior and most senior employees.

The following example displays the employee last name that is first and the employee last name that is last in an alphabetized list of all employees:

```
SELECT MIN(last_name), MAX(last_name)  
FROM employees;
```

**Note:** The AVG, SUM, VARIANCE, and STDDEV functions can be used only with numeric data types. MAX and MIN cannot be used with LOB or LONG data types.

### **Using the COUNT Function**

COUNT(\*) returns the number of rows in a table:

```
SELECT COUNT(*)
```

```
FROM employees
```

```
WHERE department_id = 50;
```

COUNT(*expr*) returns the number of rows with nonnull values for the *expr*:

```
SELECT COUNT(commission_pct)
```

```
FROM employees
```

```
WHERE department_id = 80;
```

### **Using the DISTINCT Keyword**

- COUNT(DISTINCT *expr*) returns the number of distinct non-null values of the *expr*.
- To display the number of distinct department values in the EMPLOYEES table:

```
SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT department_id) FROM employees;
```

Use the DISTINCT keyword to suppress the counting of any duplicate values in a column.

### **Group Functions and Null Values**

Group functions ignore null values in the column:

```
SELECT AVG(commission_pct)
```

FROM employees;

The NVL function forces group functions to include null values:

```
SELECT AVG(NVL(commission_pct, 0))  
FROM employees;
```

### **Creating Groups of Data**

To divide the table of information into smaller groups. This can be done by using the GROUP BY clause.

### **GROUP BY Clause Syntax**

```
SELECT column, group_function(column)  
FROM table  
[WHERE condition]  
[GROUP BY group_by_expression]  
[ORDER BY column];
```

**In the syntax:** *group\_by\_expression* specifies columns whose values determine the basis for grouping rows

### **Guidelines**

- If you include a group function in a SELECT clause, you cannot select individual results as well, *unless* the individual column appears in the GROUP BY clause. You receive an error message if you fail to include the column list in the GROUP BY clause.
- Using a WHERE clause, you can exclude rows before dividing them into groups.
- You must include the *columns* in the GROUP BY clause.
- You cannot use a column alias in the GROUP BY clause.

### **Using the GROUP BY Clause**

All columns in the SELECT list that are not in group functions must be in the GROUP BY clause.

```
SELECT department_id, AVG(salary)  
FROM employees  
GROUP BY department_id ;
```

The GROUP BY column does not have to be in the SELECT list.

```
SELECT AVG(salary) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id ;
```

You can use the group function in the ORDER BY clause:

```
SELECT department_id, AVG(salary) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id ORDER BY AVG(salary);
```

### **Grouping by More Than One Column**

```
SELECT department_id dept_id, job_id, SUM(salary) FROM employees  
GROUP BY department_id, job_id ;
```

### **Illegal Queries Using Group Functions**

Any column or expression in the SELECT list that is not an aggregate function must be in the GROUP

#### **BY clause:**

```
SELECT department_id, COUNT(last_name) FROM employees;
```

You can correct the error by adding the GROUP BY clause:

```
SELECT department_id, count(last_name) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id;
```

You cannot use the WHERE clause to restrict groups.

- You use the HAVING clause to restrict groups.
- You cannot use group functions in the WHERE clause.

```
SELECT department_id, AVG(salary) FROM employees WHERE AVG(salary) > 8000 GROUP BY department_id;
```

You can correct the error in the example by using the HAVING clause to restrict groups:

```
SELECT department_id, AVG(salary) FROM employees  
HAVING AVG(salary) > 8000 GROUP BY department_id;
```

### **Restricting Group Results**

With the HAVING Clause .When you use the HAVING clause, the Oracle server restricts groups as follows:

1. Rows are grouped.
2. The group function is applied.
3. Groups matching the HAVING clause are displayed.

## Using the HAVING Clause

```
SELECT department_id, MAX(salary) FROM employees  
GROUP BY department_id HAVING MAX(salary)>10000 ;
```

The following example displays the department numbers and average salaries for those departments with a maximum salary that is greater than \$10,000:

```
SELECT department_id, AVG(salary) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id HAVING  
max(salary)>10000;
```

Example displays the job ID and total monthly salary for each job that has a total payroll exceeding \$13,000. The example excludes sales representatives and sorts the list by the total monthly salary.

```
SELECT job_id, SUM(salary) PAYROLL FROM employees WHERE job_id NOT LIKE "%REP%"  
GROUP BY job_id HAVING SUM(salary) > 13000 ORDER BY SUM(salary);
```

## Nesting Group Functions

### **Display the maximum average salary:**

Group functions can be nested to a depth of two. The slide example displays the maximum average salary.

```
SELECT MAX(AVG(salary)) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id; Summary
```

In this exercise, students should have learned how to:

- Use the group functions COUNT, MAX, MIN, and AVG
- Write queries that use the GROUP BY clause
- Write queries that use the HAVING clause

```
SELECT column, group_function  
FROM table  
[WHERE condition]  
[GROUP BY group_by_expression]  
[HAVING group_condition] [ORDER  
BY column];
```

### Find the Solution for the following:

Determine the validity of the following three statements. Circle either True or False.

1. Group functions work across many rows to produce one result per group. True/False
2. Group functions include nulls in calculations.  
True/False
3. The WHERE clause restricts rows prior to inclusion in a group calculation. True/False

## The HR department needs the following reports:

4. Find the highest, lowest, sum, and average salary of all employees. Label the columns Maximum, Minimum, Sum, and Average, respectively. Round your results to the nearest whole number

The screenshot shows a MySQL query interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'Autocommit' (checked), 'Rows' (set to 10), 'Save', and 'Run'. The SQL query entered is:

```
SELECT ROUND(MAX(SALARY)) AS MAXIMUM, ROUND(MIN(SALARY)) AS MINIMUM, ROUND(SUM(SALARY)) AS SUM, ROUND(AVG(SALARY)) AS AVERAGE FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Below the query, the results are displayed in a table:

MAXIMUM	MINIMUM	SUM	AVERAGE
15000	2000	73400	6673

Text at the bottom indicates "1 rows returned in 0.00 seconds" and a "Download" link.

5. Modify the above query to display the minimum, maximum, sum, and average salary for each job type.

The screenshot shows a MySQL query interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'Autocommit' (checked), 'Rows' (set to 10), 'Save', and 'Run'. The SQL query entered is:

```
SELECT JOB_ID, MAX(SALARY) AS MAXIMUM, MIN(SALARY) AS MINIMUM, SUM(SALARY) AS SUM, ROUND(AVG(SALARY),0) AS AVERAGE FROM EMPLOYEES GROUP BY JOB_ID;
```

Below the query, the results are displayed in a table:

JOB_ID	MAXIMUM	MINIMUM	SUM	AVERAGE
j_03	15000	2000	28200	7050
j_04	13000	13000	13000	13000
j_01	7000	2000	11200	3733
j_02	12000	2500	21000	7000

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6. Write a query to display the number of people with the same job. Generalize the query so that the user in the HR department is prompted for a job title.

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```
SELECT JOB_ID, COUNT(*) AS "NUMBER OF PEOPLE" FROM EMPLOYEES GROUP BY JOB_ID HAVING JOB_ID = 'j_01';
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

JOB_ID	NUMBER OF PEOPLE
j_01	3

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7. Determine the number of managers without listing them. Label the column Number of Managers. *Hint: Use the MANAGER\_ID column to determine the number of managers.*

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```
SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT MANAGER_ID) AS "NUMBER OF MANAGERS" FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE MANAGER_ID IS NOT NULL;
```

[Results](#) [Explain](#) [Describe](#) [Saved SQL](#) [History](#)

NUMBER OF MANAGERS
3

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8. Find the difference between the highest and lowest salaries. Label the column DIFFERENCE.

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```
SELECT (MAX(SALARY) - MIN(SALARY)) AS DIFFERENCE FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

DIFFERENCE
13000

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9. Create a report to display the manager number and the salary of the lowest-paid employee for that manager. Exclude anyone whose manager is not known. Exclude any groups where the minimum salary is \$6,000 or less. Sort the output in descending order of salary.

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```
SELECT MANAGER_ID, MIN(SALARY) AS "LOWEST SALARY" FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE MANAGER_ID IS NOT NULL GROUP BY MANAGER_ID HAVING MIN(SALARY)>6000 ORDER BY "LOWEST SALARY" DESC;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

MANAGER_ID	LOWEST SALARY
108	6500

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10. Create a query to display the total number of employees and, of that total, the number of employees hired in 1995, 1996, 1997, and 1998. Create appropriate column headings.

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```
SELECT COUNT(*) AS TOTAL_EMPLOYEES,  
COUNT(CASE WHEN TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE,'YYYY') = '1995' THEN 1 END) AS HIRED_1995,  
COUNT(CASE WHEN TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE,'YYYY') = '1996' THEN 1 END) AS HIRED_1996,  
COUNT(CASE WHEN TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE,'YYYY') = '1997' THEN 1 END) AS HIRED_1997,  
COUNT(CASE WHEN TO_CHAR(HIRE_DATE,'YYYY') = '1998' THEN 1 END) AS HIRED_1998  
FROM EMPLOYEES;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

TOTAL_EMPLOYEES	HIRED_1995	HIRED_1996	HIRED_1997	HIRED_1998
11	0	0	0	3

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11. Create a matrix query to display the job, the salary for that job based on department number, and the total salary for that job, for departments 20, 50, 80, and 90, giving each column an appropriate heading.

The screenshot shows a SQL query being run in a database interface. The query is:

```
SELECT DEPARTMENT_ID AS DEPT_NUMBER, JOB_ID, SUM(SALARY) AS "TOTAL SALARY" FROM EMPLOYEES WHERE DEPARTMENT_ID IN (20,50,80,90) GROUP BY DEPARTMENT_ID, JOB_ID ORDER BY DEPARTMENT_ID, JOB_ID ;
```

The results table has three columns: DEPT\_NUMBER, JOB\_ID, and TOTAL SALARY. The data is as follows:

DEPT_NUMBER	JOB_ID	TOTAL SALARY
50	J_01	7000
50	J_02	2500
50	J_03	3400
80	J_02	6500
80	J_03	22800
80	J_04	13000

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12. Write a query to display each department's name, location, number of employees, and the average salary for all the employees in that department. Label the column name-Location, Number of people, and salary respectively. Round the average salary to two decimal places.

The screenshot shows a SQL query being run in a database interface. The query is:

```
SELECT D.DEPT_NAME AS NAME, L.CITY AS LOCATION, COUNT(E.EMPLOYEE_ID) AS "NUMBER OF PEOPLE", ROUND(AVG(E.SALARY),2) AS SALARY FROM EMPLOYEES E JOIN DEPARTMENT D ON E.DEPARTMENT_ID = D.DEPT_ID JOIN LOCATION L ON D.LOCATION_ID = L.LOCATION_ID GROUP BY D.DEPT_NAME,L.CITY;
```

The results table has four columns: NAME, LOCATION, NUMBER OF PEOPLE, and SALARY. The data is as follows:

NAME	LOCATION	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	SALARY
Marketing	TORONTO	4	4550
Sales	CHENNAI	3	4300
Production	DUBAI	4	10575

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Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
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## EXERCISE-9

### Sub queries

#### Objectives

After completing this lesson, you should be able to do the following:

- Define subqueries
- Describe the types of problems that subqueries can solve

- List the types of subqueries
- Write single-row and multiple-row subqueries

**Using a Subquery to Solve a Problem** Who has a salary greater than Abel's?

**Main query:**

Which employees have salaries greater than Abel's salary?

**Subquery:**

What is Abel's salary?

### Subquery Syntax

`SELECT select_list FROM table WHERE expr operator (SELECT select_list FROM table);`

- The subquery (inner query) executes once before the main query (outer query).
- The result of the subquery is used by the main query.

A subquery is a SELECT statement that is embedded in a clause of another SELECT statement. You can build powerful statements out of simple ones by using subqueries. They can be very useful when you need to select rows from a table with a condition that depends on the data in the table itself.

You can place the subquery in a number of SQL clauses, including the following:

- WHERE clause
- HAVING clause
- FROM clause

### In the syntax:

*operator* includes a comparison condition such as `>`, `=`, or `IN`

**Note:** Comparison conditions fall into two classes: single-row operators (`>`, `=`, `>=`, `<`, `<>`, `<=`) and multiple-row operators (IN, ANY, ALL). statement. The subquery generally executes first, and its output is used to complete the query condition for the main (or outer) query

### Using a Subquery

`SELECT last_name FROM employees WHERE salary > (SELECT salary FROM employees WHERE last_name = 'Abel');`

The inner query determines the salary of employee Abel. The outer query takes the result of the inner query and uses this result to display all the employees who earn more than this amount.

## **Guidelines for Using Subqueries**

- Enclose subqueries in parentheses.
- Place subqueries on the right side of the comparison condition.
- The ORDER BY clause in the subquery is not needed unless you are performing Top-N analysis.
- Use single-row operators with single-row

subqueries, and use multiple-row operators with multiple-row subqueries.

## **Types of Subqueries**

- Single-row subqueries: Queries that return only one row from the inner SELECT statement.
- Multiple-row subqueries: Queries that return more than one row from the inner SELECT statement.

## **Single-Row Subqueries**

- Return only one row
- Use single-row comparison operators

## **Example**

Display the employees whose job ID is the same as that of employee 141:

```
SELECT last_name, job_id FROM employees WHERE job_id = (SELECT job_id FROM
employees
WHERE employee_id = 141);
```

Displays employees whose job ID is the same as that of employee 141 and whose salary is greater than that of employee 143.

```
SELECT last_name, job_id, salary FROM employees WHERE job_id = (SELECT job_id FROM
employees WHERE employee_id = 141) AND salary > (SELECT salary FROM employees
WHERE employee_id = 143);
```

## **Using Group Functions in a Subquery**

Displays the employee last name, job ID, and salary of all employees whose salary is equal to the minimum salary. The MIN group function returns a single value (2500) to the outer query.

```
SELECT last_name, job_id, salary FROM employees WHERE salary = (SELECT MIN(salary) FROM employees);
```

### **The HAVING Clause with Subqueries**

- The Oracle server executes subqueries first.
- The Oracle server returns results into the HAVING clause of the main query.

Displays all the departments that have a minimum salary greater than that of department 50.

```
SELECT department_id, MIN(salary)  
FROM employees  
GROUP BY department_id  
HAVING MIN(salary) >  
(SELECT MIN(salary)  
FROM employees  
WHERE department_id = 50);
```

### **Example**

**Find the job with the lowest average salary.**

```
SELECT job_id, AVG(salary)  
FROM employees  
GROUP BY job_id  
HAVING AVG(salary) = (SELECT MIN(AVG(salary))  
FROM employees  
GROUP BY job_id);
```

### **What Is Wrong in this Statements?**

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name  
FROM employees  
WHERE salary =(SELECT MIN(salary) FROM employees GROUP BY department_id); Will  
This Statement Return Rows?  
SELECT last_name, job_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE job_id =(SELECT job_id FROM employees WHERE last_name = 'Haas');
```

### **Multiple-Row Subqueries**

- Return more than one row

- Use multiple-row comparison operators

## Example

Find the employees who earn the same salary as the minimum salary for each department.

```
SELECT last_name, salary, department_id FROM employees WHERE salary IN (SELECT
MIN(salary)
FROM employees GROUP BY department_id);
```

Using the ANY Operator in Multiple-Row Subqueries

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id, salary FROM employees WHERE salary < ANY
(SELECT salary FROM employees WHERE job_id = 'IT_PROG') AND job_id <> 'IT_PROG';
Displays employees who are not IT programmers and whose salary is less than that of any IT
programmer. The maximum salary that a programmer earns is $9,000.
```

< ANY means less than the maximum. >ANY means more than the minimum. =ANY is equivalent to IN.

## Using the ALL Operator in Multiple-Row Subqueries

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id, salary
FROM employees
WHERE salary < ALL (SELECT salary FROM employees WHERE job_id = 'IT_PROG') AND
job_id <> 'IT_PROG';
Displays employees whose salary is less than the salary of all employees with a job ID of IT_PROG
and whose job is not IT_PROG.
```

- ALL means more than the maximum, and <ALL means less than the minimum.

The NOT operator can be used with IN, ANY, and ALL operators.

## Null Values in a Subquery

```
SELECT emp.last_name FROM employees emp
WHERE emp.employee_id NOT IN (SELECT mgr.manager_id FROM employees mgr);
```

Notice that the null value as part of the results set of a subquery is not a problem if you use the IN operator. The IN operator is equivalent to =ANY. For example, to display the employees who have subordinates, use the following SQL statement:

```
SELECT emp.last_name
FROM employees emp
WHERE emp.employee_id IN (SELECT mgr.manager_id FROM employees mgr);
```

Display all employees who do not have any subordinates:

```
SELECT last_name FROM employees  
WHERE employee_id NOT IN (SELECT manager_id FROM employees WHERE manager_id IS  
NOT NULL);
```

**Find the Solution for the following:**

1. The HR department needs a query that prompts the user for an employee last name. The query then displays the last name and hire date of any employee in the same department as the employee whose name they supply (excluding that employee). For example, if the user enters Zlotkey, find all employees who work with Zlotkey (excluding Zlotkey).

The screenshot shows a SQL editor interface with a code editor at the top containing the following query:

```
1 SELECT last_name, hire_date  
2 FROM employees  
3 WHERE department_id = (  
4     SELECT department_id  
5     FROM employees  
6     WHERE last_name = 'zlotkey'  
7 )  
8 AND last_name <> 'zlotkey';  
9
```

Below the code editor is a results table with two columns: LAST\_NAME and HIRE\_DATE. The table contains one row with the values "Austin" and "6/1/2020".

LAST_NAME	HIRE_DATE
Austin	6/1/2020

At the bottom left, it says "1 rows returned in 0.03 seconds".

2. Create a report that displays the employee number, last name, and salary of all employees who earn more than the average salary. Sort the results in order of ascending salary.

The screenshot shows a SQL editor interface with a code editor at the top containing the following query:

```
1 SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary  
2 FROM employees  
3 WHERE salary > (SELECT AVG(salary) FROM employees)  
4 ORDER BY salary ASC;  
5
```

Below the code editor is a results table with three columns: EMPLOYEE\_ID, LAST\_NAME, and SALARY. The table contains three rows with the following data:

EMPLOYEE_ID	LAST_NAME	SALARY
102	Kochhar	17000
103	De Haan	17000
101	King	24000

At the bottom left, it says "3 rows returned in 0.01 seconds".

3. Write a query that displays the employee number and last name of all employees who work in a department with any employee whose last name contains a *u*.

