

## Types of Joins

### Oracle Proprietary Joins (8i and prior):

- Equijoin
- Nonequijoin
- Outer join
- Self join

### SQL: 1999 Compliant Joins:

- Cross joins
- Natural joins
- Using clause
- Full or two sided outer joins
- Arbitrary join conditions for outer joins

### Retrieving Records with Equijoins

```
1.SELECT employees.employee_id, employees.last_name,  
employees.department_id, departments.department_id,  
departments.location_id  
FROM employee7, department7  
WHERE employees.department_id = departments.department_id;
```

### Additional Search Conditions

```
2. SELECT last_name, employees.department_id, department_name FROM employees,  
departments WHERE employees.department_id = departments.department_id AND last_name =  
'Matos';
```

### Using Table Aliases

```
3. SELECT e.employee_id, e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_id, d.location_id  
FROM employee7 e, department7 d WHERE e.department_id = d.department_id;  
4.SELECT e.last_name, d.department_name, l.city FROM employees e, departments d,  
locations l WHERE e.department_id = d.department_id AND d.location_id = l.location_id;
```

## **Retrieving Records with Nonequi Joins**

5. SELECT e.last\_name, e.salary, j.grade\_level FROM employees e, job\_grades j  
WHERE e.salary BETWEEN j.lowest\_sal AND j.highest\_sal;

## **Outer Joins**

6. SELECT e.last\_name, e.department\_id, d.department\_name FROM employees e,  
departments d WHERE e.department\_id(+) = d.department\_id;

## **Joining a Table to Itself**

7. SELECT worker.last\_name || ' works for ' || manager.last\_name FROM employees worker,  
employees manager WHERE worker.manager\_id = manager.employee\_id;

## **Creating Cross Joins**

8. SELECT last\_name, department\_name FROM employees CROSS JOIN departments;

## **Retrieving Records with Natural Joins**

9. SELECT department\_id, department\_name, location\_id, city FROM departments  
NATURAL JOIN locations;

## **USING CLAUSE**

10. SELECT e.employee\_id, e.last\_name, d.location\_id FROM employees e JOIN  
departments d USING (department\_id);

## **ON CLAUSE**

11. SELECT e.employee\_id, e.last\_name, e.department\_id, d.department\_id, d.location\_id  
FROM employees e JOIN departments d ON (e.department\_id = d.department\_id);

## **LEFT OUTER JOIN**

12. SELECT e.last\_name, e.department\_id, d.department\_name  
FROM employees e LEFT OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department\_id = d.department\_id)

## **RIGHT OUTER JOIN**

13. SELECT e.last\_name, e.department\_id, d.department\_name  
FROM employees e  
RIGHT OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department\_id = d.department\_id);

## **FULL OUTER JOIN**

```
14.SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.department_name  
FROM employees e  
FULL OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);
```