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Aim: To write and execute SQL programs that allows enforcement of business rules with database triggers.

**Problem Statement:** Using the relation schemata established in Experiments - 02, 03, and 05, create and execute SQL programs that allow enforcement of business rules with database triggers.

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QUERY-01: Write SQL code to compile and execute a trigger - UPDATE\_CUST \_BALANCE\_ TRG that will update the BALANCE in the CUSTOMER table when a new LINE record is entered. (Assume that the sale is a credit sale.) The BALANCE in CUSTOMER is 0 when customer does not have any invoice to his credit. Test the trigger, using the following new LI NE record: 1006, 5, 'PP101', 10, 5.87.

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## CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER UPDATE\_CUST\_BALANCE\_TRG

AFTER INSERT ON LINE

FOR EACH ROW

**BEGIN** 

UPDATE CUSTOMER SET BALANCE = BALANCE + (:NEW.L\_UNITS \* :NEW.L\_PRICE);

END;

Trigger created.

SELECT \*

FROM LINE

WHERE INV\_NUM = 1006;

L_PRICE	L_UNITS	M P_COD	L_NUM	INV_NUM
6.99	3	1 MC001	1	1006
109.92	1	2 ЈВ012	2	1006
9.95	1	3 CH10X	3	1006
256.99	1	4 HC100	4	1006

FROM CUSTOMER

WHERE C\_CODE = 10014;

C_CODE	LNAME	FNAME	C_AREA	C_PHONE	BALANCE
10014	Johnson	Bill	615	2455533	0

**INSERT INTO LINE** 

VALUES (1006, 5, 'PP101', 10, 5.87);

1 row created.

SELECT \*

FROM CUSTOMER

WHERE C\_CODE = 10014;

C_CODE	LNAME	FNAME	C_AREA	C_PHONE	BALANCE
10014	Johnson	Bill	615	2455533	58.7

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QUERY-02: Write SQL code to compile and execute a trigger - SALARY \_CHANGE\_ TRG, which will monitor DML operations on SALARY attribute of EMPP table and will add a record in SALARY\_CHANGES table for each row affected by the DML statement. Test the trigger by performing following DML operations on EMPP.

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# CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER SALARY\_CHANGE\_TRG

AFTER INSERT OR DELETE OR UPDATE ON EMPP

FOR EACH ROW

**BEGIN** 

IF DELETING THEN

INSERT INTO SALARY\_CHANGES(OP\_TYPE,OLD\_SAL,EID)

VALUES ('DELETE',:OLD.SALARY,:OLD.EID);

DBMS\_OUTPUT.PUT\_LINE('THE DELETE ENTRY IS LOGGED

IN SALARY\_CHANGES TABLE');

ELSIF UPDATING('SALARY') THEN

INSERT INTO SALARY\_CHANGES(OP\_TYPE,OLD\_SAL,NEW\_SAL,EID)

VALUES ('UPDATE',:OLD.SALARY,:NEW.SALARY,:OLD.EID);

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DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('THE UPDATE ENTRY IS LOGGED
                                                    IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE');
             ELSE
                   INSERT INTO SALARY_CHANGES(OP_TYPE,NEW_SAL,EID)
                   VALUES ('INSERT',:NEW.SALARY,:NEW.EID);
                   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE('THE INSERT ENTRY IS LOGGED
                                                    IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE');
             END IF;
      END;
      /
Trigger created.
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM EMPP;
 COUNT(*)
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        18
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM SALARY_CHANGES;
 COUNT(*)
-----
         0
      INSERT INTO EMPP
      VALUES(7121, 'Melody Malvankar', SYSDATE, 'Asst. Professor', 80000);
THE INSERT ENTRY IS LOGGED IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE
1 row created.
      INSERT INTO EMPP
      VALUES(7122, 'Kalpak Gundappa', SYSDATE, 'Research Asst.', 45000);
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THE INSERT ENTRY IS LOGGED IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE
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1 row created.
      UPDATE EMPP
      SET SALARY = SALARY + 2500
      WHERE EID >= 7121;
THE UPDATE ENTRY IS LOGGED IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE
THE UPDATE ENTRY IS LOGGED IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE
2 rows updated.
      DELETE
      FROM EMPP
      WHERE EID = 7122;
THE DELETE ENTRY IS LOGGED IN SALARY_CHANGES TABLE
1 row deleted.
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM EMPP;
 COUNT(*)
        19
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM SALARY_CHANGES;
 COUNT(*)
-----
         5
      SELECT *
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FROM SALARY\_CHANGES ORDER BY OP\_TIME;

OP_TYPE	OP_DATE	OP_TIME	OLD_SAL	NEW_SAL	EID
INSERT	06-0CT-21	03:05:28		80000	7121
INSERT	06-0CT-21	03:07:15		45000	7122
UPDATE	06-0CT-21	03:09:31	80000	82500	7121
UPDATE	06-0CT-21	03:09:31	45000	47500	7122
DELETE	06-0CT-21	03:10:27	47500		7122

5 rows selected.

