

# PL/SQL Cheatsheet

**SELECT Statement**

```
SELECT [DISINCT] {*, column [alias],...}
  FROM table
  [WHERE condition(s)]
  [ORDER BY {column, exp, alias} [ASC|DESC]]
```

**Cartesian Product**

```
SELECT table1.* , table2.* , [...]
  FROM table1,table2[,...]
```

**Equijoin(Simple joins or inner join)**

```
SELECT table1.* , table2.*
  FROM table1,table2
 WHERE table1.column = table2.column
```

**Non-Equi Joins**

```
SELECT table1.* , table2.*
  FROM table1, table2
 WHERE table1.column
 BETWEEN table2.column1 AND table2.column2
```

**Outer Joins**

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

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

**Self Joins**

```
SELECT alias1.* , alias2.*
  FROM table1 alias1,table1 alias2
 WHERE alias1.column = alias2.column
```

**Aggregation Selecting**

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

**Group function**

```
AVG([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
COUNT(*|[DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
MAX([DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
MIN([DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
STDDEV([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
SUM([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
VARIANCE([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
```

**Subquery**

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

**single-row comparison operators**

```
= > >= < <= <>
```

**multiple-row comparison operators**

```
IN ANY ALL
```

**Multiple-column Subqueries**

```
SELECT column, column, ...
  FROM table
 WHERE (column, column, ...) IN
      (SELECT column, column, ...
        FROM table
       WHERE condition);
```

**Manipulating Data**

**INSERT Statement(one row)**

```
INSERT INTO table [ (column [,column...]) ]
    VALUES (value [,value...]);
```

**INSERT Statement with Subquery**

```
INSERT INTO table [ column(, column) ]
    subquery;
```

**UPDATE Statement**

```
UPDATE table
    SET column = value [, column = value,...]
    [WHERE condition];
```

**Updating with Multiple-column Subquery**

```
UPDATE table
    SET (column, column,...) =
        (SELECT column, column, ...
          FROM table
         WHERE condition)
    WHERE condition;
```

**Deleting Rows with DELETE Statement**

```
DELETE [FROM] table
    [WHERE conditon];
```

**Deleting Rows Based on Another Table**

```
DELETE FROM table
    WHERE column = (SELECT column
                      FROM table
                     WHERE conditon);
```

**Transaction Control Statements**

```
COMMIT;
SAVEPOINT name;
ROLLBACK [TO SAVEPOINT name];
```

**CREATE TABLE Statement**

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
    (column datatype [DEFAULT expr] [,....]);
```

**CREATE TABLE Statement with Subquery**

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
    [(column, column...)]
    AS subquery
```

**Datatype**

VARCHAR2(size)	CHAR(size)	NUMBER(p,s)	DATE
LONG	CLOB	RAW	LONG RAW
BLOB	BFILE		

**ALTER TABLE Statement (Add columns)**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    ADD (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
        [, column datatype]...);
```

**Changing a column's type, size and default of a Table**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    MODIFY (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
        [, column datatype]...);
```

**Dropping a Table**

```
DROP TABLE table;
```

**Changing the Name of an Object**

```
RENAME old_name TO new_name;
```

**Truncating a Table**

```
TRUNCATE TABLE table;
```

**Adding Comments to a Table**

```
COMMENT ON TABLE table | COLUMN table.column
    IS 'text';
```

**Dropping a comment from a table**

```
COMMENT ON TABLE table | COLUMN table.column IS '';
```

**Data Dictionary**

ALL_OBJECTS	USER_OBJECTS
ALL_TABLES	USER_TABLES
ALL_CATALOG	USER_CATALOG or CAT
ALL_COL_COMMENTS	USER_COL_COMMENTS
ALL_TAB_COMMENTS	USER_TAB_COMMENTS

**Defining Constraints**

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
    (column datatype [DEFAULT expr][NOT NULL]
     [column_constraint],...
      [table_constraint][,...]);
```

**Column constraint level**

```
column [CONSTRAINT constraint_name] constraint_type,
Constraint_type
```

**PRIMARY Key Constraint**

```
PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES table(column) UNIQUE
```

**CHECK constraint**

```
CHECK (codition)
```

**Table constraint level(except NOT NULL)**

```
column,...,[CONSTRAINT constraint_name]
constraint_type (column,...),
```

**NOT NULL Constraint (Only Column Level)**

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column..._nn NOT NULL ...
```