```

1  SELECT employee_id, last_name
2  FROM employees
3  WHERE department_id IN (
4      SELECT DISTINCT department_id
5      FROM employees
6      WHERE last_name LIKE '%u%'
7  );

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		EMPLOYEE_ID		LAST_NAME	
104			Hunold		
107			Pataballa		
108			Lorentz		
105			Zlotkey		
106			Austin		

5 rows returned in 0.01 seconds [Download](#)

4. The HR department needs a report that displays the last name, department number, and job ID of all employees whose department location ID is 1700.

```

1  SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, e.job_id
2  FROM employees e
3  JOIN departments d ON e.department_id = d.department_id
4  WHERE d.location_id = 1700;
5  |

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		LAST_NAME	DEPARTMENT_ID	JOB_ID	
King			20		AD_PRES
Kochhar			20		AD_VP
De Haan			20		AD_VP
Hunold			10		IT_PROG
Pataballa			10		IT_PROG
Lorentz			10		IT_PROG

5. Create a report for HR that displays the last name and salary of every employee who reports to King.

```

1 SELECT e.last_name, e.salary
2 FROM employees e
3 WHERE e.manager_id = (
4     SELECT employee_id
5         FROM employees
6         WHERE last_name = 'King'
7 );
8

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		LAST_NAME		SALARY	
		Kochhar			17000
		De Haan			17000

6. Create a report for HR that displays the department number, last name, and job ID for every employee in the Executive department.

```

1 SELECT e.department_id, e.last_name, e.job_id
2 FROM employees e
3 JOIN departments d ON e.department_id = d.department_id
4 WHERE d.department_name = 'Executive';
5

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		DEPARTMENT_ID	LAST_NAME	JOB_ID	
20			King	AD_PRES	
20			Kochhar	AD_VP	
20			De Haan	AD_VP	

7. Modify the query 3 to display the employee number, last name, and salary of all employees who earn more than the average salary and who work in a department with any employee whose last name contains a *u*.

```

1 SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary
2 FROM employees
3 WHERE salary > (SELECT AVG(salary) FROM employees)
4 AND department_id IN (
5     SELECT DISTINCT department_id
6         FROM employees
7         WHERE last_name LIKE '%u%'
8 );
9

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
no data found					

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
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## **EXERCISE-10**

### **USING THE SET OPERATORS**

#### **Objectives**

After the completion this exercise, the students should be able to do the following:

- Describe set operators
- Use a set operator to combine multiple queries into a single query
- Control the order of rows returned

The set operators combine the results of two or more component queries into one result.

Queries containing set operators are called *compound queries*.

Operator	Returns
UNION	All distinct rows selected by either query
UNION ALL	All rows selected by either query, including all duplicates
INTERSECT	All distinct rows selected by both queries
MINUS	All distinct rows that are selected by the first SELECT statement and not selected in the second SELECT statement

### **The tables used in this lesson are:**

- EMPLOYEES: Provides details regarding all current employees
- JOB\_HISTORY: Records the details of the start date and end date of the former job, and the job identification number and department when an employee switches jobs

### **UNION Operator**

#### **Guidelines**

- The number of columns and the data types of the columns being selected must be identical in all the SELECT statements used in the query. The names of the columns need not be identical.
- UNION operates over all of the columns being selected.
- NULL values are not ignored during duplicate checking.
- The IN operator has a higher precedence than the UNION operator.
- By default, the output is sorted in ascending order of the first column of the SELECT clause.

#### **Example:**

Display the current and previous job details of all employees. Display each employee only once.

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id FROM employees UNION SELECT employee_id, job_id FROM job_history;
```

#### **Example:**

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id  
FROM employees
```

```
UNION
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id
FROM job_history;
```

## **UNION ALL Operator**

### **Guidelines**

The guidelines for UNION and UNION ALL are the same, with the following two exceptions that pertain to UNION ALL:

- Unlike UNION, duplicate rows are not eliminated and the output is not sorted by default.
- The DISTINCT keyword cannot be used. **Example:**

Display the current and previous departments of all employees.

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id
FROM employees
UNION ALL
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id
FROM job_history
ORDER BY employee_id;
```

## **INTERSECT Operator**

### **Guidelines**

- The number of columns and the data types of the columns being selected by the SELECT statements in the queries must be identical in all the SELECT statements used in the query. The names of the columns need not be identical.
- Reversing the order of the intersected tables does not alter the result.
- INTERSECT does not ignore NULL values.

### **Example:**

Display the employee IDs and job IDs of those employees who currently have a job title that is the same as their job title when they were initially hired (that is, they changed jobs but have now gone back to doing their original job).

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id FROM employees
INTERSECT
SELECT employee_id, job_id
FROM job_history;
```

### **Example**

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id
FROM employees
```

INTERSECT

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id, department_id  
FROM job_history;
```

### **MINUS Operator Guidelines**

- The number of columns and the data types of the columns being selected by the SELECT statements in the queries must be identical in all the SELECT statements used in the query. The names of the columns need not be identical.
- All of the columns in the WHERE clause must be in the SELECT clause for the MINUS operator to work.

#### **Example:**

Display the employee IDs of those employees who have not changed their jobs even once.

```
SELECT employee_id, job_id  
FROM employees  
MINUS  
SELECT employee_id, job_id  
FROM job_history;
```

#### **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. The HR department needs a list of department IDs for departments that do not contain the job ID ST\_CLERK. Use set operators to create this report.

The screenshot shows a SQL query editor interface. At the top, there are icons for Undo (U), Redo (C), Copy (Q), Paste (P), and Help (A). Below the toolbar, the SQL code is displayed in a text area:

```
1  SELECT department_id  
2  FROM departments  
3  MINUS  
4  SELECT DISTINCT department_id  
5  FROM employees  
6  WHERE job_id = 'ST_CLERK';  
7
```

Below the code, there is a results pane with tabs for "Results", "Explain", "Describe", "Saved SQL", and "History". The "Results" tab is selected. The results table has a single column labeled "DEPARTMENT\_ID". The data in the table is:

DEPARTMENT_ID
20
30
50
60

2. The HR department needs a list of countries that have no departments located in them. Display the country ID and the name of the countries. Use set operators to create this report.

```

1  SELECT country_id, country_name
2  FROM countries
3  MINUS
4  SELECT DISTINCT c.country_id, c.country_name
5  FROM countries c
6  JOIN locations l ON c.country_id = l.country_id
7  JOIN departments d ON l.location_id = d.location_id;
8

```

Results	Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
			COUNTRY_ID	COUNTRY_NAME
CN				China
rows returned in 0.05 seconds <a href="#">Download</a>				

3. Produce a list of jobs for departments 10, 50, and 20, in that order. Display job ID and department ID using set operators.

```

1  SELECT job_id, department_id
2  FROM employees
3  WHERE department_id = 10
4
5  UNION ALL
6
7  SELECT job_id, department_id
8  FROM employees
9  WHERE department_id = 50
10
11  UNION ALL
12
13  SELECT job_id, department_id
14  FROM employees
15  WHERE department_id = 20;
16

```

Results	Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
			JOB_ID	DEPARTMENT_ID
ST_CLERK				10
MK_REP				50
AD_PRES				20
AD_VP				20
4 rows returned in 0.01 seconds <a href="#">Download</a>				

4. Create a report that lists the employee IDs and job IDs of those employees who currently have a job title that is the same as their job title when they were initially hired by the company (that is, they changed jobs but have now gone back to doing their original job).

```

1  SELECT employee_id, job_id
2  FROM employees
3  WHERE job_id = hire_job_id;
4

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		EMPLOYEE_ID		JOB_ID	
	101			AD_PRES	
	102			AD_VP	
	103			ST_CLERK	
	104			IT_PROG	
	106			SA_REP	
	107			MK REP	

5. The HR department needs a report with the following specifications:

- Last name and department ID of all the employees from the EMPLOYEES table, regardless of whether or not they belong to a department.
- Department ID and department name of all the departments from the DEPARTMENTS table, regardless of whether or not they have employees working in them Write a compound query to accomplish this.

```

1  SELECT last_name AS name, TO_CHAR(department_id) AS dept_id
2  FROM employees
3
4  UNION
5
6  SELECT department_name AS name, TO_CHAR(department_id) AS dept_id
7  FROM departments;
8

```

Results		Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
		NAME		DEPT_ID	
	Administration			10	
	Austin			30	
	De Haan			10	
	Executive			20	
	Hunold			60	

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
Faculty Signature	

## **EXERCISE-11**

### **CREATING VIEWS**

After the completion of this exercise, students will be able to do the following:

- Describe a view
- Create, alter the definition of, and drop a view
- Retrieve data through a view
- Insert, update, and delete data through a view
- Create and use an inline view

## View

A view is a logical table based on a table or another view. A view contains no data but is like a window through which data from tables can be viewed or changed. The tables on which a view is based are called base tables.

### Advantages of Views

- To restrict data access
- To make complex queries easy
- To provide data independence
- To present different views of the same data

### Classification of views

1. Simple view
2. Complex view

Feature	Simple	Complex
No. of tables	One	One or more
Contains functions	No	Yes
Contains groups of data	No	Yes
DML operations thr' view	Yes	Not always

### Creating a view

#### Syntax

CREATE OR REPLACE FORCE/NOFORCE VIEW view\_name AS Subquery WITH CHECK  
OPTION CONSTRAINT constraint WITH READ ONLY CONSTRAINT constraint;

**FORCE** - Creates the view regardless of whether or not the base tables exist.

**NOFORCE** - Creates the view only if the base table exist.

WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT-specifies that only rows accessible to the view can be inserted or updated.

WITH READ ONLY CONSTRAINT-ensures that no DML operations can be performed on the view.

#### Example: 1 (Without using Column aliases)

Create a view EMPVU80 that contains details of employees in department80.

#### Example 2:

```
CREATE VIEW empvu80 AS SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary FROM employees  
WHERE department_id=80;
```

### **Example:1 (Using column aliases)**

```
CREATE VIEW salvu50  
AS SELECT employee_id,id_number, last_name NAME, salary *12 ANN_SALARY  
FROM employees  
WHERE department_id=50;
```

### **Retrieving data from a view**

#### **Example:**

```
SELECT * from salvu50;
```

### **Modifying a view**

A view can be altered without dropping, re-creating.

#### **Example: (Simple view)**

Modify the EMPVU80 view by using CREATE OR REPLACE.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW empvu80 (id_number, name, sal, department_id)  
AS SELECT employee_id,first_name, last_name, salary, department_id  
FROM employees  
WHERE department_id=80;
```

#### **Example: (complex view)**

```
CREATE VIEW dept_sum_vu (name, minsal, maxsal,avgsal)  
AS SELECT d.department_name, MIN(e.salary), MAX(e.salary), AVG(e.salary)  
FROM employees e, department d  
WHERE e.department_id=d.department_id  
GROUP BY d.department_name;
```

### **Rules for performing DML operations on view**

- Can perform operations on simple views
- Cannot remove a row if the view contains the following:
  - Group functions
  - Group By clause
  - Distinct keyword

- Cannot modify data in a view if it contains
- Group functions
- Group By clause
- Distinct keyword
- Columns contain by expressions
- 
- Cannot add data thr' a view if it contains
- Group functions
- Group By clause
- Distinct keyword
- Columns contain by expressions
- NOT NULL columns in the base table that are not selected by the view

**Example: (Using the WITH CHECK OPTION clause)**

```
CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW empvu20
AS   SELECT *
FROM employees
WHERE department_id=20
WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT empvu20_ck;
```

**Note:** Any attempt to change the department number for any row in the view fails because it violates the WITH CHECK OPTION constraint.

**Example – (Execute this and note the error)**

```
UPDATE empvu20 SET department_id=10 WHERE employee_id=201;
```

**Denying DML operations**

Use of WITH READ ONLY option.

Any attempt to perform a DML on any row in the view results in an oracle server error.

**Try this code:**

```
CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW empvu10(employee_number, employee_name, job_title)
AS SELECT employee_id, last_name, job_id
FROM employees
WHERE department_id=10
WITH READ ONLY;
```

**Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Create a view called EMPLOYEE\_VU based on the employee numbers, employee names and department numbers from the EMPLOYEES table. Change the heading for the employee name to EMPLOYEE.

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW EMPLOYEE_VU AS
2 SELECT employee_id,
3        last_name || ', ' || first_name AS EMPLOYEE,
4        department_id
5 FROM employees;
6
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View created.

2. Display the contents of the EMPLOYEES\_VU view.

```
1 SELECT * FROM EMPLOYEE_VU;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

EMPLOYEE_ID	EMPLOYEE	DEPARTMENT_ID
101	King, Steven	20
102	Kochhar, Neena	20
103	De Haan, Lex	10
104	Hunold, Alexander	60
105	Zlotkey, Bruce	30
106	Austin, David	30

3. Select the view name and text from the USER\_VIEWS data dictionary views.

```
1 SELECT view_name, text
2 FROM user_views
3 WHERE view_name = 'EMPLOYEE_VU';
4
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

VIEW_NAME	TEXT
EMPLOYEE_VU	SELECT employee_id, last_name    ', '    first_name AS EMPLOYEE, department_id FROM employees

1 rows returned in 0.06 seconds [Download](#)

4. Using your EMPLOYEES\_VU view, enter a query to display all employees names and department.

```

1  SELECT employee, department_id
2  FROM EMPLOYEE_VU;
3

```

EMPLOYEE	DEPARTMENT_ID
King, Steven	20
Kochhar, Neena	20
De Haan, Lex	10
Hunold, Alexander	60
Zlotkey, Bruce	30

5. Create a view named DEPT50 that contains the employee number, employee last names and department numbers for all employees in department 50. Label the view columns EMPNO, EMPLOYEE and DEPTNO. Do not allow an employee to be reassigned to another department through the view.

```

1  CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW DEPT50 (EMPNO, EMPLOYEE, DEPTNO) AS
2  SELECT employee_id,
3         last_name || ', ' || first_name,
4         department_id
5    FROM employees
6   WHERE department_id = 50
7  WITH READ ONLY;
8

```

Results	Explain	Describe	Saved SQL	History
View created. 0.05 seconds				

6. Display the structure and contents of the DEPT50 view.

```

1  SELECT * FROM DEPT50;
2
3

```

EMPNO	EMPLOYEE	DEPTNO
107	Smith, Alice	50

7. Attempt to reassign Matos to department 80.

```
1 UPDATE DEPT50
2 SET DEPTNO = 80
3 WHERE EMPLOYEE LIKE '%Matos%';
4
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Error at line 2/5: ORA-42399: cannot perform a DML operation on a read-only view

```
1. UPDATE DEPT50
2. SET DEPTNO = 80
3. WHERE EMPLOYEE LIKE '%Matos%';
```

8. Create a view called SALARY\_VU based on the employee last names, department names, salaries, and salary grades for all employees. Use the Employees, DEPARTMENTS and JOB\_GRADE tables. Label the column Employee, Department, salary, and Grade respectively.

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW SALARY_VU AS
2 SELECT e.last_name || ', ' || e.first_name AS Employee,
3        d.department_name AS Department,
4        e.salary AS Salary,
5        j.grade_level AS Grade
6   FROM employees e
7  JOIN departments d ON e.department_id = d.department_id
8  JOIN job_grades j
9    ON e.salary BETWEEN j.lowest_sal AND j.highest_sal;
10
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View created.

0.06 seconds

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	
Faculty Signature	

## EXERCISE 12

### Intro to Constraints; NOT NULL and UNIQUE Constraints

Global Fast Foods has been very successful this past year and has opened several new stores. They need to add a table to their database to store information about each of their store's locations. The owners want to make sure that all entries have an identification number, date opened, address, and city and that no other entry in the table can have the same email address. Based on this information, answer the following questions about the global\_locations table. Use the table for your answers.

Global Fast Foods global_locations Table						
NAME	TYPE	LENGTH	PRECISION	SCALE	NULLABLE	DEFAULT
Id						
name						
date_opened						
address						
city						
zip/postal code						
phone						
email						
manager_id						
Emergency contact						

1. What is a “constraint” as it relates to data integrity?

A rule that enforces data integrity by restricting allowed data in a table or column.

2. What are the limitations of constraints that may be applied at the column level and at the table level?

Column-level applies to one column only; table-level can handle multiple columns but may be complex.

3. Why is it important to give meaningful names to constraints?

Meaningful names make constraints easier to identify, maintain, and debug.

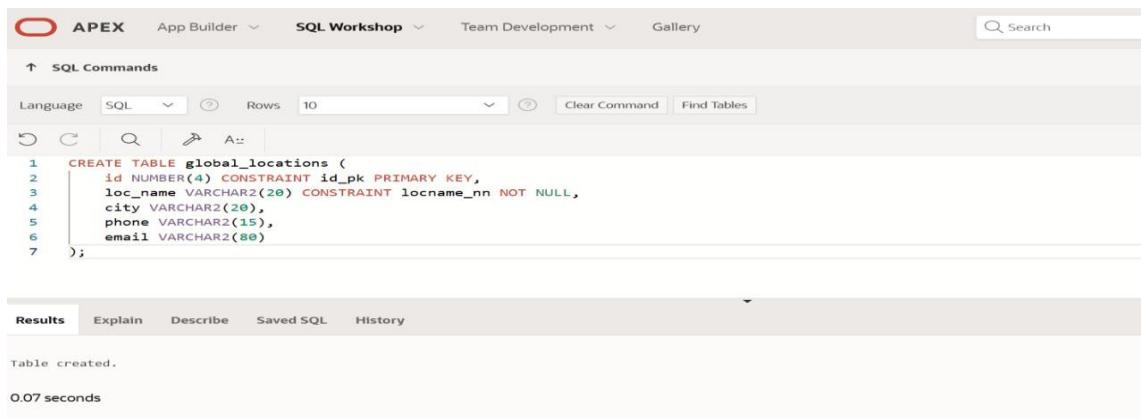
4. Based on the information provided by the owners, choose a datatype for each column. Indicate the length, precision, and scale for each NUMBER datatype.

Use VARCHAR (length) for text, DATE for dates, and NUMBER (precision, scale) for numeric columns based on owners' requirements. Specify length, precision, and scale, and mark (`nullable`) for columns that can have null values.

5. Use "(`nullable`)" to indicate those columns that can have null values.

Assign datatypes based on owners' info: VARCHAR (length) for text, DATE for dates, NUMBER (precision, scale) for numbers, and add (`nullable`) for columns that can contain null values.

6. Write the CREATE TABLE statement for the Global Fast Foods locations table to define the constraints at the column level.



The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX interface with the SQL Workshop module selected. In the SQL Commands tab, a CREATE TABLE statement is pasted:

