

ANSWERS:

Q1. Write an SQL query:

[2 Marks]

An 'important' course is defined as the one which consists of more than 2 units and has capacity more than or equal to 100. Find all the 'important' ECONOMICS courses, that is, those that have the term 'ECONOMICS' in it. Your table should contain course code and name of the respective course in this order.

```
SELECT CODE, NAME, UNITS, CAPACITY FROM COURSES WHERE (UNITS>2) AND  
(CAPACITY>=100) AND (NAME LIKE '%ECONOMICS%') ;
```

Q2. Write two SQL statements:

[2 Marks]

Create a new table named 'STUDENTS_CHANGED' having all the fields same as STUDENTS table except for the id field. The new table has the ids suffixed with a '0'. You can make use of CONVERT() function. Its format is described below –

CONVERT(NUMERIC, string_name) converts string_name to Numeric format.

Similarly, CONVERT(VARCHAR, number) changes 'number' to VARCHAR.

Note that the STUDENTS_CHANGED table should have the same order of columns as in STUDENTS table.

```
SELECT * INTO STUDENTS_CHANGED FROM STUDENTS;  
UPDATE STUDENTS_CHANGED  
SET ID= CONVERT(NUMERIC, CONVERT(VARCHAR, ID)+'0') ;
```

Q3. Write a single SQL query:

[3 Marks]

Find the highest CGPA among the students belonging to **each course** and studying under **each lecturer** and born or after the first of January 1998. Sort the result in descending order of CGPA.

The resulting query should have course code, lecturer ID and highest CGPA columns in this order.

```
SELECT CODE, LECTID, MAX(CGPA) AS MAX_CG  
FROM ENROLLEDIN T1, STUDENTS T2  
WHERE (T2.ID=T1.STUDID AND (DATEDIFF( DAY, 1998-01-01,T2.DOB)>=0))  
GROUP BY CODE, LECTID  
ORDER BY MAX_CG DESC;
```

Q4. Write a single SQL query:

[5 Marks]

Make the “merit list” - fetch all the details of the top 10 students with high CGPA. You can assume that all students have distinct CGPAs.

```
SELECT * FROM STUDENTS S1  
WHERE (SELECT COUNT( CGPA ) FROM STUDENTS S2 WHERE S2.CGPA>S1.CGPA) <  
10  
ORDER BY CGPA DESC;
```

Q5. Write a single SQL query: [4 Marks]

Find the course name and full name of the lecturer for all “multi-section” courses. A multi-section course is defined as a course lectured by two or more lecturers.

```
SELECT C.NAME, L.FIRSTNAME+' '+COALESCE(L.LASTNAME,'') AS 'FULL NAME'
FROM COURSES C, LECTUREDBY B, LECTURERS L
WHERE L.ID=B.ID AND C.CODE=B.CODE AND C.CODE IN
(SELECT CODE FROM LECTUREDBY GROUP BY CODE HAVING COUNT(ID)>1 );
```

Q6. Write a single SQL query: [4 Marks]

Find all the details of students who are enrolled in all the courses lectured by Professor Kamal Kapoor.

```
SELECT * FROM STUDENTS WHERE ID IN
    (SELECT E.STUDID FROM ENROLLEDIN E WHERE NOT EXISTS
        (SELECT CODE FROM LECTUREDBY WHERE ID IN
            (SELECT ID FROM LECTURERS WHERE FIRSTNAME+'
'+LASTNAME LIKE 'KAMAL KAPOOR')
        EXCEPT
        SELECT E1.CODE FROM ENROLLEDIN E1 WHERE E1.STUDID=E.STUDID
    )
);
```

Q7. Create a view: [2 Marks]

Create a view "teacher_lecture_prereq" which is a table that contains three tuple rows of the following information

- id of a teacher
- the code of a course he/she teaches
- the code of the prerequisite course needed for the above taught course.

```
CREATE VIEW TEACHER_LECTURE_PREREQ AS
SELECT LECTUREDBY.ID, COURSES.CODE, PREREQ.REQ
FROM COURSES INNER JOIN PREREQ ON COURSES.CODE = PREREQ.CODE
INNER JOIN LECTUREDBY ON COURSES.CODE=LECTUREDBY.CODE;
```

Q8. Design a trigger: [8 Marks]

Write a trigger that allows only certain kinds of updates (details are mentioned below) on the created view "teacher_lecture_prereq".

