

# DATABASE PROGRAMMING WITH SQL 2/2

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## Section 11 – Ensuring Quality Queries Part I

#### 11-1 Ensuring Quality Query Results

Solve a series of problems:

- Solve a series of problems Create a query to produce specified data
- Modify a query to produce specified data

| Select * from user_tables | PURGE RECYCLEBIN; |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| select * from tab;        |                   |

#### Section 12 - DML

#### 12-1 INSERT Statements

| USER        | Someone doing "real work" with the computer, using it as a means rather than an end |
|-------------|---|
| Transaction | Consists of a collection of DML statements that form a logical unit of work.        |
| Explicit    | Fully and clearly expressed; leaving nothing implied                                |
| INSERT INTO | Adds a new row to a table   |

The table copies will not inherit the associated primary-to-foreign-key integrity rules (relationship constraints) of the original tables.

| Copy structure and data       | Copy only structure           |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| CREATE TABLE copy_departments | CREATE TABLE copy_departments |
| as                            | as (SELECT * FROM departments |
| SELECT * FROM departments;    | where 1=2);                   |

| Describe employees | SALARY NUMBER(6,2) Precision 6, Scale 2 [-9999.99, 9999.99] |
|--------------------|---|
| user               | select user from dual;                                      |
| sysdate            | select sysdate from dual; default DD-Mon-YYYY               |
|                    | select to_char(sysdate, 'Month fmdd, yyyy') from dual;      |

| select columns   | all columns                                   |  |
|--|---|--|
| INSERT INTO copy_departments                             | INSERT INTO copy_departments                  |  |
| <pre>(department_id, department_name, location_id)</pre> | VALUES (210, 'Estate Management', 102, 1700); |  |
| VALUES (200, 'Human Resources', 1500);                   |   |  |

```
INSERT INTO copy_employees
  (employee_id, first_name, last_name, email, hire_date, salary)
  VALUES
  (302,'Grigorz','Polanski', 'GPolanski', TO_DATE('2017-07-20', 'yyyy-mm-dd'), 4200);
```

```
Insert multiple records at the same time

INSERT INTO sales_reps(id, name, salary, commission_pct)

SELECT employee_id, last_name, salary, commission_pct

FROM employees

WHERE job_id LIKE '%REP%';
```

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#### 12-2 Updating Column Values and Deleting Rows

| UPDATE   | Modifies existing rows in a table                                     |  |
|--|---|--|
| Correlated subquery UPDATE   | retrieves information from one table & uses the information to update |  |
|  | another table   |  |
| Integrity Constraint   | Ensures that the data adheres to a predefined set of rules            |  |
| Correlated subquery DELETE deletes information on a linked table based on what was deleted |   |  |
|  | the other table   |  |
| Delete   | Removes existing rows from a table                                    |  |

| Not Correlated           | Correlated   |  |
|--------------------------|--|--|
| UPDATE copy_employees    | UPDATE copy_employees                                  |  |
| SET hire_date = sysdate  | SET hire_date = sysdate,                               |  |
| WHERE employee_id = 206; | <pre>salary = (SELECT salary FROM copy_employees</pre> |  |
|                          | WHERE employee_id= 205),                               |  |
|                          | <pre>job_id = (SELECT job_id FROM copy_employees</pre> |  |
|                          | WHERE employee_id= 205)                                |  |
|                          | WHERE employee_id = 206;                               |  |

| Not Correlated                       | Correlated  |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| DELETE FROM departments              | DELETE FROM copy_employees  |
| WHERE department_id = 50;            | <pre>WHERE department_id =     (SELECT department_id FROM departments</pre> |
| DELETE FROM copy_employees           | <pre>WHERE department_name= 'Shipping');</pre>                              |
| <pre>WHERE department_id = 50;</pre> |   |

| Be carefully                                |                                     |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| SELECT * FROM copy_employees e              | DELETE FROM copy_employees e        |  |  |
| WHERE e.manager_id IN WHERE e.manager_id IN |                                     |  |  |
| (SELECT d.manager_id                        | (SELECT d.manager_id                |  |  |
| FROM employees d                            | FROM employees d                    |  |  |
| GROUP BY d.manager_id GROUP BY d.manager_id |                                     |  |  |
| HAVING count(d.department id) < 2);         | HAVING count(d.department id) < 2); |  |  |

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```
row-level locks, until you issue a COMMIT or ROLLBACK

SELECT e.employee_id, e.salary, d.department_name
FROM employees e JOIN departments d USING (department_id)
WHERE location_id = 1500 AND job_id= 'ST_CLERK'
FOR UPDATE
ORDER BY e.employee_id;

GRANT update, select ON employees TO schemas

User: SCHEMAS
update ESQUEMAS.employees e set salary = salary
where e.employee_id = 141;
```

#### 12-3 DEFAULT Values, MERGE, and Multi-Table Inserts

A **data warehouse** is a collection of data designed to support business-management decision making. Data warehouses contain a wide variety of data, such as sales data, customer data, payroll, accounting, and personnel data, which presents a coherent picture of business conditions at a single point in time.

