

CSCI317 Database Performance Tuning

Performance Tuning with Advanced SQL

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Consider the following data manipulation problem

Split a table **LINEITEM** into two tables such both tables include primary key and one table includes all dates and the other table includes all other attributes ([vertical partitioning of a relational table](#))

```
CREATE TABLE DATES AS
  (SELECT L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_SHIPDATE,
         L_COMMITDATE, L_RECEIPTDATE
   FROM LINEITEM );
```

CTAS statement

```
CREATE TABLE OTHERS AS
  (SELECT L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_QUANTITY,
         L_EXTENDEDPRICE, L_DISCOUNT, L_TAX, L_RETURNFLAG,
         L_LINESTATUS, L_SHIPDATE, L_COMMITDATE,
         L_RECEIPTDATE, L_SHIPINSTRUCT, L_SHIPMODE,
         L_COMMENT
   FROM LINEITEM );
```

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Consider the following data manipulation problem

Create a table **ALL_SUPPLIERS** with the same contents as **SUPPLIER** table,

```
CREATE TABLE ALL_SUPPLIERS AS  
(SELECT * FROM SUPPLIER);
```

CTAS statement

Assume that some rows have been added or updated (an attribute **S_ADDRESS** has been changed) in **SUPPLIER** table

Replicate insertions and updates in **ALL_SUPPLIERS** table

```
INSERT INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS  
(SELECT * FROM SUPPLIER MINUS  
SELECT * FROM ALL_SUPPLIERS);
```

INSERT statement

```
UPDATE ALL_SUPPLIERS  
SET S_ADDRESS = (SELECT S_ADDRESS FROM SUPPLIER  
WHERE ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = SUPPLIER.S_SUPPKEY);
```

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Conditional multitable **INSERT** statement

Consider the following data manipulation problem

Split a table **LINEITEM** into two tables such both tables include primary key and one table includes all dates and the other table includes all other attributes

Conditional multitable INSERT statement

```
INSERT
ALL
INTO DATES
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_SHIPDATE,
       L_COMMITDATE, L_RECEIPTDATE )
INTO OTHERS
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_QUANTITY,
       L_EXTENDEDPRICE, L_DISCOUNT, L_TAX, L_RETURNFLAG,
       L_LINESTATUS, L_SHIPDATE, L_COMMITDATE,
       L_RECEIPTDATE, L_SHIPINSTRUCT, L_SHIPMODE,
       L_COMMENT)
SELECT *
FROM LINEITEM;
```

Conditional multitable **INSERT** statement

Split a table **LINEITEM** into two tables such both tables include primary key and one table includes all dates from the rows where a value of **L_QUANTITY > 40** and the other table includes all other attributes from the rows where **L_QUANTITY < 50**

Conditional Multitable INSERT statement

```
INSERT
ALL
WHEN L_QUANTITY > 40 THEN
INTO DATES
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_SHIPDATE,
        L_COMMITDATE, L_RECEIPTDATE )
WHEN L_QUANTITY < 50 THEN
INTO OTHERS
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_QUANTITY,
        L_EXTENDEDPRICE, L_DISCOUNT, L_TAX, L_RETURNFLAG,
        L_LINESTATUS, L_SHIPDATE, L_COMMITDATE,
        L_RECEIPTDATE, L_SHIPINSTRUCT, L_SHIPMODE,
        L_COMMENT)
SELECT *
FROM LINEITEM;
```

Conditional multitable **INSERT** statement

Split a table **LINEITEM** into two tables such both tables include primary key and one table includes all dates from the rows where a value of **L_QUANTITY > 40** and the other table includes all other attributes from the rows where **L_QUANTITY < 50**, If a row can be inserted into both tables then insert it only to a table with dates

```
INSERT
FIRST
WHEN L_QUANTITY > 40 THEN
INTO DATES
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_SHIPDATE,
       L_COMMITDATE, L_RECEIPTDATE )
WHEN L_QUANTITY < 50 THEN
INTO OTHERS
VALUES(L_ORDERKEY, L_LINENUMBER, L_QUANTITY,
       L_EXTENDEDPRICE, L_DISCOUNT, L_TAX, L_RETURNFLAG,
       L_LINESTATUS, L_SHIPDATE, L_COMMITDATE,
       L_RECEIPTDATE, L_SHIPINSTRUCT, L_SHIPMODE,
       L_COMMENT)
SELECT *
FROM LINEITEM;
```