```
1 CREATE TABLE global_locations (
2   id NUMBER(4) CONSTRAINT id_pk PRIMARY KEY,
3   loc_name VARCHAR2(20) CONSTRAINT locname_nn NOT NULL,
4   city VARCHAR2(20),
5   phone VARCHAR2(15),
6   email VARCHAR2(80)
7 );
```

The Results tab shows the output: "Table created." and "0.07 seconds".

7. Execute the CREATE TABLE statement in Oracle Application Express.

In Oracle APEX, go to **SQL Workshop** → **SQL Commands**, paste your CREATE TABLE statement, and click **Run**. Verify the table in **Object Browser**.

8. Execute a DESCRIBE command to view the Table Summary information.

APEX SQL Workshop interface showing the 'SQL Commands' tab. The command entered is 'Desc global\_locations;'. The interface includes tabs for Language (SQL), Rows (10), Clear Command, and Find Tables.

APEX SQL Workshop interface showing the 'Describe' tab for the 'GLOBAL\_LOCATIONS' table. The table has one column: ID (NUMBER).

Table	Column	Data Type	Length	Precision	Scale	Primary Key	Nullable	Default	Comment
GLOBAL_LOCATIONS	ID	NUMBER	-	4	0	1	-	-	-

- Rewrite the CREATE TABLE statement for the Global Fast Foods locations table to define the UNIQUE constraints at the table level. Do not execute this statement.

Table structure for the Global Fast Foods locations table:

NAME	TYPE	LENGTH	PRECISION	SCALE	NULLABLE	DEFAULT
id	number	4				
loc_name	varchar2	20			X	
	date					
address	varchar2	30				
city	varchar2	20				
zip_postal	varchar2	20			X	
phone	varchar2	15			X	
email	varchar2	80			X	
manager_id	number	4			X	
contact	varchar2	40			X	

APEX SQL Workshop interface showing the creation of the 'global\_locations' table. The table is created with the following structure and constraints:

```

CREATE TABLE global_locations (
    id NUMBER(4),
    loc_name VARCHAR2(20) NOT NULL,
    city VARCHAR2(20),
    phone VARCHAR2(15),
    email VARCHAR2(80),
    CONSTRAINT id_pk PRIMARY KEY (id),
    CONSTRAINT phone_email_uk UNIQUE (phone, email)
);

```

The table was created successfully in 0.10 seconds.

## **PRIMARY KEY, FOREIGN KEY, and CHECK Constraints**

1. What is the purpose of a

- PRIMARY KEY
- FOREIGN KEY
- CHECK CONSTRAINT

**PRIMARY KEY:** Uniquely identifies each row in a table.

**FOREIGN KEY:** Ensures referential integrity by linking a column to a primary key in another table.

**CHECK CONSTRAINT:** Enforces a condition on the values in a column.

2. Using the column information for the animals table below, name constraints where applicable at the table level, otherwise name them at the column level. Define the primary key (animal\_id). The license\_tag\_number must be unique. The admit\_date and vaccination\_date columns cannot contain null values.

```
animal_id    NUMBER(6)    name  
VARCHAR2(25)  
license_tag_number NUMBER(10)  
admit_date   DATE    adoption_id  
NUMBER(5),  
vaccination_date DATE
```

animal\_id → **Primary Key** (table/column level).

license\_tag\_number → **Unique** (table-level name: UQ\_License).

admit\_date & vaccination\_date → **Not Null** (column-level).

3. Create the animals table. Write the syntax you will use to create the table.

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```

1 CREATE TABLE animals (
2     animal_id NUMBER(6),
3     name VARCHAR2(25),
4     license_tag_number NUMBER(10),
5     admit_date DATE CONSTRAINT admit_nn NOT NULL,
6     adoption_id NUMBER(5),
7     vaccination_date DATE CONSTRAINT vacc_nn NOT NULL,
8     CONSTRAINT animal_pk PRIMARY KEY (animal_id),
9     CONSTRAINT license_tag_uk UNIQUE (license_tag_number),
10    CONSTRAINT adoption_id_fk FOREIGN KEY (adoption_id)
11        REFERENCES adoptions (adoption_id)
12 );

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Table created.

4. Enter one row into the table. Execute a SELECT \* statement to verify your input. Refer to the graphic below for input.

ANIMAL_ID	NAM E	LICENSE_TAG_NUMBE R	ADMIT_DAT E	ADOPTION_I D	VACCINATION_DAT E
101	Spot	35540	10-Oct-2004	205	12-Oct-2004

APEX App Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Gallery Search

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

```

1 INSERT INTO animals
2 VALUES (101, 'Spot', 35540, TO_DATE('10-Oct-2004', 'DD-Mon-YYYY'), 205, TO_DATE('13-May-2009', 'DD-Mon-YYYY'));

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) inserted.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. At the top, there are tabs for App Builder, SQL Workshop (which is selected), Team Development, and Gallery. A search bar is also at the top. Below the tabs, there's a toolbar with icons for Undo, Redo, Find, and Paste. The main area has a language dropdown set to SQL, a rows dropdown set to 10, and buttons for Clear Command and Find Tables. A code editor window contains the SQL command: `1 select *from animals;`. Below the code editor is a results panel with tabs for Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History. The Results tab is selected and displays a table with five columns: ANIMAL\_ID, NAME, LICENSE\_TAG\_NUMBER, ADMIT\_DATE, and ADOPTION\_ID. One row is shown: ANIMAL\_ID 101, NAME Spot, LICENSE\_TAG\_NUMBER 35540, ADMIT\_DATE 10/10/2004, and ADOPTION\_ID 205. Below the table, it says "1 rows returned in 0.03 seconds" and has a "Download" link.

5. Write the syntax to create a foreign key (adoption\_id) in the animals table that has a corresponding primary-key reference in the adoptions table. Show both the column-level and table-level syntax. Note that because you have not actually created an adoptions table, no adoption\_id primary key exists, so the foreign key cannot be added to the animals table.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The tabs and toolbar are identical to the previous screenshot. The code editor window contains the SQL command for creating the animals table with a foreign key constraint:

```
1 CREATE TABLE animals (
2   adoption_id NUMBER(5) CONSTRAINT adoption_id_fk
3     REFERENCES adoptions (adoption_id)
4 );
```

Below the code editor is a results panel with tabs for Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History. The Results tab is selected and displays the message "Table created." and "0.03 seconds".

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. In the top navigation bar, 'APEX' is selected, along with 'App Builder', 'SQL Workshop', 'Team Development', and 'Gallery'. The main area is titled 'SQL Commands' with a back arrow. Below it, there are buttons for Language (set to SQL), Rows (set to 10), and various icons for copy, search, and refresh. The SQL command entered is:

```
1 CREATE TABLE animals (
2     adoption_id NUMBER(5),
3     CONSTRAINT adoption_id_fk FOREIGN KEY (adoption_id)
4         REFERENCES adoptions (adoption_id)
5 );
```

Below the command, the results tab is selected, showing the output: 'Table created.' and a execution time of '0.04 seconds'.

6. What is the effect of setting the foreign key in the ANIMAL table as:

- a. ON DELETE CASCADE
- b. ON DELETE SET NULL

**ON DELETE CASCADE:** If the referenced record in the parent table is deleted, all related rows in the ANIMAL table are automatically deleted.

**ON DELETE SET NULL:** If the referenced record is deleted, the foreign key column in the ANIMAL table is set to NULL instead of deleting the row.

7. What are the restrictions on defining a CHECK constraint?

Can only refer to **columns in the same row**.

Cannot include subqueries, references to other tables, or non-deterministic functions.

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
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### **EXERCISE 13 Creating Views**

1. What are three uses for a view from a DBA's perspective?

Three uses of a view for a DBA: simplify complex queries, enhance security by restricting access, and provide data abstraction.

2. Create a simple view called view\_d\_songs that contains the ID, title and artist from the DJs on Demand table for each “New Age” type code. In the subquery, use the alias “Song Title” for the title column.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes APEX, App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands tab is active, showing the following SQL code:

```
1 CREATE VIEW view_d_songs AS
2   SELECT id,
3         title AS "Song Title",
4         artist
5   FROM dis_on_demand
6  WHERE type_code = 'New Age';
```

Below the code, the Results tab is selected, displaying the message "View created." and a execution time of "0.04 seconds".

3. SELECT \* FROM view\_d\_songs. What was returned?

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes APEX, App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands tab shows the following SQL code:

```
1 SELECT * FROM view_d_songs;
```

The Results tab is selected, displaying a table with three columns: ID, Song Title, and ARTIST. The data is as follows:

ID	Song Title	ARTIST
101	Morning Calm	Enya
102	Ocean Dreams	Yanni

Below the table, it says "2 rows returned in 0.01 seconds".

4. REPLACE view\_d\_songs. Add type\_code to the column list. Use aliases for all columns.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. In the top navigation bar, the 'SQL Workshop' tab is selected. The main area displays the following SQL command:

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_d_songs AS
2 SELECT id          AS "ID",
3       title        AS "Song Title",
4       artist       AS "Artist",
5       type_code    AS "Type Code"
6 FROM dis_on_demand
7 WHERE type_code = 'New Age';
```

Below the code, the results pane shows the message "View created." and a execution time of "0.06 seconds".

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. In the top navigation bar, the 'SQL Workshop' tab is selected. The main area displays the following SQL command:

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_d_songs
2 ("ID", "Song Title", "Artist", "Type Code") AS
3 SELECT id, title, artist, type_code
4 FROM dis_on_demand
5 WHERE type_code = 'New Age';
```

Below the code, the results pane shows the message "View created." and a execution time of "0.06 seconds".

Or use alias after the CREATE statement as shown.

5. Jason Tsang, the disk jockey for DJs on Demand, needs a list of the past events and those planned for the coming months so he can make arrangements for each event's equipment setup. As the company manager, you do not want him to have access to the price that clients paid for their events. Create a view for Jason to use that displays the name of the event, the event date, and the theme description. Use aliases for each column name.

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```
1 CREATE VIEW view_events_jason AS
2 SELECT event_name      AS "Event Name",
3        event_date       AS "Event Date",
4        theme_description AS "Theme"
5 FROM copyd_events;|
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View created.

0.03 seconds

6. It is company policy that only upper-level management be allowed access to individual employee salaries. The department managers, however, need to know the minimum, maximum, and average salaries, grouped by department. Use the Oracle database to prepare a view that displays the needed information for department managers.

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_dept_salary_summary AS
2 SELECT dept_id      AS "Dept ID",
3        MIN(salary)   AS "Min Salary",
4        MAX(salary)   AS "Max Salary",
5        AVG(salary)   AS "Avg Salary"
6 FROM employees
7 GROUP BY dept_id;|
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

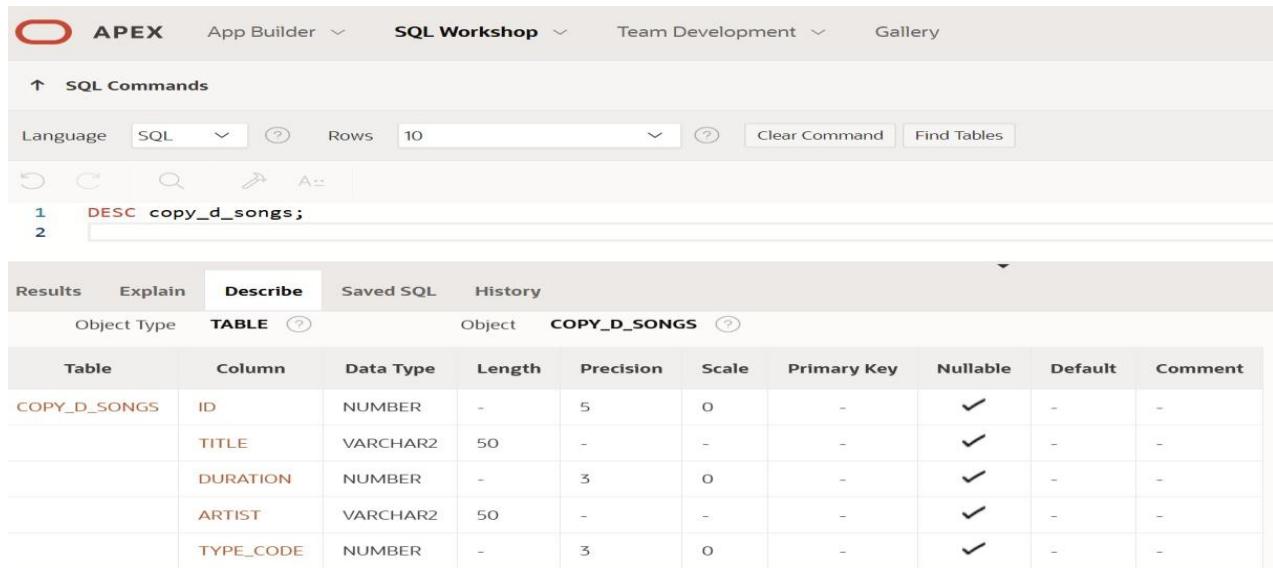
View created.

0.06 seconds

## DML Operations and Views

Use the DESCRIBE statement to verify that you have tables named copy\_d\_songs, copy\_d\_events, copy\_d\_cds, and copy\_d\_clients in your schema. If you don't, write a query to create a copy of each.

1. Query the data dictionary USER\_UPDATABLE\_COLUMNS to make sure the columns in the base tables will allow UPDATE, INSERT, or DELETE. All table names in the data dictionary are stored in uppercase.



The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. In the top navigation bar, 'APEX' is selected. Below it, the tabs 'App Builder', 'SQL Workshop', 'Team Development', and 'Gallery' are visible. Under the 'SQL Workshop' tab, there's a 'SQL Commands' section with a toolbar containing icons for back, forward, search, and refresh. The language is set to 'SQL'. The results pane shows the output of the DESCRIBE command:

```
1 DESC copy_d_songs;
2
```

Below the results, the 'Describe' tab is selected in the navigation bar. The 'Object Type' dropdown is set to 'TABLE'. The table 'COPY\_D\_SONGS' is listed. The data dictionary view shows the following columns:

Table	Column	Data Type	Length	Precision	Scale	Primary Key	Nullable	Default	Comment
COPY_D_SONGS	ID	NUMBER	-	5	0	-	✓	-	-
	TITLE	VARCHAR2	50	-	-	-	✓	-	-
	DURATION	NUMBER	-	3	0	-	✓	-	-
	ARTIST	VARCHAR2	50	-	-	-	✓	-	-
	TYPE_CODE	NUMBER	-	3	0	-	✓	-	-

Use the same syntax but change table\_name of the other tables.

2. Use the CREATE or REPLACE option to create a view of *all* the columns in the copy\_d\_songs table called view\_copy\_d\_songs.

**APEX** App Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Gallery

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_copy_d_songs AS
2 SELECT * FROM copy_d_songs;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View created.

0.02 seconds

3. Use view\_copy\_d\_songs to INSERT the following data into the underlying copy\_d\_songs table. Execute a SELECT \* from copy\_d\_songs to verify your DML command. See the graphic.

ID	TITLE	DURATION	ARTIST	TYPE_CODE
88	Mello Jello	2	The What	4

**APEX** App Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Gallery

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 INSERT INTO view_copy_d_songs (id, title, duration, artist, type_code)
2 VALUES (88, 'Mello Jello', 2, 'The What', 4);
3 |
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

1 row(s) inserted.

0.01 seconds

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

1 select \*from copy\_d\_songs;

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

ID	TITLE	DURATION	ARTIST	TYPE_CODE
88	Mello Jello	2	The What	4

4. Create a view based on the DJs on Demand COPY\_D\_CDS table. Name the view read\_copy\_d\_cds. Select all columns to be included in the view. Add a WHERE clause to restrict the year to 2000. Add the WITH READ ONLY option.

APEX App Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Gallery

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW read\_copy\_d\_cds AS  
2 SELECT \*  
3 FROM copy\_d\_cds  
4 WHERE year = 2000  
5 WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT ck\_read\_copy\_d\_cds;|

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View created.

5. Using the read\_copy\_d\_cds view, execute a DELETE FROM read\_copy\_d\_cds WHERE cd\_number = 90;

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes links for App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands section has a Language dropdown set to SQL, Rows set to 10, and various toolbar icons. The code editor contains the following SQL command:

```
1  DELETE FROM read_copy_d_cds
2  WHERE cd_number = 88;
```

The Results tab is selected, showing the output: "1 row(s) deleted."

