# Oracle for Developers

Lesson 1: Introduction to Programming



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### Course Goals and Non Goals

#### Course Goals

To understand basic DBMS, and use SQL commands.

#### Course Non Goals

Nothing Specific.



## Pre-requisites

A proficiency level in familiarity with Windows.



### Intended Audience

- Software Programmers
- Software Analysts



### Day Wise Schedule

- Day 1
  - Lesson 1: Introduction to Database
  - Lesson 2: Basics of SQL
  - Lesson 3: Data Query Language
  - Lesson 4: Aggregate (Group) Functions
  - Lesson 5: SQL (Single-row) functions



### Day Wise Schedule

- Day 2
  - Lesson 6: Joins and Sub-queries
  - Lesson 7: Introduction to Data Modeling, ER Modeling and Normalization
  - Lesson 8: Database Objects (Table, Index, Sequence, Synonym to be covered here)
- Day 3
  - Lesson 8: Database Objects (Views to be covered here)
  - Lesson 9: Set Operators
  - Lesson 10: Data Manipulation Language
  - Lesson 11: Transaction Control Language



- Lesson 1: Getting Started with Database
  - 1.1: Introduction to Database
  - 1.2: Characteristics of DBMS
  - 1.3: Data models
  - 1.4: Relational DBMS
  - 1.5: Database Administrator
- Lesson 2: Basics of SQL
  - 2.1. The SQL Language
  - 2.2. Rules for SQL Statements
  - 2.3. Standard SQL Statement Groups



- Lesson 2: Basics of SQL (contd)
  - 2.4: Logging to Oracle Server
- Lesson 3: Data Query Language
  - 3.1: The SELECT statement
  - 3.2: The WHERE clause
  - 3.3: Comparison, Mathematical, and Logical operators
  - 3.4: The DISTINCT clause
  - 3.5: The ORDER BY clause
  - 3.6: Tips and Tricks in SELECT Statements



- Lesson 4: Aggregate (Group) functions
  - 4.1: The Group function
  - 4.2: GROUP BY & HAVING clause
  - 4.3: Examples of GROUP BY and HAVING clauses
  - 4.4: Tips and Tricks
- Lesson 5: SQL (Single-row) functions
  - 5.1: SQL functions
  - 5.2: Number functions
  - 5.3: Character functions



- Lesson 5: SQL (Single-row) functions (contd.)
  - 5.4: Date functions
  - 5.5: Conversion functions
  - 5.6: Miscellaneous functions
  - 5.7: Tips and Tricks
- Lesson 6: Joins and Sub-queries
  - 6.1: Joins
  - 6.1.1: Oracle Proprietary Joins
  - 6.1.2: SQL: 1999 Compliant Joins



- Lesson 6: Joins and Sub-queries (contd.)
  - 6.6: Sub-queries
  - 6.7: Co-related sub-query
  - 6.8: Exists / Not Exists Operator
  - 6.9: CONNECT BY and START WITH clauses
  - 6.10: Tips and Tricks
- Lesson 7: Introduction to Data Modeling, ER Modeling and Normalization
  - 7.1: Introduction to Data Modeling
  - 7.2: E-R Model
  - 7.3: Normailzation



- Lesson 8: Database Objects
  - 8.1: Basic Data Types
  - 8.2: Data Integrity
  - 8.3: Examples of CREATE TABLE
  - 8.4: Examples of ALTER TABLE
  - 8.5: Database Objects
  - 8.6: Index
  - 8.7: Synonym
  - 8.8: Sequence
  - 8.9: View
  - 8.10: Deleting Database Objects



- Lesson 9: Set Operators
  - 9.1: Set Operation
  - 9.2: The UNION Operator
  - 9.3: The INTERSECT Operator
  - 9.4: The MINUS Operator
- Lesson 10: Data Manipulation Language
  - 10.1: Adding Data
  - 10.2: Removing Data
  - 10.3: Modifying Data
- Lesson 11: Transaction Control Language
  - 11.1: Introduction to Transactions
  - 11.2: Statement Execution and Transaction Control



#### References

- RDBMS Concepts A Primer
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- Introduction to Database Systems; by C.J.Date
- Relational Database Theory; by Atzeni, De Antonellis



## Next Step Courses (if applicable)

Oracle PL/SQL

