New Features in Database 11gR2

You will not hear about from Oracle Corp.



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Introduction

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- 11g beta test site



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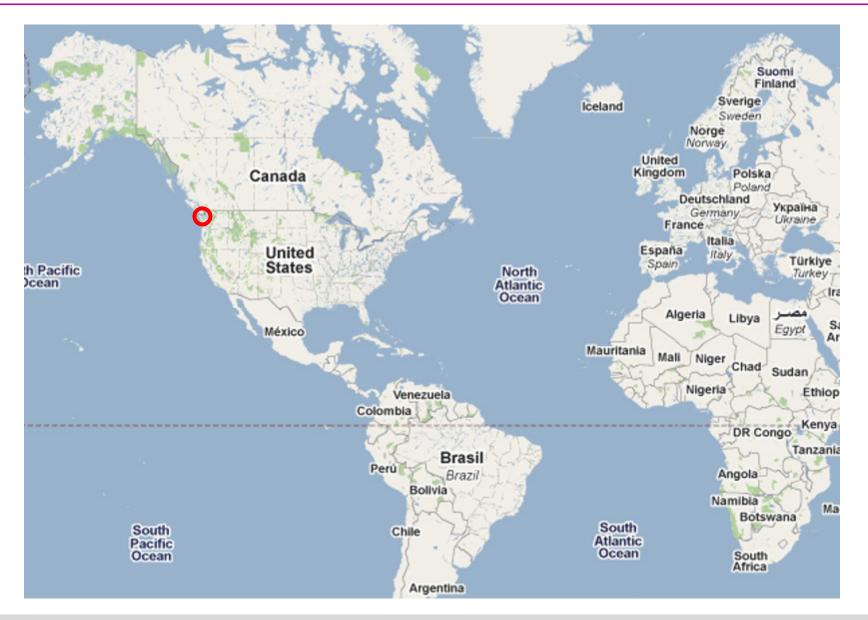






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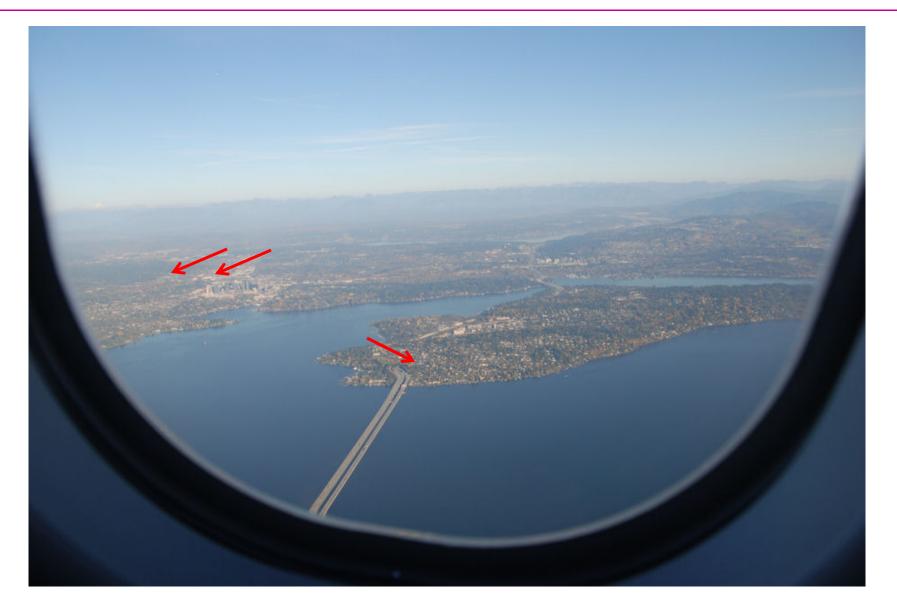
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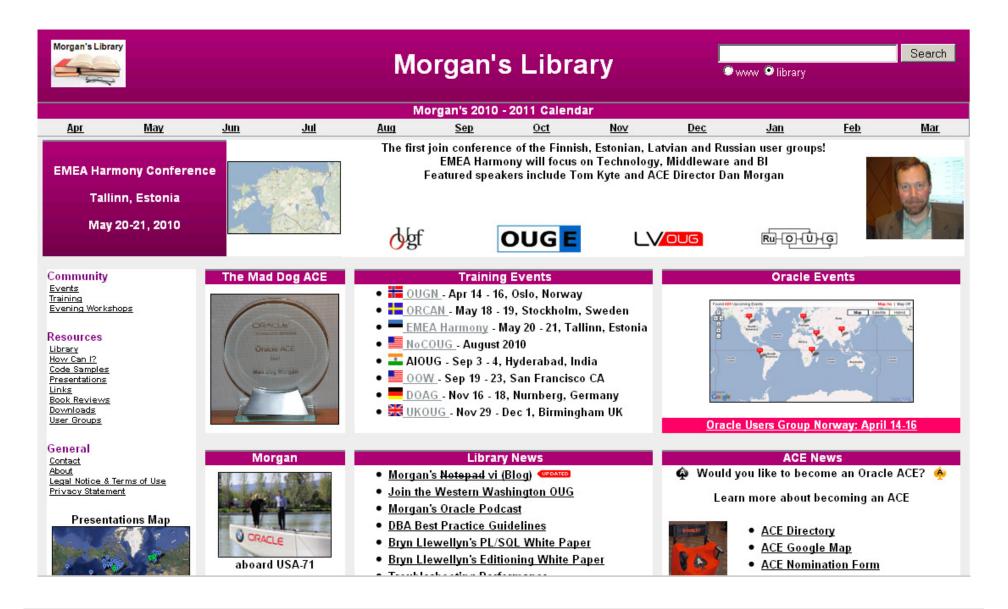