```
CREATE TABLE my_employees (
hire_date DATE DEFAULT SYSDATE,
first_name VARCHAR2(15),
last_name VARCHAR2(15));

-- Explicit
INSERT INTO my_employees
(hire_date, first_name, last_name)
VALUES (DEFAULT, 'Angelina', 'Wright');
VALUES('Angelina', 'Wright');
```

```
UPDATE my_employeesUPDATE my_employeesUPDATE copy_employeesSET hire_date = DEFAULTSET hire_date = '21-SEP-89'SET hire_date = to_date('1989-09-21', 'yyyy-mm-dd')WHERE last_name = 'Wright';WHERE last_name = 'Wright';WHERE employee_id = 100;
```

```
MERGE will INSERT and UPDATE
                               MERGE INTO copy emp c USING employees e
simultaneously.
                               ON (c.employee id = e.employee id)
                               WHEN MATCHED THEN UPDATE
MERGE INTO destination-table
                                    SFT
    USING source-table
                                        c.last name
                                                          = e.last name,
ON matching-condition
                                        c.department id = e.department id
WHEN MATCHED THEN UPDATE
                               WHEN NOT MATCHED THEN INSERT
                                    VALUES (e.employee id, e.last name, e.department id);
WHEN NOT MATCHED THEN INSERT
VALUES (.....);
```

```
ALL, FIRST
MERGE Example
                                                                            Multi-Table Inserts Conditional
                                                                           INSERT ALL
                                                   DEPARTMENT ID
EMPLOYEES (source table)
                     EMPLOYEE ID
                                    LAST NAME
                                                                               WHEN call format IN ('tlk', 'txt', 'pic') THEN
                                                   90
                      100
                                    King
                                                                               INTO all calls
                                     Hunold
                                                   60
                                                                                 VALUES (caller id, call timestamp, call duration, call format)
                                                                               WHEN call format IN ('tlk', 'txt') THEN
                     142
                                    Davies
                                                   50
                                                                               INTO police record calls
                                                                                 VALUES (caller id, call timestamp, recipient caller)
COPY EMP before the MERGE is executed
                                                                               WHEN call duration < 50 AND call type = 'tlk' THEN
                                                   DEPARTMENT ID
                     EMPLOYEE ID
                                    LAST NAME
                                                                               INTO short calls
                      100
                                    Smith
                                                   40
                                                                                  VALUES (caller id, call timestamp, call duration)
                                    Chang
                     103
                                                   30
                                                                               WHEN call duration > = 50 AND call type = 'tlk' THEN
                                                                               INTO long calls
COPY EMP after the MERGE has executed
                                                                                 VALUES (caller id, call timestamp, call duration)
                                                   DEPARTMENT ID
                      EMPLOYEE ID
                                    LAST NAME
                                                                            SELECT caller id, call timestamp, call duration, call format,
                      100
                                     King
                                                   90
                                                                                    recipient caller
                                                                            FROM calls
                      103
                                     Hunold
                                                   60
                                                                            WHERE TRUNC(call timestamp ) = TRUNC(SYSDATE);
                     142
                                    Davies
                                                   50
```

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#### Section 13 – DDL

#### 13-1 Creating Tables

| Data dictionary | Created and maintained by the Oracle Server and contains information about the database    |
|-----------------|--|
| Schema          | A collection of objects that are the logical structures that directly refer to the data in |
|                 | the database   |
| DEFAULT         | Specifies a preset value if a value is omitted in the INSERT statement                     |
| Table           | Stores data; basic unit of storage composed of rows and columns                            |
| CREATE TABLE    | Command used to make a new table   |

Table names are not case sensitive.

Table names should be plural, for example STUDENTS, not student

The main database object types are:

| Table | Index | Constraint | View | Sequence | Synonym |
|-------|-------|------------|------|----------|---------|
|       |       |            |      |          | - 1     |

