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# **EXPERIMENT - X**

## **TRIGGER AND EXCEPTION HANDLING**

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## **AIM**

To study PL/SQL trigger and exception handling.

## TRIGGER

Triggers are procedures that are stored in the database and implicitly run, or fired, when something happens.

### Syntax

```
TRIGGER <trigger name>  
BEFORE/AFTER/INSTEAD OF INSERT/DELETE/UPDATE  
OF <column name> ON <table name>  
FOR EACH ROW WHEN <condition>  
<pl/sql block with DECLARE-BEGIN-END constructs>
```

## **EXCEPTION**

Exceptions are used to handle run time errors in program.

### **Syntax**

BEGIN

<executable statements>

EXCEPTION

<exception handling>

END;

## QUESTIONS

Create a table customer\_details (cust\_id (unique) ,cust\_name, address). Create a table emp\_details(empid( unique), empname, salary). Create table cust\_count(count\_row).

Write PL/SQL programs for the following:

1. Create a trigger whenever a new record is inserted in the customer\_details table.

## SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION TRIG1()  
postgres-# RETURNS TRIGGER AS  
postgres-# $trigger1$  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# RAISE NOTICE 'A Row is Inserted';  
postgres$# RETURN NEW;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $trigger1$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=# CREATE TRIGGER trigger1  
postgres-# AFTER INSERT ON CUSTOMER_DETAILS  
postgres-# FOR EACH ROW  
postgres-# EXECUTE PROCEDURE TRIG1();  
CREATE TRIGGER  
postgres=#
```

**OUTPUT**

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM CUSTOMER_DETAILS;
 cust_id | cust_name | address
-----+-----+-----
(0 rows)

postgres=# INSERT INTO CUSTOMER_DETAILS
postgres=# VALUES(1,'John','Ezhaparambbil');
NOTICE:  A Row is Inserted
INSERT 0 1
postgres=# SELECT * FROM CUSTOMER_DETAILS;
 cust_id | cust_name |      address
-----+-----+-----
         1 | John      | Ezhaparambbil
(1 row)

postgres=# █
```

2. Create a trigger to display a message when a user enters a value > 20000 in the salary field of emp\_details table.

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION TRIG2()  
postgres-# RETURNS TRIGGER AS  
postgres-# $trigger2$  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# IF(NEW.SALARY>20000) THEN  
postgres$# RAISE NOTICE 'Employee has salary greater than 20000/-';  
postgres$# END IF;  
postgres$# RETURN NEW;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $trigger2$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=# CREATE TRIGGER trigger2  
postgres-# AFTER INSERT ON EMP_DETAILS  
postgres-# FOR EACH ROW  
postgres-# EXECUTE PROCEDURE TRIG2();  
CREATE TRIGGER  
postgres=# █
```

**OUTPUT**

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM EMP_DETAILS;
 empid | empname | salary
-----+-----+-----
(0 rows)

postgres=# INSERT INTO EMP_DETAILS
postgres=# VALUES(1,'John',25000);
NOTICE:  Employee has salary greater than 20000/-
INSERT 0 1
postgres=# SELECT * FROM EMP_DETAILS;
 empid | empname | salary
-----+-----+-----
      1 | John    |  25000
(1 row)

postgres=# █
```



3. Create a trigger w.r.t.customer\_detailstable. Increment the value of count\_row (in cust\_count table) whenever a new tuple is inserted and decrement the value of count\_row when a tuple is deleted. Initial value of the count\_row is set to 0.

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION TRIG3()  
postgres-# RETURNS TRIGGER AS  
postgres-# $trigger3$  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# IF (TG_OP = 'DELETE') THEN  
postgres$# UPDATE CUST_COUNT  
postgres$# SET COUNT_ROW=COUNT_ROW-1;  
postgres$# ELSE  
postgres$# UPDATE CUST_COUNT  
postgres$# SET COUNT_ROW=COUNT_ROW+1;  
postgres$# END IF;  
postgres$# RETURN NULL;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $trigger3$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=# CREATE TRIGGER trigger3  
postgres-# BEFORE INSERT OR DELETE ON CUSTOMER_DETAILS  
postgres-# FOR EACH ROW  
postgres-# EXECUTE PROCEDURE TRIG3();  
CREATE TRIGGER  
postgres=#
```

**OUTPUT**

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM CUST_COUNT;
 count_row
-----
          0
(1 row)

postgres=# INSERT INTO CUSTOMER_DETAILS
VALUES(1,'John','Ezhaparambbil');
INSERT 0 0
postgres=# INSERT INTO CUSTOMER_DETAILS
VALUES(2,'Pretty','Thenganachalil');
INSERT 0 0
postgres=# SELECT * FROM CUST_COUNT;
 count_row
-----
          2
(1 row)

postgres=# DELETE FROM CUSTOMER_DETAILS
postgres=# WHERE CUST_ID=1;
DELETE 0
postgres=# SELECT * FROM CUST_COUNT;
 count_row
-----
          1
(1 row)

postgres=# █
```

4. Create a trigger to insert the deleted rows from emp\_details to another table and updated rows to another table. (Create the tables deleted and updated)