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	A Guide To Meeting Challenges in Oracle Database 11g		Modified
1	Guarantee case insensitive uniqueness	Click Here	28-Oct-2009
2	Read a list of operating system files into a PL/SQL array (without using C or Java)	Click Here	28-Oct-2009
З	Identify the columns and data types in a weakly typed ref cursor	Click Here	29-Oct-2009
4	Write a CLOB to a file	Click Here	14-Nov-2009
5	Track the parts of my application that are in use	Click Here	02-Nov-2009
6	Create a data type that will only hold the values 0 and 1	Click Here	21-Nov-2009
7	Create a single check constraint across multiple columns guaranteeing only one is used	Click Here	16-Nov-2009
8	Trap, in a table trigger, the name of the column being updated	Click Here	19-Nov-2009
9	Only report the rows from a query if the number of rows exceeds a limiting value	Click Here	20-Nov-2009
10	Work effectively with the deprecated LONG data type	Click Here	11-Jan-2010
11	Write block corruption alerts to my alert log	Click Here	02-Feb-2010
12	Verify that a string passed into a function or procedure does not contain malicious code (SQL Injection)	Click Here	Soon



This is the start of a new Morgan's Library feature. For the next couple of years, while we learn more about 11gR2, we will be focusing our efforts here. Please join us while we grow this section and learn how to index it so you can find what you need.

Can we code it? Yes we can!

... create a data type that will only hold 0s and 1s

```
DECLARE
 SUBTYPE flagtype IS PLS_INTEGER RANGE 0..1;
 x flagtype;
BEGIN
  BEGIN
    x := 0;
    dbms_output.put_line('Success: ' || TO_CHAR(x));
  EXCEPTION
    WHEN others THEN
      dbms_output.put_line('Can not assign 0 to flagtype');
  END;
  BEGIN
    x := 1;
    dbms_output.put_line('Success: ' || TO_CHAR(x));
  EXCEPTION
    WHEN others THEN
      dbms output.put line('Can not assign 1 to flagtype');
  END;
  . . . .
END;
/
```



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Oracle OpenWorld Unconference

\setminus		Session ID	Title & Description
	K	21-Sep-2010	Title: Developer Coding Strategies for Very Large Databases Track: <u>Unconference</u> Location: Hotel Parc 55: Mason Room
		-·	Title: Edition-Based Redefinition: Live in SQL*Plus Track: Database Location: Moscone South #302

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- Oracle Database introduced a large number of new features. Among the most notable:
 - ADR
 - Compound Triggers
 - Continue Statement
 - Flashback Archive
 - Follows Clause
 - Invisible Indexes
 - Native Compilation Improvements
 - Partitioning Options
 - Partition by Interval
 - Partition by Reference
 - Partition by System
 - Many new composite partitioning options
 - Pivot & Unpivot Operators

