

Objectives

After completing this lesson, you should be able to do the following:

- Describe packages and list their possible components
- Create a package to group together related variables, cursors, constants, exceptions, procedures, and functions
- Designate a package construct as either public or private
- Invoke a package construct
- Describe a use for a bodiless package



Overview of Packages

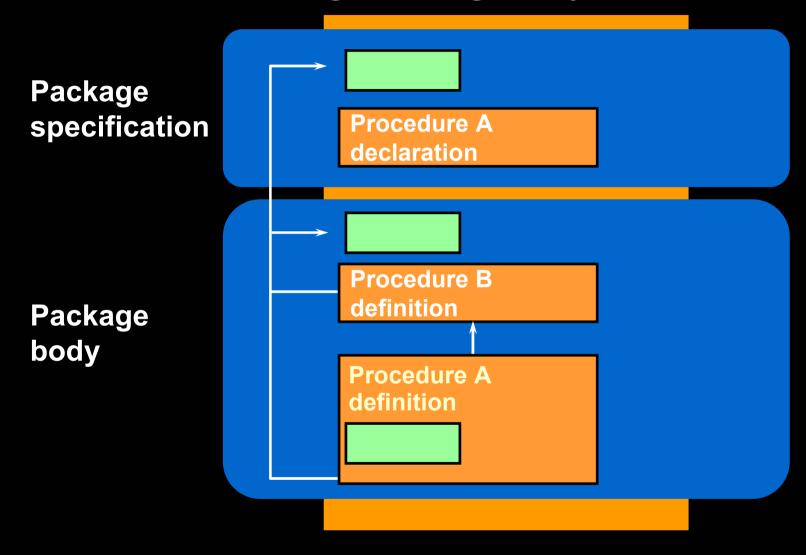
Packages:

- Group logically related PL/SQL types, items, and subprograms
- Consist of two parts:
 - Specification
 - Body
- Cannot be invoked, parameterized, or nested
- Allow the Oracle server to read multiple objects into memory at once

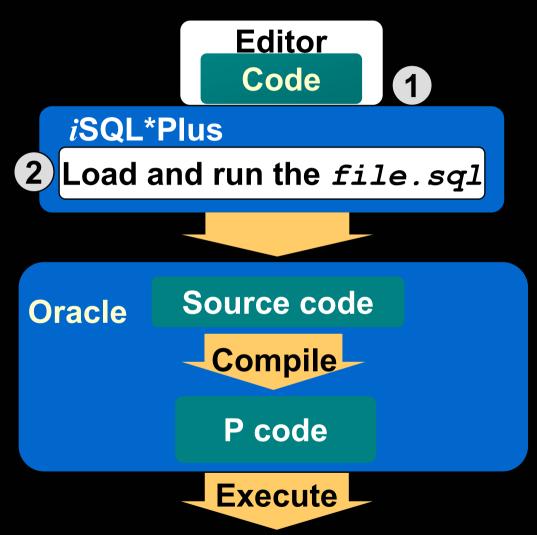
Components of a Package

Public variable Package specification **Procedure A Public procedure** declaration **Private variable Procedure B** Private procedure **Package** definition body **Procedure A Public procedure** definition Local variable

Referencing Package Objects



Developing a Package



Developing a Package

- Saving the text of the CREATE PACKAGE statement in two different SQL files facilitates later modifications to the package.
- A package specification can exist without a package body, but a package body cannot exist without a package specification.

Creating the Package Specification

Syntax:

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE package_name
IS|AS
    public type and item declarations
    subprogram specifications
END package_name;
```

- The REPLACE option drops and recreates the package specification.
- Variables declared in the package specification are initialized to NULL by default.
- All the constructs declared in a package specification are visible to users who are granted privileges on the package.

Declaring Public Constructs

COMM PACKAGE package

Package specification

RESET_COMM procedure declaration

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Creating a Package Specification: Example

Package created.

- G_COMM is a global variable and is initialized to 0.10.
- RESET_COMM is a public procedure that is implemented in the package body.

Creating the Package Body

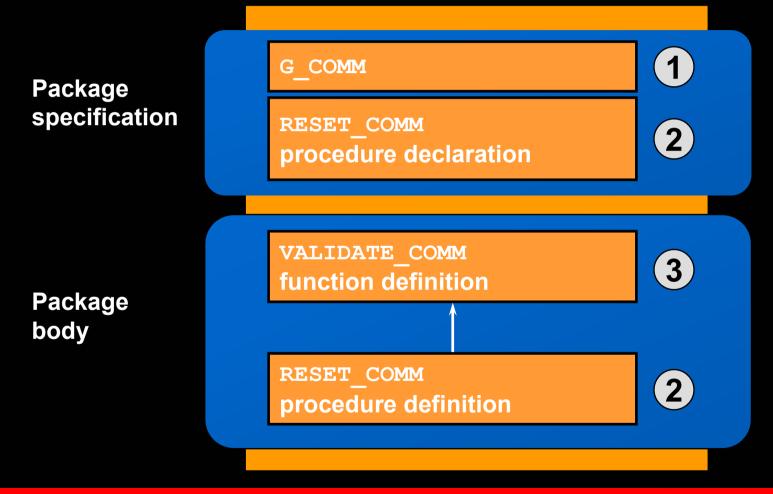
Syntax:

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE BODY package_name
IS|AS
    private type and item declarations
    subprogram bodies
END package_name;
```

- The REPLACE option drops and recreates the package body.
- Identifiers defined only in the package body are private constructs. These are not visible outside the package body.
- All private constructs must be declared before they are used in the public constructs.

