

Triggers:

- The keyword **BEFORE** indicates the trigger action time. In this case, the trigger activates before each row is inserted into the table. The other permitted keyword here is **AFTER**.
- The keyword **INSERT** indicates the trigger event; that is, the type of operation that activates the trigger. In the example, **INSERT** operations cause trigger activation. You can also create triggers for **DELETE** and **UPDATE** operations.
- If a **BEFORE** trigger fails, the operation on the corresponding row is not performed.
- A **BEFORE** trigger is activated by the *attempt* to insert or modify the row, regardless of whether the attempt subsequently succeeds.
- An **AFTER** trigger is executed only if any **BEFORE** triggers and the row operation executes successfully.
- An error during either a **BEFORE** or **AFTER** trigger results in failure of the entire statement that caused trigger invocation.
- For transactional tables, failure of a statement should cause rollback of all changes performed by the statement. Failure of a trigger causes the statement to fail, so trigger failure also causes rollback. For non-transactional tables, such rollback cannot be done, so although the statement fails, any changes performed prior to the point of the error remain in effect
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Customer table:

```
create table customerTrigger (id int primary key,firstName varchar(20),lastName  
varchar(20), email varchar(100),billingCity varchar(100),shippingCity varchar(100));
```

Before Insert:

Create trigger beforeInsert before insert on customerTrigger
for each row

```
set new.shippingCity = new.billingCity ;
```

Before delete:

- BEFORE DELETE triggers are fired automatically before a delete event occurs in a table
- You can access the OLD row but cannot update it.
- There is no NEW row in the BEFORE DELETE trigger.
- If you have multiple statements in the trigger_body, you need to use the BEGIN END block to wrap these statements and temporarily change the default delimiter.

```
create table deletedCustomer (id int primary key,firstName varchar(20),lastName  
varchar(20), email varchar(100), billingCity varchar(100),shippingCity varchar(100),  
deletedAt timestamp default now());
```

```
create trigger before_delete_customer  
before delete  
on customer for each row  
insert into deletedCustomer(id, firstName, lastName, email, billingCity, shippingCity)  
values(old.id, old.firstName, old.lastName, old.email, old.billingCity, old.shippingCity);
```

```
delete from customer where id = 1;  
select * from deletedCustomer;
```

After delete:

- AFTER DELETE triggers are automatically invoked after a delete event occurs on the table.
- You can access the OLD row but cannot change it.
- There is no NEW row in the AFTER DELETE trigger.

create table shippingCities (city varchar(20));

*insert into shippingCities(city)
select shippingCity from customer;*

*select * from shippingCities;*

*create trigger after_delete_customer
after delete
on customer for each row
delete from shippingCities where city = old.shippingCity;*

BEFORE UPDATE AND AFTER UPDATE:

- BEFORE UPDATE Trigger in MySQL is invoked automatically whenever an update operation is fired on the table associated with the trigger.
- SYNTAX is **CREATE TRIGGER** trigger_name
BEFORE **UPDATE**
ON table_name **FOR** EACH ROW
trigger_body ;
- We cannot update the OLD values in a BEFORE UPDATE trigger. We cannot create a BEFORE UPDATE trigger on a VIEW.

Example :

```
CREATE DEFINER=`root`@`localhost` TRIGGER `customertrigger_BEFORE_UPDATE` BEFORE  
UPDATE ON `customertrigger` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
```

```
DECLARE error_msg VARCHAR(200);
```

```
SET error_msg = ('Shipping city cannot be delhi');
```

```
IF new.shippingCity = 'delhi' THEN
```

```
SIGNAL SQLSTATE '45000'
```

```
SET MESSAGE_TEXT = error_msg;
```

```
END IF;
```

```
END
```

In Query:

update customerTrigger set shippingcity = 'delhi' where id = 2;

Output:

| | |
|--|---|
| 14 11:08:34 update customerTrigger set shippingcity = 'delhi' where id = 2 | Error Code: 1644. Shipping city cannot be delhi |
|--|---|

AFTER UPDATE:

- The AFTER UPDATE trigger in MySQL is invoked automatically whenever an UPDATE event is fired on the table associated with the triggers.

Syntax:

CREATE TRIGGER trigger_name

AFTER UPDATE

ON table_name **FOR** EACH ROW
trigger_body ;

- We can access the OLD rows but cannot update them. We can access the NEW rows but cannot update them. We cannot create an AFTER UPDATE trigger on a **VIEW**.

Example:

```
CREATE DEFINER=`root`@`localhost` TRIGGER `customertrigger_AFTER_UPDATE` AFTER UPDATE
ON `customertrigger` FOR EACH ROW

BEGIN
INSERT into customerDetails VALUES (user(),
CONCAT('Update customer Record : ', OLD.firstname, ',billing city :',
OLD.billingcity, ' SHipping City : ', NEW.shippingcity));
END
```

In Query:

```
create table customerdetails(user varchar(200), details varchar(200));  
update customerTrigger set shippingcity = 'jammu' where id = 2;  
update customerTrigger set shippingcity = 'Kashmir' where id = 2;  
Select * from customerdetails;
```

Output:

| | user | details |
|---|----------------|---|
| ► | root@localhost | Update customer Record Meghna billing city :dehradun Shipping City : jammu |
| | root@localhost | Updated customer Record :Meghna, Billing city :dehradun Shipping City : kashmir |

Cursor:

```
CREATE DEFINER=`root`@`localhost` PROCEDURE `getEmpNamesStartingWith`(in c varchar(1))  
BEGIN  
    declare finished int default 0;  
    declare name varchar(255);  
    declare allNames varchar(10000) default "";  
    declare name_cursor  
    cursor for  
    select empName from employees where empName like concat(c,'%');  
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER  
        FOR NOT FOUND SET finished = 1;  
    open name_cursor;  
    getNames: LOOP  
        fetch name_cursor into name;  
        if finished = 1 then  
            leave getNames;
```

```
        end if;
    set allNames = concat(name," ",allNames);
    end LOOP;
if allNames = "" then
    select "No names found" as result;
else
    select allNames as result;
end if;
END
```