- PL/Scope
- Simple Integer Data Type
- SKIP LOCKED
- New XML Functions
- Pragma Inline
- Read Only Tables
- Virtual Columns

- Many new packages, objects, and parameters in
 - CTX_DDL
 - DBMS_ADVISOR
 - DBMS_AQ and DBMS_AQELM
 - DBMS_AUTO_TASK
 - DBMS_AW
 - DBMS_CAPTURE_ADM
 - DBMS_CDC_PUBLISH
 - DBMS_CONNECTION_POOL
 - DBMS_DATAPUMP
 - DBMS_DRS
 - DBMS_EXTENDED_TTS_CHECKS
 - DBMS_FLASHBACK
 - DBMS_HM

Connection Pool Management

Transaction Backout

Health Management

- DBMS_LOB
- DBMS_METADATA
- DBMS_MONITOR
- DBMS_NETWORK_ACL_ADMIN
- DBMS_ODCI
- DBMS_PREDICTIVE_ANALYTICS
- DBMS_REGISTRY
- DBMS_RESOURCE_MANAGER
- DBMS_RESULT_CACHE
- DBMS_SCHEDULER
- DBMS_SERVICE
- DBMS_SESSION
- DBMS_SHARED_POOL
- DBMS_SQL
- DBMS_SQLDIAG
- DBMS_SQLPA
- DBMS_SQLTUNE
- DBMS_STATS

Access Control Lists

Result Cache

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- DBMS_STREAMS
- DBMS_SYSTEM
- DBMS_TTS
- DBMS_WARNING
- DBMS_WORKLOAD_CAPTURE
- DBMS_WORKLOAD_REPLAY
- DBMS_XA
- DBMS_XPLAN
- UTL_XML

Streams

PL/SQL Warnings

Real Application Testing

Distributed Transactions

Explain Plan

- And in 11.1.0.7
 - DBMS_AUDIT_MANAGEMENT
 - DBMS_BACKUP_RESTORE
 - DBMS_IR
 - DBMS_LOGSTDBY
 - DBMS_METADATA
 - DBMS_SCHEDULER
 - DBMS_SQLPA
 - DBMS_SQLTUNE
 - DBMS_WORKLOAD_CAPTURE
 - DBMS_WORKLOAD_REPLAY
 - DBMS_XPLAN
 - UTL_XML

Incident Reporting

What Oracle will talk about "here at OpenWorld"

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What Oracle Will Talk About

- Edition Based Redefinition 11.2.0.1
 - Functions, Packages, Procedures, Synonyms, and Views
- New Grid Features
 - Single Node RAC
 - New ASM Capabilities
 - Omotion
 - DBFS
 - the Grid
- Advanced Compression
- Exadata V2 and Hybrid Columnar Compression

Bryn Llewellyn's White Papers

Library News

- Morgan's Notepad vi (Blog)
- Join the Western Washington OUG
- Morgan's Oracle Podcast
- DBA Best Practice Guidelines
- Bryn Llewellyn's PL/SQL White Paper
- Bryn Llewellyn's Editioning White Paper
- <u>Troubleshooting Performance</u>

Doing SQL from PL/SQL: Best and Worst Practices

An Oracle White Paper September 2008 PL/SQL-specific syntax.

```
-- Code 3
<<b>>declare
  Some Value t.PK%type := 42;
  The Result t%rowtype;
begin
           a.*
  select
  into
           b.The Result
  from
          t a
 where a.PK = b.Some Value;
  The Result.vl := 'New text';
  update t a
         row = b.The Result
  set
 where a.PK = b.The Result.PK;
  The Result.PK := -Some_Value;
  insert into t
  values The Result;
end;
```

Resolution of names in embedded SQL statements.

