





SQL STATEMENT:

CREATE

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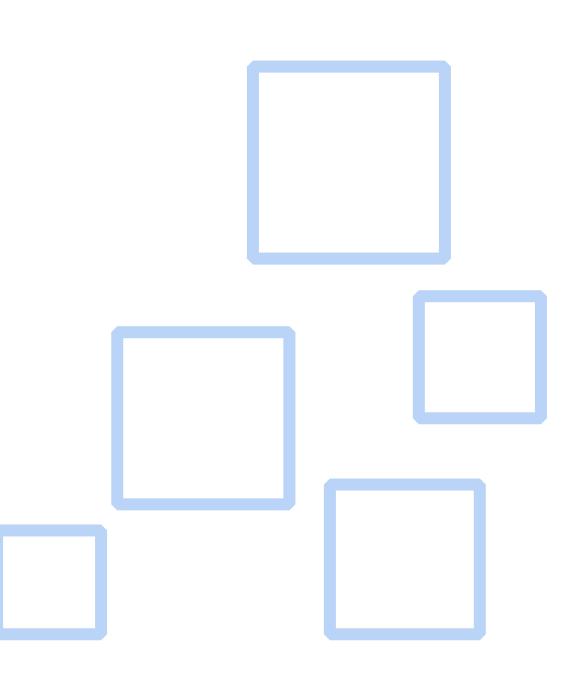


Learning Objective(s)



This material should address the following question(s).

- Provide the contraction of the c
- How do we create a new table in a database in SQL?





Question



How do we create a **new database** in SQL?



First thing first

Databases can be created using different query languages, and SQL is one such language.



CREATE DATABASE

- Use create database to create a new database in SQL.
- Syntax:
 CREATE DATABASE DatabaseName;
- Once a database is created, check it in the list of databases
 with SHOW DATABASES.