The following are the constraints that exist on the kinds of updates -

A) **Updating Course Code** - allow only if all occurrences of one single course are changed.

B) **Updating Prerequisites** - allow any number of occurrences to be changed.

No other kind of update is allowed. Please note that a single update statement can perform either B or A and not both. Make sure to account for wrong inputs that violate the consistency of the database. **Rollback in such situations.**

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CREATE TRIGGER TR_COURSES_UPDATE
ON TEACHER_LECTURE_PREREQ
INSTEAD OF UPDATE
AS
-- BEGIN TRANSACTION
BEGIN TRANSACTION TRANS;

-- CHECKPOINT IN CASE OF ERROR
SAVE TRANSACTION CHECK_1;

-- VARIABLES (INSERT)
DECLARE @INSERT_TEACHER_ID NUMERIC(9),@INSERT_COURSE_CODE
NUMERIC(9),@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE NUMERIC(9);

-- VARIABLES (DELETE)
DECLARE @DELETE_COURSE_CODE NUMERIC(9),@DELETE_TEACHER_ID
NUMERIC(9),@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE NUMERIC(9);

-- VARIABLES FOR COURSES.CODE AND PREREQ.REQ CHANGES
DECLARE @NAME VARCHAR(30);
DECLARE @UNITS NUMERIC(1);
DECLARE @CAPACITY NUMERIC(3);

-- INSERT_CURSOR
DECLARE INSERT_CURSOR CURSOR FOR SELECT * FROM INSERTED;
OPEN INSERT_CURSOR;
FETCH NEXT FROM INSERT_CURSOR INTO
@INSERT_TEACHER_ID,@INSERT_COURSE_CODE,@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE;

-- CHECK IF THE INSERT TABLE IS EMPTY
IF ( @@FETCH_STATUS != 0 ) BEGIN
    CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
    DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
    ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
    print('Inserted table is Empty.')
END

ELSE BEGIN
    -- DELETE_CURSOR
    DECLARE DELETE_CURSOR CURSOR FOR SELECT * FROM DELETED;
    OPEN DELETE_CURSOR;
    FETCH NEXT FROM DELETE_CURSOR INTO
    @DELETE_TEACHER_ID,@DELETE_COURSE_CODE,@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE;

    -- CHECK IF THE DELETE CURSOR IS EMPTY
    IF ( @@FETCH_STATUS != 0 ) BEGIN

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CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
print('Deleted table is Empty');
END

ELSE BEGIN

    -- CHECKING WHAT HAS CHANGED
    DECLARE @FLAG_TEACHER NUMERIC(1), @FLAG_COURSE
    NUMERIC(1), @FLAG_PREREQ NUMERIC(1);
    SET @FLAG_TEACHER = 0;
    SET @FLAG_COURSE = 0;
    SET @FLAG_PREREQ = 0;

    -- COUNTING HOW MANY THINGS HAVE CHANGED
    DECLARE @COUNT NUMERIC(3);
    SET @COUNT = 0;

    IF( @INSERT_TEACHER_ID != @DELETE_TEACHER_ID ) BEGIN
        SET @FLAG_TEACHER = 1;
        SET @COUNT = @COUNT + 1;
        print('Teacher ID changed');
    END

    IF( @INSERT_COURSE_CODE != @DELETE_COURSE_CODE ) BEGIN
        SET @FLAG_COURSE = 1;
        SET @COUNT = @COUNT + 1;
        print('Course code changed');
    END

    IF( @INSERT_PREREQ_CODE != @DELETE_PREREQ_CODE ) BEGIN
        SET @FLAG_PREREQ = 1;
        SET @COUNT = @COUNT + 1;
        print('Prereq changed');
    END

    IF ( (@COUNT > 1) OR (@FLAG_TEACHER = 1) ) BEGIN
        -- CLOSE AND DEALLOCATE ALL CURSORS AND ROLLBACK
        CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
        CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
        DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
        DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
        ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
        print('More than 1 variable changed, Rolling Back');
    END
END

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ELSE IF(
-- CHECK IF NEW CODE IS STILL A PART OF PREVIOUS
COURSES.CODE
(@FLAG_COURSE=1 AND (@INSERT_COURSE_CODE IN (SELECT CODE
FROM COURSES)))
OR
-- CHECK IF THE PREREQ COURSE CODE IS NOT A PART OF THE
COURSES.CODE
(@FLAG_PREREQ=1 AND (@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE NOT IN (SELECT
CODE FROM COURSES)))) BEGIN
-- CLOSE AND DEALLOCATE ALL CURSORS
CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
print('Primary Constraint or Foreign Key Constraint
Violated');
END