**UNIQUE Key Constraint**

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column..]_uk UNIQUE (column[,...])
```

**PRIMARY Key Constraint**

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column..]_pk PRIMARY (column[,...])
```

**FOREIGN Key Constraint**

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column..]_fk
    FOREIGN KEY (column[,...])
    REFERENCES table (column[,...])[ON DELETE CASCADE]
```

**CHECK constraint**

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column..]_ck CHECK (condition)
```

**Adding a Constraint(except NOT NULL)**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    ADD [CONSTRAINT constraint_name ] type (column);
```

**Adding a NOT NULL constraint**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    MODIFY (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
        [CONSTRAINT constraint_name_nn] NOT NULL);
```

**Dropping a Constraint**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    DROP CONSTRAINT constraint_name;
```

**ALTER TABLE table**

```
DROP PRIMARY KEY | UNIQUE (column) |
CONSTRAINT constraint_name [CASCADE];
```

**Disabling Constraints**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    DISABLE CONSTRAINT constraint_name [CASCADE];
```

**Enabling Constraints**

```
ALTER TABLE table
    ENABLE CONSTRAINT constraint_name;
```

**Data Dictionary**

ALL_CONSTRAINTS	USER_CONSTRAINTS
ALL_CONS_COLUMNS	USER_CONS_COLUMNS

**Creating a View**

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] [FORCE|NOFORCE] VIEW view
```

```

[(alias[, alias]...)]
AS subquery
[WITH CHECK OPTION [CONSTRAINT constraint_name]]
[WITH READ ONLY] ;

Removing a View
DROP VIEW view ;

CREATE SEQUENCE Statement
CREATE SEQUENCE sequence
    [INCREMENT BY n]
    [START WITH n]
    [{MAXVALUE n| NOMAXVALUE}]
    [{MINVALUE n| NOMINVALUE}]
    [{CYCLE | NOCYCLE}]
    [{CACHE [n|20]| NOCACHE}] ;

Pseudocolumns
sequence.NEXTVAL      sequence.CURRVAL
Modifying a Sequence (No START WITH option)
ALTER SEQUENCE sequence
    [INCREMENT BY n]
    [{MAXVALUE n| NOMAXVALUE}]
    [{MINVALUE n| NOMINVALUE}]
    [{CYCLE | NOCYCLE}]
    [{CACHE [n|20]| NOCACHE}] ;

Removing a Sequence
DROP SEQUENCE sequence ;
Creating an Index
CREATE INDEX index
    ON TABLE (column[,column]...) ;
Removing an Index
DROP INDEX index ;
Synonyms
CREATE [PUBLIC] SYNONYM synonym FOR object ;
Removing Synonyms
DROP SYNONYM synonym ;
Data Dictionary
ALL_VIEWS           USER_VIEWS
ALL_SEQUENCES        USER_SEQUENCES
ALL_INDEXES          USER_INDEXES
ALL_IND_COLUMNS      USER_IND_COLUMNS
System Privileges(DBA)      User System Privileges
CREATE USER          CREATE SESSION
DROP USER            CREATE TABLE
DROP ANY TABLE       CREATE SEQUENCE
BACKUP ANY TABLE     CREATE VIEW
                     CREATE PROCEDURE

Creating Users
CREATE USER user
    IDENTIFIED BY password ;
Creating Roles
CREATE ROLE role ;
Granting System Privileges
GRANT privelges[,...] TO user[,...] ;
GRANT privelges TO role ;
GRANT role TO user[,...] ;
Changing Password
ALTER USER user IDENTIFIED BY password ;
Dropping Users
DROP USER user [CASCADE] ;

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**Dropping Roles**  
DROP ROLE role ;

**Object Privileges**

Object	Table	View	Sequence	Procedure
ALTER	X		X	
DELETE	X	X		
EXECUTE				X
INDEX	X			
INSERT	X	X		
REFERENCES	X			
SELECT	X	X	X	
UPDATE	X	X		

**Object Privileges**  
GRAND object\_priv [(column)]  
 ON object  
 TO {user|role|PUBLIC}  
 [WITH GRANT OPTION] ;

**Revoking Object Privileges**  
REVOKE {privilege [,privilege...] | ALL}  
 ON object  
 FROM {user[,user...]|role|PUBLIC}  
 [CASCADE CONSTRAINTS] ;

