

Introduction to SQL

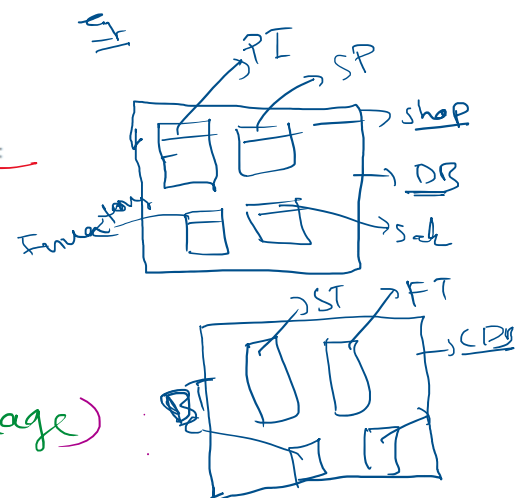
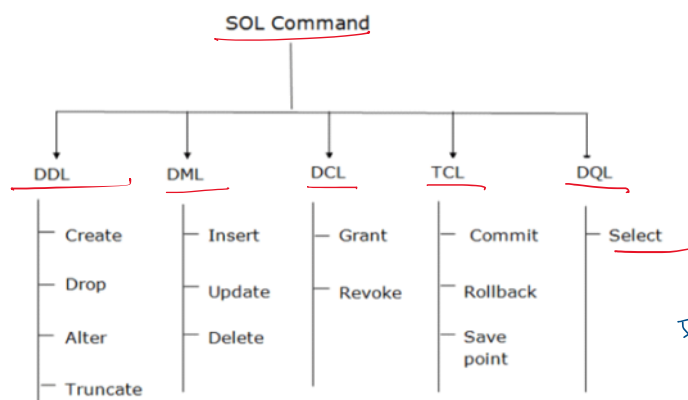
SQL → Stands for structured query language, & SQL is used for storing, manipulating & retrieving data from db.

Q. What are SQL commands?

Ans → SQL commands are instructions that interact with RDBMS.

These commands allow users to perform various operations such as querying data, update records, inserting ^{new} data, & managing the structure of db.

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① DDL (Data Definition Language)

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eg * Create → To create database or its objects.

* Drop → To delete object from database.

eg DROP column ContactName

DROP DATABASE testDB

* Alter → To alter the structure of db.

* Truncate → To remove all records from a table.

② DML (Data manipulation language)

→ Deal with the manipulation of data present in the database

eg Insert → is used to insert new data into table.

update → is used to update existing data into table.

Delete → is used to delete records from table.

③ DCL (Data control language)

It deals with rights, permissions & other controls.

eg Grant : Give user's access Privileges.

Revoke : Withdraw user's access Privileges.

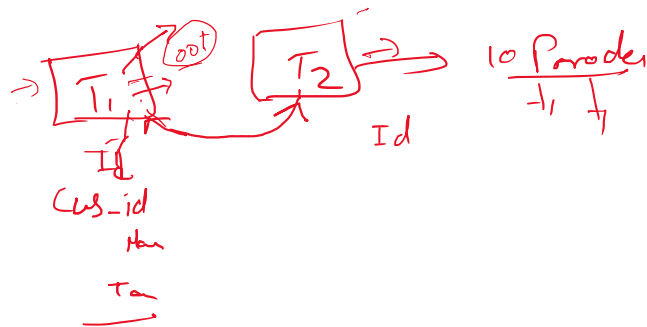
④ TCL (Transaction control language)

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It deal with the transaction with the database.

eg * commit → Commit a transaction

Roll back : → rollbacks a transactions
in case of any errors occurs.



* SavePoint → sets a save point within a transaction.

⑤ DQL (Data Query language)

Performing queries on the data within schema objects.

eg SELECT → is used to retrieve data

Normalization

It is a method to used in a db to reduce the data redundancy & data inconsistency from table.

Note No. of tables ↑

x 4 forms { 1NF , 2NF , 3NF , 4NF }

Denormalization

It is used to add redundancy to execute the query quickly.

Note No. of table ↓

Difference between Normalization and Denormalization:

	NORMALIZATION	DENORMALIZATION
IMPLEMENTATION	Decomposes data into different tables to <u>reduce redundancy</u> .	Combines data to <u>improve the access time</u> .
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MEMORY CONSUMPTION	Memory consumption is less as data redundancy is less.	Memory consumption is more as redundancy is introduced.
NUMBER OF TABLES	Number of tables is more on account of decomposition of data.	Combines tables and hence number of tables are less.
DATA INTEGRITY	Data integrity is maintained.	Data integrity might not be maintained.

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