# DATA DEFINITION LANGUAGE (DDL) COMMANDS IN RDBMS

#### AIM:

To execute and verify the Data Definition Language commands and constraints

## **DDL** (DATA DEFINITION LANGUAGE)

- CREATE
- ALTER
- DROP
- TRUNCATE
- COMMENT
- RENAME

# **PROCEDURE**

STEP 1: Start

STEP 2: Create the table with its essential attributes.

STEP 3: Execute different Commands and extract information from the table.

STEP 4: Stop

# **SQL COMMANDS**

1. COMMAND NAME: CREATE

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: CREATE command is used to create objects in the database.

2. COMMAND NAME: **DROP** 

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **DROP** command is used to delete the object from the database.

3. COMMAND NAME: TRUNCATE

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: TRUNCATE command is used to remove all the records from the table.

4. COMMAND NAME: ALTER

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: ALTER command is used to alter the structure of database.

5. COMMAND NAME: **RENAME** 

COMMAND DESCRIPTION: **RENAME** command is used to rename the objects.

#### OUERY: 01

Q1. Write a query to create a table employee with empno, ename, designation, and salary.

# Syntax for creating a table:

SQL: CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) .....);

**QUERY: 01** 

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP (EMPNO NUMBER (4), ENAME VARCHAR2 (10), DESIGNATIN VARCHAR2 (10),

# **SALARY NUMBER (8,2));**

Table created.

#### **OUERY: 02**

Q2. Write a query to display the column name and datatype of the table employee.

# **Syntax for describe the table:**

**SQL: DESC <TABLE NAME>**;

**SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name Null? Type
-----EMPNO NUMBER(4)
ENAME VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY NUMBER(8,2)

# **QUERY: 03**

Q3. Write a query for create a from an existing table with all the fields

Syntax For Create A from An Existing Table With All Fields SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> SELECT \* FROM <SOURCE TABLE NAME>;

Null? Type

# **QUERY: 03**

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP1 AS SELECT \* FROM EMP;

Table created.

Name

**SQL> DESC EMP1** 

EMPNO	NUMBER(4)
ENAME	VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN	VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY	NUMBER(8,2)

# **QUERY: 04**

Q4. Write a query for create a from an existing table with selected fields

Syntax For Create A from An Existing Table With Selected Fields SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> SELECT EMPNO, ENAME FROM <SOURCE TABLE NAME>;
QUERY: 04

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP2 AS SELECT EMPNO, ENAME FROM EMP; Table created.

**SQL> DESC EMP2** 

Name Null? Type
-----EMPNO NUMBER (4)
ENAME VARCHAR2 (10)

# **QUERY: 05**

Q5. Write a query for create a new table from an existing table without any record: Syntax for create a new table from an existing table without any record: SQL> CREATE TABLE <TRAGET TABLE NAME> AS SELECT \* FROM <SOURCE TABLE NAME> WHERE <FALSE CONDITION>;

#### OUERY: 05

SQL> CREATE TABLE EMP3 AS SELECT \* FROM EMP WHERE 1>2; Table created.

# **SQL> DESC EMP3**;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(4)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2);

## **ALTER & MODIFICATION ON TABLE**

# **QUERY: 06**

Q6. Write a Query to Alter the column EMPNO NUMBER (4) TO EMPNO NUMBER (6). Syntax for Alter & Modify on a Single Column:

SQL > ALTER <TABLE NAME> MODIFY <COLUMN NAME> <DATATYPE> (SIZE);

#### OHERV: 06

**SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP MODIFY EMPNO NUMBER (6);** Table altered.

# **SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(6)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(10)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

# **QUERY: 07**

Q7. Write a Query to Alter the table employee with multiple columns (EMPNO, ENAME.)

**Syntax for alter table with multiple column:** 

SQL > ALTER <TABLE NAME> MODIFY <COLUMN NAME1> <DATATYPE> (SIZE), MODIFY <COLUMN NAME2> <DATATYPE> (SIZE)

# **QUERY: 07**

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP MODIFY (EMPNO NUMBER (7), ENAME VARCHAR2(12)); Table altered.

**SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		<b>NUMBER(8,2)</b> ;

# **QUERY: 08**

Q8. Write a query to add a new column in to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD (<COLUMN NAME> <DATA TYPE> <SIZE>);

# **QUERY: 08**

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP ADD QUALIFICATION VARCHAR2(6); Table altered.

# **SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
<b>ENAME</b>		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)
OUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)

# **QUERY: 09**

Q9. Write a query to add multiple columns in to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD (<COLUMN NAME1> <DATA

TYPE> <SIZE>,(<COLUMN NAME2> <DATA TYPE> <SIZE>,

.....);

# **QUERY: 09**

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP ADD (DOB DATE, DOJ DATE);

Table altered.

# **SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Туре
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)
QUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)
DOB		DATE
DOJ		DATE

# REMOVE / DROP

# **QUERY: 10**

Q10. Write a query to drop a column from an existing table employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> DROP COLUMN <COLUMN NAME>;

**OUERY: 10** 

**SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP DROP COLUMN DOJ;** 

Table altered.

**SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Туре
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		<b>NUMBER(8,2)</b>
QUALIFICATION		VARCHAR2(6)
DOB		DATE

# **QUERY: 11**

Q10. Write a query to drop multiple columns from employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> DROP <COLUMN

NAME1>,<COLUMN NAME2>,....;

#### QUERY: 11

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP DROP (DOB, QUALIFICATION);

Table altered.

**SQL> DESC EMP**;

Name	Null?	Type
EMPNO		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)
DESIGNATIN		VARCHAR2(10)
SALARY		NUMBER(8,2)

# **REMOVE**

# **QUERY: 12**

Q10. Write a query to rename table emp to employee

Syntax for add a new column:

SQL> ALTER TABLE RENAME < OLD NAME> TO < NEW NAME>

#### **QUERY: 12**

SQL> ALTER TABLE EMP RENAME EMP TO EMPLOYEE;

**SQL> DESC EMPLOYEE**;

Name	Null?	Type
<b>EMPNO</b>		NUMBER(7)
ENAME		VARCHAR2(12)

# VARCHAR2(10) NUMBER(8,2)

# **CONSTRAINTS**

Constraints are part of the table definition that limits and restriction on the value entered into its columns.

# **TYPES OF CONSTRAINTS:**

- 1) Primary key
- 2) Foreign key/references
- 3) Check
- 4) Unique
- 5) Not null
- 6) Null
- 7) Default

#### **CONSTRAINTS CAN BE CREATED IN THREE WAYS:**

- 1) Column level constraints
- 2) Table level constraints
- 3) Using DDL statements-alter table command

#### **OPERATION ON CONSTRAINT:**

- i) ENABLE
- ii) DISABLE
- iii) DROP

# **Column level constraints Using Primary key**

Q13. Write a query to create primary constraints with column level

# Primary key

# **Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:**

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) ......);

# **QUERY:13**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(4) **PRIMARY** 

KEY,

ENAME VARCHAR2(10),

JOB VARCHAR2(6),

SAL NUMBER(5),

DEPTNO NUMBER(7));

# Column level constraints Using Primary key with naming convention

Q14. Write a query to create primary constraints with column level with naming convention

# **Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:**

SQL: >CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)

.....);

# **QUERY:14**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(4)

# CONSTRAINT EMP EMPNO PK PRIMARY KEY,

ENAME VARCHAR2(10), JOB VARCHAR2(6), SAL NUMBER(5), DEPTNO NUMBER(7));

# **Table Level Primary Key Constraints**

Q15. Write a query to create primary constraints with table level with naming convention Syntax for Table level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL: >CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE CONSTRAINTS>);

# **QUERY: 15**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE (EMPNO NUMBER(6), ENAME VARCHAR2(20), JOB VARCHAR2(6), SAL NUMBER(7), DEPTNO NUMBER(5), CONSTRAINT EMP\_EMPNO\_PK PRIMARY KEY(EMPNO));

# Table level constraint with alter command (primary key):

Q16. Write a query to create primary constraints with alter command

# Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) );

SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD CONSTRAINTS <NAME OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <TYPE OF THE CONSTRAINTS> <COLUMN NAME>);