Example:

```
CREATE DATABASE Library;
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SHOW DATABASES;

Output:

Database master performance_schema information_schema mysql Library



Question

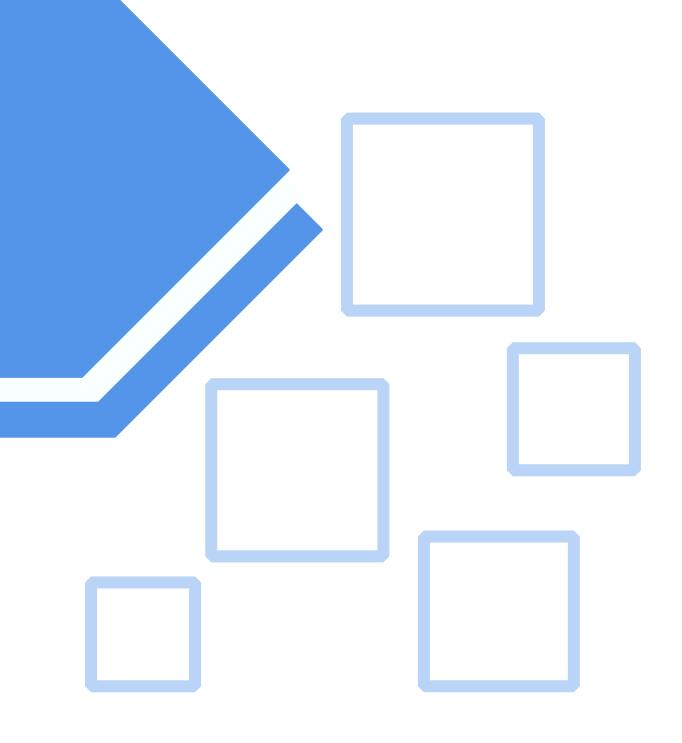


How do we create a **new table** in a database in SQL?





A Table is a combination of rows and columns.



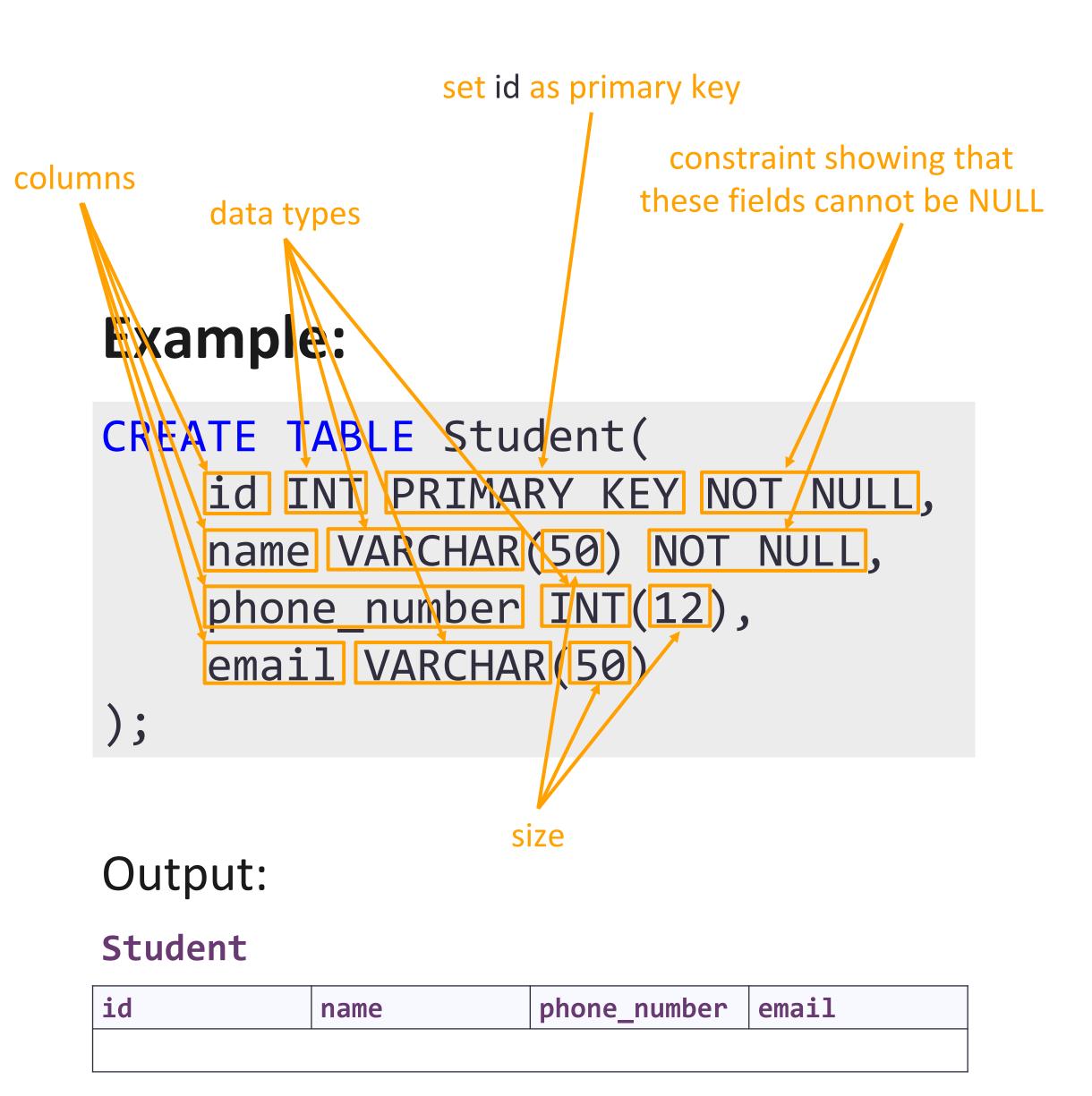


CREATE TABLE

- For creating a table we have to define the structure of a table by adding names to columns and providing data type and size of data to be stored in columns.
- Syntax:

```
CREATE TABLE TableName (
    column1 datatype(size);
    columnN datatype(size)
);
```





DESC

- Use DESC or DESCRIBE to verify if you have created a table successfully.
- Syntax:DESC TableName;ORDESCRIBE TableName;

Example:

DESC Student;

Output:

FIELD	TYPE	NULL	KEY	DEFAULT	EXTRA
id	int(11)	NO	PRI		
name	varchar(50)	NO			
phone_number	int(12)	YES		NULL	
email	varchar(50)	YES		NULL	



Conclusion



- Use CREATE DATABASE to create a new database in SQL.
- Use SHOW DATABASES to list down all the available databases in SQL.
- Use CREATE TABLE to create a new table in a database in SQL.
- Use DESCRIBE or DESC to describe the structure of a table in SQL.



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