Views

- Virtual table based on the result-set of SQL statement and that is Stored in the database with some name.
- A view can contain all rows of a table or select rows from a table.
- A view can be created from one or many tables which depends on the written SQL query to create a view.
- Restrict access to the data such that a user can see and (sometimes) modify exactly what they need and no more.
- Summarize data from various tables which can be used to generate reports.
- If table structure is changed then the view definition also has to be changed.

Views

Simple View

•A view based on only a single table, which doesn't contain GROUP BY clause and any functions.

Complex View

•A view based on multiple tables, which contain GROUP BY clause and functions.

Inline View

• A view based on a subquery in FROM Clause, that subquery creates a temporary table and simplifies the complex query.

Materialized View

 A view that stores the definition as well as data. It creates replicas of data by storing it physically.

Features	Simple View	Complex View
No Of Tables	One	One or More
Contain function	NO	Yes
Contain group of data	No	Yes

Views - Creation

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Create a view for Employee-Age

create view empage(empcode,age)
as (select empcode, timestampdiff(year,birthdate,curdate())
from emp);

Views - Creation

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Create a view for Employee-Pay

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CREATE VIEW EMPPAY (EmpCode, NetPay,
SalMonth) AS
(SELECT EmpCode,
(Basic + Allow - Deduct), SalMonth
FROM Salary);
```

Use of Views

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List employees and their ages

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SELECT *
FROM EMPAGE;
```

Views - Complex

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Create a view for displaying the number of employees in each department

CREATE VIEW DeptEmpCount
(DeptCode, DeptEmpCount) AS
(SELECT DeptCode, count(*)
FROM Emp
GROUP BY DeptCode);

Use of Views

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Create a view for display the total number of employees of the organization

CREATE VIEW EmpCount (EmpCount) AS (SELECT count(*) as EmpCount FROM Emp);

Use of Views

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Display the percentage of employees in each department

select deptcode,(deptempcount/empcount)*100 from deptempcount,empcount order by deptcode;

Views - Updation

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Update the view for Employee-Pay definition

alter view emppay(empcode,netpay,salmonth) as (select empcode, (basic+allow-deduct)+1000,salmonth from salary);

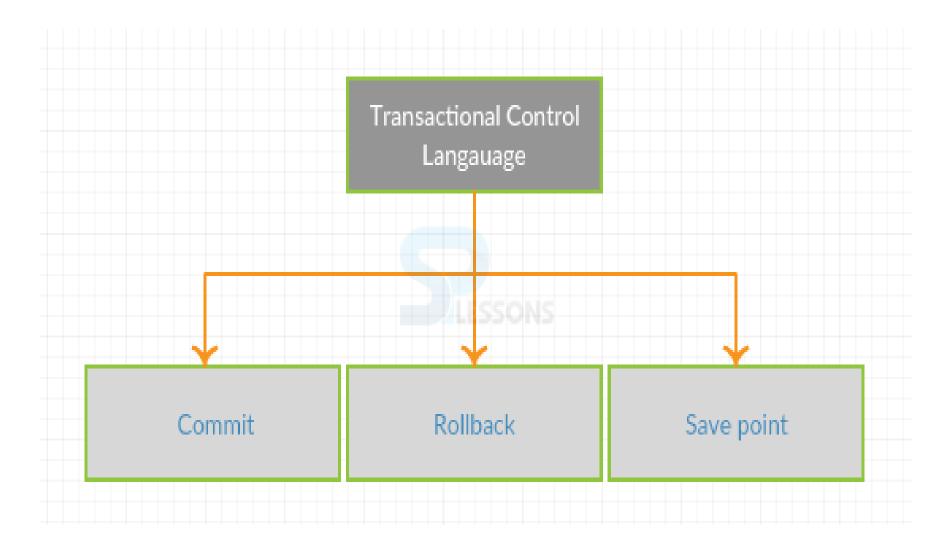
Views - Deletion

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Delete the view Employee-Pay

DROP VIEW EMPPAY;

TCL Commands (Commit/Rollback/Savepoint)



TCL Commands

Commit:

 Commit command is used to save all the transactions to the database.

Rollback:

 Rollback command is used to undo transactions that have not already been saved to the database.

SAVEPOINT:

 It is used to roll the transaction back to a certain point without rolling back the entire transaction. Example

DCL Commands (GRANT/REVOKE/GRANT OPTION)

- The <u>GRANT</u> statement enables system administrators to grant privileges and roles, which can be granted to user accounts and roles.
- GRANT cannot mix granting both privileges and roles in the same statement. A given GRANT statement must grant either privileges or roles.