**Drop Command**

1. **What is the function of the DROP command in SQL?**

The DROP command is used to delete entire database objects such as tables, views, or databases.

When you drop an object, it is completely removed along with all its data, structure, and associated indexes or constraints.

**2. What are the implications of dropping a table from a database?**

* Permanent loss of data: All records stored in the table are deleted irreversibly.
* Loss of structure: The table schema, including columns, constraints, indexes, and triggers, is removed.
* Dependent objects may break: Views, stored procedures, or foreign keys depending on the table may fail.
* Cannot be undone: Unless you have backups, dropped tables cannot be recovered easily.