

MODULE 1 — LOGIN & CONNECTION COMMANDS

1. Write the SnowSQL command to log in using account + username.

```
snowsql -a <account_name> -u <username>
```

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
ROSHINI#COMPUTE_WH@(no database).(no schema)>
```

```
snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI
```

2. Write the command to log in and automatically select a role.

*SnowSQL hides the role in the prompt
Role is working, but it is invisible
To see our role → must run:*

```
ROSHINI#COMPUTE_WH@(no database).(no schema)>select current_role();
+-----+
| CURRENT_ROLE() |
+-----+
| ACCOUNTADMIN   |
+-----+
1 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 0.638s
ROSHINI#COMPUTE_WH@(no database).(no schema)>
```

```
select current_role(); ACCOUNTADMIN
```

3. Write the command to log in and use a default warehouse.

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -w COMPUTE_WH
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
ROSHINI#COMPUTE_WH@(no database).(no schema)>
```

```
snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -w COMPUTE_WH
```

4. Write the command to log in and set a default database & schema.

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -w COMPUTE_WH -d COMPANY -s MANAGEMENT
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
ROSHINI#COMPUTE_WH@COMPANY.MANAGEMENT>|
```

```
snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -w COMPUTE_WH
-d COMPANY -s MANAGEMENT
```

5. Write the command to log in using a private key instead of a password.

```
snowsql -a <account_name> -u <username> --private-key-path snowflake_key.p8
```

Step-1 openssl genrsa -out rsa_key.pem 2048

Step-2 openssl pkcs8 -topk8 -inform PEM -outform PEM -in rsa_key.pem -out
rsa_key.p8 -nocrypt

Step-3 openssl rsa -in rsa_key.pem -pubout -out rsa_key.pub

step- 4 type rsa_key.pub

Step-5 ALTER USER <username> SET
RSA_PUBLIC_KEY='PASTE_PUBLIC_KEY_HERE';

6. Write the command to check the version of SnowSQL.

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -v
Version: 1.4.5
```

Snowsql -v SnowSQL 1.4,5

7. Write a SnowSQL command that logs in and runs a single SQL query.

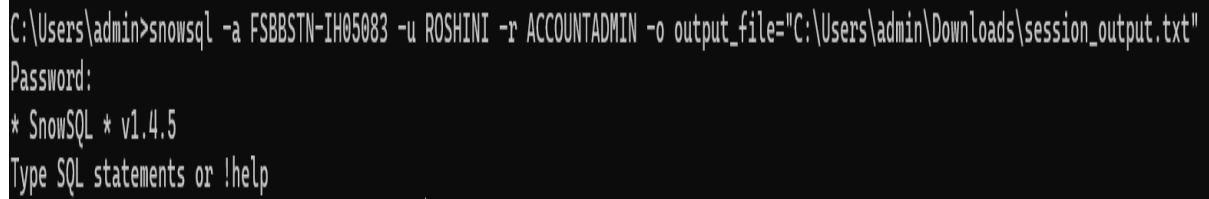
*snowsql -a <account_name> -u <username> -r <role> -d <database>
-s<schema> -q "<SQL_query>"*

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -r ACCOUNTADMIN ^
More? -d company -s management -q "SELECT join_date, COUNT(*) FROM employees GROUP BY join_date;"
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
+-----+-----+
| JOIN_DATE | COUNT(*) |
+-----+-----+
| 2021-03-10 | 1 |
| 2019-06-25 | 1 |
| 2022-01-15 | 1 |
| 2020-11-08 | 1 |
| 2017-12-30 | 1 |
| 2018-09-17 | 1 |
| 2016-07-19 | 1 |
+-----+-----+
7 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 0.198s
```

*Snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -r ACCOUNTADMIN ^
-d company -s management
-q "SELECT join_date, COUNT(*) FROM employees GROUP BY join_date;"*

8. Write a command that logs in and saves the session output to a file.

snowsql -a <account_name> -u <username> -r <role> -o output_file="<file_name>"



```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -r ACCOUNTADMIN -o output_file="C:\Users\admin\Downloads\session_output.txt"
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
```

```
Snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -r ACCOUNTADMIN
-o output_file="C:\Users\admin\Downloads\session_output.txt"
```

Explain : When i log in to Snowflake using SnowSQL, how can i save everything that appears on the screen into a file. Like output file-local folder (i took employee in my folder).

MODULE 2 — CONNECTION PROFILES

9. Write the configuration for a connection profile named "dev_conn".

dev_conn = easy shortcut for our Snowflake login settings.
Focus is on **profile name (dev_conn)**.

```
[connections.dev_conn]
  Account = FSBBSTN-IH05083
  user    = ROSHINI
  password = cera@123@123CERA
```

```
snowsql -c dev_conn;
```

10. Write the SnowSQL command to use a profile named "test_conn".

```
snowsql -c test_conn;
```

11. Create a connection profile with warehouse, database, and schema included.

Focus is on including warehouse, database, schema (profile name does NOT matter).

```
[connections.dev_conn]
```

```
warehouse = COMPUTE_WH  
Database  = company  
Schema    = management
```

12. Create a profile with default role specified.

```
[connections.dev_conn]
```

```
role = ACCOUNTADMIN
```

MODULE 3 — RUNNING SQL QUERIES

13. Run an inline SQL query using SnowSQL.

Run the SQL query directly in one single command.

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```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -q "SELECT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP();"
Account: FSBBSTN-IH05083
User: ROSHINI
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
```

CURRENT_TIMESTAMP()
2025-11-29 04:39:43.160 -0800

```
1 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 0.227s
```

snowsql -q "SELECT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP();"

14. Run multiple SQL statements using a single SnowSQL command.

Executed one SnowSQL command where multiple SQL statements were placed inside the **-q** option, separated by semicolons, allowing SnowSQL to run them sequentially (**create table** → **insert data** → **select data**).

```
C:\Users\admin>snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI -w COMPUTE_WH -d COMPANY -s MANAGEMENT -q "CREATE OR REPLACE TABLE EMPLOYEE(ID INT, NAME STRING); INSERT INTO EMPLOYEE VALUES (1, 'ROSHINI'), (2, 'SHAN'); SELECT * FROM EMPLOYEE;"
Password:
* SnowSQL * v1.4.5
Type SQL statements or !help
```

status
Table EMPLOYEE successfully created.

```
1 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 0.403s
```

number of rows inserted
2

```
2 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 3.160s
```

ID	NAME
1	ROSHINI
2	SHAN

```
2 Row(s) produced. Time Elapsed: 1.536s
Goodbye!
```

Single SQL = one instruction

Eg : (Select * from employee)

Multiple SQL = many instructions at once

Eg : (Use database test_db;
Use schema public;
Select * from employee);

15. Execute a SQL file named create_tables.sql using SnowSQL.

```
Snowsql -a FSBBSTN-IH05083 -u ROSHINI
-f 'C:/Users/admin/Downloads/create_tables.sql.txt'
```

This file url is path of that create_tables.sql.

16. Run a SQL file using a connection profile.

```
snowsql -c dev_conn -f create_tables.sql
```

17. Run a query and suppress all output formatting.

```
snowsql -c dev_conn -q "SELECT * FROM employees;" -o output_format=tsv
```

- snowsql** → opens SnowSQL
- c dev_conn** → uses your saved login profile.
- q select*from employees** → runs this query.
- o output_format = tsv** → prints **plain, simple text**, no tables or borders.