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION TRIG4()  
postgres-# RETURNS TRIGGER AS  
postgres-# $trigger4$  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# IF (TG_OP = 'DELETE') THEN  
postgres$# INSERT INTO DELETED  
postgres$# VALUES(OLD.EMPID,OLD.EMPNAME,OLD.SALARY);  
postgres$# ELSE  
postgres$# INSERT INTO UPDATED  
postgres$# VALUES(NEW.EMPID,NEW.EMPNAME,NEW.SALARY);  
postgres$# END IF;  
postgres$# RETURN NULL;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $trigger4$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=# CREATE TRIGGER trigger4  
postgres-# BEFORE DELETE OR UPDATE ON EMP_DETAILS  
postgres-# FOR EACH ROW  
postgres-# EXECUTE PROCEDURE TRIG4();  
CREATE TRIGGER  
postgres=#
```

**OUTPUT**

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM EMP_DETAILS;
 empid | empname | salary
-----+-----+-----
      1 | John    | 25000
      4 | John    |  2000
(2 rows)

postgres=# UPDATE EMP_DETAILS
postgres=# SET SALARY=SALARY+20000
postgres=# WHERE EMPID=4;
UPDATE 0
postgres=# SELECT * FROM UPDATED;
 empid | empname | salary
-----+-----+-----
      4 | John    | 22000
(1 row)

postgres=# DELETE FROM EMP_DETAILS
postgres=# WHERE EMPID=1;
DELETE 0
postgres=# SELECT * FROM DELETED;
 empid | empname | salary
-----+-----+-----
      1 | John    | 25000
(1 row)

postgres=#
```

5. Write a PL/SQL to show divide by zero exception

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION DIVIDE(A INT,B INT)
postgres-# RETURNS NUMERIC AS
postgres-# $$
postgres$# BEGIN
postgres$# IF (b=0) THEN
postgres$# RAISE EXCEPTION 'Enter another divisor';
postgres$# ELSE
postgres$# RETURN a/b;
postgres$# END IF;
postgres$# END;
postgres$# $$
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;
CREATE FUNCTION
postgres=#
```

### OUTPUT

```
postgres=# SELECT DIVIDE(9,3);
 divide
-----
      3
(1 row)

postgres=# SELECT DIVIDE(9,0);
ERROR:  Enter another divisor
```

6. Write a PL/SQL to show no data found exception

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION FINDDATA()  
postgres-# RETURNS INT AS  
postgres-# $$  
postgres$# DECLARE  
postgres$# temp CURSOR FOR SELECT * FROM DETAILS;  
postgres$# tempvar RECORD;  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# OPEN temp;  
postgres$# LOOP  
postgres$# FETCH temp INTO tempvar;  
postgres$# IF NOT FOUND THEN  
postgres$# RAISE EXCEPTION 'Data Not Found';  
postgres$# ELSE  
postgres$# RETURN tempvar.id;  
postgres$# END IF;  
postgres$# END LOOP;  
postgres$# CLOSE temp;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=#
```

## OUTPUT

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM DETAILS;
 id | name
----+-----
(0 rows)

postgres=# SELECT FINDDATA();
ERROR:  Data Not Found
CONTEXT:  PL/pgSQL function finddata() line 10 at RAISE
postgres=# INSERT INTO DETAILS VALUES(1,'Hello');
INSERT 0 1
postgres=# SELECT FINDDATA();
 finddata
-----
          1
(1 row)

postgres=# █
```

7. Create a table with ebill(cname,prevreading,currreading). If prevreading = currreading then raise an exception 'Data Entry Error'.

### SOURCE CODE

```
postgres=# CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION TRIG7()  
postgres-# RETURNS TRIGGER AS  
postgres-# $trigger7$  
postgres$# BEGIN  
postgres$# IF (NEW.PREVREADING=NEW.CURRREADING) THEN  
postgres$# RAISE EXCEPTION 'Data Entry Error';  
postgres$# ELSE  
postgres$# RETURN NEW;  
postgres$# END IF;  
postgres$# END;  
postgres$# $trigger7$  
postgres-# LANGUAGE PLPGSQL;  
CREATE FUNCTION  
postgres=# CREATE TRIGGER trigger7  
postgres-# BEFORE INSERT ON EBILL  
postgres-# FOR EACH ROW  
postgres-# EXECUTE PROCEDURE TRIG7();  
CREATE TRIGGER  
postgres=#
```



**OUTPUT**

```
postgres=# SELECT * FROM EBILL;
  cname | prevreading | currreading
-----+-----+-----
(0 rows)

postgres=# INSERT INTO EBILL
postgres-# VALUES('Melvy',4,4);
ERROR:  Data Entry Error
CONTEXT:  PL/pgSQL function trig7() line 4 at RAISE
postgres=# INSERT INTO EBILL
postgres-# VALUES('Melvy',7,8);
INSERT 0 1
postgres=# SELECT * FROM EBILL;
  cname | prevreading | currreading
-----+-----+-----
 Melvy |           7 |           8
(1 row)

postgres=#
```

## **RESULT**

The PL/SQL program was executed successfully and the output was obtained.