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QUERY-03: Write SQL code to compile and execute a trigger -UPDATE\_TOT\_SAL\_TRG, which will monitor DML operations on SALARY attribute of EMPP table and will keep EMP\_SALARY table updated with the current total salary of the employee. When a new employee record is added in EMPP, a record in EMP\_SALARY is also inserted with appropriate values. When employee salary is changed, the EMP\_SALARY records for affected employees are updated. When an employee is removed from EMPP, the corresponding record in EMP\_SALARY is not removed, but the STATUS filed is set to 'RETIRED'.

The TOT\_SAL is computed as - (SALARY+PERKS-PF\_Deductions )-IT\_Deductions. PERKS are 25% of SALARY and PF\_Deductions are fixed at 1200. The IT \_Deductions are 10% of the cumulative of (Salary, Perks) minus PF\_Deductions.

Before testing UPDATE\_TOT\_SAL\_TRG, disable the trigger - SALARY\_CHANGE\_TRG using the command... ALTER TRIGGER SALARY\_CHANGE\_ TRG DISABLE; (which may be enabled when required)

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CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER UPDATE_TOT_SAL_TRG

AFTER INSERT OR DELETE OR UPDATE ON EMPP

FOR EACH ROW

BEGIN

IF INSERTING THEN

INSERT INTO EMP_SALARY (EID,TOT_SAL)

VALUES (:NEW.EID,((:NEW.SALARY * 1.25 - 1200) * 0.90));

ELSIF UPDATING('SALARY') THEN

UPDATE EMP_SALARY

SET TOT_SAL = ((:NEW.SALARY * 1.25 - 1200) * 0.90)

WHERE EID = :OLD.EID;

ELSE

UPDATE EMP_SALARY

SET STATUS = 'RETIRED'
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WHERE EID = :OLD.EID;

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END IF;
      END;
      /
Trigger created.
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM EMPP;
 COUNT(*)
-----
       18
      SELECT COUNT(*)
      FROM EMP_SALARY;
 COUNT(*)
-----
       18
       INSERT INTO EMPP
       VALUES (7121, 'Melody Malvankar', SYSDATE, 'Asst. Professor', 80000);
1 row created.
       INSERT INTO EMPP
       VALUES (7122, 'Kalpak Gundappa', SYSDATE, 'Research Asst.', 45000);
1 row created.
       UPDATE EMPP
       SET SALARY = SALARY + 2500
      WHERE EID >= 7121;
2 rows updated.
       DELETE
       FROM EMPP
      WHERE EID = 7122;
1 row deleted.
```

# SELECT COUNT(\*) FROM EMP\_SALARY;

COUNT(\*)

SELECT COUNT(\*)

FROM EMPP;

COUNT(\*)

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SELECT \*

FROM EMP\_SALARY;

TOT_SAL	STATUS
167670	ON_ROLL
163732.5	ON_ROLL
165420	ON_ROLL
142245	ON_ROLL
142245	ON_ROLL
142245	ON_ROLL
133582.5	ON_ROLL
101295	ON_ROLL
96120	ON_ROLL
53145	ON_ROLL
49095	ON_ROLL
38970	ON_ROLL
35876.25	ON_ROLL
32670	ON_ROLL
32670	ON_ROLL
35145	ON_ROLL
27045	ON_ROLL
181170	ON_ROLL
91732.5	ON_ROLL
52357.5	RETIRED
	167670 163732.5 165420 142245 142245 142245 133582.5 101295 96120 53145 49095 38970 35876.25 32670 32670 35145 27045 181170 91732.5

20 rows selected.

## ALTER TRIGGER UPDATE\_TOT\_SAL\_TRG DISABLE;

Trigger altered.

\* Write SQL code to compile and execute a trigger -QUERY-04: LINE INS UPD QTY TRG that will automatically update the quantity on hand (QTY) for each product sold after a new LINE row is added. \* CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER LINE\_INS\_UPD\_QTY\_TRG AFTER INSERT ON LINE FOR EACH ROW DECLARE QT PRODUCT.QTY%TYPE; **BEGIN SELECT QTY INTO QT** FROM PRODUCT WHERE P\_CODE = :NEW.P\_CODE; IF QT >= :NEW.L UNITS THEN UPDATE PRODUCT SET QTY = QTY - :NEW.L\_UNITS WHERE P\_CODE = :NEW.P\_CODE; **ELSE** DBMS\_OUTPUT.PUT\_LINE('PRODUCT QUANTITY IS NOT AVAILABLE RIGHT NOW ... '); END IF; END; Trigger created. SELECT P\_CODE, DESCRIPT, QTY, P\_PRICE FROM PRODUCT WHERE P\_CODE='RF100'; P\_COD DESCRIPT QTY P\_PRICE ----RF100 Rat Tail File 43 4.99 SELECT INV\_NUM, L\_NUM, P\_CODE, L\_UNITS FROM LINE WHERE INV\_NUM = 1005;

INSERT INTO LINE VALUES (1005, 2, 'RF100', 20, 4.99);

1 row created.

SELECT INV\_NUM, L\_NUM, P\_CODE, L\_UNITS FROM LINE WHERE INV\_NUM = 1005;

L_UNITS	L_NUM P_COD	INV_NUM
12	1 PP101	1005
20	2 RF100	1005

SELECT P\_CODE, DESCRIPT, QTY, P\_PRICE FROM PRODUCT WHERE P\_CODE='RF100';

P_COD	DESCRIPT	QTY	P_PRICE
RF100	Rat Tail File	23	4.99

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QUERY-05: Write SQL code to compile and execute a statement level trigger - CHECK\_REORDER\_STATUS\_TRG that will keep check on REORDER flag in PRODUCT\_ T table (set to 1) when the product quantity on hand (QTY) falls below the minimum quantity (P\_MIN) in stock. You must ensure that if the P\_MIN is updated (such that QTY > P\_MIN) the REORDER flag should be toggled.

Now modify the trigger CHECK\_REORDER\_STATUS\_TRG to a row level trigger - CHECK\_REORDER\_STATUS\_TRG\_RL such that it also handles the updating to QTY values (i.e., while REORDER flag is 1, QTY is updated and QTY > P\_MIN).

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CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER CHECK\_REORDER\_STATUS\_TRG

AFTER UPDATE OF QTY, P\_MIN

ON PRODUCT\_T

**BEGIN** 

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SET REORDER = 1
           WHERE QTY <= P_MIN;
           UPDATE PRODUCT_T
           SET REORDER = 0
           WHERE QTY > P_MIN;
     END;
     /
Trigger created.
     ALTER TRIGGER CHECK_REORDER_STATUS_TRG ENABLE;
Trigger altered.
     SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
     FROM PRODUCT_T
     WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
JB008 6 5
     UPDATE PRODUCT_T
     SET QTY = QTY - 2
     WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
1 row updated.
     SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
     FROM PRODUCT_T
     WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
JB008 4 5 1
     UPDATE PRODUCT_T
     SET QTY = QTY + 1
     WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
```

