

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT

The `DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT` package provides an interface to configure transparent sensitive data protection (TSDP) policies in conjunction with the `DBMS_TSDP_MANAGE` package.

`DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT` is available with the Enterprise Edition only.

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The `DBMS_TSDP_MANAGE` package provides an interface to import and manage sensitive columns and sensitive column types in the database, and is used in conjunction with the `DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT` package with regard to transparent sensitive data protection (TSDP) policies.



See Also:

Oracle Database Security Guide

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Overview

Use the `DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT` package to create transparent sensitive data protection policies, configure protection by associating the policies with sensitive types, and to enable and disable the configured protection.

Sensitive types can be added using the [DBMS_TSDP_MANAGE](#) package.

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Security Model

All procedures are executed with invoker's rights. Typically, a security administrator should have the `EXECUTE` privilege for this package.

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Constants

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT defines the TSDP_PARAM_MAX constant for use when specifying parameter values.

This constant is described in the following table.

Table 208-1 DBMS_TDSP_PROTECT Constants - Compression Types

| Constant | Type | Value | Description |
|----------------|---------|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| TSDP_PARAM_MAX | INTEGER | 4000 | Maximum length of the parameter value that can be specified in FEATURE_OPTIONS |

DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Data Structures

The DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT package defines two TABLE types.

Table Types

- [FEATURE_OPTIONS Table Type](#)
- [POLICY_CONDITIONS Table Type](#)

FEATURE_OPTIONS Table Type

The following type is an associative array of VARCHAR2 (TSDP_PARAM_MAX) that is indexed by VARCHAR2 (M_IDEN) .

Syntax

```
TYPE FEATURE_OPTIONS IS TABLE OF VARCHAR2 (TSDP_PARAM_MAX)
INDEX BY VARCHAR2 (M_IDEN) ;
```

POLICY_CONDITIONS Table Type

The following type is an associative array of VARCHAR2 (TSDP_PARAM_MAX) that is indexed by PLS_INTEGER.

Syntax

```
TYPE POLICY_CONDITIONS IS TABLE OF VARCHAR2 (TSDP_PARAM_MAX)
INDEX BY PLS_INTEGER;
```

Summary of DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Subprograms

This table lists the DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT subprograms and briefly describes them.

Table 208-2 DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT Package Subprograms

| Subprogram | Description |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ADD_POLICY Procedure | Creates a TSDP policy |
| ALTER_POLICY Procedure | Alters a TSDP policy |
| ASSOCIATE_POLICY Procedure | Associates or disassociates a TSDP policy with a sensitive column type |
| DISABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure | Disables protection for columns |
| DISABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure | Disables protection based on the source of truth for the sensitive columns |
| DISABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure | Disables protection for a sensitive column type |
| DROP_POLICY Procedure | Removes a TSDP policy |
| ENABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure | Enables protection for columns |
| ENABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure | Enables protection based on the source of truth for the sensitive columns |
| ENABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure | Enables protection for a sensitive column type |

ADD_POLICY Procedure

This procedure creates a TSDP policy.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ADD_POLICY (  
    policy_name          IN VARCHAR2,  
    security_feature      IN PLS_INTEGER,  
    policy_enable_options IN FEATURE_OPTIONS,  
    policy_apply_condition IN POLICY_CONDITION DEFAULT TSDP$default_condition);
```

Parameters

Table 208-3 ADD_POLICY Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>policy_name</code> | Name of the policy being created. The maximum length for this identifier is M_IDEN. This follows the Oracle naming convention. |
| <code>security_feature</code> | Oracle security feature with which the policy is associated. Allowed values: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.REDACT• DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.VPD• DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.UNIFIED_AUDIT• DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.FINE_GRAINED_AUDIT• DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.COLUMN_ENCRYPTION |
| <code>policy_enable_options</code> | Initialized with the parameter-value pairs corresponding to the <code>security_feature</code> setting |

Table 208-3 (Cont.) ADD_POLICY Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| policy_apply_condition | <p>Initialized with the property-value pairs that must be satisfied in order to apply the corresponding policy_enable_options. This is an associative array with Property as the key (PLS_INTEGER).</p> <p>Example: example_policy_condition(Property)=property_value. Permissible values for Property:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.DATATYPE DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.LENGTH DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.PARENT_SCHEMA DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.PARENT_TABLE |

Usage Notes

To create the TSDP policy, you must include the procedure in an anonymous block that defines the type of security feature that will use the policy and conditions to test when the policy is enabled. For more information, see *Oracle Database Security Guide*.

Examples

Create a policy PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY:

