

# SQL DDL DML

DDL – Data Definition Language -- Modify Database Structures

Create

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DML – Data Manipulation Language -- Modify data values

Insert

Update

Delete

Truncate

# SQL Insert

## INSERT statement – Two Formats

1. `INSERT INTO <table name> (column, column, column)  
VALUES (value, value, value)`

(if no column & value are specified, NULL or default will be assigned)

2. `INSERT INTO <table name>  
VALUES (value, value, value, value)`

(must have a value or NULL for every column in the table)

# SQL Insert

Example: INSERT statement – Format 1

Add a new row to the employees table

```
INSERT INTO "alanparadise/nw"."employees"  
    (employeeid, LastName, FirstName, Title, TitleOfCourtesy, BirthDate, HireDate,  
     Address, City, Region, PostalCode, Country, HomePhone, Extension)  
VALUES  
    (10, 'Dunn', 'Nat', 'Sales Representative', 'Mr.', '1970-02-19', '2014-01-15',  
     '4933 Jamesville Rd.', 'Jamesville', 'NY', '13078', 'USA',  
     '315-555-5555', '130');
```

# SQL Insert

employeeid INTEGER	lastname VARCHAR	firstname VARCHAR	title VARCHAR
4	Peacock	Margaret	Sales Representative
5	Buchanan	Steven	Sales Manager
6	Suyama	Michael	Sales Representative
7	King	Robert	Sales Representative
8	Callahan	Laura	Inside Sales Coordinator
9	Dodsworth	Anne	Sales Representative
10	Dunn	Nat	Sales Representative

New  
Row



# SQL Insert

INSERT statement (Format 2 -- missing values)

Add a new row to the employees table

```
INSERT INTO "alanparadise/nw"."employees"  
VALUES  
( '20', 'Thomas', 'Tammy', 'Data Scientist', 'Ms.', '1990-08-27',  
  '2017-06-18', '5012 Arapahoe St.', 'Boulder', 'CO', '80304', 'USA');
```

```
INSERT INTO "alanparadise/nw"."employees"  
VALUES  
( '21', 'Thomas', 'Tommy', 'Data Analyst', 'Mr.', '1991-09-28', '2017-06-18',  
  '5014 Arapahoe St.', 'Boulder', 'CO', '80304', 'USA', NULL, NULL, NULL, NULL, NULL);
```

# SQL Insert

employeeid INTEGER	lastname VARCHAR	firstname VARCHAR	title VARCHAR	titleofco VARCHAR
6	Suyama	Michael	Sales Representative	Mr.
7	King	Robert	Sales Representative	Mr.
8	Callahan	Laura	Inside Sales Coordinator	Ms.
9	Dodsworth	Anne	Sales Representative	Ms.
10	Dunn	Nat	Sales Representative	Mr.
20	Thomas	Tammy	Data Scientist	Ms.
21	Thomas	Tommy	Data Analyst	Mr.

← New  
← Rows

# SQL – Update

UPDATE statement – assigns new values to specific columns based on a condition

```
UPDATE <table name>
```

```
    SET <column> = <new value>
```

Example:

```
UPDATE "alanparadise/nw"."employees"
```

```
    SET firstname = 'Timmy',
```

```
        titleofcourtesy = 'Mr.'
```

```
WHERE employeeid = 20
```



# SQL – Update

employeeid INTEGER	lastname VARCHAR	firstname VARCHAR	title VARCHAR	titleofcou VARCHAR
6	Suyama	Michael	Sales Representative	Mr.
7	King	Robert	Sales Representative	Mr.
8	Callahan	Laura	Inside Sales Coordinator	Ms.
9	Dodsworth	Anne	Sales Representative	Ms.
10	Dunn	Nat	Sales Representative	Mr.
21	Thomas	Tommy	Data Analyst	Mr.
20	Thomas	Timmy	Data Scientist	Mr.

New  
Values



# SQL – Removing Rows

TRUNCATE statement – removes all rows, keeps structure

```
TRUNCATE TABLE <table name>
```

DROP statement -- removes all rows, removes structure

```
DROP TABLE <table name>
```

# SQL – Removing Rows

DELETE statement – removes rows based on a condition

```
DELETE FROM <table name>  
WHERE <condition>
```

Example:


```
DELETE FROM "alanparadise/nw"."employees"  
WHERE employeeid in (10, 20, 21)
```

NOTE: a DELETE without a FROM is the same as a TRUNCATE

# SQL – Removing Rows

employeeid INTEGER	lastname VARCHAR	firstname VARCHAR	title VARCHAR	titleofco VARCHAR
3	Leverling	Janet	Sales Representative	Ms.
4	Peacock	Margaret	Sales Representative	Mrs.
5	Buchanan	Steven	Sales Manager	Mr.
6	Suyama	Michael	Sales Representative	Mr.
7	King	Robert	Sales Representative	Mr.
8	Callahan	Laura	Inside Sales Coordinator	Ms.
9	Dodsworth	Anne	Sales Representative	Ms.

New  
Rows  
are  
Gone



# SQL – Bulk Insert

Bulk Insert (or "load") can populate a table with many rows of data.

First, let's create a new table.

```
CREATE TABLE "alanparadise/nw"."items"  
(  
    itemID          INT          NOT NULL ,  
    itemcode        VARCHAR(5)   NULL,  
    itemname        VARCHAR(40)  NOT NULL DEFAULT ' ',  
    quantity        INT          NOT NULL DEFAULT 0,  
    price           REAL         NOT NULL DEFAULT 0  
);
```

# SQL – Bulk Insert

## And then fill it with data using a subquery

NOTE: the answer set from the subquery must exactly match the table definition (column data\_type and length)

```
INSERT INTO "alanparadise/nw"."items"  
  (SELECT productid, concat(supplierid, categoryid, discontinued),  
    productname, unitsinstock, unitprice  
  from "alanparadise/nw"."products")
```

## Then Verify it:

```
SELECT * FROM "alanparadise/nw"."items"
```