6. Use REPLACE to modify read\_copy\_d\_cds. Replace the READ ONLY option with WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT ck\_read\_copy\_d\_cds. Execute a SELECT \* statement to verify that the view exists.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes links for App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands section has a Language dropdown set to SQL, Rows set to 10, and various toolbar icons. The code editor contains the following SQL command:

```
1  CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW read_copy_d_cds AS
2  SELECT *
3  FROM copy_d_cds
4  WHERE year = 2000
5  WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT ck_read_copy_d_cds;|
```

The Results tab is selected, showing the output: "View created."

7. Use the read\_copy\_d\_cds view to delete any CD of year 2000 from the underlying copy\_d\_cds.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes links for App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands section has a Language dropdown set to SQL, a Rows dropdown set to 10, and buttons for Clear Command and Find Tables. Below the toolbar is a toolbar with icons for Undo, Redo, Search, and Paste. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
1  DELETE FROM read_copy_d_cds
2  WHERE year = 2000;
```

The Results tab is selected, showing the output: "1 row(s) deleted."

8. Use the read\_copy\_d\_cds view to delete cd\_number 90 from the underlying copy\_d\_cds table.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes links for App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands section has a Language dropdown set to SQL, a Rows dropdown set to 10, and buttons for Clear Command and Find Tables. Below the toolbar is a toolbar with icons for Undo, Redo, Search, and Paste. The SQL editor contains the following code:

```
1  DELETE FROM read_copy_d_cds
2  WHERE cd_number = 90;
```

The Results tab is selected, showing the output: "1 row(s) deleted."

9. Use the read\_copy\_d\_cds view to delete year 2001 records.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. At the top, there are tabs for APEX, App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. Below the tabs, a toolbar has buttons for Undo, Redo, Find, Replace, and Sort. The main area is titled "SQL Commands". The language is set to SQL, and the number of rows to return is set to 10. The command entered is:

```

1  DELETE FROM read_copy_d_cds
2  WHERE year = 2001;

```

Below the command, the "Results" tab is selected, showing the output: "1 row(s) deleted."

10. Execute a SELECT \* statement for the base table copy\_d\_cds. What rows were deleted?

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The command entered is:

```

1  select *from copy_d_cds;

```

The "Results" tab is selected, displaying the following table output:

CD_NUMBER	TITLE	ARTIST	DURATION	YEAR	TYPE_CODE
90	Rock On	The Band	4	2001	1
91	Calm Waves	Oceanic	5	2001	2

11.What are the restrictions on modifying data through a view?

Views that involve **joins, aggregates, GROUP BY, DISTINCT, or set operations** cannot be updated directly.

Columns derived from **expressions or functions** are not updatable.

**INSTEAD OF triggers** may be needed to allow modifications on complex views.

12. What is Moore's Law? Do you consider that it will continue to apply indefinitely? Support your opinion with research from the internet.

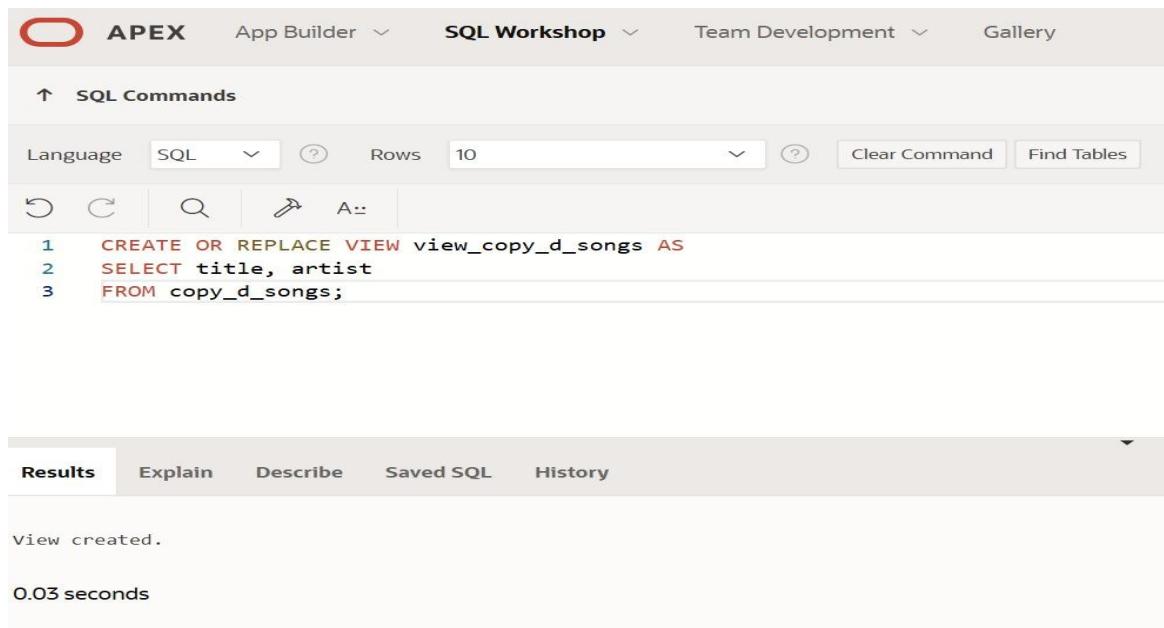
**Moore's Law:** The observation that the number of transistors on a chip **doubles roughly every 18–24 months**, leading to faster and cheaper computing.

13. What is the "singularity" in terms of computing?

The **singularity** is a hypothetical point when **artificial intelligence surpasses human intelligence**, leading to rapid, unpredictable technological growth and societal change.

## Managing Views

1. Create a view from the copy\_d\_songs table called view\_copy\_d\_songs that includes only the title and artist. Execute a SELECT \* statement to verify that the view exists.



The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. In the SQL Commands pane, the following SQL code is entered:

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_copy_d_songs AS
2 SELECT title, artist
3 FROM copy_d_songs;
```

In the Results pane, the output is:

```
View created.
0.03 seconds
```

2. Issue a DROP view\_copy\_d\_songs. Execute a SELECT \* statement to verify that the view has been deleted.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX interface with the SQL Workshop module selected. In the SQL Commands section, the command `Drop view view_copy_d_songs;` is entered. The Results tab is selected, showing the output: "View dropped." and a execution time of "0.05 seconds".

```
1 Drop view view_copy_d_songs;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

View dropped.  
0.05 seconds

3. Create a query that selects the last name and salary from the Oracle database. Rank the salaries from highest to lowest for the top three employees.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX interface with the SQL Workshop module selected. The query entered is:

```
1 SELECT *
2 FROM (
3     SELECT last_name,
4            salary,
5            RANK() OVER (ORDER BY salary DESC) AS salary_rank
6     FROM employees
7 )
8 WHERE salary_rank <= 3;
```

The Results tab is selected, displaying the following table:

LAST_NAME	SALARY	SALARY_RANK
Kim	9000	1
Lee	8000	2
Jones	7000	3

4. Construct an inline view from the Oracle database that lists the last name, salary, department ID, and maximum salary for each department. Hint: One query will need to calculate maximum salary by department ID.

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

```

1  SELECT e.last_name,
2      e.salary,
3      e.department_id,
4      d.max_salary
5  FROM employees e
6  JOIN (
7      SELECT department_id,
8          MAX(salary) AS max_salary
9      FROM employees
10     GROUP BY department_id

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

LAST_NAME	SALARY	DEPARTMENT_ID	MAX_SALARY
Brown	6000	30	6000
Smith	5000	10	7000

5. Create a query that will return the staff members of Global Fast Foods ranked by salary from lowest to highest.

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

```

1  SELECT staff_name,
2      salary,
3      RANK() OVER (ORDER BY salary ASC) AS salary_rank
4  FROM staffs;

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

STAFF_NAME	SALARY	SALARY_RANK
John Doe	4000	1
Sam Green	5500	2
Jane Roe	6000	3
Lucy White	7000	4

4 rows returned in 0.02 seconds Download

## Indexes and Synonyms

1. What is an index and what is it used for?

An **index** is a database structure that improves **query performance** by allowing faster searches on a table column.

2. What is a ROWID, and how is it used?

**ROWID** is a unique identifier for each row in a table, representing its **physical storage location**.

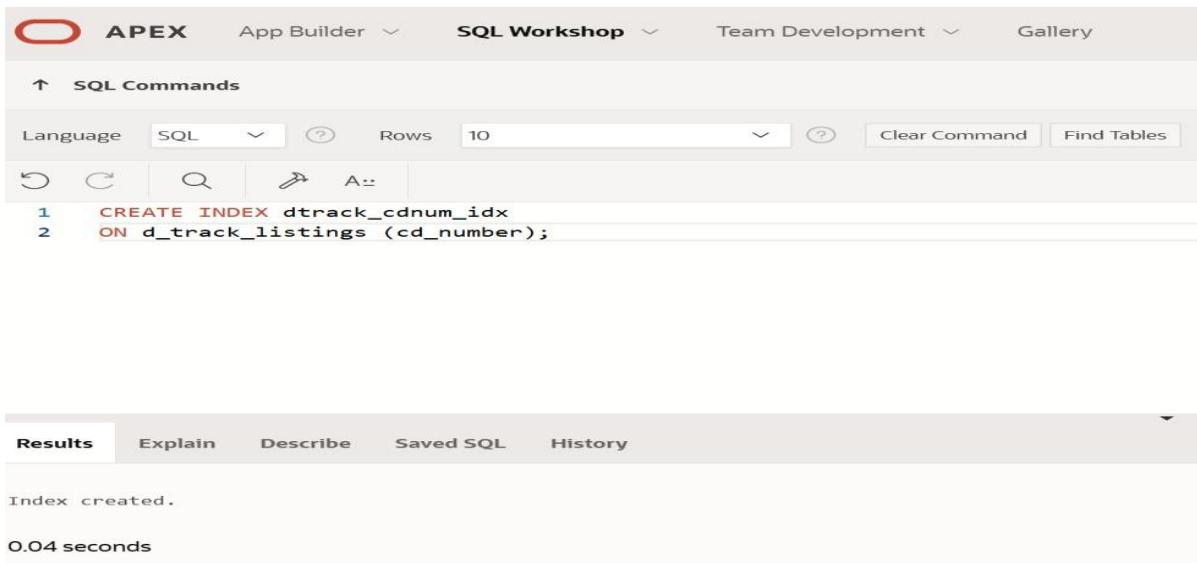
3. When will an index be created automatically?

An index is **automatically created** when:

A **PRIMARY KEY** constraint is defined.

A **UNIQUE** constraint is defined.

4. Create a nonunique index (foreign key) for the DJs on Demand column (cd\_number) in the D\_TRACK\_LISTINGS table. Use the Oracle Application Express SQL Workshop Data Browser to confirm that the index was created.



The screenshot shows the Oracle Application Express SQL Workshop Data Browser interface. The top navigation bar includes APEX, App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. Below the toolbar, there are buttons for Undo, Redo, Find, and Paste, followed by a language dropdown set to SQL, a rows dropdown set to 10, and a Clear Command/Find Tables button. The main area contains two lines of SQL code:

```
1 CREATE INDEX dtrack_cdnum_idx
2 ON d_track_listings (cd_number);
```

Below the code, the Results tab is selected, showing the output: "Index created." and "0.04 seconds". Other tabs available include Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History.

5. Use the join statement to display the indexes and uniqueness that exist in the data dictionary for the DJs on Demand D\_SONGS table.

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

SELECT i.index\_name,  
   i.uniqueness,  
   c.column\_name  
 FROM user\_indexes i  
 JOIN user\_ind\_columns c  
 ON i.index\_name = c.index\_name  
 WHERE i.table\_name = 'D\_SONGS';

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

INDEX_NAME	UNIQUENESS	COLUMN_NAME
SYS_C00187042324	UNIQUE	SONG_ID

1 rows returned in 0.36 seconds [Download](#)

6. Use a SELECT statement to display the index\_name, table\_name, and uniqueness from the data dictionary USER\_INDEXES for the DJs on Demand D\_EVENTS table.

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

SELECT index\_name,  
   table\_name,  
   uniqueness  
 FROM user\_indexes  
 WHERE table\_name = 'D\_EVENTS';

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

INDEX_NAME	TABLE_NAME	UNIQUENESS
SYS_C00187042428	D_EVENTS	UNIQUE

1 rows returned in 0.07 seconds [Download](#)

7. Write a query to create a synonym called dj\_tracks for the DJs on Demand d\_track\_listings table.

**APEX** App Builder ▾ **SQL Workshop** ▾ Team Development ▾ Gallery

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL ▾ Rows 10 ▾ Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE SYNONYM di_tracks FOR d_track_listings;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Synonym created.

0.04 seconds

8. Create a function-based index for the last\_name column in DJs on Demand D\_PARTNERS table that makes it possible not to have to capitalize the table name for searches. Write a SELECT statement that would use this index.

**APEX** App Builder ▾ **SQL Workshop** ▾ Team Development ▾ Gallery

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL ▾ Rows 10 ▾ Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE INDEX dpartners_lname_upper_idx
2 ON d_partners (UPPER(last_name));
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Index created.

0.06 seconds

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

SELECT \*  
FROM d\_partners  
WHERE UPPER(last\_name) = 'SMITH';

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

PARTNER_ID	FIRST_NAME	LAST_NAME
301	John	Smith

1 rows returned in 0.84 seconds [Download](#)

9. Create a synonym for the D\_TRACK\_LISTINGS table. Confirm that it has been created by querying the data dictionary.

APEX App Builder SQL Workshop Team Development Gallery

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

CREATE SYNONYM dj\_tracks FOR d\_track\_listings;

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Synonym created.  
0.03 seconds

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

SELECT synonym\_name, table\_owner, table\_name  
FROM user\_synonyms  
WHERE synonym\_name = 'DJ\_TRACKS';

**Results** Explain Describe Saved SQL History

SYNONYM_NAME	TABLE_OWNER	TABLE_NAME
DJ_TRACKS	WKSP_AUX123	D_TRACK_LISTINGS

1 rows returned in 0.08 seconds [Download](#)

10.Drop the synonym that you created in question

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX SQL Workshop interface. The top navigation bar includes links for App Builder, SQL Workshop (selected), Team Development, and Gallery. The SQL Commands section has a Language dropdown set to SQL, a Rows dropdown set to 10, and various toolbar icons. A command line window displays the SQL statement: `1 DROP SYNONYM dj_tracks;`. Below the command window, the Results tab is selected, showing the output: `Synonym dropped.` and `0.04 seconds`.

Evaluation Procedure	Marks awarded
Query(5)	
Execution (5)	
Viva(5)	
Total (15)	

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## **EXERCISE-14**

### **OTHER DATABASE OBJECTS**

#### **Objectives**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Create, maintain, and use sequences
- Create and maintain indexes

#### **Database Objects**

Many applications require the use of unique numbers as primary key values. You can either build code into the application to handle this requirement or use a sequence to generate unique numbers. If you want to improve the performance of some queries, you should consider creating an index. You can also use indexes to enforce uniqueness on a column or a collection of columns.

You can provide alternative names for objects by using synonyms.

#### **What Is a Sequence?**

A sequence:

- Automatically generates unique numbers
- Is a sharable object
- Is typically used to create a primary key value
- Replaces application code
- Speeds up the efficiency of accessing sequence values when cached in memory

#### **The CREATE SEQUENCE Statement Syntax**

Define a sequence to generate sequential numbers automatically:

```
CREATE SEQUENCE sequence
[INCREMENT BY n]
```

[START WITH *n*]  
[{MAXVALUE *n* | NOMAXVALUE}]  
[{MINVALUE *n* | NOMINVALUE}]  
[{CYCLE | NOCYCLE}] [{CACHE  
*n* | NOCACHE}];

**In the syntax:**

*sequence* is the name of the sequence generator

INCREMENT BY *n* specifies the interval between sequence numbers where *n* is an integer (If this clause is omitted, the sequence increments by 1.)

START WITH *n* specifies the first sequence number to be generated (If this clause is omitted, the sequence starts with 1.)

MAXVALUE *n* specifies the maximum value the sequence can generate

NOMAXVALUE specifies a maximum value of  $10^{27}$  for an ascending sequence and  $-1$  for a descending sequence (This is the default option.)

MINVALUE *n* specifies the minimum sequence value

NOMINVALUE specifies a minimum value of 1 for an ascending sequence and  $-(10^{26})$  for a descending sequence (This is the default option.)

CYCLE | NOCYCLE specifies whether the sequence continues to generate values after reaching its maximum or minimum value (NOCYCLE is the default option.)

CACHE *n* | NOCACHE specifies how many values the Oracle server preallocates and keep in memory (By default, the Oracle server caches 20 values.)

**Creating a Sequence**

- Create a sequence named DEPT\_DEPTID\_SEQ to be used for the primary key of the DEPARTMENTS table.
- Do not use the CYCLE option.

**EXAMPLE:**

```
CREATE SEQUENCE dept_deptid_seq
INCREMENT BY 10
START WITH 120
MAXVALUE 9999
NOCACHE
NOCYCLE;
```

**Confirming Sequences**

- Verify your sequence values in the USER\_SEQUENCES data dictionary table.

- The LAST\_NUMBER column displays the next available sequence number if NOCACHE is specified.

### **EXAMPLE:**

```
SELECT sequence_name, min_value, max_value, increment_by, last_number
```

### **NEXTVAL and CURRVAL Pseudocolumns**

- NEXTVAL returns the next available sequence value. It returns a unique value every time it is referenced, even for different users.
- CURRVAL obtains the current sequence value.
- NEXTVAL must be issued for that sequence before CURRVAL contains a value.

### **Rules for Using NEXTVAL and CURRVAL**

You can use NEXTVAL and CURRVAL in the following contexts:

- The SELECT list of a SELECT statement that is not part of a subquery
- The SELECT list of a subquery in an INSERT statement
- The VALUES clause of an INSERT statement
- The SET clause of an UPDATE statement

You cannot use NEXTVAL and CURRVAL in the following contexts:

- The SELECT list of a view
- A SELECT statement with the DISTINCT keyword
- A SELECT statement with GROUP BY, HAVING, or ORDER BY clauses
- A subquery in a SELECT, DELETE, or UPDATE statement
- The DEFAULT expression in a CREATE TABLE or ALTER TABLE statement

### **Using a Sequence**

- Insert a new department named “Support” in location ID 2500.
- View the current value for the DEPT\_DEPTID\_SEQ sequence.

### **EXAMPLE:**

```
INSERT INTO departments(department_id, department_name, location_id)
VALUES (dept_deptid_seq.NEXTVAL, 'Support', 2500);
```

```
SELECT dept_deptid_seq.CURRVAL FROM dual;
```

The example inserts a new department in the DEPARTMENTS table. It uses the DEPT\_DEPTID\_SEQ sequence for generating a new department number as follows:  
You can view the current value of the sequence:

```
SELECT dept_deptid_seq.CURRVAL FROM dual; Removing  
a Sequence
```

- Remove a sequence from the data dictionary by using the DROP SEQUENCE statement.
- Once removed, the sequence can no longer be referenced.

#### **EXAMPLE:**

```
DROP SEQUENCE dept_deptid_seq;
```

### **What is an Index?**

An index:

- Is a schema object
- Is used by the Oracle server to speed up the retrieval of rows by using a pointer
- Can reduce disk I/O by using a rapid path access method to locate data quickly
- Is independent of the table it indexes
- Is used and maintained automatically by the Oracle server

### **How Are Indexes Created?**

- Automatically: A unique index is created automatically when you define a PRIMARY KEY or UNIQUE constraint in a table definition.
- Manually: Users can create nonunique indexes on columns to speed up access to the rows.

#### **Types of Indexes**

Two types of indexes can be created. One type is a unique index: the Oracle server automatically creates this index when you define a column in a table to have a PRIMARY KEY or a UNIQUE key constraint. The name of the index is the name given to the constraint.

The other type of index is a nonunique index, which a user can create. For example, you can create a

FOREIGN KEY column index for a join in a query to improve retrieval speed.

#### **Creating an Index**

- Create an index on one or more columns.
- Improve the speed of query access to the LAST\_NAME column in the EMPLOYEES table.