```
DECLARE
  redact_feature_options DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.FEATURE_OPTIONS;
  policy_conditions DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITIONS;
BEGIN
  redact_feature_options ('expression') :=
    'SYS_CONTEXT(''USERENV'', 'SESSION_USER')      ='APPUSER'';
  redact_feature_options ('function_type')         := 'DBMS_REDACT.PARTIAL';
  redact_feature_options ('function_parameters')    := 'STR, VVVVVVVVV, VVVVVVVVV, *, 1, 6';
  policy_conditions(DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DATATYPE)    := 'VARCHAR2';
  DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ADD_POLICY
    ('PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY', DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.REDACT, redact_feature_options,
    policy_conditions);
END;
```

ALTER_POLICY Procedure

This procedure alters an existing TSDP policy

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ALTER_POLICY (
  policy_name           IN VARCHAR2,
  policy_enable_options IN FEATURE_OPTIONS,
  policy_apply_condition IN POLICY_CONDITION default TSDP$default_condition);
```

Parameters

Table 208-4 ALTER_POLICY Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|-------------|-----------------------------|
| policy_name | Name of the policy to alter |

Table 208-4 (Cont.) ALTER_POLICY Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| policy_enable_options | Initialized with the parameter-value pairs corresponding to the security feature |
| policy_apply_condition | <p>Initialized with the property-value pairs that must be satisfied in order to apply the corresponding policy_enable_options. This is an associative array with Property as the key (PLS_INTEGER).</p> <p>Example: example_policy_condition(Property)=property_value. Permissible values for Property:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.DATATYPE • DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.LENGTH • DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.PARENT_SCHEMA • DBMS_TSDP_PROPERTY.PARENT_TABLE |

Usage Notes

- If the policy_apply_condition matches an existing condition for the policy, then the corresponding enable options are updated with policy_enable_options.
- If the policy_apply_condition does not match any existing condition for the policy, the combination of policy_enable_options and policy_apply_condition is added to the policy.

Examples

Add a new combination of policy_apply_condition and policy_enable_options to an existing policy PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY:

```
DECLARE
    redact_feature_options DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.FEATURE_OPTIONS;
    policy_conditions DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITIONS;
BEGIN
    redact_feature_options ('expression') :=
        'SYS_CONTEXT(''USERENV'', ''SESSION_USER'')=''APPUSER''';
    redact_feature_options ('function_type') := 'DBMS_REDACT.PARTIAL';
    redact_feature_options ('function_parameters') := 'STR, VVVVVVVVVV, VVVVVVVVVV, *,
        1, 6';
    policy_conditions (DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DATATYPE) := 'VARCHAR2';
    DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ALTER_POLICY ('PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY', redact_feature_options,
    policy_conditions);
END;
```

ASSOCIATE_POLICY Procedure

This procedure associates or disassociates a TSDP policy with a sensitive column type.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ASSOCIATE_POLICY (
    policy_name          IN  VARCHAR2,
    sensitive_type       IN  VARCHAR2,
    associate            IN  BOOLEAN DEFAULT TRUE);
```

Parameters

Table 208-5 ASSOCIATE_POLICY Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| policy_name | Name of the TDSP policy |
| sensitive_type | Name of the sensitive column type: |
| associate | Associate or Disassociate. TRUE implies Associate |

Usage Notes

Both the policy and the sensitive column type should exist in the database.

Examples

Associate PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY with SSN_TYPE:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ASSOCIATE_POLICY ('PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY', 'SSN_TYPE');
```

DISABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure

This procedure disables protection for columns.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN (
    schema_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    table_name       IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    column_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    policy_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT NULL);
```

Parameters

Table 208-6 DISABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| schema_name | Name of the schema containing the column |
| table_name | Table containing the column |
| column_name | Column name |
| policy_name | Optional policy name. If given, only this policy is disabled. |

Examples

Disable TSDP policies associated with the corresponding sensitive column types for columns that reside in schema with name like %PAYROLL%, table name like EMP%, and column name like SAL%:

