Database Systems

B.Sc. (Hons) in IT

Laboratory Worksheet 07

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Practical 7- EXPLAIN PLAN

SQL> @F:\Y3S2\y3s1\DS\Lab\labsheets\IT3020_Prac07_supportfiles\utlxplan
Table created.

SQL> @F:\Y3S2\y3s1\DS\Lab\labsheets\IT3020_Prac07_supportfiles\SampleDB

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SQL> ALTER SESSION SET OPTIMIZER_MODE = ALL_ROWS;

Session altered.

SQL> ALTER SESSION SET "_optimizer_cost_model" = CPU;

Session altered.
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SQL> EXPLAIN PLAN FOR

2 SELECT c.clno, c.name

3 FROM client c, purch p

4 WHERE c.clno = p.clno AND p.qty > 1000;

Explained.
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SQL> @F:\Y3S2\y3s1\DS\Lab\labsheets\IT3020_Prac07_supportfiles\utlxpls Plan Table					
Operation and options	Object	cost	cpu_cost	io_cost	Ī
SELECT STATEMENT HASH JOIN TABLE ACCESS FULL TABLE ACCESS FULL	 CLIENT PURCH	5 5 2 2	7121096 7121096 7461 9721	4 4 2 2	
7 rows selected.					

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SQL> CREATE INDEX purch_index ON purch(qty, clno);
Index created.

SQL> CREATE INDEX client_index ON client(clno, name);
Index created.
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Plan Table

Operation and options | Object | cost | cpu_cost | io_cost |

SELECT STATEMENT | 3 | 7118756 | 2 |

HASH JOIN | 3 | 7118756 | 2 |

INDEX FULL SCAN | CLIENT_IN | 1 | 7521 | 1 |

INDEX RANGE SCAN | PURCH_IND | 1 | 7321 | 1 |

7 rows selected.
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After creating the unclustered B+ tree indexes on purch(qty, clno) and client(clno, name), the execution plan shows a more optimized access path. Full table scans are replaced by index range scans, and the cost values are significantly reduced. This proves that the indexes improved the performance of the query by reducing the data retrieval effort.

Additional Notes:

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SQL> select index_name
2  from user_indexes
3  where table_name = 'CLIENT';

INDEX_NAME

SYS_C0011175
CLIENT_INDEX

SQL> select DBMS_METADATA.GET_DDL('INDEX',u.index_name)
2  from user_indexes u
3  where table_name = 'CLIENT';

DBMS_METADATA.GET_DDL('INDEX',U.INDEX_NAME)

CREATE UNIQUE INDEX "SYSTEM"."SYS_C0011175" ON "SYSTEM"."CLIENT" ("CLNO")

CREATE INDEX "SYSTEM"."CLIENT_INDEX" ON "SYSTEM"."CLIENT" ("CLNO", "NAME")
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