Public and Private Constructs

COMM_PACKAGE package



Creating a Package Body: Example

comm pack.sql

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY comm package
IS
  FUNCTION validate comm (p comm IN NUMBER)
   RETURN BOOLEAN
   IS
    v max comm NUMBER;
  BEGIN
     SELECT MAX (commission pct)
     INTO v max comm
     FROM employees;
    IF p comm > v max comm THEN RETURN(FALSE);
           RETURN (TRUE);
    ELSE
    END IF;
  END validate comm;
```

Creating a Package Body: Example

comm pack.sql

```
PROCEDURE reset_comm (p_comm IN NUMBER)
IS
BEGIN
IF validate_comm(p_comm)
THEN g_comm:=p_comm; --reset global variable
ELSE
RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR(-20210,'Invalid commission');
END IF;
END reset_comm;
END comm_package;
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```

Package body created.

Invoking Package Constructs

Example 1: Invoke a function from a procedure within the same package.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY comm_package IS
. . .

PROCEDURE reset_comm
(p_comm IN NUMBER)
IS
BEGIN
IF validate_comm(p_comm)
THEN g_comm := p_comm;
ELSE
RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR
(-20210, 'Invalid commission');
END IF;
END reset_comm;
END comm_package;
```

Invoking Package Constructs

Example 2: Invoke a package procedure from iSQL*Plus.

```
EXECUTE comm_package.reset_comm(0.15)
```

Example 3: Invoke a package procedure in a different schema.

```
EXECUTE scott.comm package.reset comm(0.15)
```

Example 4: Invoke a package procedure in a remote database.

```
EXECUTE comm_package.reset_comm@ny(0.15)
```

Declaring a Bodiless Package

Package created.
20 miles = 32.186 km
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.



Referencing a Public Variable from a Stand-Alone Procedure

Example:

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE meter_to_yard

(p_meter IN NUMBER, p_yard OUT NUMBER)

IS

BEGIN

p_yard := p_meter * global_consts.meter_2_yard;

END meter_to_yard;

/

VARIABLE yard NUMBER

EXECUTE meter_to_yard (1, :yard)

PRINT yard
```

Procedure created.
PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.

YARD

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Removing Packages

To remove the package specification and the body, use the following syntax:

DROP PACKAGE package_name;

To remove the package body, use the following syntax:

DROP PACKAGE BODY package name;



Guidelines for Developing Packages

- Construct packages for general use.
- Define the package specification before the body.
- The package specification should contain only those constructs that you want to be public.
- Place items in the declaration part of the package body when you must maintain them throughout a session or across transactions.
- Changes to the package specification require recompilation of each referencing subprogram.
- The package specification should contain as few constructs as possible.



Advantages of Packages

- Modularity: Encapsulate related constructs.
- Easier application design: Code and compile specification and body separately.
- Hiding information:
 - Only the declarations in the package specification are visible and accessible to applications.
 - Private constructs in the package body are hidden and inaccessible.
 - All coding is hidden in the package body.

Advantages of Packages

- Added functionality: Persistency of variables and cursors
- Better performance:
 - The entire package is loaded into memory when the package is first referenced.
 - There is only one copy in memory for all users.
 - The dependency hierarchy is simplified.
- Overloading: Multiple subprograms of the same name

Summary

In this lesson, you should have learned how to:

- Improve organization, management, security, and performance by using packages
- Group related procedures and functions together in a package
- Change a package body without affecting a package specification
- Grant security access to the entire package



Summary

In this lesson, you should have learned how to:

- Hide the source code from users
- Load the entire package into memory on the first call
- Reduce disk access for subsequent calls
- Provide identifiers for the user session

Summary

Command	Task
CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE	Create (or modify) an existing package specification
CREATE [OR REPLACE] PACKAGE BODY	Create (or modify) an existing package body
DROP PACKAGE	Remove both the package specification and the package body
DROP PACKAGE BODY	Remove the package body only

Practice 12 Overview

This practice covers the following topics:

- Creating packages
- Invoking package program units

Latihan bab 27 - Creating Packages

- 1. Buka terminal SQL Plus, kemudian login ke database oracle menggunakan user HR.
- 2. Buat satu package dengan nama **akuntansi** yang berisi:
 - a. Procedure tambah_gaji yang berfungsi untuk menambah gaji pegawai (gunakan tabel Employees). Procedure ini menerima dua parameter:
 - parameter pertama untuk menerima nomor pegawai yang akan ditambah gajinya,
 - parameter kedua menerima nilai penambahan gaji dalam persen.

Buat output (menggunakan DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE) yang berisi pesan bahwa penambahan gaji telah berhasil. Contoh "Pegawai dengan nomor pegawai 100 nama King telah dinaikkan gajinya sebesar 20%".

- b. Function hitung_pajak yang berfungsi untuk menghitung pajak pegawai (gunakan table Employees). Function ini menerima satu parameter berupa nomor pegawai dan mengembalikan nilai berupa jumlah pajak yang harus dibayar pegawai tersebut. Cara penghitungan pajak adalah sebagai berikut:
 - Jika gaji kurang dari 5000, pajak yang harus dibayar adalah 15% dari gaji.
 - Jika gaji antara 5001 10000, pajak yang harus dibayar adalah 20% dari gaji.
 - Jika gaji diatas 1000, pajak yang harus dibayar adalah 25% dari gaji.
- 3. Coba jalankan procedure dan function dalam package tersebut dengan menggunakan beberapa data.