**Data Dictionary**  
ROLE\_SYS\_PRIVS  
ROLE\_TAB\_PRIVS USER\_ROLE\_PRIVS  
USER\_TAB\_PRIVS\_MADE USER\_TAB\_PRIVS\_RECV  
USER\_COL\_PRIVS\_MADE USER\_COL\_PRIVS\_RECV

**PL/SQL Block Structure**  
DECLARE --Optional  
 --Variables, Cursors, User-defined exceptions  
BEGIN --Mandatory  
 --SQL statements  
 --PL/SQL statements  
EXCEPTION --Optional  
 --Actions to perform when errors occur  
END ; --Mandatory

**PL/SQL Block Type**  
Anonymous Procedure Function  
[DECLARE] PROCEDURE name FUNCTION name  
 IS RETURN datatype IS  
 [DECLARE] [DECLARE]  
BEGIN BEGIN BEGIN  
--statements --statements --statements  
[EXCEPTION] [EXCEPTION] [EXCEPTION]  
END ; END ; END ;

**Declaring PL/SQL Variables**  
identifier [CONSTANT] datatype [NOT NULL]  
 [:=|DEFAULT expr] ;

**Assigning Values to Variables**  
identifier := expr ;

**Base Scalar Datatypes**  
VARCHAR2(n) NUMBER(p,s) DATE CHAR(n)  
LONG LONG RAW BOOLEAN

**The %TYPE Attribute**  
table\_name.column\_name%TYPE ;  
variable\_name%TYPE ;

**Composite Datatypes**

TABLE	RECORD	NESTED TABLE	VARRAY LOB
<b>Datatypes</b>			
CLOB	BLOB	BFILE	NCLOB
<b>Creating Bind Variables</b>			
VARIABLE variable_name datatype			
<b>Displaying Bind Variables</b>			
PRINT [variable_name]			
<b>Commenting Code</b>			
--prefix single-line comments with two dashes			
/* Place multi-line comment between the symbols */			
<b>SELECT Statements in PL/SQL</b>			
SELECT {column_list *}			
INTO {variable_name[,variable_name]}...  record_name}			
FROM table			
WHERE condition			
<b>Implicit Cursor Attributes for DML statements</b>			
SQL%ROWCOUNT			
SQL%FOUND			
SQL%NOTFOUND			
SQL%ISOPEN			
<b>Control Structures</b>			
<b>IF Statement</b>			
IF condition THEN statements ;			
[ELSIF condition THEN statements ;]			
[ELSE statements;]			
END IF ;			
<b>FOR Loop</b>			
FOR counter in [REVERSE] lower..upper LOOP statement1; statement2; ... END LOOP ;			
<b>WHILE Loop</b>			
WHILE condition LOOP statement1; statement2; ... END LOOP ;			
<b>Creating a PL/SQL Record</b>			
TYPE record_name_type IS RECORD (field_declaration[,field_declaration]...) ;			
record_name record_name_type ;			
<b>Where field_declaration is</b>			
field_name {field_type variable%TYPE  table.column%TYPE table%ROWTYPE} [[NOT NULL] {:= DEFAULT} expr]			
<b>Referencing Fields in the Record</b> record_name.field_name			
<b>Declaring Records with the %ROWTYPE Attribute</b>			
DECLARE record_name reference%ROWTYPE			
<b>Creating a PL/SQL Table</b>			
TYPE type_name IS TABLE OF {column_scalar_type variable%TYPE table.column%TYPE   variable%ROWTYPE} [NOT NULL] [INDEX BY BINARY_INTEGER];			
identifier type_name ;			
<b>Referencing a PL/SQL table</b>			
pl_sql_table_name(primary_key_value)			

