

DDL STATEMENTS

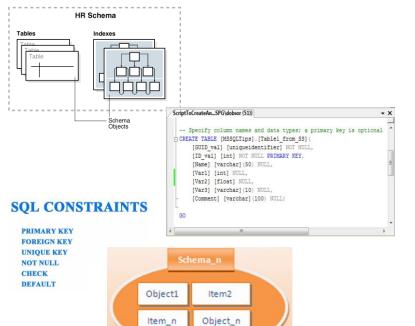
Learning Goals



By the end of this lecture students

Categorize the main database objects

should be able to:



Create a simple table

Understand how constraints are created at the time of table creation

Describe how schema objects work

Understand and use to be commands create, alter, drop, truncate table

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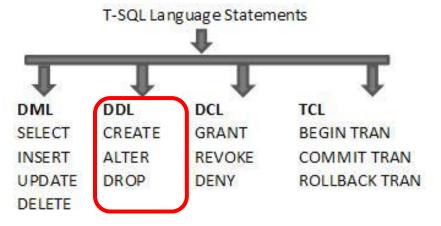
Section1

INTRODUCTION TO DDL STATEMENTS

Introduction to DDL Statements



- DDL stands for Data Definition Language
- Define data structures in SQL Server as creating, altering, and dropping tables and establishing constraints...



SQL Server Database Objects



A SQL Server database has lot of objects like:

- Database
- Schema
- Tables
- Views
- Stored Procedures
- Functions
- Rules
- Defaults
- Triggers



Section2

DATABASE & SCHEMA OBJECTS

Database



SQL Server supports both scripts editor and graphic tool in order to:

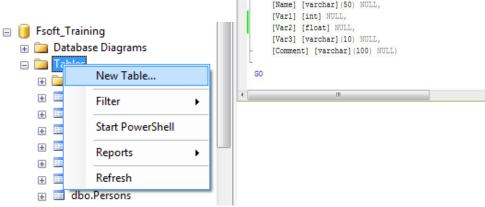
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CREATE TABLE [MSSQLTips].[Table1_from_SS](
[GUID val] [uniqueidentifier] NOT NULL,

[ID val] [int] NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY,

-- Specify column names and data types; a primary key is optional

- Create a database
- Rename a database
- Drop a database



Database Demo



Scripts editor:

- Create a database
- Rename a database
- Drop a database

Graphic tool

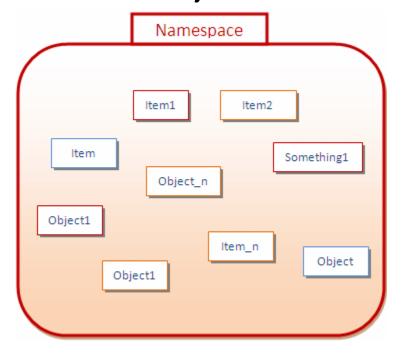
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Create database by using a template

Schema Object (1/3)



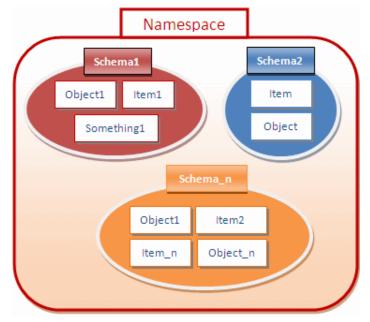
A namespace can have objects inside



Schema Object (2/3)



■ To further control and manage the objects inside of a namespace, you can put them in *sub-groups* called **schemas**.



Schema Object (3/3)



Schema default:

- dbo is default schema in every database
- Ex: SalesOrderDetail, HumanResources.Department
- [linked-server].[DBName].[SchemaName].[Objectname]

Schema as:

- naming boundaries
- security boundaries



Section3

TABLE AND CONSTRAINTS

Table



- Table is a repository for data, with items of data grouped in one or more columns
 - Data types
 - Constraints
 - Index

	EmployeeID	NationalIDNumber	ManagerID	Title	BirthDate	MaritalStatus	Gender	HireDate
1	1	14417807	16	Production Technician - WC60	1972-05-15 00:00:00.000	M	M	1996-07-31 00:00:00.000
2	2	253022876	6	Marketing Assistant	1977-06-03 00:00:00.000	S	M	1997-02-26 00:00:00.000
3	3	509647174	12	Engineering Manager	1964-12-13 00:00:00.000	M	M	1997-12-12 00:00:00.000
4	4	112457891	3	Senior Tool Designer	1965-01-23 00:00:00.000	S	M	1998-01-05 00:00:00.000
5	5	480168528	263	Tool Designer	1949-08-29 00:00:00.000	M	M	1998-01-11 00:00:00.000
6	6	24756624	109	Marketing Manager	1965-04-19 00:00:00.000	S	M	1998-01-20 00:00:00.000
7	7	309738752	21	Production Supervisor - WC60	1946-02-16 00:00:00.000	S	F	1998-01-26 00:00:00.000
8	8	690627818	185	Production Technician - WC10	1946-07-06 00:00:00.000	M	F	1998-02-06 00:00:00.000
9	9	695256908	3	Design Engineer	1942-10-29 00:00:00.000	M	F	1998-02-06 00:00:00.000

Table demo



Create table

Alter table

- Add new column
- Change data type of existing column
- Delete a column
- Add or remove constraints

Drop table

Remove table structure and its data.

