

# SQL Cheat Sheet - Oracle

## Create Table

### Create Table:

```
CREATE TABLE tablename (  
    column_name data_type  
);
```

### Create Table With Constraints:

```
CREATE TABLE tablename (  
    column_name data_type NOT NULL,  
    CONSTRAINT pkname PRIMARY KEY (col),  
    CONSTRAINT fkname FOREIGN KEY (col)  
        REFERENCES  
        other_table(col_in_other_table),  
    CONSTRAINT ucname UNIQUE (col),  
    CONSTRAINT ckname CHECK (conditions)  
);
```

### Drop Table:

```
DROP TABLE tablename;
```

## Alter Table

### Add Column

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    ADD columnname datatype;
```

### Drop Column

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    DROP COLUMN columnname;
```

### Modify Column

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    MODIFY columnname newdatatype;
```

### Rename Column

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    RENAME COLUMN currentname TO newname;
```

### Add Constraint

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    ADD CONSTRAINT constraintname  
        constrainttype (columns);
```

### Drop Constraint

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    DROP CONSTRAINT constraintname;
```

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    DROP constraint_type constraintname;
```

### Rename Table

```
ALTER TABLE tablename  
    RENAME TO newtablename;
```

## Modifying Data

### INSERT:

```
INSERT INTO tablename (col1, col2...)   
    VALUES (val1, val2);
```

### INSERT From Table:

```
INSERT INTO tablename (col1, col2...)   
    SELECT col1, col2...
```

### UPDATE:

```
UPDATE tablename  
    SET col1 = val1  
    WHERE condition;
```

### DELETE:

```
DELETE FROM tablename  
    WHERE condition;
```

## Common Data Types

### **VARCHAR2 (size)**

Text container with variable length (1 to 4000)

### **CHAR (size)**

Text container with fixed length (1 to 2000)

### **NUMBER (p, s)**

Numbers with precision p and scale s

### **DATE**

Date preserve (1.1.-4712 to 31.12.4712)

Always contains the time to the second

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## SELECT

```
SELECT col1, col2

FROM tables

WHERE conditions

GROUP BY cols

HAVING conditions

ORDER BY col1 asc, col2 desc;
```

## SELECT Keywords

### **DISTINCT**

Removes duplicate results

### **BETWEEN**

Matches a value between two other values (inclusive)

### **IN**

Matches a value to one of many values

### **NOT IN**

Does not match any of many values

### **IS NULL**

Has no value

### **IS NOT NULL**

Has a value

### **LIKE**

Performs partial/wildcard matches

Wildcards: % \_

## Joins

```
SELECT t1.*, t2.*
FROM t1 join_type t2
      ON t1.col = t2.col;
```

```
SELECT t1.*, t2.*
FROM t1 join_type t2 using (col)
```

### **[INNER] JOIN**

show all matching records in both tables.

### **LEFT JOIN**

show all records from left table, and any matching records from right table.

### **RIGHT JOIN**

show all records from right table, and any matching records from left table.

### **FULL JOIN**

show all records from both tables, whether there is a match or not.

### **CROSS JOIN**

show all combinations of records from both tables.

### **SELF JOIN**

join a table to itself. Used for hierarchical data.

```
SELECT p.*, c.*
FROM yourtable p JOIN yourtable c
      ON p.id = c.parent_id;
```

## Subqueries

```
INSERT INTO staff
      (SELECT * FROM persons);
```

```
DELETE FROM students
WHERE matriculation_number IN
      (SELECT matriculation_number
        FROM grades
        WHERE diploma_examination < 5);
```

```
UPDATE employees
      SET salary = salary * 1.2
      WHERE salary < (SELECT avg(salary)
                      FROM employees);
```

```
SELECT * FROM album_sale
      WHERE album_total > ALL (SELECT cost
                              FROM album_production);
```

```
SELECT salary,
      (SELECT max(salary)
        FROM employees) as maximum
FROM employees;
```

```
SELECT first_name, last_name, dep_name
FROM (SELECT * FROM employees
      JOIN departments ON
            employees.dep_ID=departments.ID)
WHERE sex = 'f';
```

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## Compound Queries

### Set Operators

#### **UNION**

Shows unique rows from two result sets.

#### **UNION ALL**

Shows all rows from two result sets.

#### **INTERSECT**

Shows rows that exist in both result sets.

#### **MINUS**

Shows rows that exist in the first result set but not the second.

## Aggregate Functions

#### **SUM()**

Finds a total of the numbers provided

#### **COUNT()**

Finds the number of records

#### **AVG()**

Finds the average of the numbers provided

#### **MIN()**

Finds the lowest of the numbers provided

#### **MAX()**

Finds the highest of the numbers provided

## Common Functions

#### **LENGTH(string)**

Returns the length of the provided string

#### **INSTR(string, substring, [start\_position], [occurrence])**

Returns the position of the substring within the specified string.

#### **SUBSTR(string, start\_position, [length])**

Returns part of a value, based on a position and length.

#### **CEIL(input\_val)**

Returns the smallest integer greater than the provided number.

#### **FLOOR(input\_val)**

Returns the largest integer less than the provided number.

#### **ROUND(input\_val, round\_to)**

Rounds a number to a specified number of decimal places.

#### **TRUNC(input\_value, dec\_or\_fmt)**

Truncates a number or date to a number of decimals or format.

#### **TO\_CHAR(input\_value, [fmt\_mask])**

Converts a date or a number to a string

#### **TO\_DATE(charvalue, [fmt\_mask])**

Converts a string to a date value.

#### **SYSDATE**

Returns the current date, including time.

#### **ADD\_MONTHS(input\_date, num\_months)**

Adds a number of months to a specified date.

#### **MONTHS\_BETWEEN(date\_1, date\_2)**

returns the number of months between date\_1 and date\_2

## Common Format Masks

YYYY: 4 digit year

YY: 2 digit year

MM: Month (01 to 12)

MON: Abbreviated month name

D: Day of week (1 to 7)

DAY: Name of day

DD: Day of month (01 to 31)

DY: Abbreviated day name

HH: Hour of day (01 to 12)

HH24: Hour of day (01 to 24)

MI: Minute of hour (00 to 59)

SS: Second of minute (00 to 59)