#### **QUERY: 16**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(EMPNO NUMBER(5),

ENAME VARCHAR2(6),

JOB VARCHAR2(6),

SAL NUMBER(6),

DEPTNO NUMBER(6));

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP3 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP3\_EMPNO\_PK PRIMARY KEY (EMPNO);

# Reference /foreign key constraint

## **Column level foreign key constraint:**

Q.17. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with column level

**Parent Table:** 

#### **Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key:**

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) .....):

#### Child Table:

# Syntax for Column level constraints Using foreign key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) REFERENCES <TABLE NAME>

(COLUMN NAME>);
QUERY: 17 SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY
KEY, DNAME VARCHAR2(20), LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP4 (EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2) <b>REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO)</b> , DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
Column level foreign key constraint with naming conversions: Parent Table:
Syntax for Column level constraints Using Primary key: Q.18. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with column level SQL:>CREATE <obj.type> <obj.name> (COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE) <type constraints="" of=""> , COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE)</datatype></type></datatype></obj.name></obj.type>
); Child Table:
Syntax for Column level constraints using foreign key: SQL:>CREATE <obj.type> <obj.name> (COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <datatype> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <const. name=""> REFERENCES <table name=""> (COLUMN NAME&gt;);</table></const.></datatype></datatype></obj.name></obj.type>
QUERY:18
SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY, DNAME VARCHAR2(20), LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP4A (EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2)CONSTRAINT EMP4A_DEPTNO_FK REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO), DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
Table Level Foreign Key Constraints Q.19. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with Table level Parent Table:
SQL:>CREATE <obj.type> <obj.name> (COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE)<type constraints="" of=""> , COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE)</datatype></type></datatype></obj.name></obj.type>
Child Table: Syntax for Table level constraints using foreign key: SQL:>CREATE <obj.type> <obj.name> (COLUMN NAME.1 <datatype> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <datatype> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT <const. name=""> REFERENCES <table name=""> (COLUMN NAME&gt; );</table></const.></datatype></datatype></obj.name></obj.type>

QUERY: 19 SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT (DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY,

DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP5
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10)CONSTRAINT ENP2\_DEPTNO\_FK FOREIGN
KEY(DEPT NO)REFERENCESDEPT(DEPTNO));

## **Table Level Foreign Key Constraints with Alter command**

Q.20. Write a query to create foreign key constraints with Table level with alter command.

#### **Parent Table:**

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)<TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> , COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) ......);

#### **Child Table:**

# Syntax for Table level constraints using foreign key:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE)); SQL> ALTER TABLE <TABLE NAME> ADD CONSTRAINT <CONST. NAME> REFERENCES <TABLE NAME> (COLUMN NAME>);

# **QUERY:20**

SQL>CREATE TABLE DEPT
(DEPTNO NUMBER(2) PRIMARY KEY,
DNAME VARCHAR2(20),
LOCATION VARCHAR2(15));
SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP5
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
DEPTNO NUMBER(2),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(10));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP6 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP6 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP6\_DEPTNO\_FK FOREIGN KEY(DEPTNO)REFERENCES DEPT(DEPTNO);

#### **Check constraint**

## **Column Level Check Constraint**

Q.21. Write a query to create Check constraints with column level

## **Syntax for column level constraints using Check:**

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> (CONSTRAITNS CRITERIA), COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));

# **QUERY:21**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP7(EMPNO NUMBER(3), ENAME VARCHAR2(20), DESIGN VARCHAR2(15), SAL NUMBER(5)CONSTRAINT EMP7\_SAL\_CK CHECK(SAL>500 AND SAL<10001), DEPTNO NUMBER(2));

# **Table Level Check Constraint:**

Q.22. Write a query to create Check constraints with table level

# **Syntax for Table level constraints using Check:**

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> (CONSTRAITNS CRITERIA));

#### **QUERY:22**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP8(EMPNO NUMBER(3), ENAME VARCHAR2(20), DESIGN VARCHAR2(15), SAL NUMBER(5), DEPTNO NUMBER(2), CONSTRAINTS EMP8\_SAL\_CK CHECK(SAL>500 AND SAL<10001)):

