

Assignment 3 – Advanced PostgreSQL

1. Views & Materialized Views

- a. Create a **VIEW** that displays:
 - i. user_id
 - ii. full_name (first_name + last_name)
 - iii. email
 - iv. role_name
- b. Create a **VIEW** that shows only **active users** created in the last 30 days.
- c. Create a **MATERIALIZED VIEW** that stores:
 - i. role_name
 - ii. total_users per role
- d. Write a query to **refresh** the materialized view.

2. Functions

- a. Create a **SQL function** that:
 - i. Accepts a role_id as input
 - ii. Returns the total number of users for that role
- b. Create a **PL/pgSQL function** that:
 - i. Accepts a user_id
 - ii. Returns the user's full name
- c. Create a function that:
 - i. Accepts birth_date
 - ii. Returns calculated age
- d. Create a function that:
 - i. Returns all users created **today**
- e. Demonstrate usage of:
 - i. IN parameters
 - ii. OUT parameters
 - iii. RETURN TABLE

3. Stored Procedures

- a. Create a **stored procedure** to:
 - i. Insert a new user

- ii. Validate email uniqueness
 - iii. Set created_date automatically
 - b. Create a stored procedure that:
 - i. Soft deletes a user (is_deleted = true)
 - c. Create a stored procedure that:
 - i. Updates user role
 - d. Logs old role and new role into an audit table
- 4. Triggers
 - a. Create a trigger that:
 - i. Automatically updates modified_date on UPDATE of users table
 - b. Create a trigger that:
 - i. Prevents deletion of users
 - ii. Raises an exception if DELETE is attempted
 - c. Create an **AFTER INSERT** trigger to:
 - i. Log user creation into an audit table
- 5. Cursors
 - a. Write a **PL/pgSQL block** using a cursor to:
 - i. Loop through all users
 - ii. Print user_id and email using RAISE NOTICE
- 6. Jobs / Scheduling
 - a. Write a job to:
 - i. Refresh a materialized view every hour