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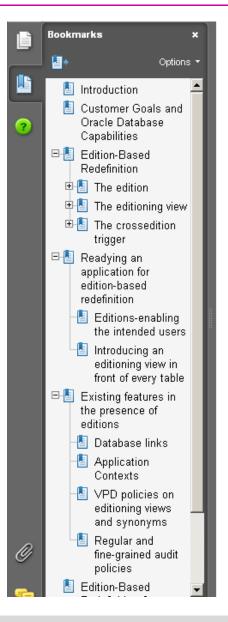
Caveat

Prescribing best practice principles for programming any 3GL is phenomenally difficult. One of the hardest challenges is the safety of the assumption that the reader starts out with these qualities:

- Has chosen the right parents³.
- Has natural common sense coupled with well-developed verbal reasoning skills.
- · Has an ability to visualize mechanical systems.
- · Requires excellence from self and others.
- Has first class negotiating skills. (Good code takes longer to write and test than bad code; managers want code delivered in aggressive timeframes.)
- · Has received a first class education.
- Can write excellent technical prose. (How else can you write the requirements for your code, write the test specifications, and discuss problems that arise along the way?)

Then, the reader would be fortunate enough to work in an environment which provides intellectual succor:

· Has easy access to one or several excellent mentors.





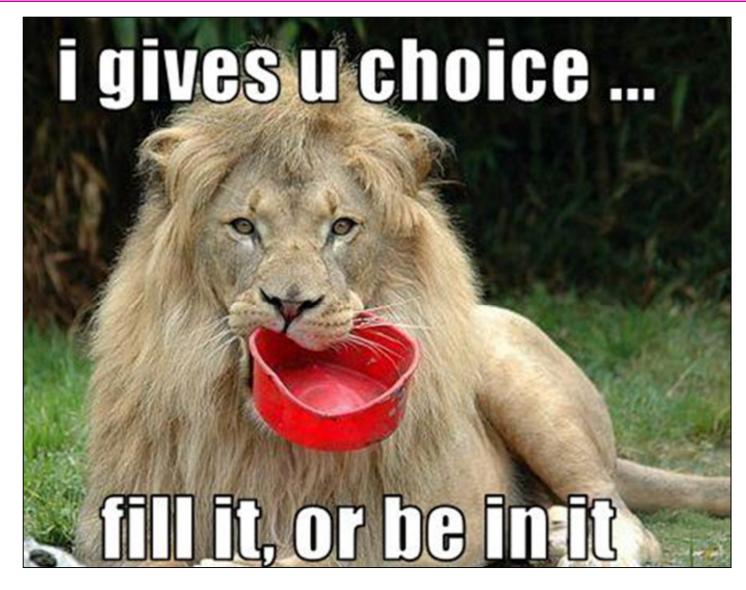
An Oracle White Paper July 2009

Edition-Based Redefinition

a new capability in Oracle Database 11g Release 2 to support online application upgrade

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We all have our favorite customers: This is mine



Store More Data

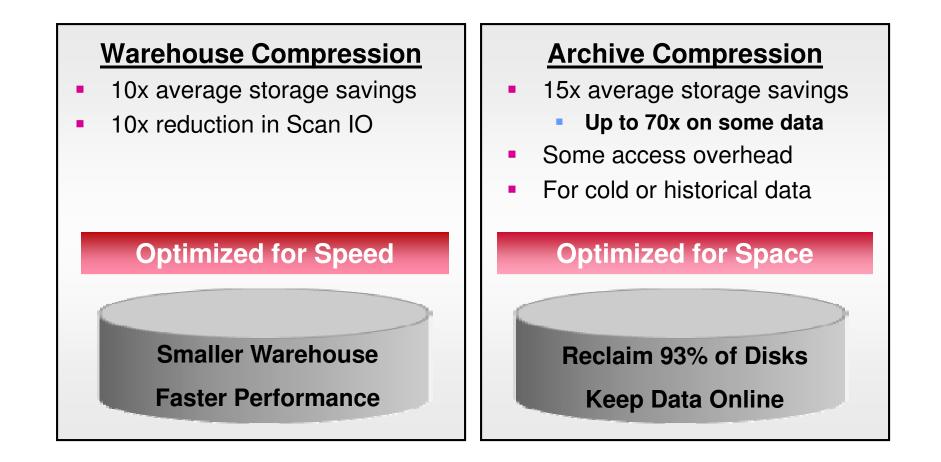
Maintain Performance

Honor the same Service Level Agreement

GB, TB, <u>PB</u>, EB What's the big deal?