```
CREATE INDEX index
ON table (column[, column]...);
```

**EXAMPLE:**

```
CREATE INDEX emp_last_name_idx
ON employees(last_name); In the
syntax: index is the name of the index
table is the name of the table
column is the name of the column in the table to be indexed
```

### **When to Create an Index**

You should create an index if:

- A column contains a wide range of values
- A column contains a large number of null values
- One or more columns are frequently used together in a WHERE clause or a join condition
- The table is large and most queries are expected to retrieve less than 2 to 4 percent of the rows

### **When Not to Create an Index**

It is usually not worth creating an index if:

- The table is small
- The columns are not often used as a condition in the query
- Most queries are expected to retrieve more than 2 to 4 percent of the rows in the table • The table is updated frequently
- The indexed columns are referenced as part of an Expression **Confirming Indexes**
- The USER\_INDEXES data dictionary view contains the name of the index and its uniqueness.
- The USER\_IND\_COLUMNS view contains the index name, the table name, and the column name.

**EXAMPLE:**

```
SELECT ic.index_name, ic.column_name, ic.column_position col_pos, ix.uniqueness
FROM user_indexes ix, user_ind_columns ic WHERE
ic.index_name = ix.index_name
AND ic.table_name = 'EMPLOYEES';
```

### **Removing an Index**

- Remove an index from the data dictionary by using the DROP INDEX command.
- Remove the UPPER\_LAST\_NAME\_IDX index from the data dictionary.
- To drop an index, you must be the owner of the index or have the DROP ANY INDEX privilege.

```
DROP INDEX upper_last_name_idx;
```

DROP INDEX *index*;

**Find the Solution for the following:**

1. Create a sequence to be used with the primary key column of the DEPT table. The sequence should start at 200 and have a maximum value of 1000. Have your sequence increment by ten numbers. Name the sequence DEPT\_ID\_SEQ.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. In the top navigation bar, 'APEX' is selected. Below it, tabs for 'App Builder', 'SQL Workshop', 'Team Development', and 'Gallery' are visible. The main area is titled 'SQL Commands'. A toolbar with icons for undo, redo, search, and other functions is at the top. Below the toolbar, there are dropdown menus for 'Language' set to 'SQL', 'Rows' set to '10', and buttons for 'Clear Command' and 'Find Tables'. The SQL command entered is:

```
1 CREATE SEQUENCE dept_id_seq
2 START WITH 200
3 INCREMENT BY 10
4 MAXVALUE 1000
5 NOCACHE
6 NOCYCLE;
```

Below the command, the 'Results' tab is selected. The output shows:

Sequence created.

2. Write a query in a script to display the following information about your sequences: sequence name, maximum value, increment size, and last number

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. The 'SQL Workshop' tab is selected. Below the toolbar, there are dropdown menus for 'Language' set to 'SQL', 'Rows' set to '10', and buttons for 'Clear Command' and 'Find Tables'. The SQL command entered is:

```
1 SELECT sequence_name,
2       max_value,
3       increment_by,
4       last_number
5  FROM user_sequences
6 WHERE sequence_name = 'DEPT_ID_SEQ';
```

Below the command, the 'Results' tab is selected. The output shows a table with the following data:

SEQUENCE_NAME	MAX_VALUE	INCREMENT_BY	LAST_NUMBER
DEPT_ID_SEQ	1000	10	200

1 rows returned in 0.02 seconds [Download](#)

3. Write a script to insert two rows into the DEPT table. Name your script lab12\_3.sql. Be sure to use the sequence that you created for the ID column. Add two departments named Education and Administration. Confirm your additions. Run the commands in your script.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX interface with the SQL Workshop tab selected. In the SQL Commands section, the command `SELECT * FROM dept;` is entered. The Results section displays the following data:

DEPT_ID	DEPT_NAME
200	Education
210	Administration

Below the table, it says "2 rows returned in 0.00 seconds" and has a "Download" link.

4. Create a nonunique index on the foreign key column (DEPT\_ID) in the EMP table.

The screenshot shows the Oracle APEX interface with the SQL Workshop tab selected. In the SQL Commands section, the command `CREATE INDEX emp_deptid_idx ON emp (dept_id);` is entered. The Results section displays the message "Index created." and "0.04 seconds".

5. Display the indexes and uniqueness that exist in the data dictionary for the EMP table.

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 SELECT index_name,
2      |    table_name,
3      |    uniqueness
4 FROM user_indexes
5 WHERE table_name = 'EMP';
```

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Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

INDEX_NAME	TABLE_NAME	UNIQUENESS
EMP_DEPTID_IDX	EMP	NONUNIQUE

1 rows returned in 0.08 seconds [Download](#)

## **EXERCISE-15**

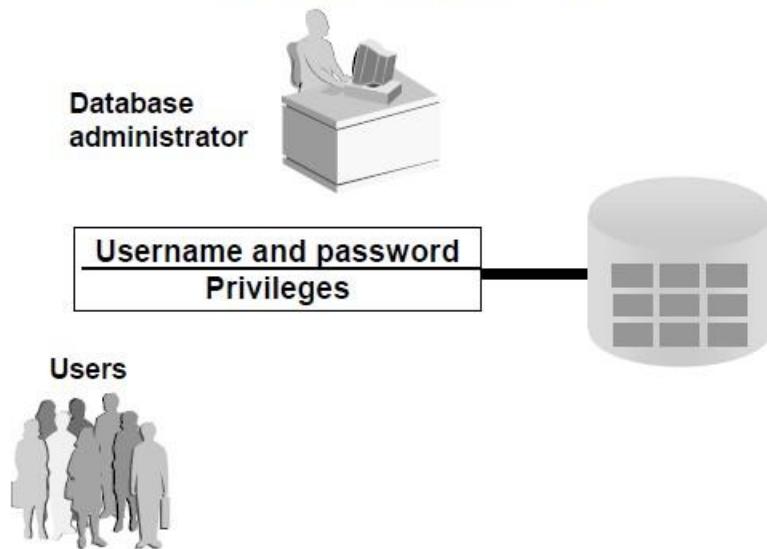
### **Controlling User Access**

#### **Objectives**

After the completion of this exercise, the students will be able to do the following:

- Create users
- Create roles to ease setup and maintenance of the security model
- Use the GRANT and REVOKE statements to grant and revoke object privileges
- Create and access database links

### **Controlling User Access**



### **Controlling User Access**

In a multiple-user environment, you want to maintain security of the database access and use. With Oracle server database security, you can do the following:

- Control database access
- Give access to specific objects in the database
- Confirm given and received *privileges* with the Oracle data dictionary
- Create synonyms for database objects

## **Privileges**

- Database security: –

System security

– Data security

- System privileges: Gaining access to the database
- Object privileges: Manipulating the content of the database objects
- Schemas: Collections of objects, such as tables, views, and sequences

## **System Privileges**

- More than 100 privileges are available.
- The database administrator has high-level system privileges for tasks such as:
  - Creating new users
  - Removing users
  - Removing tables
  - Backing up tables

### **Typical DBA Privileges**

System Privilege	Operations Authorized
CREATE USER	Grantee can create other Oracle users (a privilege required for a DBA role).
DROP USER	Grantee can drop another user.
DROP ANY TABLE	Grantee can drop a table in any schema.
BACKUP ANY TABLE	Grantee can back up any table in any schema with the export utility.
SELECT ANY TABLE	Grantee can query tables, views, or snapshots in any schema.
CREATE ANY TABLE	Grantee can create tables in any schema.

## **Creating Users**

The DBA creates users by using the CREATE USER statement.

### **EXAMPLE:**

CREATE USER scott IDENTIFIED BY tiger;

## **User System Privileges**

- Once a user is created, the DBA can grant specific system privileges to a user.
- An application developer, for example, may have the following system privileges:

– CREATE SESSION  
 – CREATE TABLE  
 – CREATE SEQUENCE  
 – CREATE VIEW  
 – CREATE PROCEDURE

*GRANT privilege [, privilege...]  
 TO user [, user| role, PUBLIC...];*

### Typical User Privileges

System Privilege	Operations Authorized
CREATE SESSION	Connect to the database
CREATE TABLE	Create tables in the user's schema
CREATE SEQUENCE	Create a sequence in the user's schema
CREATE VIEW	Create a view in the user's schema
CREATE PROCEDURE	Create a stored procedure, function, or package in the user's schema

### In the syntax:

*privilege* is the system privilege to be granted

*user |role|PUBLIC* is the name of the user, the name of the role, or PUBLIC designates that every user is granted the privilege

**Note:** Current system privileges can be found in the dictionary view SESSION\_PRIVS.

### Granting System Privileges

The DBA can grant a user specific system privileges.

*GRANT create session, create table, create sequence, create view TO scott;*

### What is a Role?

A role is a named group of related privileges that can be granted to the user. This method makes it easier to revoke and maintain privileges.

A user can have access to several roles, and several users can be assigned the same role. Roles are typically created for a database application.

### Creating and Assigning a Role

First, the DBA must create the role. Then the DBA can assign privileges to the role and users to the role.

### **Syntax**

CREATE ROLE *role*;

In the syntax: *role* is the name of the role to be created

Now that the role is created, the DBA can use the GRANT statement to assign users to the role as well as assign privileges to the role.

### **Creating and Granting Privileges to a Role**

CREATE ROLE manager;

Role created.

GRANT create table, create view TO manager; Grant succeeded.

GRANT manager TO DEHAAN, KOCHHAR;  
Grant succeeded.

- Create a role
- Grant privileges to a role
- Grant a role to users

### **Changing Your Password**

- The DBA creates your user account and initializes your password.
- You can change your password by using the

ALTER USER statement.

ALTER USER scott IDENTIFIED  
BY lion;  
User altered.

## Object Privileges

Object Privilege	Table	View	Sequence	Procedure
ALTER	✓		✓	
DELETE	✓	✓		
EXECUTE				✓
INDEX	✓			
INSERT	✓	✓		
REFERENCES	✓	✓		
SELECT	✓	✓	✓	
UPDATE	✓	✓		

### Object Privileges

- Object privileges vary from object to object.
- An owner has all the privileges on the object.
- An owner can give specific privileges on that owner's object.  
GRANT *object\_priv* [(*columns*)]  
ON *object*  
TO {*user|role|PUBLIC*}  
[WITH GRANT OPTION];

### In the syntax:

*object\_priv* is an object privilege to be granted

ALL specifies all object privileges

*columns* specifies the column from a table or view on which privileges are granted

ON *object* is the object on which the privileges are granted

TO identifies to whom the privilege is granted

PUBLIC grants object privileges to all users

WITH GRANT OPTION allows the grantee to grant the object privileges to other users and roles

## **Granting Object Privileges**

- Grant query privileges on the EMPLOYEES table.
- Grant privileges to update specific columns to users and roles.

```
GRANT select  
ON employees  
TO sue, rich;
```

```
GRANT update (department_name, location_id)  
ON departments  
TO scott, manager;
```

## **Using the WITH GRANT OPTION and PUBLIC Keywords**

- Give a user authority to pass along privileges.
- Allow all users on the system to query data from Alice's DEPARTMENTS table.

```
GRANT select, insert  
ON departments  
TO scott  
WITH GRANT OPTION;
```

```
GRANT select  
ON alice.departments  
TO PUBLIC;
```

## **How to Revoke Object Privileges**

- You use the REVOKE statement to revoke privileges granted to other users.
- Privileges granted to others through the WITH GRANT OPTION clause are also revoked.  

```
REVOKE {privilege [, privilege...]}|ALL  
ON object  
FROM {user[, user...]}|role|PUBLIC  
[CASCADE CONSTRAINTS];
```

### **In the syntax:**

CASCADE is required to remove any referential integrity constraints made to the CONSTRAINTS object by means of the REFERENCES privilege

## **Revoking Object Privileges**

As user Alice, revoke the SELECT and INSERT privileges given to user Scott on the DEPARTMENTS table.

```
REVOKE select, insert  
ON departments  
FROM scott;
```

### **Find the Solution for the following:**

1. What privilege should a user be given to log on to the Oracle Server? Is this a system or an object privilege?

User needs the CREATE SESSION privilege to connect to the Oracle server.  
It is a System privilege.

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2. What privilege should a user be given to create tables?

User must have the CREATE TABLE privilege.  
This is also a System privilege.

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3. If you create a table, who can pass along privileges to other users on your table?

Only the table owner can grant privileges on their table.  
They can use the GRANT command to do so.

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4. You are the DBA. You are creating many users who require the same system privileges. What should you use to make your job easier?

Use a Role to group and assign privileges easily.  
This simplifies user privilege management.

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5. What command do you use to change your password?

Use the command ALTER USER username IDENTIFIED BY new\_password;.  
Or use PASSWORD command when logged in.

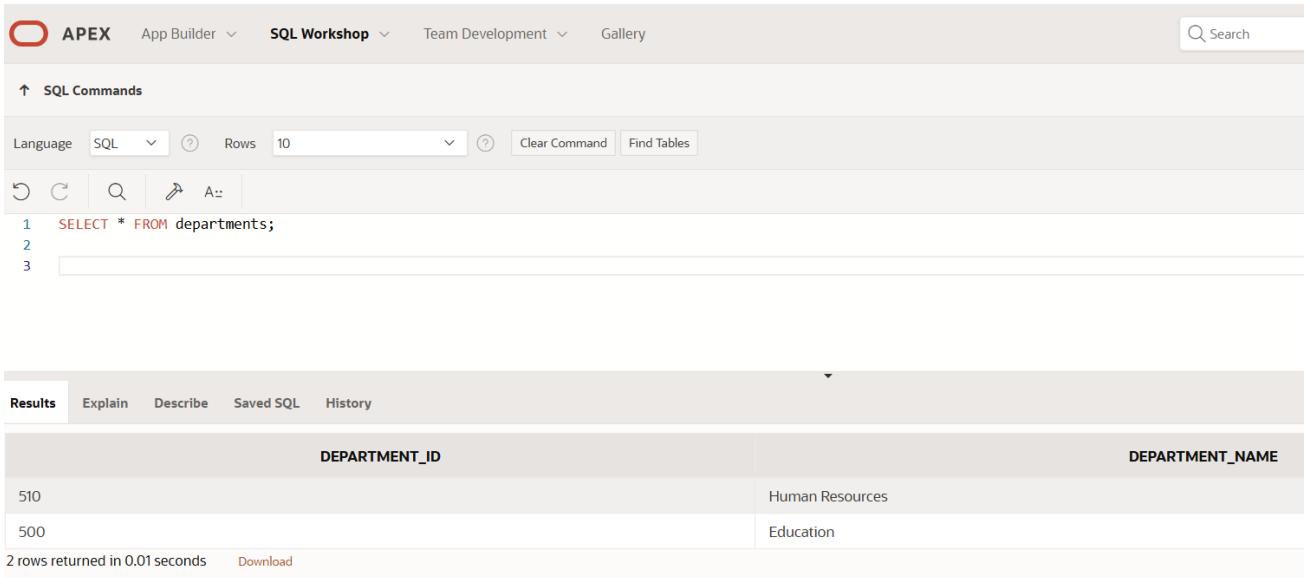
- 
6. Grant another user access to your DEPARTMENTS table. Have the user grant you query access to his or her DEPARTMENTS table.

Use GRANT SELECT ON departments TO other\_user;. This allows the other user to query your table.

