

## Oracle PL/SQL Quick Reference

### SELECT Statement

```
SELECT [DISINCT] {*, column [alias],...}
FROM table
[WHERE condition(s)]
[ORDER BY {column, exp, alias} [ASC|DESC]]
```

### Cartesian Product

```
SELECT table1.*, table2.*,[...]
FROM table1,table2[,...]
```

### Equijoin(Simple joins or inner join)

```
SELECT table1.*,table2.*
FROM table1,table2
WHERE table1.column = table2.column
```

### Non-Equijoins

```
SELECT table1.*, table2.*
FROM table1, table2
WHERE table1.column
BETWEEN table2.column1 AND table2.column2
```

### Outer joins

```
SELECT table1.*,table2.*
FROM table1,table2
WHERE table1.column(+) = table2.column
SELECT table1.*,table2.*
FROM table1,table2
WHERE table1.column = table2.column(+)
```

### Self joins

```
SELECT alias1.*,alias2.*
FROM table1 alias1,table1 alias2
WHERE alias1.column = alias2.column
```

### Aggregation Selecting

```
SELECT [column,] group_function(column)
FROM table
[WHERE condition]
[GROUP BY group_by_expression]
[HAVING group_condition]
[ORDER BY column] ;
```

### Group function

```
AVG([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
COUNT(*|[DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
MAX([DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
MIN([DISTINCT|ALL]expr)
STDDEV([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
SUM([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
VARIANCE([DISTINCT|ALL]n)
```

### Subquery

```
SELECT select_list
FROM table
WHERE expr operator(SELECT select_list FROM table);
```

single-row comparison operators  
= > >= < <= <>

multiple-row comparison operators  
IN ANY ALL

### Multiple-column Subqueries

```
SELECT column, column, ...
FROM table
WHERE (column, column, ...) IN
(SELECT column, column, ...
FROM table
```

```
WHERE condition) ;
```

### Manipulating Data

#### INSERT Statement(one row)

```
INSERT INTO table [ (column [,column...])]
VALUES (value [,value...]) ;
```

#### INSERT Statement with Subquery

```
INSERT INTO table [ column(, column) ]
subquery ;
```

#### UPDATE Statement

```
UPDATE table
SET column = value [, column = value,...]
[WHERE condition] ;
```

#### Updating with Multiple-column Subquery

```
UPDATE table
SET (column, column,...) =
(SELECT column, column,...
FROM table
WHERE condition)
WHERE condition ;
```

#### Deleting Rows with DELETE Statement

```
DELETE [FROM] table
[WHERE condition] ;
```

#### Deleting Rows Based on Another Table

```
DELETE FROM table
WHERE column = (SELECT column
FROM table
WHERE condition) ;
```

#### Transaction Control Statements

```
COMMIT ;
SAVEPOINT name ;
ROLLBACK [TO SAVEPOINT name] ;
```

#### CREATE TABLE Statement

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
(column datatype [DEFAULT expr] [,...]) ;
```

#### CREATE TABLE Statement with Subquery

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
[(column, column...)]
AS subquery
```

#### Datatype

```
VARCHAR2(size) CHAR(size) NUMBER(p,s) DATE
LONG CLOB RAW LONG RAW
BLOB BFILE
```

#### ALTER TABLE Statement (Add columns)

```
ALTER TABLE table
ADD (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
[, column datatype]... ) ;
```

#### Changing a column's type, size and default of a Table

```
ALTER TABLE table
MODIFY (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
[, column datatype]... ) ;
```

#### Dropping a Table

```
DROP TABLE table ;
```

#### Changing the Name of an Object

```
RENAME old_name TO new_name ;
```

#### Truncating a Table

```
TRUNCATE TABLE table ;
```

#### Adding Comments to a Table

```
COMMENT ON TABLE table | COLUMN table.column
```

```
IS 'text' ;
```

#### Dropping a comment from a table

```
COMMENT ON TABLE table | COLUMN table.column IS '' ;
```

#### Data Dictionary

```
ALL_OBJECTS USER_OBJECTS
ALL_TABLES USER_TABLES
ALL_CATALOG USER_CATALOG or CAT
ALL_COL_COMMENTS USER_COL_COMMENTS
ALL_TAB_COMMENTS USER_TAB_COMMENTS
```

#### Defining Constraints

```
CREATE TABLE [schema.]table
(column datatype [DEFAULT expr][NOT NULL]
[column_constraint],...
[table_constraint][,...]) ;
```

#### Column constraint level

```
column [CONSTRAINT constraint_name] constraint_type,
```

#### Constraint type

```
PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES table(column) UNIQUE
CHECK (condition)
```

#### Table constraint level(except NOT NULL)

```
column,...,[CONSTRAINT constraint_name]
constraint_type (column,...),
```

