



PostgreSQL-

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Quick Rules:

When defining column datatypes, replace the following:

NUMBERS:

Primary key → Serial
number (INT) → Integer
Decimal → Numeric

You can perform mathematical operations as well using PostgreSQL-

e.g: SELECT 2+2; → returns **integer** (4)

SELECT (2.0); -> returns **numeric**

To treat a num as a different dtype:

SELECT (2.0 :: integer);

SELECT (2.0 :: smallint)

CHARACTERS and STINGS:

CHAR(50) → store char with specified length
VARCHAR → store any length of string
VARCHAR(100) → store a string upto 40 chars
TEXT () → store any length of string

BOOLEAN:

[true, 'yes', t, 1, y] → True
[false, no, off,),f, n] → False
null → Null

TIME, DATETIME:

SELECT ('Nov -20-1980' :: DATE);
returns 1980 -11-20

SELECT ('01:23 PM' :: TIME);
returns 13:23:00 (24 hr format)

Time with timezone (UTC)

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SELECT ('01:23 PM' :: TIME WITH TIME ZONE)  
returns 01:23:00 -0x:00
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Timestamp with Time zone

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SELECT ('Nov -20-1980' :: TIMESTAMP WITH TIME ZONE)  
returns 1980 -11-20 02:23:00 - 07:00
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