7. Query all the rows in your DEPARTMENTS table.

Use SELECT \* FROM departments; It displays all rows from your table.

8. Add a new row to your DEPARTMENTS table. Team 1 should add Education as department number 500. Team 2 should add Human Resources department number 510. Query the other team's table.



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```
1  SELECT * FROM departments;
```

Below the code, the results tab is selected, showing the output of the query:

DEPARTMENT_ID	DEPARTMENT_NAME
510	Human Resources
500	Education

At the bottom left, it says "2 rows returned in 0.01 seconds".

9. Query the USER\_TABLES data dictionary to see information about the tables that you own.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface. At the top, there are tabs for APEX, App Builder, SQL Workshop (which is selected), Team Development, and Gallery. Below the tabs, a toolbar has buttons for Undo, Redo, Find, and Paste, followed by dropdown menus for Language (SQL), Rows (set to 10), Clear Command, and Find Tables.

In the main editor area, the following SQL command is entered:

```
1  SELECT table_name FROM user_tables;
```

The results pane shows a single row returned:

TABLE_NAME
DEPARTMENTS

Below the table, it says "1 rows returned in 0.01 seconds" and has a "Download" link.

10. Revoke the SELECT privilege on your table from the other team.

Use REVOKE SELECT ON departments FROM other\_user;. This removes the granted privilege.

11. Remove the row you inserted into the DEPARTMENTS table in step 8 and save the changes.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Workshop interface, identical to the previous one but with a different query entered.

In the main editor area, the following SQL command is entered:

```
1  DELETE FROM departments WHERE department_id = 500;
```

The results pane shows the output of the delete operation:

1 row(s) deleted.

0.03 seconds

<u>Evaluation Procedure</u>	<u>Marks awarded</u>
<u>Practice Evaluation (5)</u>	
<u>Viva(5)</u>	
<u>Total (10)</u>	
<u>Faculty Signature</u>	

# PL/SQL

PL/SQL

## Control Structures

In addition to SQL commands,PL/SQL can also process data usin flow of statements.the flow of control statements are classified into the following categories.

- Conditional control -Branching
- Iterative control - looping
- Sequential control

### BRANCHING in PL/SQL:

Sequence of statements can be executed on satisfying certain condition .

If statements are being used and different forms of if are:

- 1.Simple IF
- 2.ELSIF
- 3.ELSE IF **SIMPLE**

#### **IF:**

##### **Syntax:**

IF condition THEN

```
statement1;  
statement2;  
END IF;
```

#### **IF-THEN-ELSE STATEMENT:**

##### **Syntax:**

IF condition THEN

```
statement1;  
ELSE  
statement2;  
END IF;
```

#### **ELSIF STATEMENTS:**

##### **Syntax:**

IF condition1 THEN

```
statement1;  
ELSIF condition2 THEN  
  
    statement2;  
  
ELSIF condition3 THEN  
  
    statement3;  
  
ELSE  
  
    statementn;  
  
END IF;
```

### **NESTED IF :**

```
Syntax: IF  
condition THEN  
  
    statement1;  
  
ELSE  
  
    IF condition THEN  
  
        statement2;  
  
    ELSE  
  
        statement3;  
  
    END IF;  
  
END IF; ELSE  
  
    statement3;  
  
END IF;
```

## **SELECTION IN PL/SQL(Sequential Controls)**

### **SIMPLE CASE**

#### **Syntax:**

```
CASE SELECTOR
```

```
WHEN Expr1 THEN statement1;  
WHEN Expr2 THEN statement2;  
:  
ELSE  
    Statement n;  
END CASE;
```

### **SEARCHED CASE:**

```
CASE  
    WHEN searchcondition1 THEN statement1;  
    WHEN searchcondition2 THEN statement2;  
    :  
    :  
    ELSE  
        statementn;  
    END CASE;
```

### **ITERATIONS IN PL/SQL**

Sequence of statements can be executed any number of times using loop construct.

It is broadly classified into:

- Simple Loop
- For Loop
- While Loop

### **SIMPLE LOOP**

#### **Syntax:** LOOP

```
statement1;  
EXIT [ WHEN Condition];
```

END LOOP; **WHILE**

**LOOP**

**Syntax:**

WHILE condition LOOP

statement1; statement2;

END LOOP;

**FOR LOOP**

**Syntax:**

FOR counter IN [REVERSE]

LowerBound..UpperBound LOOP

statement1; statement2;

END LOOP;



## PROGRAM 1

Write a PL/SQL block to calculate the incentive of an employee whose ID is 110.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Developer interface. The top navigation bar includes 'SQL Commands' and tabs for 'Language' (set to 'SQL'), 'Rows' (set to 10), 'Clear Command', and 'Find Tables'. Below the toolbar are standard icons for undo, redo, search, and refresh. The main area contains a PL/SQL block:

```
1  DECLARE
2      v_salary    employee.salary%TYPE;
3      v_incentive NUMBER(10,2);
4  BEGIN
5      SELECT salary
6          INTO v_salary
7          FROM employee
8          WHERE employee_id = 110;
9
10     v_incentive := v_salary * 0.10;
11
12     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Incentive for employee 110 is: ' || v_incentive);
13 EXCEPTION
14     WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
15         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Employee with ID 110 does not exist.');
16     WHEN OTHERS THEN
17         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('An error occurred: ' || SQLERRM);
18 END;
```

Below the code, there are tabs for 'Results', 'Explain', 'Describe', 'Saved SQL', and 'History'. The 'Results' tab is selected, showing the output of the executed query:

Incentive for employee 110 is: 5000  
Statement processed.

0.03 seconds

## PROGRAM 2

Write a PL/SQL block to show an invalid case-insensitive reference to a quoted and without quoted user-defined identifier.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 DECLARE
2     v_id    NUMBER;
3     v_name  VARCHAR2(50);
4 BEGIN
5     SELECT "EmpId", "EmpName"
6     INTO v_id, v_name
7     FROM "EmpTable";
8
9     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('ID: ' || v_id || ', Name: ' || v_name);
10 EXCEPTION
11     WHEN OTHERS THEN
12         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Error: ' || SQLERRM);
13 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

ID: 110, Name: John

Statement processed.

0.00 seconds

Write a PL/SQL block to adjust the salary of the employee whose ID 122.

Sample table: employees

## PROGRAM 3

The screenshot shows the SQL Commands interface in Oracle SQL Developer. The code is a PL/SQL block:

```
1  DECLARE
2      v_salary employees.salary%TYPE;
3      v_increment NUMBER(10,2);
4  BEGIN
5      SELECT salary
6          INTO v_salary
7      FROM employees
8      WHERE employee_id = 122;
9      v_increment := v_salary * 0.10;
10     UPDATE employees
11     SET salary = salary + v_increment
12     WHERE employee_id = 122;
13     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Salary updated successfully.');
14     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Old Salary: ' || v_salary || ', Increment: ' || v_increment);
15 EXCEPTION
16     WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
17         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Employee with ID 122 not found.');
18     WHEN OTHERS THEN
19         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Error: ' || SQLERRM);
20 END;
```

The Results tab shows the output:

```
Salary updated successfully.
Old Salary: 80525.5, Increment: 8052.55
1 row(s) updated.
```

## PROGRAM 4

Write a PL/SQL block to create a procedure using the "IS [NOT] NULL Operator" and show AND operator returns TRUE if and only if both operands are TRUE.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

```

1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE check_values_demo IS
2   v_num1 NUMBER := 10;
3   v_num2 NUMBER := 20;
4 BEGIN
5   IF v_num1 IS NOT NULL AND v_num2 IS NOT NULL THEN
6     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Both v_num1 and v_num2 are NOT NULL.');
7   ELSE
8     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('At least one variable is NULL.');
9   END IF;
10  IF (v_num1 > 5) AND (v_num2 < 30) THEN
11    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('AND condition TRUE: v_num1 > 5 AND v_num2 < 30');
12  ELSE
13    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('AND condition FALSE');
14  END IF;
15  IF (v_num1 > 15) AND (v_num2 < 30) THEN
16    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('This will not print because v_num1 > 15 is FALSE');
17  ELSE
18    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('AND condition FALSE because first operand is FALSE');
19  END IF;
20 END;

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Procedure created.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

```

1 BEGIN
2   | check_values_demo;
3 END;
4 /
5
6
7 |
8

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Both v\_num1 and v\_num2 are NOT NULL.  
 AND condition TRUE: v\_num1 > 5 AND v\_num2 < 30  
 AND condition FALSE because first operand is FALSE

Statement processed.

0.00 seconds

Write a PL/SQL block to describe the usage of LIKE operator including wildcard characters and escape character.

## PROGRAM 5

The screenshot shows a SQL developer interface with the following details:

- SQL Commands Tab:** The tab is selected at the top left.
- Toolbar:** Includes icons for Undo, Redo, Find, Replace, and others.
- Language Selection:** Set to SQL.
- Rows:** Set to 10.
- Buttons:** Clear Command and Find Tables.
- Script Content:** A PL/SQL block demonstrating various LIKE operator examples using DBMS\_OUTPUT.PUT\_LINE. The code is numbered from 1 to 17.

```
1  DECLARE
2      v_name employees.first_name%TYPE;
3  BEGIN
4      DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('--- LIKE Operator Examples ---');
5      FOR emp IN (SELECT first_name FROM employees WHERE first_name LIKE 'J%') LOOP
6          DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Starts with J: ' || emp.first_name);
7      END LOOP;
8      FOR emp IN (SELECT first_name FROM employees WHERE first_name LIKE '___') LOOP
9          DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Exactly 4 letters: ' || emp.first_name);
10     END LOOP;
11     FOR emp IN (SELECT first_name FROM employees WHERE first_name LIKE '%\%%' ESCAPE '\') LOOP
12         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Contains % literally: ' || emp.first_name);
13     END LOOP;
14     FOR emp IN (SELECT first_name FROM employees WHERE first_name LIKE '%n') LOOP
15         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Ends with n: ' || emp.first_name);
16     END LOOP;
17 END;
```

- Results Tab:** The tab is selected at the bottom left.
- Output:** The results of the execution, showing four lines of output corresponding to the examples in the script.

```
--- LIKE Operator Examples ---
Starts with J: John
Exactly 4 letters: John
Ends with n: John

Statement processed.
```

## PROGRAM 6

Write a PL/SQL program to arrange the number of two variable in such a way that the small number will store in num\_small variable and large number will store in num\_large variable.

The screenshot shows a SQL Commands window in Oracle SQL Developer. The top bar includes tabs for Language (set to SQL), Rows (set to 10), and various toolbar icons. The main area contains the following PL/SQL code:

```
1  DECLARE
2      num1      NUMBER := 45;
3      num2      NUMBER := 78;
4      num_small NUMBER;
5      num_large NUMBER;
6  BEGIN
7      IF num1 < num2 THEN
8          num_small := num1;
9          num_large := num2;
10     ELSE
11         num_small := num2;
12         num_large := num1;
13     END IF;
14     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Small number: ' || num_small);
15     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Large number: ' || num_large);
16 END;
```

The bottom section displays the execution results:

- Results tab is selected.
- Output:
  - Small number: 45
  - Large number: 78
- Message: Statement processed.
- Time: 0.00 seconds

## PROGRAM 7

Write a PL/SQL procedure to calculate the incentive on a target achieved and display the message either the record updated or not.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Developer interface with the following details:

- SQL Commands Tab:** The top tab bar shows "SQL Commands".
- Language:** Set to "SQL".
- Rows:** Set to 10.
- Buttons:** Includes "Clear Command" and "Find Tables".
- Toolbar:** Includes standard database navigation icons (refresh, search, etc.).
- Code Area:** The main area contains the PL/SQL code for the "calculate\_incentive" procedure. The code uses DBMS\_OUTPUT.PUT\_LINE to log messages to the screen.

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE calculate_incentive(p_emp_id IN NUMBER) IS
2     v_target_achieved VARCHAR2(3);
3     v_incentive        NUMBER(10,2);
4 BEGIN
5     SELECT target_achieved
6     INTO v_target_achieved
7     FROM employees
8     WHERE employee_id = p_emp_id;
9     IF v_target_achieved = 'YES' THEN
10        v_incentive := 1000;
11        UPDATE employees
12        SET incentive = v_incentive
13        WHERE employee_id = p_emp_id;
14        DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Record updated: Incentive of ' || v_incentive || ' assigned.');
15    ELSE
16        DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Record not updated: Target not achieved.');
17    END IF;
18    COMMIT;
19 EXCEPTION
20     WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
21         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Employee ID ' || p_emp_id || ' not found.');
22     WHEN OTHERS THEN
23         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Error: ' || SQLERRM);
24 END;
```

- Status Bar:** Shows "Procedure created." indicating the success of the procedure creation.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```

1 BEGIN
2 | calculate_incentive(122);
3 END;
4 /
5
6

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Record updated: Incentive of 1000 assigned.

Statement processed.

0.03 seconds

## PROGRAM 8

Write a PL/SQL procedure to calculate incentive achieved according to the specific sale limit.

```

1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE calculate_incentive_sale(
2     p_emp_id      IN NUMBER,
3     p_sale_limit   IN NUMBER,
4     p_incentive_amt IN NUMBER
5 ) IS v_sales NUMBER;
6 BEGIN SELECT sales_amount INTO v_sales
7     FROM employee_sales
8     WHERE employee_id = p_emp_id;
9     IF v_sales >= p_sale_limit THEN
10         UPDATE employee_sales
11             SET incentive = p_incentive_amt
12             WHERE employee_id = p_emp_id;
13         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Incentive ' || p_incentive_amt || ' applied to employee ' || p_emp_id);
14     ELSE
15         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Sales below limit. No incentive for employee ' || p_emp_id);
16     END IF;
17 EXCEPTION
18     WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
19         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Employee ' || p_emp_id || ' not found.');
20     WHEN OTHERS THEN
21         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Error: ' || SQLERRM);
22 END;

```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Procedure created.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 BEGIN
2   | calculate_incentive_sale(101, 10000, 2000);
3 END;
4 /
5
6
7
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Incentive 2000 applied to employee 101  
Statement processed.  
0.03 seconds

## PROGRAM 9

Write a PL/SQL program to count number of employees in department 50 and check whether this department have any vacancies or not. There are 45 vacancies in this department.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1  DECLARE
2      v_emp_count NUMBER;
3      v_vacancies NUMBER := 45;
4  BEGIN
5      SELECT COUNT(*)
6          INTO v_emp_count
7      FROM employees
8      WHERE department_id = 50;
9      DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Number of employees in Department 50: ' || v_emp_count);
10     IF v_emp_count < v_vacancies THEN
11         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Vacancies available: ' || (v_vacancies - v_emp_count));
12     ELSE
13         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('No vacancies available in Department 50.');
14     END IF;
15 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Number of employees in Department 50: 2  
Vacancies available: 43  
Statement processed.  
0.01 seconds

## PROGRAM 10

Write a PL/SQL program to count number of employees in a specific department and check whether this department have any vacancies or not. If any vacancies, how many vacancies are in that department.

The screenshot shows a SQL command window with the following interface elements:

- Top bar: SQL Commands, Language (SQL), Rows (10), Clear Command, Find Tables.
- Toolbar: Undo, Redo, Search, Insert, Sort.
- Code area:

```
1  DECLARE
2      v_dept_id          NUMBER := 50;
3      v_total_positions NUMBER := 40;
4      v_emp_count        NUMBER;
5      v_vacancies         NUMBER;
6  BEGIN
7      SELECT COUNT(*)
8      INTO v_emp_count
9      FROM employees
10     WHERE department_id = v_dept_id;
11     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Department ID: ' || v_dept_id);
12     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Number of employees: ' || v_emp_count);
13     v_vacancies := v_total_positions - v_emp_count;
14     IF v_vacancies > 0 THEN
15         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Vacancies available: ' || v_vacancies);
16     ELSE
17         DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('No vacancies available in this department.');
18     END IF;
19 END;
```
- Bottom navigation: Results (selected), Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, History.
- Output area:

Department ID: 50  
Number of employees: 2  
Vacancies available: 38  
Statement processed.  
0.01 seconds

## PROGRAM 12

### PROGRAM 11

Write a PL/SQL program to display the employee IDs, names, job titles, hire dates, and salaries of all employees.

The screenshot shows a SQL command window interface. At the top, there's a toolbar with icons for Undo, Redo, Search, and others. Below the toolbar is a header bar with 'SQL Commands' and tabs for Language (set to SQL), Rows (set to 10), Clear Command, and Find Tables. The main area contains the PL/SQL code:

```
1 BEGIN
2   FOR emp_rec IN (SELECT employee_id, first_name, last_name, job_id, hire_date, salary
3   FROM employees) LOOP
4     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
5       'ID: ' || emp_rec.employee_id ||
6       ', Name: ' || emp_rec.first_name || ' ' || emp_rec.last_name ||
7       ', Job: ' || emp_rec.job_id ||
8       ', Hire Date: ' || TO_CHAR(emp_rec.hire_date, 'DD-MON-YYYY') ||
9       ', Salary: ' || emp_rec.salary
10    );
11  END LOOP;
12 END;
```

Below the code, there are tabs for Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, and History. The Results tab is selected, showing the output of the program:

```
ID: 101, Name: John Doe, Job: IT_PROG, Hire Date: 15-JAN-2020, Salary: 5000
ID: 102, Name: Jane Smith, Job: HR_REP, Hire Date: 10-FEB-2019, Salary: 4000
```

At the bottom, it says "Statement processed." and "0.03 seconds".

Write a PL/SQL program to display the employee IDs, names, and department names of all employees.