```
CREATE TABLE my_cd_collection (
cd_number NUMBER(3),
title VARCHAR2(20) not null,
artist VARCHAR2(20) check(regexp_like(artist, '[a-zA-Z .]')),
purchase DATE DEFAULT SYSDATE);
-- External Tables Example
CREATE TABLE emp load (
    employee number CHAR(5),
    employee_dob CHAR(20),
    employee_last_name CHAR(20),
    employee first name CHAR(15),
    employee_middle_name CHAR(15),
    employee hire date DATE )
ORGANIZATION EXTERNAL (
    TYPE ORACLE_LOADER
    DEFAULT DIRECTORY def dir1
    ACCESS PARAMETERS
     (RECORDS DELIMITED BY NEWLINE
       FIELDS (employee number CHAR(2),
               employee_dob CHAR(20),
               employee_last_name CHAR(18),
               employee first name CHAR(11),
               employee middle name CHAR(11),
               employee hire date CHAR(10) date format DATE mask "mm/dd/yyyy"))
    LOCATION ('info.dat') );
```

| User tables: | Data Dictionary tables (Only Select):                     |
|--------------|---|
| Employees    | SELECT * FROM DICTIONARY;                                 |
| Departments  | SELECT * FROM USER_TABLES;                                |
|              | SELECT * FROM USER_INDEXES;                               |
|              | SELECT * FROM user_objects WHERE object_type= 'SEQUENCE'; |
|              | SELECT * FROM USER_SEGMENTS;                              |
|              | SELECT * FROM ALL_TABLES;                                 |

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#### 13-2 Using Data Types

| BLOB                          | Binary large object data up to 4 gigabytes                     |
|-------------------------------|--|
| CLOB                          | Character data up to 4 gigabytes                               |
| INTERVAL YEAR TO MONTH        | Allows time to be stored as an interval of years and months    |
| INTERVAL DAY TO SECOND        | Allows time to be stored as an interval of                     |
|                               | days to hours, minutes, and seconds                            |
| TIMESTAMP                     | Allows the time to be stored as a date with fractional seconds |
| TIMESTAMP WITH TIMEZONE       | stores a time zone value as a displacement from                |
|                               | Universal Coordinated Time or UCT                              |
| TIMESTAMP WITH LOCAL TIMEZONE | when a column is selected in a SQL statement                   |
|                               | the time is automatically converted to the user's timezone     |

CHAR (fixed size, maximum 2000 characters)
 VARCHAR2 (variable size, maximum 4000 characters)
 NUMBER (variable size, maximum precision 38 digits)
 DATE range yyyy-mm-dd hh24:mi:ss

TIMESTAMP range yyyy-mm-dd hh12:mi:ss and fractions of a second

INTERVAL DAY [(day\_precision)] TO SECOND
 The default precisión value is 2

#### select current timestamp, SYSTIMESTAMP from dual

| current_timestamp | 03-OCT-22 05.22.33.598000000 PM AMERICA/MEXICO_CITY |
|-------------------|---|
| SYSTIMESTAMP UCT  | 03-OCT-22 05.22.33.598000000 PM -05:00              |

| MySQL Date yyyy-mm-dd                                    | ORACLE Date yyyy-mm-dd hh:mi:ss             |  |
|--|---|--|
| <pre>create table tmp_Formatos(</pre>                    | <pre>create table tmp_Formatos(</pre>       |  |
| Fecha date,  | Fecha date,                                 |  |
| FechaTiempo datetime,                                    | TiempoMarca timestamp);                     |  |
| TiempoMarca timestamp);                                  | ·   |  |
|  |   |  |
| <pre>select now(), sysdate(), current_timestamp();</pre> | select sysdate, current_date,               |  |
|  | current_timestamp, SYSTIMESTAMP             |  |
|  | from dual;                                  |  |
| <pre>insert into tmp_Formatos</pre>                      | insert into tmp_Formatos                    |  |
| <pre>values(sysdate(), sysdate());</pre>                 | <pre>values(sysdate, sysdate);</pre>        |  |
|  |   |  |
| <pre>Select * from tmp_formatos;</pre>                   | <pre>select * from tmp_formatos;</pre>      |  |
|  |   |  |
| <pre>select second(fechaTiempo),</pre>                   | <pre>select to_char(fecha, 'ss'),</pre>     |  |
| <pre>extract(second from TiempoMarca)</pre>              | <pre>extract(second from TiempoMarca)</pre> |  |
| <pre>from tmp_formatos;</pre>                            | from tmp_formatos;                          |  |

| create table tmp_Horarios (                           | create table tmp_Intervalos (                        |
|---|--|
| Fecha date,   | loan1 INTERVAL YEAR TO MONTH,                        |
| TS TIMESTAMP,   | loan2 INTERVAL YEAR TO MONTH);                       |
| TS_TZ TIMESTAMP WITH TIME ZONE,                       |  |
| TS_LTZ TIMESTAMP WITH LOCAL TIME ZONE);               |  |
|   |  |
| <pre>insert into tmp_horarios values</pre>            | <pre>INSERT INTO tmp_Intervalos (loan1, loan2)</pre> |
| <pre>(sysdate, sysdate, SYSTIMESTAMP, sysdate);</pre> | VALUES (INTERVAL '121' MONTH(3),                     |
|   | <pre>INTERVAL '3-6' YEAR TO MONTH);</pre>            |
|   |  |
|   | <pre>select sysdate+loan1 from tmp_intervalos;</pre> |

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#### 13-3 Modifying a Table

You can add or modify a column in a table, but you cannot specify where the column appears

```
-- Dropping a column from a large table can take a long time
ALTER TABLE tablename SET UNUSED (column_name);

-- when you want to reclaim the extra disk space
ALTER TABLE copy_employees
DROP UNUSED COLUMNS;
```

```
ALTER SESSION SET RECYCLEBIN = ON;
DROP TABLE table_name;
```

| Recovery a Table                           | Show deleted tables            |
|--|--------------------------------|
| FLASHBACK TABLE table_name TO BEFORE DROP; | select * from USER_RECYCLEBIN; |
| Drop a table definitely                    | Rename a table                 |
| DROP TABLE Table_Name PURGE;               | RENAME old_name to new_name;   |

| it does not release storage space | Free up storage space      |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Delete from Table_Name;           | Truncate Table Table_Name; |

```
COMMENT ON TABLE Employees is 'Tabla de empleados'; comment on column Employees.last_name is 'Apellido Paterno';
```

