

Nugget 3: Data Manipulation

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Key Learning Points

- 1. Meaning of Data Manipulation Language (DML)
- 2. Types of DML statements
- 3. Use of Substitution variables with DML



Sample Data

Table Name : Employee

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EMPLOYEEID	FIRSTNAME	LASTNAME	EMAIL	PHONENUMBER	HIREDATE	JOBID	SALARY	NPCT	MANAGERID	DEPARTMENTID
1	John	Demn	JohnD@yah oo.com	9898780979	1/10/2001	IT_PROF	70000	0.5	NULL	10
2	Ken	Dale	kendaleD@g mail.com	7877787655	4/1/2001	SALES_HEAD	50000	NULL	NULL	10
3	James	Walton	JW@yahoo. com	5787887888	1/1/2001	IT_REP	30000	0.2	1	20
4	robin	sngal	robin@gmail .com	4990988839	5/1/2001	SALES_REP	40000	0.3	2	20
5	ajay	ghosala	ghosala@ho tmail.com	9809888898	6/10/2002	SALES_REP	30000	0.4	2	20
6	John	Reddies	John@gmail .com	6878900989	6/10/2003	M_per	50000	NULL	NULL	NULL

Table Name : Department

DEPARTMENTID	DEPARTMENTNAME	MANAGERID	LOCATIONID
10	Sales	1	1
20	IT	2	2
30	Marketing	(null)	1

Table Name: Location

LOCATIONID	CITY
1	Pune
2	Mumbai



Data manipulation language

- DML stands for Data Manipulation Language.
- DML statements are required when user wants to
 - Add new rows to the table
 - Update existing rows
 - Remove rows from the table
- A collection of DML statements that form a logical unit of work is called as Transaction.
- Below are the types of DML statements:
 - INSERT
 - DELETE
 - UPDATE

- INSERT statement is used to add new rows in the table.
- Syntax:

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INSERT into table [(column1 [,column2....])]
values (value, [value2...]);
```

- Above syntax can add only one row in the table at a time.
- If column list is omitted in the INSERT clause, then
 - insert value for each column in the corresponding table.
 - specify the values in the default order of the columns in the table.
 - Else, list the specific columns in the INSERT clause, in which data needs to be inserted
- Enclose the character and date values in single quotation marks.

Insert Data in <u>all the columns</u> of the table

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Insert into Department
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Values(40, 'HR', 4, 5);

Insert data in <u>specific columns</u>

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Insert into Department(department_id, department_name)
values(50,'ITIG');
```

-- In this case NULL values will be inserted in Manager_id and Location_id columns

Insert data using <u>special functions</u>

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insert into Employee (Employeeid, firstname, lastname, email, phonenumber, hiredate, jobid) values(6,'Jogin','tale','jt@gmail.com',4343535353,SYSDATE,'Sales_Rep');
```



- Use of Substitution variables:
 - User can prefix '&' to a variable to prompt user for values at the run time.
 - User can save commands using the substitution variable in a file and then can execute the script file. Then user will be prompted to input a value for & substitution variable. And then the inputed values will be inserted in the table.
 - Substitution variables can be used along with SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE statements.
- Insert data using Substitution variables
 - Insert into Department
 - values(&department_id,'&department_name',&manager_id,&location_id);

- Common errors that can occur during execution of INSERT statement
 - Mandatory value missing for a not null column.
 - Duplicate value violates unique constraint
 - Foreign key constraint violated
 - Check constraint violated
 - Data type mismatch
 - Value too wide to fit in column



UPDATE Statement

- UPDATE statement is used to modify existing rows in the table.
- User can update more than one row as well as more than one column at a time.
- Syntax:

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Update Table

Set Column = value [, Column = value ...]

[ Where Condition ];
```

Where Condition' identifies rows to be updated. If omitted, all the rows in the table will be affected.

UPDATE Statement

- Simple Update Query

 Update employee

 set departmentid=40

 where employeeid=5;
- Update statement without Where clause
 Update employee
 set departmentid=40;
- Updating multiple columns
 Update employee
 set departmentid= 40, managerid= 1
 where employeeid= 5;

-- If where condition is omitted, all the rows will be updated,



UPDATE Statement

Explicit DEFAULT

The DEFAULT keyword can be used with UPDATE and INSERT statements to use the DEFAULT value specified for that column while table creation. If no DEFAULT value is specified then, NULL value is used.

Explicit DEFAULT in Update statement :

Update department

Set locationid = DEFAULT

Where departmentid=10;



DELETE Statement

- DELETE statement is used to remove rows from the table.
- If user removes all rows from the table, only the data structure of the table remains.
- Syntax: DELETE [from] Table[Where Condition]

Where Condition' identifies rows to be deleted. If omitted, all the rows in the table will be affected.

Note: User can not delete a row that contains a primary key which is used as foreign key in another table. It will result in 'Integrity constraint' error

- Delete statement with Where clause
 Delete from employee
 where departmentid=10;
- Remove all the rows from the table
 Delete from employee;



Integrity constraint error

- If user attempts to delete a record with a value that is tied to an integrity constraint, an error is returned.
- Example:

Delete from Department

Where departmentid=20;

Above query will result in below error, as Employee table contains records with department id as 20.

ORA – 02292: integrity constraint violated(PK) – child record found

 User can not delete a row that contains a primary key that is used as a foreign key in another table. However, if corresponding referential integrity constraint contains ON DELETE CASCADE option, then the selected rows and its children are deleted from their respective tables.

Session 3: Summary

With this we have come to an end of our third session where we discussed about meaning and Use of DML statements.

- At the end of Nugget 3, we see that you are now able to answer following questions:
 - Meaning and types of DML statements along with examples.
 - Explain: Use of Substitution variable with DML statements.





Thank you!

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