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CREATE USER — define a new database role

Synopsis

CREATE USER

```
name  
[ [ WITH ]  
option  
[ ... ] ]
```

where

```
option
```

can be:

```
SUPERUSER | NOSUPERUSER  
| CREATEDB | NOCREATEDB  
| CREATEROLE | NOCREATEROLE  
| INHERIT | NOINHERIT  
| LOGIN | NOLOGIN  
| REPLICATION | NOREPLICATION  
| BYPASSRLS | NOBYPASSRLS  
| CONNECTION LIMIT
```

```
connlimit
```

```
| [ ENCRYPTED ] PASSWORD '  
password  
' | PASSWORD NULL  
| VALID UNTIL '  
timestamp  
'  
  
| IN ROLE  
role_name  
[, ...]  
| IN GROUP  
role_name  
[, ...]  
| ROLE  
role_name  
[, ...]  
| ADMIN  
role_name  
[, ...]  
| USER  
role_name  
[, ...]  
| SYSID  
uid
```

Description

`CREATE USER` is now an alias for `CREATE ROLE`. The only difference is that when the command is spelled `CREATE USER`, `LOGIN` is assumed by default, whereas `NOLOGIN` is assumed when the command is spelled `CREATE ROLE`.

Compatibility

The `CREATE USER` statement is a PostgreSQL extension. The SQL standard leaves the definition of users to the implementation.

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