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Hybrid Columnar Compression on Exadata V2



Totally application transparent

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How Traditional Compression Works

- A grossly oversimplified "how it works"
 - 1. Oracle examines full blocks for duplicates
 - 2. Creates a symbol that is stored in the block header
 - 3. Rewrites the block substituting the symbol for the values it represents
- Compression is performed at the block level not the table like DB2

City	State	Postal Code	City		State	Postal Code
Hot Springs National Park	AR	71901	Hot Springs National Park		AR	71901
Hot Springs National Park	AR	71902		n	"	"02
Hot Springs National Park	AR	71903		"	"	" 03
Hot Springs National Park	AR	71913		n	"	"13
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9.2 Data Segment Compression

- Heap Organized Tables
- Materialized Views

```
CREATE TABLE reg_tab AS
SELECT *
FROM dba_tables;
```

CREATE TABLE COMPRESS comp_tab AS SELECT * FROM dba tables;

exec dbms_stats.gather_table_stats(USER, 'REG_TAB'); exec dbms_stats.gather_table_stats(USER, 'COMP_TAB');

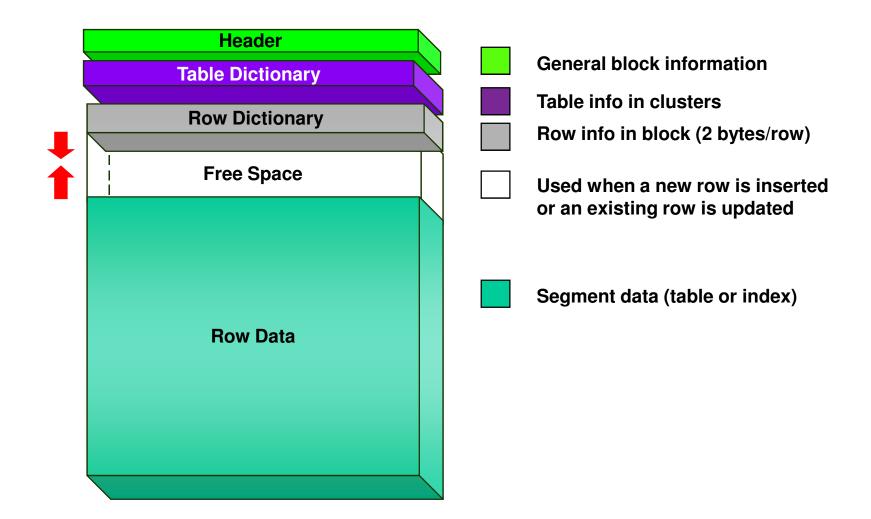
SELECT table_name, blocks
FROM user_tables
WHERE table_name LIKE '%TAB';

SELECT table_name, blocks FROM user_tables WHERE table_name LIKE '%TAB';

TABLE_NAME	BLOCKS
REG_TAB	109
COMP_TAB	20

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Database Block Anatomy



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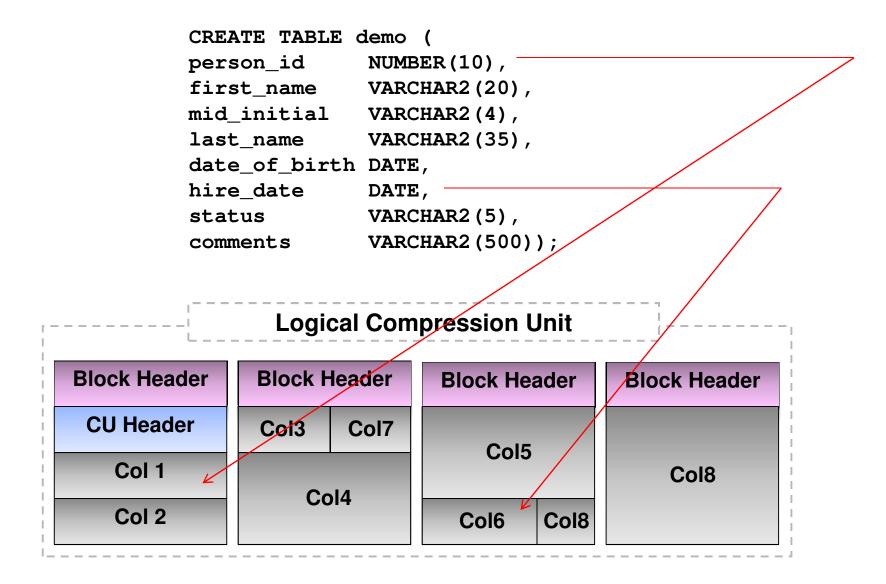
Logical Compression Unit

