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ORACLE8i FOR END USERS

Duration: 2 days

As an Oracle End User, develop the basic skills to effectively work with Oracle and relational databases

Course Description:

This course is a hands-on, basic level Oracle course for the end user and assumes the participant has no prior knowledge of Oracle or relational databases.

Participants will learn...

- A basic understanding of general relational database terminology
- To initiate basic Oracle SQL commands
- To perform queries with SQL*Plus

Who Needs to Attend:

End Users, Managers

Prerequisites:

None

Course Content:

DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (DBMS) OVERVIEW

- Database
- Database management systems (DBMS)
- Types of DBMS

FUNDAMENTALS OF RELATIONAL DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS (RDBMS)

- Relational database principles
- Duplicate and null values
- Primary key Foreign key

SQL*PLUS

- The SQL*Plus environment
- Invoking SQL*Plus
- Leaving SQL*Plus
- · Entering and Executing commands
- The SQL buffer
- Basic SQL*Plus commands
- Login SQL
- The SELECT command
- Column aliases
- Distinct and all operators

STRUCTURED QUERY LANGUAGE (SQL) ELEMENTS

- Structured Query Language (SQL)
- Database objects
- View
- Synonym
- Object naming
- Object reference
- Data dictionary
- The dual table
- Data types
- Literal/constant
- Arithmetic operators
- Character operators
- Expression

THE WHERE CLAUSE

- The WHERE clause
- Comparison operators
- String matching
- Logical operators
- Parenthesis

FUNCTIONS

- Functions
- Number, character, date, other functions
- Conversions functions
- TO_CHAR
- TO NUMBER
- TO_DATE
- Format models
- Date format models

ORDERING AND GROUPING

- · Order By functions
- Group functions

THE JOIN CONDITION

- The join conditionTable aliases
- Outer join
- Set operators

SUBQUERY

- Subquery
- Correlated subquery

DATA MANIPULATION (DML)

- Data manipulation (DML)commands
- Transaction control commands

Course Labs:

- 1. RDBMS
- 2. SQL*Plus basics
- 3. SQL language elements
- 4. WHERE clause
- 5. Functions
- 6. Ordering and grouping
- 7. Joining
- 8. Subquery
- 9. DML