```
select * from user_tab_comments;
SELECT * FROM USER_COL_COMMENTS;
```

|                             | Review the changes made (UNDO tablespace)  |
|-----------------------------|--|
|                             | SCN (System Change Number)                 |
| UPDATE EMPLOYEES            | select * from Employees                    |
| SET LAST_NAME = 'King Kong' | VERSIONS BETWEEN SCN MINVALUE AND MAXVALUE |
| where employee_id = 100;    | WHERE employee_id= 100;                    |

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#### Section 14 – Constraints

#### 14-1 Intro to Constraints; NOT NULL and UNIQUE Constraints

| Constraint              | Database rule.  |
|-------------------------|---|
| PRIMARY KEY             | Constraint ensures that the column contains no null values and uniquely         |
|                         | identifies each row of the table  |
| UNIQUE KEY              | An integrity constraint that requires every value in a column or set of columns |
|                         | be unique   |
| UNIQUE constraint       | Every value in a column or set of columns (a composite key) must be unique      |
| FOREIGN KEY             | Designates a column (child table) that establishes a relationship between a     |
|                         | primary key in the same table and a different table (parent table)              |
| REFERENCES              | Identifies that table and column in the parent table                            |
| NOT NULL constraint     | For every row entered into the table, there must be a value for that column     |
| CHECK constraint        | Specifies a condition for a column that must be true for each row of data       |
| Table level constraint  | References one or more columns and is defined separately from the               |
|                         | definitions of the columns in the table   |
| Column-level constraint | Database rule that references a single column                                   |

# 5 Types of constraints: All the constraints have a name

| NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY | FOREIGN KEY | UNIQUE | CHECK |  |
|----------------------|-------------|--------|-------|--|
|----------------------|-------------|--------|-------|--|

There are two different places in the CREATE TABLE statement that you can specify the constraint details:

- At the **column level** next to the name and data type
- At the **table level** after all the column names are listed

| Constraints at the Column Level                  | Constraints at the Table Level                         |
|--|--|
| CREATE TABLE clients (                           | CREATE TABLE clients (                                 |
| IDnumber NUMBER(4) primary KEY,                  | IDNumber NUMBER(4),                                    |
| LastName VARCHAR2(20) constraint nn_LN not null, | LastName VARCHAR2(20),                                 |
| Email VARCHAR2(20) UNIQUE,                       | Email VARCHAR2(20),                                    |
| HireDate date default sysdate,                   | HireDate date default sysdate,                         |
| Salary number(6,2) check(salary > 0)             | Salary number(6,2),                                    |
| );   | CONSTRAINT Clients_IDNumber_pk primary key (IDNumber), |
|  | CONSTRAINT uk_Email UNIQUE(Email),unique(email,phone)  |
| system gives the constraint a name,              | CONSTRAINT check_Salary check(Salary>0)                |
| such as <b>SYS_C</b> 00585417                    | );   |
|  |  |
| The NOT NULL constraint can be specified only at | ALTER TABLE clients MODIFY (LastName NOT NULL);        |
| the column level, not the table level            |  |
|  |  |

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#### 14-2 PRIMARY KEY, FOREIGN KEY, and CHECK Constraints

| PRIMARY KEY constraint | A column or set of columns that uniquely identifies each row in a table  |
|------------------------|--|
| FOREIGN KEY constraint | Establishes a relationship between the foreign key column and a primary key or unique key in the same table or a different table |
| NOT NULL               | Constraint ensures that the column contains no null values   |
| CHECK constraint       | Explicitly defines a condition that must be met  |
| ON DELETE SET NULL     | Allows a child row to remain in a table with null values when a parent record has been deleted                                   |
| ON DELETE CASCADE      | Allows a foreign key row that is reference to a primary key row to be deleted  |

```
Column-level syntax example:

CREATE TABLE employees(
employee_id NUMBER(6,0) CONSTRAINT emp_pk PRIMARY KEY,
first_name VARCHAR2(20),
last_name VARCHAR2(25),
department_id NUMBER(4,0) CONSTRAINT emp_department_id_fk
    REFERENCES departments(department_id) ON DELETE SET NULL,
email VARCHAR2(25));
```

