

# SQL DESC Statement (Describe Table)

SQL DESC statement use for describe the list of column definitions for specified table. You can use either DESC or DESCRIBE statement. both are return same result.

DESCRIBE statement to get following information:

- Column Name
- Column allow NULL or NOT NULL
- Datatype of the Column
- With database size precision and If NUMERIC datatype scale.

## SQL DESC Syntax

SQL DESCRIBE Table Column use following syntax,

```
DESC table_name
```

## SQL DESC Example

```
SQL> DESC users_info;

Name                               Null?   Type
-----
NO                                  NOT NULL NUMBER(3)
NAME                               VARCHA2(30)
ADDRESS                           VARCHA2(70)
CONTACT_NO                        VARCHA2(12)
```

## SQL DESCRIBE Syntax

```
DESCRIBE table_name
```

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