- Tables are organized into Compression Units (CU)
 - CU's are logical structure spanning multiple database blocks
 - Typically 32K (4 x 8K block size)
 - Data is organized by column during data load
 - Each column is compressed separately
 - Column organization brings similar values close together

Logical Compression Unit						
Block Header	Block Header	Block Header	Block Header			
CU Header	Col3 Col7	Calf				
Col 1	0.14	Col5	Col8			
Col 2	Col4	Col6 Col8				

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Logical Compression Unit



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Business as Usual

- Fully supported with...
 - B-Tree, Bitmap Indexes, Text indexes
 - Materialized Views
 - Exadata Server and Cells
 - Partitioning
 - Parallel Query, PDML, PDDL
 - Schema Evolution support, online, metadata-only add/drop columns
 - Data Guard Physical Standby Support
- Will be supported in a future release
 - Logical Standby
 - Streams

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HCC: Things to Consider ...

- When a row is updated
 - It is automatically migrated to OLTP Table Compression
 - Table size will increase moderately
 - All rows in the compression unit are locked
- When tables are queried
 - Table scans are faster due to less I/O
 - Index lookups are usually slower
 - Need to decompress the compression unit to read entire row

HCC's Performance Characteristics

	GB/s Physical	4 GFC HBAs	EHCC Reinflated Data Flow (GB/s)	Required Cores for "Primary Processing	
Generic System *	4	10	40	6.8	
Database Machine	21 (disk) 50 (flash)	N/A N/A	210 500	35.7 85	

- Division of work: Sun Oracle Database Machine has 112 processor cores for decompression and filtration
- A hypothetical equivalent non-Exadata system would need on the order of 10 cluster nodes just for decompression and filtration if provisioned 21 GB/s I/O

* Hypothetical as HCC is an Exadata Feature

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Compression Advisor

- DBMS_COMPRESSION built-in package
 - GET_COMPRESSION_RATIO Returns the possible compression ratio for an uncompressed table or materialized view and estimates achievable compression
 - GET_COMPRESSION_TYPE Inspects data and reports what compression type is in use by row
- Enterprise Manager Segment Advisor
 - Estimates OLTP Table Compression automatically
 - Advises tables that will benefit from OLTP Compression

GET_COMPRESSION_RATIO

CREATE TABLE comp_test1 AS SELECT * FROM dba_objects;

set serveroutput on

DECLARE

1

blkcnt_comp	<pre>> PLS_INTEGER;</pre>				
blkcnt_uncm	n PLS_INTEGER;				
row_comp	PLS_INTEGER;				
row_uncm	PLS_INTEGER;				
comp_ratio	PLS_INTEGER;				
comp_type	VARCHAR2(30);	tobleeneee	011110.014		lion
BEGIN		tablespace	owner	table name parti	lion
dbms_compre	ession.get_compression_r	atio('UWDATA',	'UWCLASS',	'COMP_TEST1', NU	ЛLL,
dbms_compre	ession.comp_for_oltp, bl	kcnt_cmp, blkcm	t_uncmp, ro	ow_comp, row_uncm	۱,
comp_ratio,	comp_type);				
dbms_output	.put_line('Block Count	Compressed: '	TO_CHAN	R(blkcnt_comp));	
dbms_output	.put_line('Block Count	UnCompressed: '	TO_CHAN	R(blkcnt_uncm));	
dbms_output		mpressed: '	TO_CHAN	R(row_comp));	
_				—	

dbms_output.put_line('Block Count Compressed:	•	TO_CHAR(blkcnt_comp));
dbms_output.put_line('Block Count UnCompressed:	'	TO_CHAR(blkcnt_uncm));
dbms_output.put_line('Row Count Compressed:	'	TO_CHAR(row_comp));
dbms_output.put_line('Row Count UnCompressed:	'	TO_CHAR(row_uncm));
dbms_output.put_line('Block Count Compressed:	'	TO_CHAR(comp_ratio));
dbms_output.put_line('Compression Type:	'	comp_type;
END;		