#### NOT NULL Constraint (Only Column Level)

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column...]_nn NOT NULL ...
```

#### UNIQUE Key Constraint

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column...]_uk UNIQUE (column[,...])
```

#### PRIMARY Key Constraint

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column...]_pk PRIMARY (column[,...])
```

#### FOREIGN Key Constraint

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column...]_fk
FOREIGN KEY (column[,...])
REFERENCES table (column[,...])[ON DELETE CASCADE]
```

#### CHECK constraint

```
CONSTRAINT table[_column...]_ck CHECK (condition)
```

#### Adding a Constraint(except NOT NULL)

```
ALTER TABLE table
ADD [CONSTRAINT constraint_name ] type (column) ;
```

#### Adding a NOT NULL constraint

```
ALTER TABLE table
MODIFY (column datatype [DEFAULT expr]
[CONSTRAINT constraint_name_nn] NOT NULL) ;
```

#### Dropping a Constraint

```
ALTER TABLE table
DROP CONSTRAINT constraint_name ;
```

```
ALTER TABLE table
DROP PRIMARY KEY | UNIQUE (column) |
CONSTRAINT constraint_name [CASCADE] ;
```

#### Disabling Constraints

```
ALTER TABLE table
DISABLE CONSTRAINT constraint_name [CASCADE] ;
```

#### Enabling Constraints

```
ALTER TABLE table
ENABLE CONSTRAINT constraint_name ;
```

#### Data Dictionary

```
ALL_CONSTRAINTS USER_CONSTRAINTS
ALL_CONS_COLUMNS USER_CONS_COLUMNS
```

#### Creating a View

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] [FORCE|NOFORCE] VIEW view
```

```

    [(alias[, alias]...)]
AS subquery
[WITH CHECK OPTION [CONSTRAINT constraint_name]]
[WITH READ ONLY] ;

```

#### Removing a View

```
DROP VIEW view ;
```

#### CREATE SEQUENCE Statement

```

CREATE SEQUENCE sequence
  [INCREMENT BY n]
  [START WITH n]
  [{MAXVALUE n| NOMAXVALUE}]
  [{MINVALUE n| NOMINVALUE}]
  [{CYCLE | NOCYCLE}]
  [{CACHE [n|20] | NOCACHE}] ;

```

#### Pseudocolumns

```
sequence.NEXTVAL          sequence.CURRVAL
```

#### Modifying a Sequence (No START WITH option)

```

ALTER SEQUENCE sequence
  [INCREMENT BY n]
  [{MAXVALUE n| NOMAXVALUE}]
  [{MINVALUE n| NOMINVALUE}]
  [{CYCLE | NOCYCLE}]
  [{CACHE [n|20] | NOCACHE}] ;

```

#### Removing a Sequence

```
DROP SEQUENCE sequence ;
```

#### Creating an Index

```

CREATE INDEX index
  ON TABLE (column[,column]...) ;

```

#### Removing an Index

```
DROP INDEX index ;
```

#### Synonyms

```
CREATE [PUBLIC] SYNONYM synonym FOR object ;
```

#### Removing Synonyms

```
DROP SYNONYM synonym ;
```

#### Data Dictionary

```

ALL_VIEWS          USER_VIEWS
ALL_SEQUENCES      USER_SEQUENCES
ALL_INDEXES        USER_INDEXES
ALL_IND_COLUMNS    USER_IND_COLUMNS

```

#### System Privileges (DBA)

```

CREATE USER          CREATE SESSION
DROP USER           CREATE TABLE
DROP ANY TABLE     CREATE SEQUENCE
BACKUP ANY TABLE   CREATE VIEW
                   CREATE PROCEDURE

```

#### Creating Users

```

CREATE USER user
  IDENTIFIED BY password ;

```

#### Creating Roles

```
CREATE ROLE role ;
```

#### Granting System Privileges

```

GRANT privileges[,...] TO user[,...] ;
GRANT privileges TO role ;
GRANT role TO user[,...] ;

```

#### Changing Password

```
ALTER USER user IDENTIFIED BY password ;
```

#### Dropping Users

```
DROP USER user [CASCADE] ;
```

#### Dropping Roles

```
DROP ROLE role ;
```

#### Object Privileges

Object	Table	View	Sequence	Procedure
ALTER	X		X	
DELETE	X	X		
EXECUTE				X
INDEX	X			
INSERT	X	X		
REFERENCES	X			
SELECT	X	X	X	
UPDATE	X	X		

#### Object Privileges

```

GRANT object_priv [(column)]
  ON object
  TO {user|role|PUBLIC}
  [WITH GRANT OPTION] ;

```

#### Revoking Object Privileges

```

REVOKE {privilege [,privilege...] | ALL}
  ON object
  FROM {user[,user...] | role|PUBLIC}
  [CASCADE CONSTRAINTS] ;

```

#### Data Dictionary

