

# SHARMA G

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

**PostgreSQL Database Administrator** with 2.2 years of intensive production-level experience in database internals, **performance optimization, disaster recovery, and cloud deployments**. Expert in large-scale **database migrations, replication** strategies, and security compliance. Proven track record of leading complex Sybase-to-PostgreSQL migration involving 630+ database objects. Advanced capabilities in PostgreSQL **extension customization** at source code level and real-world **disaster recovery operations**. Specializes in **query tuning**, high availability setup, and **automation**.

## EDUCATION

**B.E in Electronics and Communication Engineering**  
Akshaya college of Engineering and Technology

July 2018 – June 2022

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### PostgreSQL Database Administrator

TBS Technologies Private Ltd, Tiruppur, Tamil Nadu, India

September 2023 – Present

#### Database Migration and Transformation

Led end-to-end Sybase to PostgreSQL migration project involving 630 tables and views, 533 functions, and 300 stored procedures in production environment. Partnered with application and development teams to design efficient schemas SQL performance during migration. Successfully migrated complex stored procedures and functions with zero data loss. Reduced database licensing costs while improving overall system performance.

#### Performance Optimization and Query Tuning

Performed SQL performance tuning and query optimization for complex functions and procedures handling lakhs of records. Reduced execution time from minutes to seconds through indexing strategies and query rewrites. Analyzed slow queries using EXPLAIN and EXPLAIN ANALYZE for performance improvements. Implemented indexing strategies to optimize database performance.

#### Database Internals and Extension Development

Customized pgaudit extension at DLL level migrating from Linux to Windows by replacing platform-specific keywords. Developed custom audit logging solution using pgaudit extension to monitor and track all database actions. Demonstrated advanced knowledge of PostgreSQL internals including source code modification. Compiled custom PostgreSQL extensions for security and compliance requirements.

#### Disaster Recovery and High Availability

Successfully performed database recovery from production disaster using PostgreSQL transaction logs to identify and reverse previous actions. Implemented logical replication using PostgreSQL Publication and Subscription methods to maintain live data synchronization across environments. Configured physical replication using JavaScript to Supabase ensuring data consistency and availability. Implemented data replication solutions on Google Cloud Platform for cloud-based PostgreSQL deployments. Designed and implemented backup strategies and disaster recovery procedures.

#### Database Administration and Maintenance

Installed, configured and maintained PostgreSQL databases across production and non-production environments. Managed and monitored cloud-based PostgreSQL deployments on Google Cloud Platform. Configured and maintained pgAgent for automated scheduled backups and routine database maintenance tasks. Ensured database security scalability performance through proactive monitoring.

#### Automation and Scripting

Developed Python-based automation tools to create executable packages for emergency database patch deployment to clients. Automated routine database maintenance tasks using Python and pgAgent. Created custom monitoring solutions and alert systems for proactive database management. Implemented automated backup and recovery procedures.

#### Security and Compliance

Developed custom audit logging solution using pgAudit extension for security and compliance. Created customized logs to monitor database actions for regulatory compliance. Implemented database security best practices including role management and access control. Ensured compliance with security audit requirements.

## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

Led large-scale database migration: Successfully migrated 630 tables/views, 533 functions, and 300 stored procedures from Sybase to PostgreSQL with zero downtime.

Performance optimization: Reduced query execution time from minutes to seconds on datasets with lakhs of records through advanced tuning techniques.

Advanced database internals: Modified pgAudit extension source code at DLL level for cross-platform compatibility demonstrating senior-level expertise.

**Cloud implementation:** Successfully implemented PostgreSQL replication on Google Cloud Platform for high availability.  
**Automation impact:** Reduced emergency patch deployment time by 70% through Python automation tools.  
**Security compliance:** Implemented comprehensive audit logging system meeting all security and compliance requirements

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- Database Systems:** PostgreSQL, Sybase, Database Administration, Production DBA
- Cloud Platforms:** Google Cloud Platform, GCP, Cloud SQL, Cloud PostgreSQL, Supabase
- Programming Languages:** Python, JavaScript, SQL, PL/pgSQL, Shell Scripting
- Database Operations:** Installation, Configuration, Maintenance, Patching, Upgrades
- Performance Tuning:** Query Optimization, Indexing, EXPLAIN Analysis, Execution Plans
- Replication:** Logical Replication, Physical Replication, Publication, Subscription, Streaming Replication
- Backup and Recovery:** pg\_dump, pg\_basebackup, Point-in-Time Recovery, PITR, WAL Archiving
- High Availability:** HA Setup, Failover, Disaster Recovery Planning, DR
- Security:** pgaudit, Audit Logging, Database Security, Compliance Monitoring
- Database Internals:** MVCC, Write-Ahead Logging, WAL, Transaction Logs, VACUUM
- Automation Tools:** pgAgent, Automated Backups, Python Scripts, Scheduled Tasks
- Database Migration:** Schema Design, Data Migration, Cross-Platform Migration
- Monitoring:** Database Monitoring, Performance Monitoring, Custom Logging, pg\_stat\_statements
- Operating Systems:** Linux, Windows
- Version Control:** Git
- Development:** Database Schema Design, SQL Development, Stored Procedures, Functions

## PROJECTS

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### Sybase to PostgreSQL Migration Project

Scope: Enterprise database migration with 630+ database objects  
Role: Database Administrator  
Responsibilities: Migration planning, schema conversion, stored procedure migration, performance optimization, post-migration support.  
Technologies: PostgreSQL, Sybase, Python, SQL  
Outcome: Successful zero-downtime migration with improved performance

### Custom Audit Logging Solution

Scope: Security compliance requirement implementation  
Role: Database Administrator  
Responsibilities: pgaudit extension modification, DLL compilation, custom logging implementation  
Technologies: PostgreSQL, pgaudit, C/C++, Windows, Linux  
Outcome: Full compliance with security audit requirements

### PostgreSQL Disaster Recovery Implementation

Scope: Critical production database recovery  
Role: Database Administrator  
Responsibilities: Log analysis, transaction reversal, database restoration, documentation  
Technologies: PostgreSQL, WAL, Transaction Logs  
Outcome: Zero data loss, full database recovery within SLA

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Strong expertise in SQL performance tuning and database internals.  
Experience with mission-critical production environments requiring high availability  
Proven ability to work collaboratively with cross-functional development teams.  
Excellent problem-solving skills with focus on root cause analysis.  
Strong understanding of MVCC, WAL, VACUUM, and PostgreSQL architecture.  
Experience with both Linux/Unix and Windows environments.  
Continuous learner staying current with PostgreSQL community best practices.

"Ready to bring your ideas to life? Let's collaborate! Whether you're a start up or established company, or individual with a vision, I'm here to help from concept to execution, let's create something amazing together!"