-- CHECK IF THE COURSE OF ONLY ONE CODE HAS BEEN UPDATED
ELSE IF( @FLAG_COURSE=1 AND (select count(*) from (select
distinct code from deleted) d1) != 1 )
BEGIN
-- CLOSE AND DEALLOCATE ALL CURSORS
CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
print('More than once course code trying to be
changed');
END

-- CHECK IF ALL THE OCCURRENCES OF THAT CODE ARE DELETED
ELSE IF( @FLAG_COURSE=1 AND (select count(*) from deleted)
!= (select count(*) from TEACHER_LECTURE_PREREQ where code
= (select distinct code from deleted)) )BEGIN
-- CLOSE AND DEALLOCATE ALL CURSORS
CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
ROLLBACK TRANSACTION CHECK_1;
print('All occurrences of the code not being
changed');
END

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ELSE BEGIN
    DECLARE @CHECK_FLAG NUMERIC(1);
    SET @CHECK_FLAG = 1;

    -- CASE 1
    IF( @FLAG_COURSE = 1) BEGIN
        -- MODIFY THE CODE FOR A COURSE
        SELECT @NAME = NAME FROM COURSES WHERE
        CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;
        SELECT @UNITS = UNITS FROM COURSES WHERE
        CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;
        SELECT @CAPACITY = CAPACITY FROM COURSES WHERE
        CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;

        -- INSERT NEW TUPLE
        INSERT INTO COURSES
        VALUES (@INSERT_COURSE_CODE, @NAME, @UNITS, @CAPACITY);

        --UPDATE THREE TABLES
        UPDATE LECTURED BY SET CODE=@INSERT_COURSE_CODE
        WHERE CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;
        UPDATE PREREQ SET CODE=@INSERT_COURSE_CODE
        WHERE CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;
        UPDATE PREREQ SET REQ=@INSERT_COURSE_CODE WHERE
        REQ=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE
        UPDATE ENROLLED IN SET CODE=@INSERT_COURSE_CODE
        WHERE CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;

        --DELETE OLD TUPLE
        DELETE FROM COURSES WHERE
        CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE;
    END

    -- CASE 2
    ELSE IF ( @FLAG_PREREQ = 1 ) BEGIN

        while @@FETCH_STATUS = 0 BEGIN

            -- CHECK FOR PRIMARY KEY CONSTRAINT
            if ( (select count(*) from (select * from
            PREREQ where code=@INSERT_COURSE_CODE and
            req=@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE)d12 ) != 0 ) begin
                print('No row changed')
                -- Delete that row
            end
        end
    end

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DELETE FROM PREREQ WHERE
CODE=@DELETE_COURSE_CODE AND
REQ=@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE;
-- FETCH NEXT
FETCH NEXT FROM INSERT_CURSOR INTO
@INSERT_TEACHER_ID,@INSERT_COURSE_CODE,
@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE;
FETCH NEXT FROM DELETE_CURSOR INTO
@DELETE_TEACHER_ID,@DELETE_COURSE_CODE,
@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE;
end
else begin
print('Row changed');
-- MODIFY THE PREREQ OF A COURSE CODE
CHANGE
UPDATE PREREQ SET REQ=
@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE WHERE CODE=
@INSERT_COURSE_CODE and req =
@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE;
-- FETCH NEXT
FETCH NEXT FROM INSERT_CURSOR INTO
@INSERT_TEACHER_ID,@INSERT_COURSE_CODE,
@INSERT_PREREQ_CODE;
FETCH NEXT FROM DELETE_CURSOR INTO
@DELETE_TEACHER_ID,@DELETE_COURSE_CODE,
@DELETE_PREREQ_CODE;
end
END
END
END
END

IF @CHECK_FLAG=1 BEGIN
-- CLOSE AND DEALLOCATE BOTH CURSORS
CLOSE INSERT_CURSOR;
CLOSE DELETE_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE INSERT_CURSOR;
DEALLOCATE DELETE_CURSOR;
END

-- COMMIT THE TRANSACTIONS
COMMIT TRANSACTION TRANS;

END
END
GO

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