



# DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

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## WORKSHEET 7

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### **1. AIM:**

#### **i) Triggers: Student Data Change Monitoring (Medium)**

EduSmart Institute wants to monitor all insertions and deletions in the student database.

Whenever a new student record is inserted or deleted from the student table, the details of that record should be displayed on the PostgreSQL console window.

#### **Objective:**

Design a PostgreSQL trigger that:

1. Prints the complete details of the inserted or deleted student record using RAISE NOTICE.
2. Activates automatically after every INSERT or DELETE operation on the student table.

#### **ii) Triggers: Employee Activity Logging (Hard)**

TechSphere Solutions wants to maintain an automatic audit trail for all employee additions and deletions in the company database.

Whenever a new employee is added or removed from the tbl\_employee table, an entry should be recorded in the tbl\_employee\_audit table for tracking purposes.

#### **Objective:**

Design a PostgreSQL trigger that:

1. Inserts a message in tbl\_employee\_audit whenever a new employee is added or deleted.
2. The message should include the employee's name and the current timestamp.
3. Activates automatically after every INSERT or DELETE operation on tbl\_employee.

### **2. Tools Used : Postgres**

#### **Solutions:**

**Q1)**

--CREATING A TABLE

```
CREATE TABLE student (
    id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    name VARCHAR(100),
    age INT,
    class VARCHAR(50)
);
```

--TRIGGER FUNCTION

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION fn_student_audit()
RETURNS TRIGGER
LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$ BE
GIN
IF TG_OP = 'INSERT' THEN
    RAISE NOTICE 'Inserted Row -> ID: %, Name: %, Age: %, Class: %',
        NEW.id, NEW.name, NEW.age, NEW.class;
    RETURN NEW;

ELSIF TG_OP = 'DELETE' THEN
    RAISE NOTICE 'Deleted Row -> ID: %, Name: %, Age: %, Class: %',
        OLD.id, OLD.name, OLD.age, OLD.class;
    RETURN OLD;
END IF;

RETURN NULL;
END;
$$;
```

--CREATING A TRIGGER

```
CREATE TRIGGER trg_student_audit
AFTER INSERT OR DELETE
ON student
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION fn_student_audit();
```

Q2)

```
CREATE TABLE tbl_employee
( emp_id SERIAL PRIMARY
KEY,
emp_name VARCHAR(100),
designation VARCHAR(50),
salary NUMERIC(10,2)
);
```

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CREATE TABLE tbl_employee_audit
( audit_id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  message TEXT,
  created_at TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
);

CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION audit_employee_changes()
RETURNS TRIGGER
LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$ BE
GIN
IF TG_OP = 'INSERT' THEN
  INSERT INTO tbl_employee_audit(message)
  VALUES ('Employee name '|| NEW.emp_name || ' has been added at '|| NOW());
  RETURN NEW;
ELSIF TG_OP = 'DELETE' THEN
  INSERT INTO tbl_employee_audit(message)
  VALUES ('Employee name '|| OLD.emp_name || ' has been deleted at '|| NOW());
  RETURN OLD;
END IF;

RETURN NULL;
END;
$$;

CREATE TRIGGER trg_employee_audit
AFTER INSERT OR DELETE
ON tbl_employee
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION audit_employee_changes();

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INSERT INTO tbl_employee (emp_name, designation, salary)
VALUES ('Supriya Dutta', 'Software Engineer', 55000);

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```

SELECT * FROM tbl_employee_audit;

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DELETE FROM tbl_employee WHERE emp_name = 'Supriya Dutta';

```

```

SELECT * FROM tbl_employee_audit;

```

### 3. Output:

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NOTICE: Inserted One -> SHC 1, Namec SuperType Letter, Age: 14, Class: C  
SHC#1: M 1

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```

32 USE [Adventureworks]
33 GO
34 TRUNCATE TABLE [hr].[EmployeeAudit]
35 GO
36
37
38 -- Insert a new row
39 INSERT INTO [hr].[Employee] ([EmployeeID], [BusinessEntityID], [Title], [TitleOfCourtesy], [FirstName], [LastName], [HireDate], [Address], [City], [Region], [PostalCode], [Country], [Phone], [Fax])
40 VALUES ('Reptyle Butts', 'Software Engineer', 'REPTILE', 'Reptile', 'Butts', 'Reptile', '2008-01-01', '123 Main St.', 'Redmond', 'WA', '98052', 'USA', '(425) 555-0001', '(425) 555-0002');
41
42 -- Select the new row
43 SELECT * FROM [hr].[EmployeeAudit];
44
45 -- Delete the row
46 DELETE FROM [hr].[Employee] WHERE EmployeeID = 'Reptile Butts';
47
48 -- Select the deleted row
49 SELECT * FROM [hr].[EmployeeAudit];

```

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Starting task 1

```
Quer LucyHistory
UN  DE_MHISTORY
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION auditc_replacedc_changes()

UN  DE_MHISTORY
VALUES ('Remya Binte', 'Software Engineer')

SELECT * FROM DE_MHISTORY_AUDIT;

DELETE FROM DE_MHISTORY WHERE CID = 100;

SELECT * FROM DE_MHISTORY_AUDIT;
```

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	MESSAGE	CREATED AT
1	Employee name Supriya Dutta has been added at 2025-10-21T12:30:42.986Z-04:00	2025-10-21T12:30:42.986Z
2	Employee name Supriya Dutta has been updated at 2025-10-21T12:30:42.986Z-04:00	2025-10-21T12:30:42.986Z

#### **4. Learning Outcomes:**

1. Understand the concept and purpose of database triggers in PostgreSQL.
2. Learn how to automate data tracking using AFTER INSERT and AFTER DELETE triggers.
3. Gain hands-on experience with trigger functions written in PL/pgSQL.
4. Develop the ability to implement audit logging for real-time database monitoring.
5. Enhance skills in maintaining data integrity and traceability in relational databases.