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MERGE statement

MERGE statement can be used to select the rows from one or more sources for update or insertion into a relational table or into a relational view

INTO clause determines the target table or view to be used for updating or inserting into

USING clause determines the source of the data to be updated or inserted

ON clause determines the condition upon which the **MERGE** operation either updates or inserts

For each row in the target table for which the search condition is true, **MERGE** updates the row with corresponding data from the source table

If the condition is not true for any rows, then **MERGE** inserts into the target table based on the corresponding source table row

MERGE statement

For example, merge into **ALL_SUPPLIERS** relational table all rows from **SUPPLIER** relational table with the same values of an attribute **S_SUPPKEY**

```
MERGE  
  INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS  
  USING SUPPLIER S  
  ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)  
  ...
```

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MERGE with UPDATE clause

`merge_update_clause` determines the new column values of the target table

MERGE performs an update if a condition in **ON** clause is true

MERGE statement with UPDATE clause

```
MERGE  
  INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS  
  USING SUPPLIER S  
  ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)  
  WHEN MATCHED THEN  
    UPDATE SET ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_ADDRESS = S.S_ADDRESS;
```

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MERGE with INSERT clause

`merge_insert_clause` determines the values to be inserted into a column of target table if a condition in `ON` clause is false

MERGE statement with INSERT clause

```
MERGE
  INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS
  USING SUPPLIER S
  ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)
  WHEN NOT MATCHED THEN
    INSERT VALUES(S.S_SUPPKEY, S.S_NAME, S.S_ADDRESS,
                  S.S_NATIONKEY, S.S_PHONE, S.S_ACCTBAL,
                  S.S_COMMENT);
```

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MERGE with WHERE clause

`where_clause` determines a condition that must be true to execute `UPDATE/INSERT` operation

The condition can refer to either the data source or the target table

If the condition is not true, then the database skips `UPDATE/INSERT`

MERGE statement with WHERE clause

```
MERGE
INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS
USING SUPPLIER S
ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)
WHEN NOT MATCHED THEN
INSERT VALUES(S.S_SUPPKEY, S.S_NAME, S.S_ADDRESS,
               S.S_NATIONKEY, S.S_PHONE, S.S_ACCTBAL,
               S.S_COMMENT)
WHERE S.S_NAME = 'James Bond';
```

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MERGE with DELETE clause

DELETE where_clause allows to clean up data in a table while populating or updating it

The only rows affected by this clause are those rows in the destination table that are updated by the merge operation

DELETE where_clause evaluates the updated value, not the original value that was evaluated by the **UPDATE SET ... WHERE** condition

If a row of the destination table meets the **DELETE** condition but is not included in a join defined by **ON** clause, then it is not deleted

MERGE statement with DELETE clause

```
MERGE
  INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS
  USING SUPPLIER S
  ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)
  WHEN MATCHED THEN
    UPDATE SET ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_ADDRESS = S.S_ADDRESS
  DELETE WHERE S.S_NAME = 'James Bond';
```

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```
CREATE TABLE ALL_SUPPLIERS AS  
(SELECT * FROM SUPPLIER);
```

CTAS statement

Assume that some rows have been added or updated (the values of an attribute **S_ADDRESS**) in **SUPPLIER** table, replicate insertions and updates in **ALL_SUPPLIERS** table

```
MERGE  
INTO ALL_SUPPLIERS  
USING SUPPLIER S  
ON (ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_SUPPKEY = S.S_SUPPKEY)  
WHEN NOT MATCHED THEN  
INSERT VALUES(S.S_SUPPKEY, S.S_NAME, S.S_ADDRESS, S.S_NATIONKEY,  
               S.S_PHONE, S.S_ACCTBAL, S.S_COMMENT)  
WHEN MATCHED THEN  
UPDATE SET ALL_SUPPLIERS.S_ADDRESS = S.S_ADDRESS;
```

MERGE statement with INSERT and UPDATE clauses

References

Oracle® Database SQL Language Reference 19c Release 2 (12.2), **SELECT** statement, **INSERT** statement, **MERGE** statement