# 1 Creating Tables

```
CREATE TABLE xyz (
fieldname type constraints,
name VARCHAR2(20) NOT NULL,
Age NUMBER(2) ,
Id CHAR(4) PRIMARY KEY
)
```

### 1.1 datatypes

- CHAR(n)
- VARCHAR(n)
- INTEGER
- NUMERIC(s,p), NUMBER(s,p)
- DATE
- And many others, may vary per DBMS

### 1.2 Constraints

- NOT NULL
- UNIQUE
- CHECK
- DEFAULT
- PRIMARY KEY
- FOREIGN KEY/REFERENCES
- per column or per table

# 2 Add/Delete/Modify data

## 2.1 Insert

```
INSERT INTO xyz(name,id) VALUES ('Juan',1111)
```

#### 2.2 Delete

```
DELETE FROM xyz
```

or

DELETE FROM xyz WHERE ...

# 2.3 Modify data (UPDATE)

```
UPDATE xyz SET age=21, name='Juana'
```

or

UPDATE xyz SET age=8, name='Juan' WHERE id=1111

# 3 Other Commands

- ALTER TABLE
- CREATE INDEX
- CREATE TABLE FROM ...
- DROP TABLE
- BEGIN Transaction / END Transaction

# 4 Select

SELECT field(s)
FROM table(s)
WHERE condition(s)

Example:

SELECT name,age
FROM xyz
WHERE age>21 AND name LIKE 'J\%';

- DISTINCT | ALL
- Can use expressions rather than plain fields
  - +,-, ...
  - || (string concatenation)
  - CASE expressions
  - Functions (vary per DB)
- Conditions
  - Can combine with AND, OR, NOT
  - Can put parenthesis around expressions
  - =, <>,>= ...
  - IS NULL, IS NOT NULL
  - IN (), NOT IN ()
  - $>= ANY, <= ALL, \dots$
  - x BETWEEN y AND z
  - LIKE '%a\_'
- Aliasing (renaming)
  - After field name, renames field. SELECT x AS y,  $\dots$
  - After table (can use AS) FROM Bar AS b  $\dots$

#### 4.1 ORDER BY

Can add an ORDER BY clause at the end of a select, to get results sorted.

#### 4.2 aggregates

- AVG()
- MIN()
- MAX()
- SUM()
- COUNT()

### 4.3 GROUP BY

Can group aggregate functions, by adding a GROUP BY clause

#### 4.4 HAVING

Can 'select' rows AFTER grouping, based on results of aggregate functions, with a HAVING clause.

SELECT dno, avg(salary), max(salary), min(salary)

FROM salaries

WHERE ...

GROUP BY dno

HAVING max(salary)>2\*min(salary)

#### 4.5 Joins

- Can SELECT FROM several tables, and use join conditions in WHERE
- Can use explicit joins (goes in FROM, in place of table name, better to name by using AS)
  - JOIN

SELECT S.name

FROM Student S JOIN Major M ON S.Major=M.Code WHERE M.M\_Name='Computer Science'

- NATURAL JOIN

SELECT \*

FROM Student NATURAL JOIN Degree

- LEFT | RIGHT | FULL OUTER JOIN

SELECT \*

FROM Student LEFT OUTER JOIN Major ON major=c

- Can use ON to specify conditions
- Can use USING to specify fields for partial natural join

### 4.6 Nesting

Can use another select query in:

- IN clauses
- Instead of tables in FROM
- EXISTS
- $\bullet \ >= ALL, <= ANY \dots$

### 4.7 UNION, INTERSECT, MINUS

SELECT ... UNION

SELECT ...