CS1555 / CS2550 Recitation 11

Objective: To practice Evaluation Modes, Transactions, Procedures and Functions

PART 0: Review of HW6 Questions

- 1.d) For each year, list the most read message ID(s).
- 2.d) Write a trigger called **CreateConversation** that will create an new conversation entry whenever a message is added with a conversation ID that does not yet exist.

PART 1: Constraint Evaluation Modes and Transactions

DEFERRED: withheld for or until a stated time (COMMIT)

- a) Not Deferrable (default): every time a database modification statement is executed, the constraints are checked.
- b) <u>Deferrable Initially Immediate</u>: every time a database modification statement is executed, the constraints are checked IMMEDIATE. BUT, the constraints can be deferred <u>on demand</u>, when needed
- c) <u>Deferrable Initially Deferred</u>: the constraints are check just BEFORE each transaction commits.
- 1. Use the create statement with the deferred statement mentioned below
- → NotDef (ssn number) with **Not Deferrable** constrain for the primary key.
- → DefImm (ssn number) with **Deferrable Initially Immediate** setting for the primary key constraint.
- → DefDef (ssn number) with **Deferrable Initially Deferred** setting for primary key constraint.
- 2. For each table created above, run the SQL statements and mention if and when you encounter an error.
- a) insert value 1234
- b) insert value 1234
- c) commit;
- 3. Run: < set constraint *constraint_name* deferred > for the constraint set in table DefImm; Run the previous insert again. Do you see any difference?
- 4. For each table created above, run the SQL statements and show the table content after the inserts.
- a) set constraints all deferred
- b) insert value 1235
- c) insert value 1235
- d) commit;

PART 2: Procedures and Functions

Before we start:

- Copy and run the file creating the Bank Accounts database using: host cp ~panos/1555/recitation/bankdb.sql bankdb.sql @bankdb
- 1. Create a stored procedure **transfer_fund** that, given a from_account, a to_account, and an amount, transfer the specified amount from from_account to to_account if the balance of the from_account is sufficient.
- 2. Call the stored procedure to transfer \$100 from account 124 to 123.
- 3. Create a function **compute_balance** that, given a specific ssn, calculate the total balance of the customer (the sum of total account balances less the loan amounts)
- 4. Use the function created, write a query to print the list of customers together with their total balance.