```
Composite primary key
CREATE TABLE job history (
                                                            CHECK constraint cannot contain
                                                            functions:
employee_id
              NUMBER(6,0),
                                                            SYSDATE, UID, USER, or USERENV
start date
              DATE,
                                                            Example: SYSDATE >'05-May-1999'
end date
              DATE,
job_id
              VARCHAR2(10),
                                                            CHECK constraint cannot use:
department_id NUMBER(4,0),
                                                            CURRVAL, NEXTVAL, LEVEL, or ROWNUM
CONSTRAINT jh_pk PRIMARY KEY(employee_id, start_date),
CONSTRAINT jh endDate ck CHECK (end date> start date));
```

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#### 14-3 Managing Constraints

| DISABLE CONSTRAINT | To deactivate an integrity constraint                                 |  |
|--------------------|---|--|
| CASCADE clause     | Disables dependent integrity constraints                              |  |
| ALTER TABLE        | To add, modify, or drop columns from a table                          |  |
| ENABLE CONSTRAINT  | To activate an integrity constraint currently disabled                |  |
| DROP CONSTRAINT    | Removes a constraint from a table                                     |  |
| DROP COLUMN        | Allows user to delete a column from a table                           |  |
| CASCADE CONSTRAINT | Defines the actions the database server takes when a user attempts to |  |
| clause             | delete or update a key to which existing foreign keys point           |  |

#### Write ALTER TABLE statements to add, drop, disable, and enable constraints

| select * from USER_CONSTRAINTS  | * constraint_name, table_name, constraint_type, status |
|---------------------------------|--|
| WHERE TABLE_NAME='EMPLOYEES';   | constraint_type:                                       |
|                                 | P PRIMARY KEY  |
|                                 | R REFERENCES (foreign key);                            |
| select * from USER_CONS_COLUMNS | C CHECK constraint (including NOT NULL);               |
| where table_name = 'EMPLOYEES'; | U UNIQUE   |

| Sintaxis  | Example  |
|---|--|
| ALTER TABLE table_name ADD [CONSTRAINT constraint_name] | ALTER TABLE employees ADD CONSTRAINT emp_id_pk     |
| type of constraint (column_name);                       | PRIMARY KEY (employee_id);                         |
| ALTER TABLE tablename                                   | ALTER TABLE employees                              |
| ADD [CONSTRAINT constraint_name]                        | ADD CONSTRAINT emp_dept_fk                         |
| <pre>FOREIGN KEY(column_name)</pre>                     | <pre>FOREIGN KEY (department_id)</pre>             |
| <pre>REFERENCES tablename(column_name);</pre>           | <pre>REFERENCES departments (department_id);</pre> |
| ALTER TABLE table_name                                  | ALTER TABLE employees                              |
| MODIFY (column_name CONSTRAINT                          | MODIFY (email CONSTRAINT                           |
| <pre>constraint_name NOT NULL);</pre>                   | emp_email_nn NOT NULL);                            |
| ALTER TABLE table_name                                  | ALTER TABLE departments                            |
| DROP CONSTRAINT name [CASCADE]                          | DROP CONSTRAINT dept_dept_id_pk;                   |

| Sintaxis  | Example                             |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| ALTER TABLE table_name                              | ALTER TABLE departments             |
| <b>DISABLE CONSTRAINT</b> constraint_name [CASCADE] | DISABLE CONSTRAINT dept_dept_id_pk; |
| ALTER TABLE table_name                              | ALTER TABLE departments             |
| <b>ENABLE CONSTRAINT</b> constraint_name;           | ENABLE CONSTRAINT dept_dept_id_pk;  |

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#### 15-1 Creating Views

| View              | A subset of data from one or more tables that is generated from a query and   |
|-------------------|---|
|                   | stored as a virtual table   |
| VIEW_NAME         | Name of view  |
| CREATE VIEW       | Statement used to create a new view   |
| REPLACE           | Re-creates the view if it already exists  |
| NOFORCE (default) | Creates the view only if the base table exists  |
| FORCE             | Creates a view regardless of whether or not the base tables exist   |
| Alias             | Specifies a name for each expression selected by the view's query   |
| Subquery          | A complete SELECT statement   |
| Simple view       | Derives data from one table, no functions or groups, performs DML operations through the view   |
| Complex view      | Derives data from one or more tables, contains functions or groups of data, and does not always allow DML operations through the view |
| CONSTRAINT        | Is the name assigned to the CHECK OPTION constraint.  |
| WITH READ ONLY    | Ensures that no DML operations can be performed on this view.   |
| WITH CHECK OPTION | Specifies that rows remain accessible to the view after insert or update operations.  |

Views restrict access to base table data because the view can display selective columns from the table Views can be used to reduce the complexity of executing queries based on more complicated SELECT statements

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] [FORCE| NOFORCE] VIEW view [(alias [,alias]...)]
AS subquery
[WITH CHECK OPTION [CONSTRAINT constraint]]
[WITH READ ONLY [CONSTRAINT constraint]];
```

| Feature  | Simple Views | Complex Views |
|--|--------------|---------------|
| Number of tables used to derive data                               | One          | One or more   |
| Can contain functions  | No           | Yes           |
| Can contain groups of data   | No           | Yes           |
| Can perform DML operations (INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE) through a view | Yes          | Not always    |

| Simple View                                  |   |
|--|---|
| CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_euro_countries   | CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_euro_countries(ID, "Country") |
| AS   | AS  |
| SELECT country_id ID, country_name "Country" | SELECT country_id, country_name                           |
| FROM wf_countries                            | FROM wf_countries   |
| WHERE location LIKE '%Europe';               | WHERE location LIKE '%Europe';                            |

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| Complex View  |  |
|---|--|
| CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_euro_countries ("ID", "Country", "Region") AS   | CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_high_pop ("Region ID", "Highest population")   |
| SELECT c.country_id, c.country_name, r.region_name FROM wf_countries c JOIN wf_world_regions r USING (region_id) WHERE location LIKE '%Europe'; | AS SELECT region_id, MAX(population) FROM wf_countries GROUP BY region_id; |

# SELECT \* FROM view\_high\_pop;

# 15-2 DML Operations and Views

| ROWNUM            | A pseudo-column which assigns a sequential value starting with 1 to each of the rows returned from the subquery |
|-------------------|---|
| WITH READ ONLY    | Ensures that no DML operations can be performed on this view  |
| WITH CHECK OPTION | Specifies that INSERTS and UPDATES performed through the view can't create rows which the view cannot select    |

| CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_dept50 AS           | UPDATE view_dept50                    |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| SELECT department_id, employee_id, salary       | SET salary = 5800, <b>BONUS = 0.5</b> |
| FROM employees                                  | WHERE employee_id= 124;               |
| WHERE department_id = 50                        |                                       |
| WITH CHECK OPTION CONSTRAINT view_dept50_check; |                                       |

| WITH READ ONLY;                           |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| WHERE department_id = 50                  |                         |
| FROM employees                            | WHERE employee_id= 124; |
| SELECT department_id, employee_id, salary | SET salary = 5800       |
| CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW view_dept50 AS     | UPDATE view_dept50      |