Table Constraints (1/4)



- **Table Constraints:** Are used to limit the type of data that can go into a table.
- We will focus on the following constraints:
 - NOT NULL
 - CHECK
 - UNIQUE
 - PRIMARY KEY
 - DEFAULT
 - FOREIGN KEY

Table Constraints (2/4)



- NOT NULL: Specifies that the column does not accept NULL values.
- CHECK: Enforce domain integrity by limiting the values that can be put in a column.
 - Syntax:

```
[CONSTRAINT constraint_name] CHECK (condition)
```

Table Constraint (3/4)



- UNIQUE: Enforce the uniqueness of the values in a set of columns
 - Synstax:
 CONSTRAINT unique_name UNIQUE (col_names)
- PRIMARY KEY: Specify primary key of table.
 - Syntax: [CONSTRAINT PK_Name] PRIMARY KEY [col_names]

Table Constraint (4/4)



- FOREIGN KEY: Used to define relationships between tables in the database.
 - Syntax: [CONSTRAINT FK_Name]

FOREIGN KEY [(col_names)]

REFERENCES reference_table(col_names)

• DEFAULT: Defaults specify what values are used in a column if you do not specify a value for the column when you insert a row.

SQL Constraints Scope



SQL constraints can be applied at:

Table level

- ✓ Are declared independently from the column definition
- ✓ declare table-level constraints at the end of the CREATE TABLE statement

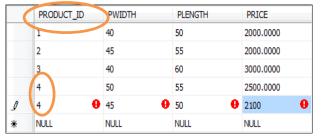
Column level:

- ✓ Are declared when define columns for the table.
- ✓ It is applied particularly to the column where it attached to

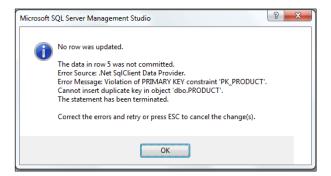
Identity (1/1)



Primary key







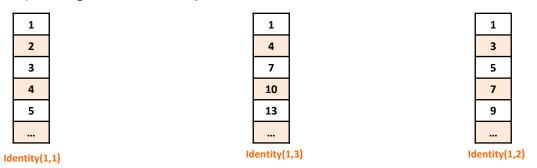


	PRODUCT_ID	PWIDTH	PLENGTH	PRICE
	1	40	50	2000.0000
	2	45	55	2000.0000
	3	40	60	3000.0000
	4	50	55	2500.0000
	5	45	50	2100.0000
*	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL

Identity (1/2)



- Identity has:
 - A seed
 - An increment
- Seed is the initial value
- Increment is the value by which we need to skip to fetch the next value
- For example:
 - Identity(1,2) will generate sequence numbers 1,3,5,7...



Truncate statement



- Removes all rows in a table.
- Table structure and its columns, constraints, indexes, ...remain.
 - Resets the identity value.
 - Releases the memory used.



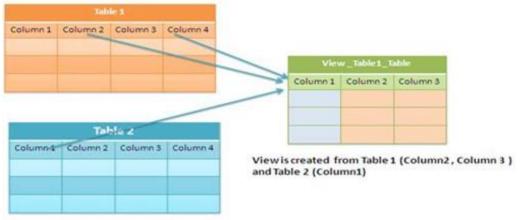
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VIEWS

What is a view?



- A View is a logical or virtual table. The fields in a view are fields from one or more real tables in the database.
- There are two major reasons you might want to use views:
 - ✓ Views allow you to limit the data users can access
 - ✓ Views reduce complexity for end users.



Creating a view



CREATE VIEW View_Name [list of column names]

AS

SELECT...

Example:

CREATE VIEW view_EmployeeByDpt
AS
SELECT ID, NAME, AGE, DEPT_NAME
FROM EMP, DEPARTMENT
WHERE EMP.DEP_ID = DEPARTMENT.DEPT_ID

Table: EMP

ID	NAME	AGE	DEP_ID	1
1	John	25	3	
2	Mike	30	2	†
3	Parm	25	1	1
4	Todd	23	4	3
5	Sara	35	1	4
6	Ben	40	3	

Table: DEPARTMENT

	DEPT_ID	DEPT_NAME
	1	Π
\	2	Payroll
	3	HR
	4	Admin

SELECT * FROM view_EmployeeByDpt

view_EmployeeByDpt

ID	NAME	AGE	DEPT_NAME
1	John	25	HR
2	Mike	30	Payroll
3	Parm	25	IT
4	Todd	23	Admin
5	Sara	35	Π
6	Ben	40	HR

Deleting a view



Syntax:

DROP VIEW View_Name

Example:

DROP VIEW view_EmployeeByDpt





Summary



- ✓ Introduction to DDL Statements
 - SQL Server Database Objects
- ✓ Database Object
 - © Create, Rename, Drop a database: Graphic, Scripts, Template
- ✓ Schema Object
 - What is schema in database? Schema default?
- ✓ Table and Constraints
 - © Create, Alter, Drop Table. NOT NULL, CHECK, UNIQUE, PRIMARY KEY, DEFAULT, FOREIGN KEY
- ✓ SQL View