UPDATE PRODUCT\_T

```
1 row updated.
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SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
    FROM PRODUCT_T
    WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
-----
JB008 5 5 1
    UPDATE PRODUCT_T
    SET QTY = QTY + 1
    WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
1 row updated.
    SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
    FROM PRODUCT_T
    WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
-----
JB008 6 5 0
    UPDATE PRODUCT_T
    SET P_MIN = P_MIN + 2
    WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
1 row updated.
    SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
    FROM PRODUCT_T
    WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
JB008 6 7 1
    UPDATE PRODUCT_T
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SET  $P_MIN = P_MIN - 1$ , QTY = QTY + 2

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WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
1 row updated.
     SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
      FROM PRODUCT_T
     WHERE P_CODE = 'JB008';
P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
-----
JB008 8 6 0
     ALTER TRIGGER CHECK_REORDER_STATUS_TRG DISABLE;
Trigger altered.
      CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER CHECK_REORDER_STATUS_TRG_RL
           BEFORE UPDATE OF QTY, P_MIN
           ON PRODUCT_T
           FOR EACH ROW
      BEGIN
           IF :NEW.QTY <= :NEW.P_MIN THEN</pre>
                 :NEW.REORDER := 1;
           ELSE
                 :NEW.REORDER := 0;
           END IF;
      END;
      /
Trigger created.
     ALTER TRIGGER CHECK_REORDER_STATUS_TRG_RL ENABLE;
Trigger altered.
     SELECT P_CODE, QTY, P_MIN, REORDER
      FROM PRODUCT_T
     WHERE P_CODE = 'SH100';
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P_COD QTY P_MIN REORDER
----- SH100 8 5 0
```

UPDATE PRODUCT\_T
SET QTY = QTY - 3
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

1 row updated.

SELECT P\_CODE, QTY, P\_MIN, REORDER
FROM PRODUCT\_T
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

UPDATE PRODUCT\_T
SET QTY = QTY + 1
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

1 row updated.

SELECT P\_CODE, QTY, P\_MIN, REORDER
FROM PRODUCT\_T
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

UPDATE PRODUCT\_T
SET P\_MIN = P\_MIN + 3
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

1 row updated.