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#### 15-3 Managing Views

| DROP VIEW       | Removes a view   |
|-----------------|--|
| INLINE VIEW     | Subquery with an alias that can be used within a SQL statement |
| TOP- N-ANALYSIS | Asks for the N largest or smallest values in a column          |

Only the creator or users with the DROP ANY VIEW privilege can remove a view: DROP VIEW viewname

| INLINE VIEW   | TOP_N, LIMIT                                     |
|---|--|
| <pre>SELECT e.department_id, e.employee_id, d.minsal</pre>      | SELECT ROWNUM AS "Top_N", employee_id, last_name |
| FROM employees e,   | FROM (SELECT employee_id, last_name              |
| (SELECT department_id, min(salary) minsal                       | FROM employees                                   |
| FROM employees  | ORDER BY last_name)                              |
| GROUP BY department_id) d                                       | WHERE ROWNUM <=5;                                |
| <pre>WHERE e.department_id = d.department_id</pre>              |  |
| AND e.salary= d.minsal;   |  |
|   |  |
| with  |  |
| <pre>min_dep as (SELECT department_id, min(salary) minsal</pre> |  |
| FROM employees  |  |
| GROUP BY department_id)   |  |
| <pre>select e.department_id, e.employee_id, d.minsal</pre>      |  |
| from employees e, min_dep d                                     |  |
| <pre>where e.department_id = d.department_id</pre>              |  |
| and e.salary= d.minsal;   |  |
|   |  |

Mostrar los empleados, con los departamentos que tienen más de un empleado, con salario mínimo por depto.

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# Section 16 – Sequences and Synonyms

#### 16-1 Working With Sequences

| CREATE SEQUENCE | Command that automatically generates sequential number                     |
|-----------------|--|
| Sequences       | Generates a numeric value  |
| STARTS WITH     | Specifies the first sequence number to be generated                        |
| INCREMENT BY    | Specifies the interval between sequence numbers                            |
| CURRVAL         | Returns the current sequence value   |
| NEXTVAL         | Returns the next available sequence value                                  |
| MINVALUE        | Specifies the minimum sequence value                                       |
| MAXVALUE        | Specifies a maximum or default value the sequence can generate             |
| CYCLE/ NOCYCLE  | Specifies whether the sequence continues to generate values after reaching |
|                 | its maximum or minimum values  |
| NOMAXVALUE      | Specifies a maximum value of 10^27 for an ascending sequence and -1 for a  |
|                 | descending sequence (default)  |
| NOMINVALUE      | Specifies a minimum value of 1 for an ascending sequence and – (10^26) for |
|                 | a descending sequence (default)  |
| CACHE/ NOCACHE  | Specifies how many values the Server pre-allocates and keeps in memory.    |
|                 | (By default, the Oracle server caches 20 values.)                          |

SELECT sequence\_name, min\_value, max\_value, increment\_by, last\_number FROM user\_sequences;

| CREATE SEQUENCE sequence [INCREMENT BY n] [START WITH n]   | CREATE SEQUENCE runner_id_seq<br>INCREMENT BY 1<br>START WITH 1<br>MAXVALUE 50000 | Create sequence runner_id_seq; select runner_id_seq.CURRVAL |
|--|---|---|
| [{MAXVALUE n   NOMAXVALUE}] [{MINVALUE n   NOMINVALUE}] [{CYCLE   NOCYCLE}] [{CACHE n   NOCACHE}]; | NOCACHE<br>NOCYCLE;   | from dual; Quemar Folio select runner id seq.NEXTVAL        |
| [{CACHE II   NOCACHE}],  | ALTER SEQUENCE runner_id_seq INCREMENT BY 1 MAXVALUE 999999;                      | from dual;  SELECT last_number as Next                      |
|  | DROP SEQUENCE runner_id_seq;  | FROM USER_SEQUENCES WHERE sequence_name= 'RUNNER_ID_SEQ';   |

# INSERT INTO departments (department\_id, department\_name, location\_id) VALUES (departments\_seq.NEXTVAL, 'Support', 2500);

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# 16-2 Indexes and Synonyms

| Synonym               | Gives alternative names to objects  |  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| CREATE PUBLIC SYNONYM | To refer to a table by another name to simplify access  |  |
| Composite index       | An index that you create on multiple columns in a table   |  |
| Unique index          | The Oracle Server automatically creates this index when you define a column in a table to have a PRIMARY KEY or a UNIQUE KEY constraint |  |
| Non-unique index      | Schema object that speeds up retrieval of rows  |  |
| DROP INDEX            | Removes an index  |  |
| Confirming index      | Confirms the existence of indexes from the USER_INDEXES data dictionary view  |  |
| Function-based index  | Stores the indexed values and uses the index based on a SELECT statement to retrieve the data   |  |

| index  | Synonym   |
|--|---|
| Select * from USER_INDEXES;  | Select * from USER_SYNONYMS;                                  |
| Select * from USER_IND_COLUMNS;  |   |
| <pre>CREATE [unique] INDEX index_name_idx    ON table_name (column, column)</pre>            | CREATE [PUBLIC] SYNONYM synonym FOR object;                   |
| ■ Function-based Indexes  CREATE INDEX upper_last_name_idx  ON employees (UPPER(last_name)); | CREATE SYNONYM amy_emps FOR amy_copy_employees;               |
| <pre>DROP INDEX upper_last_name_idx;</pre>   | DROP [PUBLIC] SYNONYM name_of_synonym; DROP SYNONYM amy_emps; |

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## Section 17 – Privileges and Regular Expressions

#### 17-1 Controlling User Access

Grant and Revoke privileges.

