TSQL Homework 08a

Chapter 8a, T-SQL Query Fundamentals

Readings

Read chapter 8, pages 249 { 266 in the T-SQL Query Fundamentals book.

Homework questions

1. When using INSERT, is the list of columns necessary? Why or why not?

Yes so the right values can be put into the correct columns

1. When using INSERT SELECT, do you use a subquery (derived table)? Under what circumstances do

you not use a subquery?

Yes

1. What is the operand for the INSERT EXEC statement?

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1. How would you use the INSERT INTO statement?

In between the select and from clause

1. What are the parameters to the BULK INSERT statement?

Data file type, field terminator, row terminator

1. Does IDENTITY guarantee uniqueness? If not, how do you guarantee uniqueness?

No. By using UNIQUE

1. How do you create a SEQUENCE object?

CREATE SEQUENCE

1. How do you use a SEQUENCE object?

CYCLE

1. How do you alter a SEQUENCE object?

ALTER SEQUENCE

10. What is the difference between DELETE and TRUNCATE?

DELETE only takes away one row, TRUNCATE deletes all rows

11. What is the difference between DELETE and DROP TABLE?

DELETE only takes away one row, DROP TABLE deletes the entire table