Oracle - How to Change Your Oracle Database Password

Here are several methods for changing or resetting the password for an Oracle database. You will need to know the existing password.

- Method 1: Using SQL*Plus (command line tool)
- Method 2: Using the TOAD GUI
- Method 3: Using the TOAD command line
- Method 4: Using SQL Developer

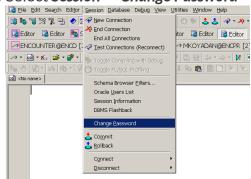
Method 1: Using SQL*Plus (command line tool)

- 1. At the command line, enter *sqlplus user@database*, where *user* is your user ID, and *database* is the specific database you are connecting to.
- 2. Enter your current password.
- 3. Once you have connected to the database, use the *password* command to change your database password.

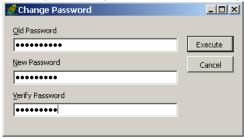
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Method 2: Using the TOAD GUI

- 1. Connect to your Oracle database from within TOAD.
- 2. Select Session -> Change Password



3. Enter your old password and new password and click **Execute**



Method 3: Using the TOAD command line

- 1. Connect to your Oracle database from within TOAD.
- 2. Open a SQL Editor window
- 3. Type keyword *password* and run. It will pop up a password change window.

Method 4: Using SQL Developer

- 1. Connect to your Oracle database from within SQL Developer.
- 2. Open a SQL Editor window
- 3. Type keyword *password* and run. It will pop up a password change window.



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