CHAPTER 4
Conversion Functions and Conditional Expressions

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CHAPTER OUTCOMES

This chapter aimed to enable learners to be able to do the followings:

- Describe various types of conversion functions that are available in SQL
- Use the TO_CHAR, TO_NUMBER, and TO_DATE conversion functions
- Apply conditional expressions in a SELECT statement

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SUMMARY

This chapter has covered:

- Alter date formats for display using functions
- Convert column data types using functions
- Use NVL functions
- Use IF-THEN-ELSE logic and other conditional expressions in a SELECT statement

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