Compare the difference between object privileges and system privileges.

Database security can be classified into two categories: Data security and System security.

**Data security** (also known as object security) relates to object privileges which covers access to and use of the database objects, and the actions that those users can have on the objects. These privileges include being able to execute DML statements

**System security** covers access and use of the database at the system level, such as creating users, allocating disk space to users, and granting the system privileges that users can perform such as creating tables, views, and sequences.

Roles: are named groups of related privileges.

The **DBA**: is a high-level user with the ability to grant users access to the database and its objects.

A **schema** is a collection of objects, such as tables, views, and sequences. The schema is owned by a database user and has the same name as that user.

| System Privilege | Operations Authorized   |
|------------------|---|
| CREATE USER      | Grantee can create other Oracle users (a privilege required for a DBA role) |
| DROP USER        | Grantee can drop another user   |
| DROP ANY TABLE   | Grantee can drop a table in any schema                                      |
| BACKUP ANY TABLE | Grantee can backup any table in any schema with the export utility          |
| SELECT ANY TABLE | Grantee can query tables, views, or snapshots in any schema                 |
| CREATE ANY TABLE | Grantee can create tables in any schema                                     |

| CREATE USER user        | ALTER USER user         |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| IDENTIFIED BY password; | IDENTIFIED BY password; |

#### **Granting System Privileges**

GRANT privilege [, privilege...] TO user [, user role, PUBLIC...];

GRANT create session, create table, create sequence, create view TO Scott; GRANT UPDATE (salary) ON employees TO Scott;

GRANT select ON scott.departments TO PUBLIC;

You can't grant SELECT on individual columns, but you can create a VIEW and granting SELECT privilege

| System Privilege | Operations Authorized   |
|------------------|---|
| CREATE SESSION   | Connect to the database                                       |
| CREATE TABLE     | Create tables in the user's schema                            |
| CREATE SEQUENCE  | Create a sequence in the user's schema                        |
| CREATE VIEW      | Create a view in the user's schema                            |
| CREATE PROCEDURE | Create a procedure, function, or package in the user's schema |

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| Object Privilege | Table | View | Sequence | Procedure |
|------------------|-------|------|----------|-----------|
| ALTER            | Х     |      | X        |           |
| DELETE           | Х     | Х    |          |           |
| EXECUTE          |       |      |          | Х         |
| INDEX            | Х     | Х    |          |           |
| INSERT           | Х     | Х    |          |           |
| REFERENCES       | Х     |      |          |           |
| SELECT           | Х     | Х    | Х        |           |
| UPDATE           | Х     | Х    |          |           |

| Data Dictionary View | Description  |
|----------------------|--|
| ROLE_SYS_PRIVS       | System privileges granted to roles                             |
| ROLE_TAB_PRIVS       | Table privileges granted to roles                              |
| USER_ROLE_PRIVS      | Roles accessible by the user                                   |
| USER_TAB_PRIVS_MADE  | Object privileges granted on the user's objects                |
| USER_TAB_PRIVS_RECD  | Object privileges granted to the user                          |
| USER_COL_PRIVS_MADE  | Object privileges granted on the columns of the user's objects |
| USER_COL_PRIVS_RECD  | Object privileges granted to the user on specific columns      |
| USER_SYS_PRIVS       | Lists system privileges granted to the user                    |

#### 17-2 Creating and Revoking Object Privileges

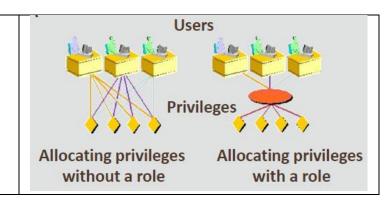
A role is a named group of related privileges that can be granted to a user.

- 1. To create and assign a role, first the DBA must create the role
- 2. Then the DBA can assign privileges to the role, and the role to users.

CREATE ROLE manager;

GRANT create table, create view TO manager;

GRANT manager TO Scott;



Select \* from Scott.clients;

```
Granting Object Privileges
Construct a GRANT..ON..TO..WITH GRANT OPTION

GRANT Object_priv[(column_list)]
ON object_name
TO {user|role|PUBLIC}
[WITH GRANT OPTION];

Scott is the owner:
GRANT SELECT, insert ON clients TO PUBLIC;

GRANT UPDATE(first_name, last_name)
ON clients
TO King, manager;

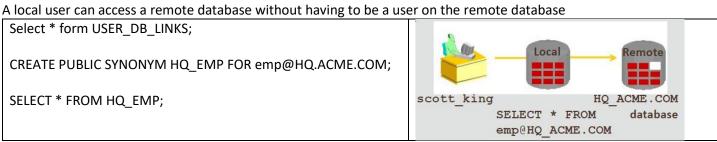
King execute:
```