```
EXEC DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN ('%PAYROLL%', 'EMP%', 'SAL%');
```

DISABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure

This procedure disables protection based on the source of truth for the sensitive columns.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE (  
    discovery_sourcename      IN VARCHAR2);
```

Parameters

Table 208-7 *DISABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| discovery_sourcename | Name of the discovery source. This could be the Application Data Model (ADM) name or the database user. |

Examples

Disable protection for all columns corresponding to ADM_Demo:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE ('ADM_Demo');
```

DISABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure

This procedure disables protection for a sensitive column type.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE (  
    sensitive_type            IN VARCHAR2);
```

Parameters

Table 208-8 *DISABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| sensitive_type | Name of the sensitive column type |

Examples

Disable protection for all columns identified by SSN_TYPE:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DISABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE ('SSN_TYPE');
```

DROP_POLICY Procedure

This procedure removes a TDSP policy or one of its condition-enable_options combinations.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DROP_POLICY (  
    policy_name              IN VARCHAR2,  
    policy_apply_condition   IN POLICY_CONDITIONS);
```

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DROP_POLICY (
    policy_name          IN VARCHAR2);
```

Parameters

Table 208-9 *DROP_POLICY Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| policy_name | Name of the policy to drop |
| policy_apply_condition | To be initialized with the relevant condition |

Usage Notes

- The combination of `policy_conditions` and `policy_enable_options` can be dropped from a TSDP policy by giving the `policy_apply_condition` parameter. The default condition-default options combination can also be dropped (if it exists for the policy) by passing an empty associative array of type `DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITION`.
- If the condition-enable_options combination that is being dropped is the last condition-enable_options combination for the policy, the policy itself is dropped.
- A policy can be completely dropped by using the overloaded of the procedure that takes only `policy_name`.
- A policy or one of its conditions can be dropped only if the policy is not associated with any sensitive column type. This also means that a policy that is being dropped is not enabled on any column (object).

Examples

Dropping the condition-enable_options combination based on a specific condition:

```
DECLARE
    policy_conditions DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITIONS;
BEGIN
    policy_conditions (DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DATATYPE) := 'VARCHAR2';
    DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DROP_POLICY ('PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY', policy_conditions);
END;
```

The default condition-enable_options combination can be dropped by passing an empty associative array of type `DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITIONS` for the `policy_apply_condition` parameter:

```
DECLARE
    policy_conditions DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.POLICY_CONDITIONS;
BEGIN
    DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DROP_POLICY ('redact_partial_cc', policy_conditions);
END;
```

Dropping a TSDP policy:

```
BEGIN
    DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.DROP_POLICY (
        policy_name => 'PARTIAL_MASK_POLICY');
END;
```


ENABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure

This procedure enables protection for columns.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN (
    schema_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    table_name       IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    column_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT '%',
    policy_name      IN  VARCHAR2 DEFAULT NULL);
```

Parameters

Table 208-10 *ENABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| schema_name | Name of the schema containing the column |
| table_name | Table containing the column |
| column_name | Column name |
| policy_name | Optional policy name. If given, only this policy is enabled. |

Usage Notes

- Only a TSDP Policy that is associated with the sensitive column type of the sensitive column can be enabled using this Procedure.
- LIKE condition is used for schema_name, table_name and column_name. AND semantics is followed.

Examples

Enable TSDP policies associated with the corresponding sensitive column types for columns that reside in schema with name like %PAYROLL%, table name like EMP%, and column name like SAL%:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_COLUMN ('%PAYROLL%', 'EMP%', 'SAL%');
```

ENABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure

This procedure enables protection based on the source of truth for the sensitive columns.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE (
    discovery_sourcename IN  VARCHAR2);
```

Parameters

Table 208-11 *ENABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| discovery_sourcename | Name of the discovery source. This could be the Application Data Model (ADM) name or the database user. |

Examples

Enable protection for all columns corresponding to ADM_Demo:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_SOURCE ('ADM_Demo');
```

ENABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure

This procedure enables protection for a sensitive column type.

Syntax

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE (
    sensitive_type      IN VARCHAR2);
```

Parameters

Table 208-12 *ENABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE Procedure Parameters*

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| sensitive_type | Name of the sensitive column type |

Examples

Enable protection for all columns identified by SSN_TYPE:

```
DBMS_TSDP_PROTECT.ENABLE_PROTECTION_TYPE ('SSN_TYPE');
```