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Using PL/SQL Table Method
table_name.method_name[(parameters)]
PL/SQL Table Methods
EXITS(n)          COUNT   FIRST    LAST     PRIOR(n)
NEXT(n)           EXTEND(n,i)   TRIM     DELETE
PL/SQL Table of Records
TYPE table_name_type IS TABLE OF table_name%ROWTYPE
  INDEX BY BINARY_INTEGER ;
table_name table_name_type ;
Referencing a Table of Records
table_name(index).field
Declaring the Cursor in Declaration Section
CURSOR cursor_name IS select_statement ;
record_name cursor_name%ROWTYPE ;
Opening and Closing the Cursor
OPEN cursor_name ;
CLOSE cursor_name ;
Fetching Data from the Cursor
FETCH cursor_name
INTO [variable1[,variable2,...]
      |record_name] ;
Explicit Cursor Attributes
cursor_name%ISOPEN
cursor_name%NOTFOUND
cursor_name%FOUND
cursor_name%ROWCOUNT
Cursor FOR Loops
FOR record_name IN cursor_name LOOP
  statement1;
  statement2;
  ...
END LOOP;
Cursor FOR Loops Using Subqueries
FOR record_name IN (subqueries) LOOP
  statement1
  ...
END LOOP ;
Cursors with Parameters
CURSOR cursor_name [(cursor_parameter_name datatype
[,...])]
IS select_statement
[FOR UPDATE [OF column_reference][NOWAIT]];
Parameter Name
cursor_parameter_name [IN] datatype [{:=|DEFAULT}expr]
Opening with Parameters
OPEN cursor_name(cursor_parameter_name[,...]);
Cursor FOR Loops with parameters
FOR record_name IN cursor_name(cursor_parameter_name
[,...]) LOOP
  statement1;
  statement2;
  ...
END LOOP;
WHERE CURRENT OF clause
UPDATE|DELETE ... WHERE CURRENT OF cursor_name ;
Predefined Exceptions
NO_DATA_FOUND
TOO_MANY_ROWS

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INVALID_CURSOR
ZERO_DIVIDE
DUP_VAL_ON_INDEX
Trapping Exceptions
EXCEPTION
    WHEN exception1 [OR exception2 ...] THEN
        statement1 ;
        statement2 ;
        ...
    [WHEN exception3 [OR exception4 ...] THEN
        statement1 ;
        statement2 ;
        ...]
    [WHEN OTHERS THEN
        statement1 ;
        statement2 ;
        ...]
Declaring Non-Predefined Oracle Sever Exception
DECLARE
    exception EXCEPTION ;
    PRAGMA EXCEPTION_INIT(exception, error_number) ;
Referencing the declared Non-predefined execption
BEGIN
    ...
EXCEPTION
    WHEN exception THEN
        statement1 ;
        ...
END ;
Trapping User-Defined Exceptions
DECLARE
    exception EXCEPTION ;
BEGIN
    ...
    IF SQL%NOTFOUND THEN
        RAISE exception ;
    END IF ;
    ...
EXCEPTION
    WHEN exception THEN
        statement1 ;
        ...
END ;
Functions for Trapping Exceptions
SQLCODE           return error code
SQLERRM          return error message
RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR procedure(Executable/Exception Section)
RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR ( error_number,
                           message [, {TRUE|FALSE}] ) ;
error_number      between -20000 to -20999
message          string up to 2,048 bytes long
TRUE             placed on the stack of previous errors
FALSE            replaces all previous errors
Single-Row Functions
Character Functions
LOWER(column|expression)
UPPER(column|expression)

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INITCAP(column|expression)
INSTR(column|expression,m)
CONCAT(column1|expression1,column2|expression2}
SUBSTR(column|expression,m,[n])
LENGTH(column|expression)
LPAD(column|expression,n,'string')
Number Functions
MOD(m,n)
ROUND(column|expression,n)
TRUNC(column|expression,n)
Date Functions
MONTHS_BETWEEN(date1,date2)
ADD_MONTHS(date,n)
NEXT_DAY(date,'char')
LAST_DAY(date)
ROUND(date[,fmt'])
TRUNC(date[,fmt'])
Conversion Functions
TO_CHAR(number|date[,fmt']) TO_NUMBER(char[,fmt'])
TO_DATE(char[,fmt'])
NVL(expr1,expr2)
DECODE(col/expr,search1,result1
                  [,search2,result2,...,]
                  [,default])
Operators
Comparison      = >   >= < <= <>
                  BETWEEN..AND, IN, LIKE, IS NULL
Logical         AND    OR     NOT
Order of Operations
Operator        Operation
** , NOT        Exponentiation, logical negation
+, -           Identity, negation
*, /           Multiplication, division
+, -, ||       Addition, subtraction, concatenation =
=,<,>,<=      Comparison
>=,IS NULL,LIKE
BETWEEN,IN
AND            Conjunction
OR             Inclusion

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