The screenshot shows a SQL command window interface. At the top, there's a toolbar with a 'SQL Commands' button, language selection ('Language SQL'), row limit ('Rows 10'), and other standard database navigation buttons. Below the toolbar is a text area containing a PL/SQL block. The code uses a cursor loop to select employee details from the 'employees' and 'departments' tables and prints them to the DBMS\_OUTPUT. The results are displayed in a 'Results' tab at the bottom, showing two rows of output: 'ID: 101, Name: John Doe, Department: IT' and 'ID: 102, Name: Jane Smith, Department: HR'. The entire process took 0.04 seconds.

```
1 BEGIN
2   FOR emp_rec IN (
3     SELECT e.employee_id,
4           e.first_name || ' ' || e.last_name AS employee_name,
5           d.department_name
6     FROM employees e
7     JOIN departments d
8       ON e.department_id = d.department_id
9   ) LOOP
10    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
11      'ID: ' || emp_rec.employee_id || ', Name: ' || emp_rec.employee_name ||
12      ', Department: ' || emp_rec.department_name
13    );
14  END LOOP;
15 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

ID: 101, Name: John Doe, Department: IT  
ID: 102, Name: Jane Smith, Department: HR

Statement processed.

0.04 seconds

## PROGRAM 14

## PROGRAM 13

Write a PL/SQL program to display the job IDs, titles, and minimum salaries of all jobs.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Developer interface. The top bar has tabs for 'SQL Commands' and 'PL/SQL Editor'. The 'Language' dropdown is set to 'SQL'. The 'Rows' dropdown is set to '10'. There are buttons for 'Clear Command' and 'Find Tables'. Below the toolbar are icons for Undo, Redo, Search, and Paste. The main area contains a PL/SQL block:

```
1 BEGIN
2   FOR job_rec IN (
3     SELECT job_id, job_title, min_salary
4     FROM jobs
5   ) LOOP
6     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
7       'Job ID: ' || job_rec.job_id ||
8       ', Title: ' || job_rec.job_title ||
9       ', Min Salary: ' || job_rec.min_salary
10    );
11  END LOOP;
12 END;
```

Below the code, there are tabs for 'Results', 'Explain', 'Describe', 'Saved SQL', and 'History'. The 'Results' tab is selected. The output window displays the results of the execution:

```
Job ID: IT_PROG, Title: Programmer, Min Salary: 4000
Job ID: MK_MAN, Title: Marketing Manager, Min Salary: 5000
Job ID: HR REP, Title: HR Representative, Min Salary: 3000

Statement processed.
```

At the bottom, it says '0.01 seconds'.

## PROGRAM 14

Write a PL/SQL program to display the employee IDs, names, and job history start dates of all employees.

The screenshot shows a PL/SQL development environment with the following details:

- SQL Commands:** The interface includes a toolbar with icons for Undo, Redo, Find, and Paste, along with buttons for Language (SQL), Rows (10), Clear Command, and Find Tables.
- Code Area:** The code is written in PL/SQL and performs a loop through employees to output their ID, name, and job start date. The code is as follows:

```
1  BEGIN
2    FOR emp_rec IN (
3      SELECT e.employee_id,
4            e.first_name || ' ' || e.last_name AS employee_name,
5            jh.start_date
6      FROM employees e
7      JOIN job_history jh
8      ON e.employee_id = jh.employee_id
9    ) LOOP
10      DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
11        'ID: ' || emp_rec.employee_id ||
12        ', Name: ' || emp_rec.employee_name ||
13        ', Job Start Date: ' || TO_CHAR(emp_rec.start_date, 'DD-MON-YYYY')
14      );
15    END LOOP;
16  END;
```

- Results Tab:** The tab bar at the bottom indicates the current tab is "Results". The output shows two rows of data:

ID	Name	Job Start Date
101	John Doe	01-JAN-2020
102	Jane Smith	15-FEB-2019

- Timing:** The execution time is listed as 0.04 seconds.

## PROGRAM 15

Write a PL/SQL program to display the employee IDs, names, and job history end dates of all employees.

↑ SQL Commands

Language: SQL Rows: 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 BEGIN
2   FOR emp IN (
3     SELECT e.employee_id,
4           e.first_name || ' ' || e.last_name AS employee_name,
5           jh.end_date
6     FROM employees e
7     JOIN job_history jh
8       ON e.employee_id = jh.employee_id
9   ) LOOP
10    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(
11      'ID: ' || emp.employee_id ||
12      ', Name: ' || emp.employee_name ||
13      ', Job End Date: ' || TO_CHAR(emp.end_date, 'DD-MON-YYYY'))
14  );
15 END LOOP;
16 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

```
ID: 101, Name: John Doe, Job End Date: 31-DEC-2020
ID: 102, Name: Jane Smith, Job End Date: 14-FEB-2020

Statement processed.

0.02 seconds
```

<b>Evaluation Procedure</b>	<b>Marks awarded</b>
<b>PL/SQL Procedure(5)</b>	
<b>Program/Execution (5)</b>	
<b>Viva(5)</b>	
<b>Total (15)</b>	
<b>Faculty Signature</b>	

## EXERCISE-16

### PROCEDURES AND FUNCTIONS

#### PROCEDURES

#### DEFINITION

A procedure or function is a logically grouped set of SQL and PL/SQL statements that perform a specific task. They are essentially sub-programs. Procedures and functions are made up of,

- Declarative part
- Executable part
- Optional exception handling part

These procedures and functions do not show the errors.

#### KEYWORDS AND THEIR PURPOSES

**REPLACE:** It recreates the procedure if it already exists.

**PROCEDURE:** It is the name of the procedure to be created.

**ARGUMENT:** It is the name of the argument to the procedure. Paranthesis can be omitted if no arguments are present.

**IN:** Specifies that a value for the argument must be specified when calling the procedure ie. used to pass values to a sub-program. This is the default parameter.

**OUT:** Specifies that the procedure passes a value for this argument back to its calling environment after execution ie. used to return values to a caller of the sub-program.

**INOUT:** Specifies that a value for the argument must be specified when calling the procedure and that procedure passes a value for this argument back to its calling environment after execution.

**RETURN:** It is the datatype of the function's return value because every function must return a value, this clause is required.

#### PROCEDURES – SYNTAX

create or replace procedure <procedure name> (argument {in,out,inout} datatype ) {is,as}  
variable declaration; constant declaration; begin

PL/SQL subprogram body;

exception

exception PL/SQL block;

```
end;
```

## **FUNCTIONS – SYNTAX**

```
create or replace function <function name> (argument in datatype,.....) return datatype {is,as}
variable declaration;
constant declaration;
begin
PL/SQL subprogram body;
exception
exception PL/SQL block;
end;
```

## **CREATING THE TABLE ‘ITITEMS’ AND DISPLAYING THE CONTENTS**

```
SQL> create table ititems(itemid number(3), actualprice number(5), ordid number(4), prodid
number(4)); Table created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ititems values(101, 2000, 500, 201); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ititems values(102, 3000, 1600, 202); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ititems values(103, 4000, 600, 202); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> select * from ititems;
ITEMID ACTUALPRICE    ORDID   PRODID
-----
101      2000          500    201
102      3000          1600   202
103      4000          600    202
```

## **PROGRAM FOR GENERAL PROCEDURE – SELECTED RECORD’S PRICE IS INCREMENTED BY 500 , EXECUTING THE PROCEDURE CREATED AND DISPLAYING THE UPDATED TABLE**

```
SQL> create procedure itsum(identity number, total number) is price number;
2 null_price exception;
3 begin
4 select actualprice into price from ititems where itemid=identity;
5 if price is null then
```

```
6 raise null_price;
7 else
8 update ititems set actualprice=actualprice+total where itemid=identity; 9 end if;
10 exception
11 when null_price then
12 dbms_output.put_line('price is null');
13 end; 14 /
Procedure created.
```

```
SQL> exec itsum(101, 500);
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.
```

```
SQL> select * from ititems;
ITEMID ACTUALPRICE    ORDID    PRODID
-----  -----  -----  -----
 101      2500        500     201
 102      3000        1600    202
 103      4000        600     202
```

### **PROCEDURE FOR ‘IN’ PARAMETER – CREATION, EXECUTION**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> create procedureyyy (a IN number) is price number;
2 begin
3 select actualprice into price from ititems where itemid=a;
4 dbms_output.put_line('Actual price is ' || price);
5 if price is null then
6 dbms_output.put_line('price is null');
7 end if;
8 end; 9 /
Procedure created.
```

```
SQL> execyyy(103);
Actual price is 4000
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.
```

### **PROCEDURE FOR ‘OUT’ PARAMETER – CREATION, EXECUTION**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> create procedure zzz (a in number, b out number) is identity number;
2 begin
3 select ordid into identity from ititems where itemid=a;
4 if identity<1000 then
5 b:=100;
```

```
6 end if;
7 end; 8 /
Procedure created.
```

```
SQL> declare
2 a number;
3 b number;
4 begin
5 zzz(101,b);
6 dbms_output.put_line('The value of b is'|| b);
7 end;
8 /
```

The value of b is 100  
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **PROCEDURE FOR ‘INOUT’ PARAMETER – CREATION, EXECUTION**

```
SQL> create procedure itit ( a in out number) is
2 begin
3 a:=a+1;
4 end; 5 /
Procedure created.
```

```
SQL> declare
2 a number:=7;
3 begin
4 itit(a);
5 dbms_output.put_line('The updated value is '||a);
6 end;
7 /
The updated value is 8
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.
```

### **CREATE THE TABLE ‘ITTRAIN’ TO BE USED FOR FUNCTIONS**

```
SQL>create table ittrain ( tno number(10), tfare number(10)); Table
created.
```

```
SQL>insert into ittrain values (1001, 550); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL>insert into ittrain values (1002, 600); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL>select * from ittrain;
```

TNO	TFARE
1001	550
1002	600

### **PROGRAM FOR FUNCTION AND IT'S EXECUTION**

```
SQL> create function aaa (trainnumber number) return number is  
2 trainfunction ittrain.tfare % type;  
3 begin  
4 select tfare into trainfunction from ittrain where tno=trainnumber;  
5 return(trainfunction);  
6 end;  
7 /
```

Function created.

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> declare  
2 total number;  
3 begin  
4 total:=aaa (1001);  
5 dbms_output.put_line('Train fare is Rs. '|total);  
6 end;  
7 /
```

Train fare is Rs.550

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **Program 1**

### **FACTORIAL OF A NUMBER USING FUNCTION**

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION factorial(n IN NUMBER) RETURN NUMBER IS
2   result NUMBER := 1;
3 BEGIN
4   IF n < 0 THEN
5     RETURN NULL;
6   END IF;
7
8   FOR i IN 1..n LOOP
9     result := result * i;
10  END LOOP;
11
12  RETURN result;
13 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Function created.

0.04 seconds

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```
1 DECLARE
2   num NUMBER := 5;
3   fact NUMBER;
4 BEGIN
5   fact := factorial(num);
6
7   IF fact IS NOT NULL THEN
8     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Factorial of ' || num || ' is ' || fact);
9   ELSE
10    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Factorial not defined for negative numbers');
11   END IF;
12 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Factorial of 5 is 120

Statement processed.

0.01 seconds

## Program 2

**Write a PL/SQL program using Procedures IN,INOUT,OUT parameters to retrieve the corresponding book information in library**

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE get_book_info(
2     p_book_id      IN NUMBER,
3     p_title        OUT VARCHAR2,
4     p_author       OUT VARCHAR2,
5     p_available    IN OUT NUMBER
6 ) IS
7 BEGIN
8     SELECT title, author, available_copies
9     INTO p_title, p_author, p_available
10    FROM books
11   WHERE book_id = p_book_id;
12   IF p_available > 0 THEN p_available := p_available - 1;
13       UPDATE books
14         SET available_copies = p_available
15        WHERE book_id = p_book_id;
16        DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Book issued. Updated available copies: ' || p_available);
17   ELSE   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Book not available.');
18 END IF;
19 EXCEPTION
20 WHEN NO_DATA_FOUND THEN
21     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Book ID ' || p_book_id || ' not found.');
22 WHEN OTHERS THEN
23     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Error: ' || SQLERRM);
24 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Procedure created.

↑ SQL Commands

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```
1 DECLARE
2     v_title  VARCHAR2(100);
3     v_author VARCHAR2(50);
4     v_available NUMBER := 0;
5 BEGIN
6     get_book_info(1, v_title, v_author, v_available);
7     DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('Title: ' || v_title || ', Author: ' || v_author || ', Available Copies: ' || v_available);
8 END;
9 
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Book issued. Updated available copies: 4  
Title: Oracle PL/SQL, Author: John Smith, Available Copies: 4

Statement processed.

<b>Evaluation Procedure</b>	<b>Marks awarded</b>
<b>PL/SQL Procedure(5)</b>	
<b>Program/Execution (5)</b>	
<b>Viva(5)</b>	
<b>Total (15)</b>	
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## **EXERCISE-17**

### **TRIGGER**

#### **DEFINITION**

A trigger is a statement that is executed automatically by the system as a side effect of a modification to the database. The parts of a trigger are,

- **Trigger statement:** Specifies the DML statements and fires the trigger body. It also specifies the table to which the trigger is associated.
- **Trigger body or trigger action:** It is a PL/SQL block that is executed when the triggering statement is used.
- **Trigger restriction:** Restrictions on the trigger can be achieved

**The different uses of triggers are as follows,**

- *To generate data automatically*
- *To enforce complex integrity constraints*
- *To customize complex securing authorizations*
- *To maintain the replicate table*
- To audit data modifications

#### **TYPES OF TRIGGERS**

The various types of triggers are as follows,

- **Before:** It fires the trigger before executing the trigger statement.
- **After:** It fires the trigger after executing the trigger statement
- .
- **For each row:** It specifies that the trigger fires once per row
- .
- **For each statement:** This is the default trigger that is invoked. It specifies that the trigger fires once per statement.

## **VARIABLES USED IN TRIGGERS**

- :new
- :old

These two variables retain the new and old values of the column updated in the database. The values in these variables can be used in the database triggers for data manipulation

## **SYNTAX**

```
create or replace trigger triggername [before/after] {DML statements}
on [tablename] [for each row/statement] begin
```

```
-----
-----
-----
```

```
exception end;
```

## **USER DEFINED ERROR MESSAGE**

The package “raise\_application\_error” is used to issue the user defined error messages

**Syntax:** raise\_application\_error(error number,’error message’);

The error number can lie between -20000 and -20999.

The error message should be a character string.

## **TO CREATE THE TABLE ‘ITEMPLS’**

```
SQL> create table itempls (ename varchar2(10), eid number(5), salary number(10));
Table created.
```

```
SQL> insert into itempls values('xxx',11,10000); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into itempls values('yyy',12,10500); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into itempls values('zzz',13,15500); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> select * from itempls;
ENAME      EID    SALARY
```

```
----- XXX
11 10000 yyy      12
10500
zzz      13 15500
```

## **TO CREATE A SIMPLE TRIGGER THAT DOES NOT ALLOW INSERT UPDATE AND DELETE OPERATIONS ON THE TABLE**

```
SQL> create trigger ittrigg before insert or update or delete on itempls for each row
2 begin
3 raise_application_error(-20010,'You cannot do manipulation');
4 end;
5
6 /
Trigger created.
```

```
SQL> insert into itempls values('aaa',14,34000);
insert into itempls values('aaa',14,34000)
*
ERROR at line 1:
ORA-20010: You cannot do manipulation
ORA-06512: at "STUDENT.ITTRIGG", line 2
ORA-04088: error during execution of trigger 'STUDENT.ITTRIGG'
```

```
SQL> delete from itempls where ename='xxx';
delete from itempls where ename='xxx'
*
ERROR at line 1:
ORA-20010: You cannot do manipulation
ORA-06512: at "STUDENT.ITTRIGG", line 2
ORA-04088: error during execution of trigger 'STUDENT.ITTRIGG'
```

```
SQL> update itempls set eid=15 where ename='yyy'; update
itempls set eid=15 where ename='yyy'
*
ERROR at line 1:
ORA-20010: You cannot do manipulation
ORA-06512: at "STUDENT.ITTRIGG", line 2
ORA-04088: error during execution of trigger 'STUDENT.ITTRIGG'
```

## **TO DROP THE CREATED TRIGGER**

```
SQL> drop trigger ittrigg;

Trigger dropped.
```

## **TO CREATE A TRIGGER THAT RAISES AN USER DEFINED ERROR MESSAGE AND DOES NOT ALLOW UPDATION AND INSERTION**

```
SQL> create trigger ittriggs before insert or update of salary on itempls for each row
2 declare
3   triggsal itempls.salary%type;
4 begin
5   select salary into triggsal from itempls where eid=12;
6   if(:new.salary>triggsal or :new.salary<triggsal) then
7     raise_application_error(-20100,'Salary has not been changed');
8   end if;
9 end;
10 /
```

Trigger created.

```
SQL> insert into itempls values ('bbb',16,45000);
insert into itempls values ('bbb',16,45000)
*
ERROR at line 1:
ORA-04098: trigger 'STUDENT.ITTRIGGS' is invalid and failed re-validation
```

```
SQL> update itempls set eid=18 where ename='zzz'; update
itempls set eid=18 where ename='zzz'
*
```

```

ERROR at line 1:
ORA-04298: trigger 'STUDENT.ITTRIGGS' is invalid and failed re-validation
```

Cursor for loop

- Explicit cursor
- Implicit cursor

## **TO CREATE THE TABLE ‘SSEMPP’**

```
SQL> create table ssempp( eid number(10), ename varchar2(20), job varchar2(20), sal number
(10),dnonumber(5)); Table
created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ssempp values(1,'nala','lecturer',34000,11); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ssempp values(2,'kala',' seniorlecturer',20000,12); 1
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ssempp values(5,'ajay','lecturer',30000,11); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ssempp values(6,'vijay','lecturer',18000,11); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into ssempp values(3,'nila','professor',60000,12); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> select * from ssempp;
```

EID	ENAME	JOB	SAL	DNO
1	nala	lecturer	34000	11
2	kala	seniorlecturer	20000	12
5	ajay	lecturer	30000	11
6	vijay	lecturer	18000	11
	professor		60000	12