#### **Check Constraint with Alter Command**

Q.23. Write a query to create Check constraints with table level using alter command. Syntax for Table level constraints using Check:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (COLUMN NAME.1 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTS NAME> <TYPE OF CONSTRAINTS> (CONSTRAITNS CRITERIA));

## **QUERY:23**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP9(EMPNO NUMBER, ENAME VARCHAR2(20), DESIGN VARCHAR2(15), SAL NUMBER(5)); SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP9 ADD CONSTRAINTS EMP9\_SAL\_CK CHECK(SAL>500 AND SAL<10001);

# **Unique Constraint**

# **Column Level Constraint**

Q.24. Write a query to create unique constraints with column level

### **Syntax for Column level constraints with Unique:**

SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1> <DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));

#### **QUERY:24**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP10(EMPNO NUMBER(3), ENAME VARCHAR2(20), DESGIN VARCHAR2(15)CONSTRAINT EMP10\_DESIGN\_UK UNIQUE, SAL NUMBER(5));

#### **Table Level Constraint**

Q.25. Write a query to create unique constraints with table level

Syntax for Table level constraints with Unique:

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>

<DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE), CONSTRAINT

# <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINT TYPE>(COLUMN NAME););

#### **QUERY:25**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP11(EMPNO NUMBER(3), ENAME VARCHAR2(20), DESIGN VARCHAR2(15), SAL NUMBER(5),CONSTRAINT EMP11 DESIGN UK UNIGUE(DESIGN));

## **Table Level Constraint Alter Command**

Q.26. Write a query to create unique constraints with table level

Syntax for Table level constraints with Check Using Alter

SQL:> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1>

<DATATYPE> (SIZE), (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));

SQL> ALTER TABLE ADD <CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINTS NAME>

<CONSTRAINTS TYPE> (COLUMN NAME);

# **QUERY:26**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP12
(EMPNO NUMBER(3),
ENAME VARCHAR2(20),
DESIGN VARCHAR2(15),
SAL NUMBER(5));
SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP12 ADD CONSTRAINT EMP12\_DESIGN\_UK
UNIQUE(DESING);

#### **Not Null**

## **Column Level Constraint**

Q.27. Write a query to create Not Null constraints with column level **Syntax for Column level constraints with Not Null:**SQL :> CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1> <DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));

#### **QUERY: 27**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP13 (EMPNO NUMBER(4), ENAME VARCHAR2(20) CONSTRAINT EMP13\_ENAME\_NN NOT NULL, DESIGN VARCHAR2(20), SAL NUMBER(3));

## Null

#### **Column Level Constraint**

Q.28. Write a query to create Null constraints with column level **Syntax for Column level constraints with Null:** 

SQL:>CREATE <OBJ.TYPE> <OBJ.NAME> (<COLUMN NAME.1> <DATATYPE> (SIZE) CONSTRAINT <NAME OF CONSTRAINTS> <CONSTRAINT TYPE>, (COLUMN NAME2 <DATATYPE> (SIZE));

# **QUERY:28**

SQL>CREATE TABLE EMP13 (EMPNO NUMBER(4),

ENAME VARCHAR2(20) CONSTRAINT EMP13\_ENAME\_NN NULL, DESIGN VARCHAR2(20), SAL NUMBER(3));

# **Constraint Disable \ Enable**

# **Constraint Disable**

Q.29. Write a query to disable the constraints

# Syntax for disabling a single constraint in a table:

SQL>ALTER TABLE < TABLE-NAME> DISABLE CONSTRAINT < CONSTRAINTNAME>

# **QUERY:29**

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP13 DISABLE CONSTRAINT EMP13\_ENAME\_NN NULL;

#### **Constraint Enable**

Q.30. Write a query to enable the constraints

# Syntax for disabling a single constraint in a table:

SQL>ALTER TABLE <TABLE-NAME> DISABLE CONSTRAINT <CONSTRAINTNAME>

# **QUERY:30**

SQL>ALTER TABLE EMP13 ENABLE CONSTRAINT EMP13\_ENAME\_NN NULL;