

PL/SQL - ARITHMETIC OPERATOR

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Following table shows all the arithmetic operators supported by PL/SQL. Assume variable A holds 10 and variable B holds 5, then:

Operator	Description	Example
+	Adds two operands	A + B will give 15
-	Subtracts second operand from the first	A - B will give 5
*	Multiplies both operands	A * B will give 50
/	Divides numerator by de-numerator	A / B will give 2
**	Exponentiation operator, raises one operand to the power of other	A ** B will give 100000

Example:

```
BEGIN
  dbms_output.put_line( 10 + 5);
  dbms_output.put_line( 10 - 5);
  dbms_output.put_line( 10 * 5);
  dbms_output.put_line( 10 / 5);
  dbms_output.put_line( 10 ** 5);
END;
/
```

When the above code is executed at SQL prompt, it produces the following result:

```
15
5
50
2
100000
```

PL/SQL procedure successfully completed.