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GET_COMPRESSION_TYPE

```
CREATE TABLE comp_test2
COMPRESS FOR OLTP AS
SELECT * FROM dba_objects;
set serveroutput on
DECLARE
 rid ROWID;
 n
     NUMBER;
BEGIN
  SELECT MAX(rowid)
  INTO rid
  FROM comp_test2;
  n := dbms_compression.get_compression_type(USER, 'COMP_TEST2', rid);
  dbms_output.put_line(n);
                                              owner table name rowid
END;
1
```

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New in 11gR2 and you won't hear about from your Oracle rep

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What's Deprecated

ALTER USER AUTHENTICATED USING PASSWORD

- "has been deprecated for this release. If you use this clause, Oracle Database converts it to the AUTHENTICATION REQUIRED clause. If you do not specify the AUTHENTICATION REQUIRED clause, then Oracle Database uses either the AUTHENTICATED USING CERTIFICATE clause or the AUTHENTICATED USING DISTINGUISHED NAME clause."
- DB_EXTENDED Audit Syntax
 - Instead, use the DB, EXTENDED
- Listener Passwords
 - "This does not cause a loss of security because authentication is enforced through local operating system authentication."
- WKUSER Role and Ultra Search Schemas Deprecated
- DBCA no longer provides default security settings

Database Level Changes

- Structure changes in the ADR
- DataGuard Compressed Table Support for Logical Standby and LogMiner
- DataPump Legacy Mode
- ALTER SYSTEM SET cpu_count = 4;



Execute for Directory Objects

- In 10g we granted READ and/or WRITE
- But this also allowed executing the ORACLE_LOADER access driver
- Only a user that has been given EXECUTE access to the directory object is allowed to run programs in it

CREATE DIRECTORY stage on /home/oracle/stage GRANT read ON stage; GRANT write ON stage; GRANT execute ON stage;

Demo

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RAC Clusters

In-Memory Parallel Query

- Traditionally, parallel execution has access to large amounts of data by taking full advantage of the system's I/O capacity
- In an Oracle RAC environment, Oracle maps fragments of the object into each of the buffer caches on the active instances
- As clusters scale-out this new functionality optimizes large parallel operations by minimizing or eliminating physical I/O if parallel operation can be satisfied in memory

```
parallel_adaptive_multi_user=TRUE
parallel_automatic_tuning=FALSE
parallel_degree_limit=CPU
parallel_force_local=FALSE
PARALLEL_DEGREE_POLICY = {MANUAL | LIMITED | AUTO}
parallel_degree_limit=AUTO
```

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Automatic Block Repair

RMAN> BLOCKRECOVER DATAFILE 2 BLOCK 12,13 DATAFILE 3
BLOCK 5,98,99 DATAFILE 4 BLOCK 19;

RMAN> BACKUP VALIDATE DATABASE; RMAN> BLOCKRECOVER CORRUPTION LIST;

- New options for DUPLICATE DATABASE
 - DUPLICATE can be performed without connecting to a target database: Requires connecting to a catalog and auxiliary database.
- Enhanced Tablespace Point-In-Time-Recovery
 - Recover a dropped tablespace.
 - Can be repeated multiple times for the same tablespace
 - DBMS_TTS.TRANSPORT_SET_CHECK is run automatically

Storage

- Tablespaces
 - Enhancements to SecureFiles (learn about DBFS)
 - New Tablespace Master Rekey
- Indexes
 - Zero-size unusable indexes & index partitions
- Tables
 - Segment creation on demand (deferred segment creation)

New Analytic Functions

- LISTAGG
- NTH_VALUE
- RESPECT or IGNORE NULLS

```
SELECT department_id "Dept.",
LISTAGG(last_name, '; ') WITHIN GROUP (ORDER BY hire_date) "Employees"
FROM employees
GROUP BY department_id;
SELECT prod_id, channel_id, MIN(amount_sold),
NTH_VALUE(MIN(amount_sold), 2)
OVER (PARTITION BY prod_id ORDER BY channel_id ROWS
BETWEEN UNBOUNDED PRECEDING AND UNBOUNDED FOLLOWING) NV
FROM sales
WHERE prod_id BETWEEN 13 AND 16
GROUP BY prod_id, channel_id;
```

```
FIRST_VALUE(<expression> [<RESPECT | IGNORE> NULLS]) OVER (<analytic clause>)
```

