What is VIEW? What is the benefit of VIEW

VIEW looks like a table (a virtual table). It stores the references to the tables for easy displaying.

However, all the update / delete to the VIEW will directly affect the base tables. VIEW cannot pass parameters. So we cannot validate and purify the input to prevent malicious SQL injections.

Can data be modified through VIEW?

Yes

What are Stored Procedures and what is its benefit?

Stored Procedure is a prepared SQL query that we can save and reuse in Database. Stored Procedure can take parameters so we could validate the input to prevent malicious queries.

What is the difference between Stored Procedure and functions?

- SP is for DML while Functions is for calculation
- SP is called by its name while Functions must be called in SELECT
- SP may or may not take input while Functions must have input
- SP may or may not have output while Functions must return some values

- SP can call functions but Function cannot call SP

Can stored procedure return multiple result sets?

Yes. We can return multiple result sets by indicating multiple out variables.

Can Stored Procedure be executed as part of a SELECT statement? Why?

No. SP is called by its name. Functions are used in a SELECT statement.

What is Trigger? What types of Triggers are there?

Trigger is a stored procedure that automatically runs when an event occurs. There are DML trigger, DDL trigger, and logon trigger.

What is the difference between Trigger and Stored

Procedure?

Trigger is a stored procedure that runs automatically when some events happen. Stored Procedure can be executed explicitly.