```

ROLE_SYS_PRIVS
ROLE_TAB_PRIVS          USER_ROLE_PRIVS
USER_TAB_PRIVS_MADE     USER_TAB_PRIVS_REC'D
USER_COL_PRIVS_MADE     USER_COL_PRIVS_REC'D

```

#### PL/SQL Block Structure

```

DECLARE --Optional
  --Variables, Cursors, User-defined exceptions
BEGIN --Mandatory
  --SQL statements
  --PL/SQL statements
EXCEPTION --Optional
  --Actions to perform when errors occur
END ; --Mandatory

```

#### PL/SQL Block Type

Anonymous	Procedure	Function
[DECLARE]	PROCEDURE name	FUNCTION name
	IS	RETURN datatype IS
	[DECLARE]	[DECLARE]
BEGIN	BEGIN	BEGIN
--statements	--statements	--statements
[EXCEPTION]	[EXCEPTION]	[EXCEPTION]
END ;	END ;	END ;

#### Declaring PL/SQL Variables

```

identifier [CONSTANT] datatype [NOT NULL]
  [:=|DEFAULT expr] ;

```

#### Assigning Values to Variables

```
identifier := expr ;
```

#### Base Scalar Datatypes

```

VARCHAR2(n)          NUMBER(p,s)          DATE          CHAR(n)
LONG                 LONG RAW             BOOLEAN
BINARY_INTEGER       PLS_INTEGER

```

#### The %TYPE Attribute

```

table_name.column_name%TYPE ;
variable_name%TYPE ;

```

#### Composite Datatypes

```

TABLE                RECORD                NESTED TABLE  VARRAY
LOB Datatypes
CLOB                 BLOB                 BFILE          NCLOB

```

#### Creating Bind Variables

```
VARIABLE variable_name datatype
```

#### Displaying Bind Variables

```
PRINT [variable_name]
```

#### Commenting Code

```

--prefix single-line comments with two dashes
/* Place multi-line comment between the symbols */

```

#### SELECT Statements in PL/SQL

```

SELECT {column_list}*
  INTO {variable_name[,variable_name]...
        |record_name}

```

```
FROM table
```

```
WHERE condition
```

#### Implicit Cursor Attributes for DML statements

```
SQL%ROWCOUNT
```

```
SQL%FOUND
```

```
SQL%NOTFOUND
```

```
SQL%ISOPEN
```

#### Control Structures

##### IF Statement

```
IF condition THEN
```

```
  statements ;
```

```
[ELSIF condition THEN
```

```
  statements ;]
```

```
[ELSE
```

```
  statements;]
```

```
END IF ;
```

##### FOR Loop

```
FOR conter in [REVERSE]
```

```
  lower..upper LOOP
```

```
  statement1;
```

```
  statement2;
```

```
  ...
```

```
END LOOP;
```

##### Creating a PL/SQL Record

```
TYPE record_name_type IS RECORD
```

```
  (field_declaration[,field_declaration]...) ;
```

```
record_name record_name_type ;
```

##### Where field declaration is

```

field_name {field_type|variable%TYPE|
            table.column%TYPE|table%ROWTYPE}
            [[NOT NULL] {:=|DEFAULT} expr]

```

##### Referencing Fields in the Record

```
record_name.field_name
```

##### Declaring Records with the %ROWTYPE Attribute

```
DECLARE
```

```
  record_name reference%ROWTYPE
```

##### Creating a PL/SQL Table

```
TYPE type_name IS TABLE OF
```

```
  {column_scalar_type|variable%TYPE|table.column%TYPE
```

```
  |variable%ROWTYPE} [NOT NULL]
```

```
  [INDEX BY BINARY_INTEGER];
```

```
identifier type_name ;
```

##### Referencing a PL/SQL table

```
pl_sql_table_name(primary_key_value)
```

## Using PL/SQL Table Method

```
table_name.method_name[(parameters)]
```

## PL/SQL Table Methods

```
EXISTS(n)          COUNT  FIRST  LAST  PRIOR(n)
NEXT(n)           EXTEND(n,i)  TRIM  DELETE
```

## PL/SQL Table of Records

```
TYPE table_name_type IS TABLE OF table_name%ROWTYPE
INDEX BY BINARY_INTEGER ;
```

```
table_name table_name_type ;
```

## Referencing a Table of Records

```
table_name(index).field
```

## Declaring the Cursor in Declaration Section

```
CURSOR cursor_name IS select_statement ;
record_name cursor_name%ROWTYPE ;
```

## Opening and Closing the Cursor

```
OPEN cursor_name ;
CLOSE cursor_name ;
```

## Fetching Data from the Cursor

```
FETCH cursor_name
INTO [variable1(,variable2,...)
|record_name] ;
```

## Explicit Cursor Attributes