ALTER DATABASE LINK

IGNORE_ROW_ON_DUPKEY_INDEX Hint

- To ignore collisions and insert the rows that do not collide with existing rows, put the hint in the INSERT statement
- Improved Flashback Archive allows more DDL
- DATABASE_ROLE constant for SYS_CONTEXT
 - PRIMARY
 - PHYSICAL STANDBY
 - LOGICAL STANDBY
 - SNAPSHOT STANDBY

```
SELECT sys_context('USERENV', 'DATABASE_ROLE') FROM dual;
```

Demo

Recursive Queries

- CONNECT BY
- Recursive Common Table Expressions (WITH)

```
WITH <alias> AS
  (subquery_sql_statement)
  SEARCH <BREADTH | DEPTH>
  FIRST BY <column_name> [ASC | DESC] [NULLS FIRST | NULLS LAST]
  SET <ordering_column>
  CYCLE (alias) SET <cycle_mark_alias>
  TO <cycle_value> DEFAULT <no_cycle_value>
SELECT <column_name_list>
FROM <alias_one>, <alias_two>
WHERE <join_condition>;
```

PL/SQL

New NO_DATA_NEEDED Predefined Exception

- ORA-06548: For parallel access and pipelined table functions The caller of a pipelined function does not need more rows to be produced by the pipelined function.
- Improved fine grained dependency tracking
- Warnings
 - Severe
 - 5018 omitted optional AUTHID clause
 - 5019 deprecated language element
 - 5020 parameter name must be identified
 - Informative
 - 6016 native code generation turned off (size/time)
 - 6017 operation will raise an exception
 - 6018 an infinity or NaN value computed or used
 - Performance
 - None

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Demo

Built-in Packages

- New Packages (26 in all)
 - DBMS_COMPRESSION
 - DBMS_CUBE_LOG
 - DBMS_PARALLEL_EXECUTE
- Packages with new Functions and Procedures (108)
 - DBMS_BACKUP_RESTORE
 - DBMS_CUBE
 - DBMS_LOB
 - DBMS_LOGSTDBY
 - DBMS_METADATA
 - DBMS_METADATA_UTIL
 - DBMS_NETWORK_ACL_ADMIN
 - DBMS_RESULT_CACHE
 - DBMS_SCHEDULER

HCC

Control logging of OLAP components

RAC

Restore blocks from Standby

Create CUBE Materialized View

Set Content Type for BLOBS + DBFS

DB IS LOGSTDBY & IS APPLY SERVER

Assign ACL to a Wallet

Delete Dependency

File Watcher

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Built-in Packages

Packages with new Functions and Procedures

- DBMS_SESSION
- DBMS_SPACE_ADMIN
- DBMS_SPM
- DBMS_SQLDIAG
- DBMS_SQLPA
- DBMS_SQLTUNE
- DBMS_STATS
- DBMS_STREAMS & STREAMS_ADM
- DBMS_UTILITY

- Get package memory utilization & EBR
- Segment Repair (NOT!)
- **Migrate Stored Outlines**
- **Dump Trace File**
- DBMS_SPA "Undocumented" <g>
- **REPORT_SQL_MONITOR** enhanced

WAIT_ON_PENDING_DML

- DBMS_WLM
- DBMS_WORKLOAD_CAPTURE & REPLAY
- DBMS_WORKLOAD_REPOSITORY GLOBAL_DIFF_REPORT
- DBMS_XPLAN

DIFF_PLAN procs

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Built-in Packages

- Packages with new Functions and Procedures
 - UTL_HTTP SET_AUTHENTICATION_FROM_WALLET
 - UTL_SMTP

- CLOSE CONNECTION
- And many have new overloads (39+)
- And new parameters (13+)
- And new types (1+)
- And new constants (4+)
- Adding new and enhanced functionality

New in Database 11.2 Summary



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ERROR at line 1:

ORA-00028: your session has been killed

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