#### DATABASE SYSTEMS LAB



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### **TOPICS:**

CASE When Statement

### **CASE STATEMENT**

In Oracle SQL, a "CASE" expression is used to perform conditional logic within a query. It allows you to perform different actions based on different conditions. The basic syntax for a simple CASE statement is as follows

SELECT column1, column2,

CASE

WHEN condition 1 THEN result 1

WHEN condition 2 THEN result 2

WHEN condition3 THEN result3

**ELSE** result4

END AS alias name

**FROM** your\_table;

Here's a breakdown of the components

- column1, column2: These are the columns you want to retrieve in your query.
- CASE: This keyword is the beginning of the CASE expression.
- WHEN condition 1 THEN result 1: This is a condition that, when met, results in the corresponding result. You can have multiple WHEN conditions.
- ELSE result4: This is an optional part. If none of the conditions are met, the ELSE part provides a default result.
- END: This keyword marks the end of the CASE expression.
- AS alias\_name: This is optional and is used to give a name to the result column.

**SELECT** employee\_id, salary,

CASE

**WHEN** salary > 50000 **THEN** 'High Salary'

WHEN salary BETWEEN 30000 AND 50000 THEN 'Medium Salary'

ELSE 'Low Salary'

END AS salary\_category

FROM employees;

	\$ EMPLOYEE_ID		\$ SALARY_CATEGORY	
1	100	24000	High Salary	
2	101	17000	Medium Salary	
3	102	17000	Medium Salary	
4	103	9000	Low Salary	
5	104	6000	Low Salary	
6	105	4800	Low Salary	
7	106	4800	Low Salary	
8	107	4200	Low Salary	
9	108	12008	Low Salary	

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## Lab Tasks:

- 1. Categorize Employees by Salary Range. If salary < 50000 it should indicate 'Low Salary' If salary >= 50000 & salary < 100000 then it should indicate 'Medium Salary', While if salary >= 100000 it should print 'High Salary', Otherwise it must say 'Unknown'.
- 2. Identify Employees with Commission. If commission\_pct is not null then 'receives commission', else 'no commission'.