Q1

**WITH** cte **AS** (

**SELECT**

empid,

empname,

managerid,

deptid,

salary,

DOB,

ROW\_NUMBER() **OVER** (

**PARTITION** **BY**

empid,

empname,

managerid,

deptid,

salary,

DOB

**ORDER** **BY**

empid,

empname,

managerid,

deptid,

salary,

DOB ) row\_num

**FROM**

employee

)

**DELETE** **FROM** cte

**WHERE** row\_num > 1;

Select \* from employee

Q2

That will drop the table only if it contains any rows (and will raise an error if the table does not exist).

Q3

I would not recommend **EXCEPT** clause since it treats NULL as a match