SELECT P\_CODE, QTY, P\_MIN, REORDER FROM PRODUCT\_T

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WHERE P_CODE = 'SH100';
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UPDATE PRODUCT\_T
SET P\_MIN = P\_MIN - 2
WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

1 row updated.

SELECT P\_CODE, QTY, P\_MIN, REORDER FROM PRODUCT\_T WHERE P\_CODE = 'SH100';

P_COD	QTY	P_MIN	REORDER
SH100	6	6	1

ALTER TRIGGER CHECK\_REORDER\_STATUS\_TRG\_RL DISABLE;

Trigger altered.

#### Conclusion:

In this lab, we learned about oracle triggers with their syntaxes. We got to know the working of triggers and we also discussed a few examples to broaden our knowledge on different types of triggers that can be used/are used in the industry to solve business problems. TRIGGERS are stored programmes that are automatically run by the Oracle engine when DML statements such as insert, update, and delete are executed on the table or when certain events occur. The code that will be executed in the event of a trigger can be defined as needed. You can specify the event on which the trigger should be triggered as well as the timing of the execution. The goal of a trigger is to keep the information in the database as accurate as possible.

# Viva Questions:

1. Differentiate between a statement level trigger and row level trigger.

Row level triggers are executed once for each and every row in the transaction, whereas statement level triggers are executed once for each and every transaction.

Row level triggers are used only for data auditing, whereas statement level triggers are used to enforce all extra security on the table's transactions.

The "FOR EACH ROW" phrase is present in the CREATE TRIGGER command of a row level trigger, but it is not in the CREATE TRIGGER command of a statement level trigger.

If 1500 rows are to be added into a table, the row level trigger will be triggered 1500 times, while The statement level trigger would only be executed once if 1500 rows were to be added into a table.

#### 2. How many different types of triggers a table can have? List them all

Triggers are categorised into three types:

- •Level Triggers
- Event Triggers
- •Timing Triggers

which are further divided into different parts.

• Level Triggers

Level triggers are classified into two types:

- ROW LEVEL TRIGGERS: It fires for each record that was impacted by DML statements like as INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE, and so on. A FOR EACH ROW clause is always used in a triggering statement.
- STATEMENT LEVEL TRIGGERS: It fires once for each executed statement.
- Event Triggers

Event triggers are classified into three types:

- ➤ DDL EVENT TRIGGER: It is triggered when a DDL statement is executed (CREATE, ALTER, DROP, TRUNCATE).
- ➤ DML EVENT TRIGGER: It is triggered when a DML statement is executed (INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE).
- > DATABASE EVENT TRIGGER
- ➤ It is triggered by the execution of any database action, such as LOGON, LOGOFF, SHUTDOWN, SERVERERROR, and so forth.
- Timing Triggers

Timing triggers are classified into two types:

- ➢ BEFORE TRIGGER: It fires before the DML statement is executed. Depending on the preceding condition block, the triggering statement may or may not be performed.
- > AFTER TRIGGER: It is triggered after the DML statement has been executed.
- INSTEAD OF TRIGGER: Describe how to perform insert, update, and delete operations against views that are too complex to support these operations natively. They allow applications to use a view as the sole interface for all SQL operations (insert, delete, update and select).

## 3. What are cascading triggers?

When a statement in a trigger body causes another trigger to be fired, the triggers are said to be cascading triggers.

4. Why COMMIT and ROLLBACK cannot be used in triggers? Can a trigger call a stored function or procedures that perform COMMIT and a ROLLBACK?

A commit inside a trigger would defeat the basic definition of an atomic transaction. Trigger logic is an extension of the original DML operation. Changes made within triggers should thus be committed or rolled back as part of the transaction in which they execute. For this reason, triggers are NOT allowed to execute COMMIT or ROLLBACK statements (apart from autonomous triggers).

In partitioned database environments procedures cannot be invoked from triggers or SQL UDFs. On symmetric multi-processor (SMP) machines, procedure calls from triggers are executed on a single processor. A procedure that is to be called from a trigger must not contain a COMMIT statement or a ROLLBACK statement that attempts to roll back the unit of work. The ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT statement is supported within the procedure however the specified savepoint must be in the procedure. A rollback of a CALL statement from within a trigger will not roll back any external actions effected by the procedures, such as writing to the file system. The procedure must not modify any federated table. This means that the procedure must not contain a searched UPDATE of a nickname, a searched DELETE from a nickname or an INSERT to a nickname. Result sets specified for the procedure will not be accessible from inline SQL PL statements. If a cursor defined as WITH RETURN TO CLIENT is opened during the execution of a compiled trigger, result sets from the cursor will be discarded.

5. Is it possible to create a trigger that will fire when a row is read during a query?

Yes, it is possible to create a trigger that will fire when a row is read during a query. Such types of triggers are called row level triggers.