```
cursor_name%ISOPEN
cursor_name%NOTFOUND
cursor_name%FOUND
cursor_name%ROWCOUNT
```

## Cursor FOR Loops

```
FOR record_name IN cursor_name LOOP
statement1;
statement2;
...
```

```
END LOOP;
```

## Cursor FOR Loops Using Subqueries

```
FOR record_name IN (subqueries) LOOP
statement1
...
```

```
END LOOP ;
```

## Cursors with Parameters

```
CURSOR cursor_name [(cursor_parameter_name datatype
[,...])]
IS select_statement
```

```
[FOR UPDATE [OF column_reference][NOWAIT]];
```

## Parameter Name

```
cursor_parameter_name [IN] datatype [{:=|DEFAULT}expr]
```

## Opening with Parameters

```
OPEN cursor_name(cursor_parameter_name[,...]);
```

## Cursor FOR Loops with parameters

```
FOR record_name IN cursor_name(cursor_parameter_name
[,...]) LOOP
statement1;
statement2;
...
```

```
END LOOP;
```

## WHERE CURRENT OF clause

```
UPDATE|DELETE ... WHERE CURRENT OF cursor_name ;
```

## Predefined Exceptions

```
NO_DATA_FOUND
```

```
TOO_MANY_ROWS
```

```
INVALID_CURSOR
```

```
ZERO_DIVIDE
```

```
DUP_VAL_ON_INDEX
```

## Trapping Exceptions

```
EXCEPTION
```

```
WHEN exception1 [OR exception2 ...] THEN
statement1 ;
statement2 ;
...
```

```
[WHEN exception3 [OR exception4 ...] THEN
statement1 ;
statement2 ;
...]
```

```
[WHEN OTHERS THEN
```

```
statement1 ;
```

```
statement2 ;
```

```
...]
```

## Declaring Non-Predefined Oracle Sever Exception

```
DECLARE
```

```
exception EXCEPTION ;
```

```
PRAGMA EXCEPTION_INIT(exception, error_number) ;
```

## Referencing the declared Non-predefined exception

```
BEGIN
```

```
...
```

```
EXCEPTION
```

```
WHEN exception THEN
```

```
statement1 ;
```

```
...
```

```
END ;
```

## Trapping User-Defined Exceptions

```
DECLARE
```

```
exception EXCEPTION ;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
...
```

```
IF SQL%NOTFOUND THEN
```

```
RAISE exception ;
```

```
END IF ;
```

```
...
```

```
EXCEPTION
```

```
WHEN exception THEN
```

```
statement1 ;
```

```
...
```

```
END ;
```

## Functions for Trapping Exceptions

```
SQLCODE return error code
```

```
SQLERRM return error message
```

## RAISE\_APPLICATION\_ERROR procedure (Executable/Exception Section)

```
RAISE_APPLICATION_ERROR ( error_number,
message [, {TRUE|FALSE}]) ;
```

```
error_number between -20000 to -20999
```

```
message string up to 2,048 bytes long
```

```
TRUE placed on the stack of previous errors.
```

```
FALSE replaces all previous errors
```

## Single-Row Functions

### Character Functions

```
LOWER(column|expression)
```

```
UPPER(column|expression)
```

```
INITCAP(column|expression)
```

```
INSTR(column|expression,m)
```

```
CONCAT(column1|expression1,column2|expression2)
```

```
SUBSTR(column|expression,m,[n])
```

```
LENGTH(column|expression)
```

```
LPAD(column|expression,n,'string')
```

## Number Functions

```
MOD(m,n)
```

```
ROUND(column|expression,n)
```

```
TRUNC(column|expression,n)
```

## Date Functions

```
MONTHS_BETWEEN(date1,date2)
```

```
ADD_MONTHS(date,n)
```

```
NEXT_DAY(date,'char')
```

```
LAST_DAY(date)
```

```
ROUND(date[, 'fmt'])
```

```
TRUNC(date[, 'fmt'])
```

## Conversion Functions

```
TO_CHAR(number|date[, 'fmt'])
```

```
TO_NUMBER(char[, 'fmt'])
```

```
TO_DATE(char[, 'fmt'])
```

```
NVL(expr1,expr2)
```

```
DECODE(col/expr,search1,result1
[,search2,result2,...,]
[,default])
```

## Operators

```
Comparison = > >= < <= <>
```

```
BETWEEN..AND, IN, LIKE, IS NULL
```

```
Logical AND OR NOT
```

## Order of Operations

```
Operator Operation
```

```
** ,NOT Exponentiation, logical negation
```

```
+ , - Identity, negation
```

```
* , / Multiplication, division
```

```
+ , - , || Addition, subtraction, concatenation
```

```
= , != , < , > , <= Comparison
```

```
>= , IS NULL , LIKE
```

```
BETWEEN , IN
```

```
AND Conjunction
```

```
OR Inclusion
```