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Hi ,

Happy Twosday! No matter how you see today's date (2022-02-22, 02/22/2022, 22/02/2022), it makes for a good water-cooler fact, don't you think?

Especially if you congregate at 2:22? 😊

While many of us aren't quite back to the office and exchanging fun facts yet, we **are** starting to look forward to some semblance of normal again. Kscope is back with its first in-person event in 2 years, and we're thrilled to be a part of it!

This week's edition

- **Blog post:** Insum at OTDUG Kscope22 - See you there?
- **Community news:** Things that caught our attention in the Oracle APEX community.
- **Awesome Quick SQL Tip** by Chris Saxon!
- **Upcoming shows:** See what's new this week on our Insum YouTube channel.

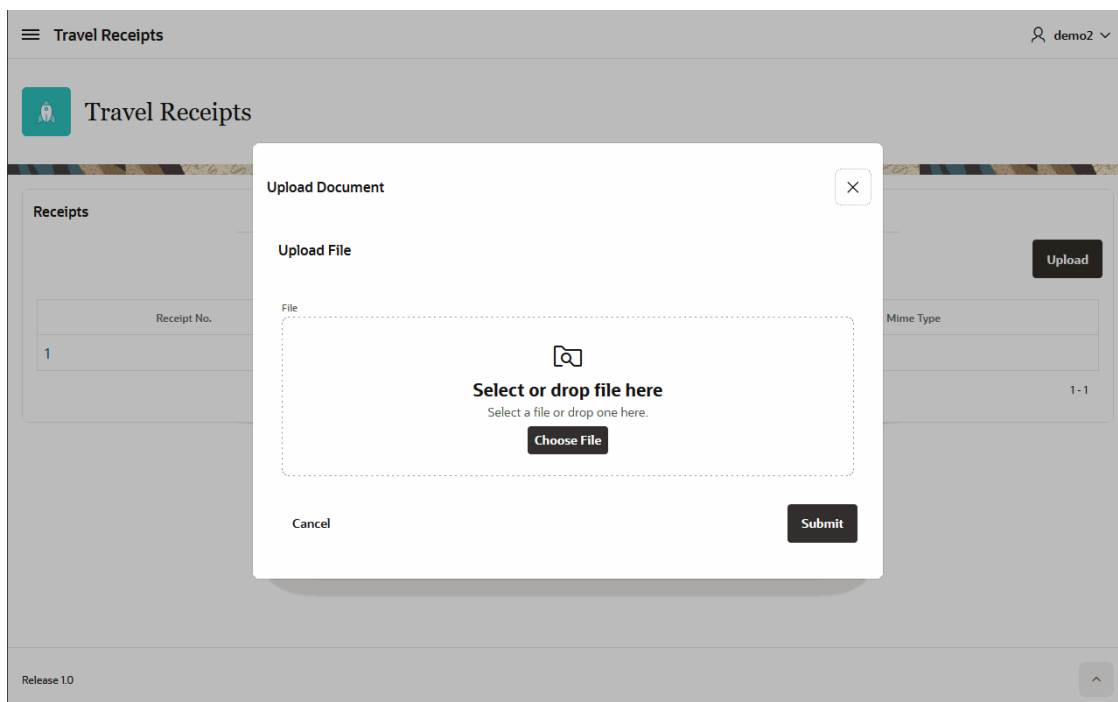
Blog

Five of us will be presenting in person at [Kscope22](#), ODTUG's premier Oracle developer event. Not only that, but we'll be sponsoring the APEX track too. [Here's a taste of what our delegation of presenters has in store for you if you attend.](#)



Oracle APEX Community News

- The latest interview in the Women in APEX #WIT series features [Andreea Munteanu](#). To learn more about Andreea and all the other awesome Women in APEX, [read the blog!](#)
- If you missed last week's **Office Hours** about Vanity URL Extensions for APEX and ORDS on Oracle Autonomous Database, [you can find the recording here.](#)
- Our very own Adrian Png apparently never sleeps and shared what happens when you put Oracle APEX and the recently launched [OCI AI Vision service](#) together and created a simple travel receipt management app. Check out the preview 🥰:



- 💡 [APEX App Creator Spotlight](#): In the latest edition of this great series, check out how HOMR acts as a workforce multiplier for datasets used to understand the trajectory of climate change with 🌟 APEX Rockstar Shelley McNeill.
 - Parli Italiano? ITOUG is holding its virtual event, TECH DAYS 2022, starting tomorrow, Feb. 23. <https://itoug.it/eventi/tech-days-2022/>
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Quick Tips 💡

We loved Chris Saxon's recent tip about using partitioned outer joins. Huh, you say?

This is useful, for example, to get a row for every product for every day in a period, including days each product had no sales.

We see this sort of use case a lot and have come up with less elegant solutions to solve them. Thanks, Chris! Check out his SUPER quick [how-to video here](#).

On the Insum YouTube Channel

The [Insum YouTube channel](#) features fresh content every week. Join live broadcasts to interact with our experts and get valuable tips!

Missed last week?

[Last Friday on APEX Instant Tips](#), Anton showed us some interesting things you can do with a function called apex_session.attach. His guest was none other than Hayden Hudson! We're not going to say Hayden will become a permanent fixture on the show, but we're pretty confident we can wrangle a few more guest appearances out of him in the coming weeks 😊.

Moved to Next week

Feuertips, initially scheduled for tomorrow, has been moved to [next Wednesday, Mar. 2](#). Steven will be talking about writing - and fixing bugs in - dynamic SQL.

Coming up this week:



Friday, Feb. 25
12:05 EST (UTC-5)

That's all for this week!

See you next Tuesday,

The Insum team

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