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| Syntax            | Defined   |
|-------------------|---|
| object_priv       | is an object privilege to be granted  |
| column_list       | specifies a column from a table or view on which privileges are granted   |
| ON object_name    | is the object on which the privileges are granted   |
| TO user role      | identifies the user or role to whom the privilege is granted  |
| PUBLIC            | grants object privileges to all users   |
| WITH GRANT OPTION | Allows the grantee to grant the object privileges to other users and roles.   |
|                   | Permite al beneficiario otorgar privilegios de objeto a otros usuarios y roles.   |
|                   | If the owner revokes a privilege from a user who granted privileges to other users, the revoke statement cascades to all privileges granted |

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|--|--|
| Revoking Object Privileges                                       | if user A revokes privileges from user B, then those privileges  |
| REVOKE {privilege [, privilege]   ALL}                           | granted to users C and D are also revoked.   |
| ON object FROM {user[, user] role PUBLIC} [CASCADE CONSTRAINTS]; | UserB UserC UserC UserD  |

#### Database Links.



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#### 17-3 Regular Expressions

LIKE and wildcards %

The use of regular expressions is based on the use of meta characters

| Symbol  | Description  |
|---------|--|
| . (dot) | Matches any character in the supported character set, except NULL                                  |
| ?       | Matches zero or one occurrence   |
| *       | Matches zero or more occurrences   |
| +       | Matches one or more occurrences  |
| ()      | Grouping expression, treated as a single sub-expression  |
| \       | Escape character   |
|         | Alternation operator for specifying alternative matches  |
| ^/\$    | Matches the start-of-line/end-of-line  |
| []      | Bracket expression for a matching list matching any one of the expressions represented in the list |

Where column like 'a\_c' = Where REGEXP\_LIKE(column, 'a.c')

| Name           | Description  |
|----------------|--|
| REGEXP_LIKE    | Similar to the LIKE operator, but performs regular expression matching instead of simple pattern matching  |
| REGEXP_REPLACE | Searches for a regular expression pattern and replaces it with a replacement string  |
| REGEXP_INSTR   | Searches for a given string for a regular expression pattern and returns the position where the match is found   |
| REGEXP_SUBSTR  | Searches for a regular expression pattern within a given string and returns the matched substring  |
| REGEXP_COUNT   | Returns the number of times a pattern appears in a string. You specify the string and the pattern. You can also specify the start position and matching options (for example, c for case sensitivity). |

```
SELECT first_name, last_name
FROM employees
WHERE REGEXP_LIKE(first_name, '^Ste(v|ph)en$');

CREATE TABLE my_contacts(
first_name VARCHAR2(15),
last_name VARCHAR2(15),
email VARCHAR2(30) CHECK(REGEXP_LIKE(email, '.+@.+\..+'))
);
```

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#### Section 18 – TCL

#### 18-1 Database Transactions

| Commit           | Ends the current transaction making all pending data changes permanent         |
|------------------|--|
| Rollback         | Enables the user to discard changes made to the database                       |
| Savepoint        | Creates a marker in a transaction, which divides the transaction into smaller  |
|                  | pieces   |
| Transaction      | a collection of DML statements that form a logical unit of work                |
| Read consistency | guarantees a consistent view of the data by all users at all times             |
| Locks            | Mechanisms that prevent destructive interaction between transactions accessing |
|                  | the same resource that can be granted to the user                              |

Transactions allow users to make changes to data and then decide whether to save or discard the work.

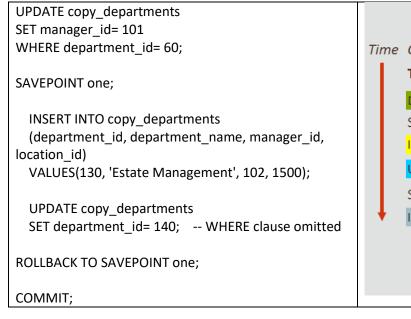
"All or Nothing" "All or not at all"

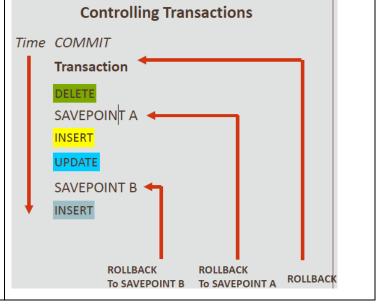
A transaction consists of one of the following:

- DML statements which constitute one consistent change to the data
- The DML statements include INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE, and MERGE
- One DDL statement such as CREATE, ALTER, DROP, RENAME, or TRUNCATE
- One DCL statement such as GRANT or REVOKE

Transactions are controlled using the following statements:

- COMMIT: When a COMMIT statement is issued, the current transaction ends making all pending changes permanent.
- ROLLBACK: When a ROLLBACK statement is issued, all pending changes are discarded.
- SAVEPOINT: Creates a marker in a transaction, which divides the transaction into smaller pieces.
- ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT: Allows the user to roll back the current transaction to a specified savepoint.





A transaction begins with the first DML.

A transaction ends when one of the following occurs: A COMMIT or ROLLBACK, A DDL, A DCL. COMMIT, ROLLBACK and SAVEPOINT are known as Transaction Control Language, or TCL.

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