## EXTRA PROGRAMS

### TO WRITE A PL/SQL BLOCK TO DISPLAY THE EMPLOYEE ID AND EMPLOYEE NAME USING CURSOR FOR LOOP

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;  
SQL> declare  
2 begin  
3 for emy in (select eid,ename from ssempp)  
4 loop  
5 dbms_output.put_line('Employee id and employee name are '|| emy.eid 'and'||  
emy.ename); 6 end loop;  
7 end;  
8 /  
Employee id and employee name are 1 and nala  
Employee id and employee name are 2 and kala  
Employee id and employee name are 5 and ajay  
Employee id and employee name are 6 and vijay  
Employee id and employee name are 3 and nila
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### TO WRITE A PL/SQL BLOCK TO UPDATE THE SALARY OF ALL EMPLOYEES WHERE DEPARTMENT NO IS 11 BY 5000 USING CURSOR FOR LOOP AND TO DISPLAY THE UPDATED TABLE

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```

SQL> declare
2 cursor cem is select eid,ename,sal,dno from ssempp where dno=11;
3 begin
4   --open cem;
5   for rem in cem
6   loop
7     update ssempp set sal=rem.sal+5000 where eid=rem.eid;
8   end loop;
9   --close cem;
10 end;
11 /

```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

```
SQL> select * from ssempp;
```

EID	ENAME	JOB	SAL	DNO	-----
1	nala	lecturer	39000	11	
2	kala	seniorlecturer	20000	12	
5	ajay	lecturer	35000	11	
6	vijay	lecturer	23000	11	3
	nila	professor	60000	12	

### **TO WRITE A PL/SQL BLOCK TO DISPLAY THE EMPLOYEE ID AND EMPLOYEE NAME WHERE DEPARTMENT NUMBER IS 11 USING EXPLICIT CURSORS**

```

1 declare
2 cursor cenl is select eid,sal from ssempp where dno=11;
3 ecode ssempp.eid%type;
4 esal empp.sal%type;
5 begin
6 open cenl;
7 loop
8 fetch cenl into ecode,esal;
9 exit when cenl%notfound;
10 dbms_output.put_line(' Employee code and employee salary are' || ecode 'and'|| esal);
11 end loop;
12 close cenl;
13* end;

```

```

SQL> /
Employee code and employee salary are 1 and 39000
Employee code and employee salary are 5 and 35000
Employee code and employee salary are 6 and 23000

```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

**TO WRITE A PL/SQL BLOCK TO UPDATE THE SALARY BY 5000 WHERE THE JOB IS LECTURER , TO CHECK IF UPDATES ARE MADE USING IMPLICIT CURSORS AND TO DISPLAY THE UPDATED TABLE**

```
SQL> declare
2  county number;
3 begin
4 update ssempp set sal=sal+10000 where job='lecturer';
5 county:= sql%rowcount;
6 if county > 0 then
7 dbms_output.put_line('The number of rows are'|| county); 8 end if;
9 if sql%found then
10 dbms_output.put_line('Employee record modification successful');
11 else if sql%notfound then
12 dbms_output.put_line('Employee record is not found');
13 end if;
14 end if;
15 end;
16 /
```

The number of rows are 3

Employee record modification successful

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

```
SQL> select * from ssempp;
```

EID	ENAME	JOB	SAL	DNO -
1	nala	lecturer	44000	11
2	kala	seniorlecturer	20000	12
5	ajay	lecturer	40000	11
6	vijay	lecturer	28000	11
3	nila	professor	60000	12

### **PROGRAMS**

#### **TO DISPLAY HELLO MESSAGE**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
SQL> declare
2  a varchar2(20);
3 begin
4 a:='Hello';
```

```
5 dbms_output.put_line(a);
6 end;
7 /
Hello
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **TO INPUT A VALUE FROM THE USER AND DISPLAY IT**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
SQL> declare
2 a varchar2(20);
3 begin
4 a:=&a;
5 dbms_output.put_line(a);
6 end;
7 /
Enter value for a: 5
old 4: a:=&a; new
4: a:=5;
5
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **GREATEST OF TWO NUMBERS**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;

SQL> declare
2 a number(7);
3 b number(7);
4 begin
5 a:=&a;
6 b:=&b;
7 if(a>b) then
8 dbms_output.put_line ('The greater of the two is'|| a);
9 else
10 dbms_output.put_line ('The greater of the two is'|| b);
11 end if;
12 end;
13 /
Enter value for a: 5 old
5: a:=&a; new 5: a:=5;
Enter value for b: 9 old
6: b:=&b; new 6: b:=9;
```

The greater of the two  
is 9

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **GREATEST OF THREE NUMBERS**

SQL> set serveroutput on;

```
SQL> declare
  2  a number(7);
  3  b number(7);
  4  c number(7);
  5  begin
  6    a:=&a;
  7    b:=&b;
  8    c:=&c;
  9    if(a>b and a>c) then
10      dbms_output.put_line ('The greatest of the three is ' || a);
11    else if(b>c) then
12      dbms_output.put_line ('The greatest of the three is ' || b);
13    else
14      dbms_output.put_line ('The greatest of the three is ' || c);
15    end if;
16  end if;
17 end;
18 /
```

Enter value for a: 5

old 6: a:=&a; new

6: a:=5; Enter value

for b: 7 old 7:

b:=&b; new 7:

b:=7; Enter value

for c: 1 old 8:

c:=&c; new 8:

c:=1;

The greatest of the three is 7

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **PRINT NUMBERS FROM 1 TO 5 USING SIMPLE LOOP**

SQL> set serveroutput on;

```
SQL> declare
2  a number:=1;
3  begin
4  loop
5  dbms_output.put_line (a);
6  a:=a+1;
7  exit when a>5;
8  end loop;
9  end;
10 /
```

1  
2  
3  
4  
5

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **PRINT NUMBERS FROM 1 TO 4 USING WHILE LOOP**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> declare
2  a number:=1;
3  begin
4  while(a<5)
5  loop
6  dbms_output.put_line (a);
7  a:=a+1;
8  end loop;
9  end;
10 /
```

1  
2  
3  
4

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **PRINT NUMBERS FROM 1 TO 5 USING FOR LOOP**

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> declare
2  a number:=1;
3  begin
4  for a in 1..5
```

```
5 loop
6 dbms_output.put_line (a);
7 end loop;
8 end;
9 /
```

1  
2  
3  
4  
5

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **PRINT NUMBERS FROM 1 TO 5 IN REVERSE ORDER USING FOR LOOP**

SQL> set serveroutput on;

```
SQL> declare
2 a number:=1;
3 begin
4 for a in reverse 1..5
5 loop
6 dbms_output.put_line (a);
7 end loop;
8 end;
9 /
```

5  
4  
3  
2  
1

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **TO CALCULATE AREA OF CIRCLE**

SQL> set serveroutput on;

```
SQL> declare
2 pi constant number(4,2):=3.14;
3 a number(20);
4 r number(20);
5 begin
6 r:=&r;
7 a:= pi* power(r,2);
8 dbms_output.put_line (' The area of circle is ' || a);
9 end;
10 /
```

Enter value for r: 2

old 6: r:=&r; new  
6: r:=2;

The area of circle is 13

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### **TO CREATE SACCOUNT TABLE**

```
SQL> create table saccount ( accno number(5), name varchar2(20), bal number(10));  
Table created.
```

```
SQL> insert into saccount values ( 1,'mala',20000); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into saccount values (2,'kala',30000); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> select * from saccount;
```

ACCNO	NAME	BAL
1	mala	20000
2	kala	30000

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;  
SQL> declare  
2   a_bal number(7);  
3   a_no varchar2(20);  
4   debit number(7):=2000;  
5   minamt number(7):=500;  
6   begin  
7   a_no:=&a_no;  
8   select bal into a_bal from saccount where accno= a_no;  
9   a_bal:= a_bal-debit;  
10  if(a_bal > minamt) then  
11  update saccount set bal=bal-debit where accno=a_no;  
12  end if;  
13  end;  
14  
15 /  
Enter value for a_no: 1  
old 7: a_no:=&a_no;  
new 7: a_no:=1;
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

```
SQL> select * from saccount;
```

ACCNO	NAME	BAL
1	mala	18000
2	kala	30000

### **TO CREATE TABLE SROUTES**

```
SQL> create table sroutes ( rno number(5), origin varchar2(20), destination varchar2(20), fare  
numbe  
r(10), distance number(10)); Table  
created.
```

```
SQL> insert into sroutes values ( 2, 'chennai', 'dindugal', 400,230); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into sroutes values ( 3, 'chennai', 'madurai', 250,300); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> insert into sroutes values ( 6, 'thanjavur', 'palani', 350,370); 1  
row created.
```

```
SQL> select * from sroutes;
```

RNO	ORIGIN	DESTINATION	FARE	DISTANCE
2	chennai	dindugal	400	230
3	chennai	madurai	250	300
6	thanjavur	palani	350	370

```
SQL> set serveroutput on;
```

```
SQL> declare  
2   route sroutes.rno % type;  
3   fares sroutes.fare % type;  
4   dist sroutes.distance % type;  
5   begin  
6     route:=&route;  
7     select fare, distance into fares , dist from sroutes where rno=route;  
8     if (dist < 250) then  
9       update sroutes set fare=300 where rno=route;  
10    else if dist between 250 and 370 then  
11      update sroutes set fare=400 where rno=route;  
12    else if (dist > 400) then  
13      dbms_output.put_line('Sorry');  
14    end if;  
15    end if;  
16    end if;  
17  end;  
18 /  
Enter value for route: 3 old  
6: route:=&route;  
new 6: route:=3;
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

```
SQL> select * from sroutes;
```

RNO	ORIGIN	DESTINATION	FARE	DISTANCE
2	chennai	dindugal	400	230
3	chennai	madurai	400	300

6 thanjavur      palani      350      370

### TO CREATE SCALCULATE TABLE

SQL> create table scalculate ( radius number(3), area number(5,2)); Table created.

SQL> desc scalculate;

Name	Null?	Type
RADIUS		NUMBER(3)
AREA		NUMBER(5,2)

SQL> set serveroutput on;

```
SQL> declare
2  pi constant number(4,2):=3.14;
3  area number(5,2);
4  radius number(3);
5  begin
6  radius:=3;
7  while (radius <=7)
8  loop
9  area:= pi* power(radius,2);
10 insert into scalculate values (radius,area);
11 radius:=radius+1;
12 end loop;
13 end;
14 /
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

SQL> select \* from scalculate;

RADIUS	AREA
3	28.26
4	50.24
5	78.5
6	113.04
7	153.86

### TO CALCULATE FACTORIAL OF A GIVEN NUMBER

SQL> set serveroutput on;

SQL> declare

```
2  f number(4):=1;
3  i number(4);
4  begin
```

```
5 i:=&i;
6 while(i>=1)
7 loop
8 f:=f*i;
9 i:=i-1;
10 end loop;
11 dbms_output.put_line('The value is ' || f);
12 end;
13 /
```

Enter value for i: 5  
old 5: i:=&i; new  
5: i:=5; The value  
is 120

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

### Program 1

Write a code in PL/SQL to develop a trigger that enforces referential integrity by preventing the deletion of a parent record if child records exist.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER prevent_parent_delete
2 BEFORE DELETE ON departments
3 FOR EACH ROW
4 DECLARE
5     v_count NUMBER;
6 BEGIN
7     SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_count
8     FROM employees
9     WHERE department_id = :OLD.department_id;
10    IF v_count > 0 THEN
11        RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20001,
12                                'Cannot delete department: employees exist in this department.');
13    END IF;
14 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Trigger created.

0.07 seconds

### Program 2

Write a code in PL/SQL to create a trigger that checks for duplicate values in a specific column and raises an exception if found.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER check_duplicate_rollno
2 BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON students
3 FOR EACH ROW
4 DECLARE
5   v_count NUMBER;
6 BEGIN
7   SELECT COUNT(*) INTO v_count
8   FROM students
9   WHERE roll_no = :NEW.roll_no;
10  IF v_count > 0 THEN
11    RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20002, 'Duplicate roll number not allowed.');
12  END IF;
13 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Trigger created.

0.08 seconds



### Program 3

Write a code in PL/SQL to design a trigger that captures changes made to specific columns and logs them in an audit table.

The screenshot shows a SQL command window with the following details:

- Title Bar:** SQL Commands
- Toolbar:** Language (SQL), Rows (10), Clear Command, Find Tables.
- Query Area:** Contains the PL/SQL code for creating a trigger named "audit\_employee\_changes". The code uses the :OLD and :NEW substitution variables to log changes to the salary and department\_id columns of the employees table into an employee\_audit table.

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER audit_employee_changes
2 AFTER UPDATE OF salary, department_id ON employees
3 FOR EACH ROW
4 BEGIN
5     IF :OLD.salary <> :NEW.salary THEN
6         INSERT INTO employee_audit (
7             emp_id, column_name, old_value, new_value, changed_by, changed_on
8         ) VALUES (
9             :OLD.emp_id, 'SALARY', TO_CHAR(:OLD.salary), TO_CHAR(:NEW.salary),
10            USER, SYSDATE
11        );
12    END IF;
13    IF :OLD.department_id <> :NEW.department_id THEN
14        INSERT INTO employee_audit (
15            emp_id, column_name, old_value, new_value, changed_by, changed_on
16        ) VALUES (
17            :OLD.emp_id, 'DEPARTMENT_ID', TO_CHAR(:OLD.department_id), TO_CHAR(:NEW.department_id),
18            USER, SYSDATE
19        );
20    END IF;
21 END;
```

- Bottom Navigation:** Results, Explain, Describe, Saved SQL, History.
- Status Bar:** Trigger created. 0.07 seconds

### Program 4

Write a code in PL/SQL to create a trigger that restricts the insertion of new rows if the total of a column's values exceeds a certain threshold.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER limit_total_balance
2 BEFORE INSERT ON accounts
3 FOR EACH ROW
4 DECLARE
5     v_total NUMBER;
6     v_threshold CONSTANT NUMBER := 1000000;
7 BEGIN
8     SELECT NVL(SUM(balance), 0) INTO v_total FROM accounts;
9     IF v_total + :NEW.balance > v_threshold THEN
10         RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20003,
11             'Cannot insert: Total balance would exceed the allowed limit of 1,000,000.');
12     END IF;
13 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Trigger created.

0.07 seconds

## Program 5

Write a code in PL/SQL to implement a trigger that records user activity (inserts, updates, deletes) in an audit log for a given set of tables.

The screenshot shows the Oracle SQL Developer interface with the following details:

- SQL Commands** tab is selected.
- Language** dropdown is set to **SQL**.
- Rows** dropdown is set to **10**.
- Clear Command** and **Find Tables** buttons are visible.
- The SQL editor contains the following PL/SQL code:

```
1  CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_employee_audit
2  AFTER INSERT OR UPDATE OR DELETE ON employees
3  FOR EACH ROW
4  BEGIN
5      IF INSERTING THEN
6          INSERT INTO employee_audit_log (
7              table_name, operation, user_name, change_date,
8              new_emp_id, new_emp_name, new_department, new_salary
9          ) VALUES ('EMPLOYEES', 'INSERT', USER, SYSDATE, :NEW.emp_id, :NEW.emp_name, :NEW.department, :NEW.salary);
10     ELSIF UPDATING THEN
11         INSERT INTO employee_audit_log (
12             table_name, operation, user_name, change_date,
13             old_emp_id, old_emp_name, old_department, old_salary,
14             new_emp_id, new_emp_name, new_department, new_salary
15         ) VALUES (
16             'EMPLOYEES', 'UPDATE', USER, SYSDATE,
17             :OLD.emp_id, :OLD.emp_name, :OLD.department, :OLD.salary, :NEW.emp_id, :NEW.emp_name, :NEW.department, :NEW.salary);
18     ELSIF DELETING THEN
19         INSERT INTO employee_audit_log (
20             table_name, operation, user_name, change_date,
21             old_emp_id, old_emp_name, old_department, old_salary
22         ) VALUES (
23             'EMPLOYEES', 'DELETE', USER, SYSDATE, :OLD.emp_id, :OLD.emp_name, :OLD.department, :OLD.salary);
24     END IF;
25 END;
```

**Results** tab is selected, showing the message: **Trigger created.**

## Program 7

Write a code in PL/SQL to implement a trigger that automatically calculates and updates a running total column for a table whenever new rows are inserted.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg\_update\_running\_total  
BEFORE INSERT ON sales  
FOR EACH ROW  
DECLARE  
 v\_total NUMBER;  
BEGIN  
 SELECT NVL(SUM(sale\_amount), 0)  
 INTO v\_total  
 FROM sales;  
 :NEW.running\_total := v\_total + :NEW.sale\_amount;  
END;

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Trigger created.

0.07 seconds

Program 8

Write a code in PL/SQL to create a trigger that validates the availability of items before allowing an order to be placed, considering stock levels and pending orders.

↑ SQL Commands

Language SQL Rows 10 Clear Command Find Tables

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```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_validate_item_availability
2 BEFORE INSERT ON orders
3 FOR EACH ROW
4 DECLARE
5     v_stock NUMBER;
6     v_pending NUMBER;
7 BEGIN
8     SELECT stock_qty INTO v_stock
9     FROM items
10    WHERE item_id = :NEW.item_id;
11    SELECT NVL(SUM(order_qty), 0)
12    INTO v_pending
13    FROM orders
14    WHERE item_id = :NEW.item_id
15    AND status = 'PENDING';
16    IF :NEW.order_qty > (v_stock - v_pending) THEN
17        RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20004,
18            'Order cannot be placed: insufficient stock available.');
19    END IF;
20 END;
```

Results Explain Describe Saved SQL History

Trigger created.

0.07 seconds

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