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## USMAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

## Department of Computer Science CS311 Introduction to Database Systems

# Lab#12

Objective:	
DATABASE TRIGGERS (II)	
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## **Creating Row Triggers**

Row Triggers. A row trigger is fired each time the table is affected by the triggering statement. For example, if an UPDATE statement updates multiple rows of a table, a row trigger is fired once for each row affected by the UPDATE statement. If a triggering statement affects no rows, a row trigger is not run.

#### **Syntax for creating Row Triggers**

```
CREATE [OR REPLACE] TRIGGER trigger_name
Timing event1 [OR event2 OR event3] ON
table_name
FOR EACH ROW
[WHEN condition]
PL/SQL block;
```

This syntax is identical to the syntax for creating statement triggers except following: - FOR EACH ROW: Designates the trigger to be a row trigger

WHEN: Specifies the trigger restriction (This conditional predicate is evaluated for each row to determine whether or not the trigger body is executed.)

#### **Restriction on Row Triggers:**

This clause is valid only for DML event triggers, not for DDL or database event triggers.

## **EXAMPLE 1**

#### **After Row Trigger:**

A row trigger can be created to keep a running count of data manipulation operations by different users on database tables. If a trigger routine does not have to take place before the triggering operation, create an AFTER row trigger rather than a BEFORE row trigger.

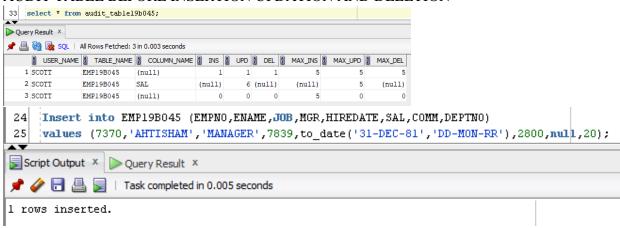
```
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER audit_emp
AFTER DELETE OR INSERT OR UPDATE ON emp
FOR EACH ROW
BEGIN
IF DELETING THEN
                 audit_table
                            SET
                                  del = del + 1
     UPDATE
     WHERE
                user name = user AND table name = 'EMP'
     AND
                column_name IS NULL;
ELSIF INSERTING THEN
                            SET ins = ins + 1
     UPDATE
                 audit table
                user name = user AND table name = 'EMP'
     WHERE
```

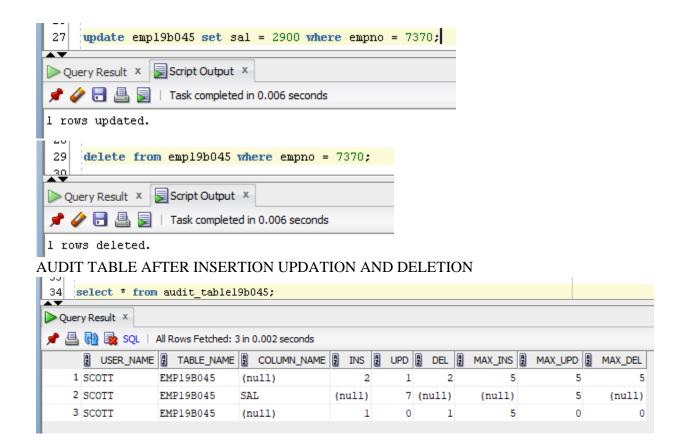
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AND
                 column_name IS NULL;
ELSIF UPDATING('SAL') THEN
     UPDATE
                 audit_table
                             SET upd = upd + 1
     WHERE
                 user_name = user AND table name = 'EMP'
                 column name = 'SAL';
     AND
ELSE
     UPDATE
                 audit_table
                             SET upd = upd + 1
     WHERE
                 user name = user AND table name = 'EMP'
     AND
                 column_name IS NULL;
END IF;
END;
```

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER audit_emp19b045
 2 AFTER DELETE OR INSERT OR UPDATE ON emp19b045
 3 FOR EACH ROW
 4 BEGIN
 5 ☐ IF DELETING THEN
     UPDATE audit table19b045 SET del = del + 1
     WHERE user name = user AND table name = 'EMP19B045'
 8
     AND column name IS NULL;
 9
   ELSIF INSERTING THEN
   UPDATE audit_table19b045 SET ins = ins + 1
10
   WHERE user_name = user AND table_name = 'EMP19B045'
11
   AND column_name IS NULL;
12
13 ELSIF UPDATING ('SAL') THEN
14
   UPDATE audit table19b045 SET upd = upd + 1
15
   WHERE user_name = user_AND table_name = 'EMP19B045'
   AND column name = 'SAL';
17 ELSE
18 UPDATE audit table19b045 SET upd = upd + 1
19 | WHERE user_name = user AND table_name = 'EMP19B045'
   AND
201
             column name IS NULL;
21 END IF; END;
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```

TRIGGER AUDIT\_EMP19B045 compiled

#### AUDIT TABLE BEFORE INSERTION UPDATION AND DELETION





## **EXAMPLE 2**

#### **Using Old and New Qualifiers**

We can create a trigger on the EMP table to add rows to a user table,

AUDIT\_EMP\_VALUES, logging a user's activity against the EMP table. The trigger records the values of several columns both before and after the data changes by using the OLD and NEW qualifiers with the respective column name.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER audit_emp_values

AFTER DELETE OR INSERT OR UPDATE ON emp

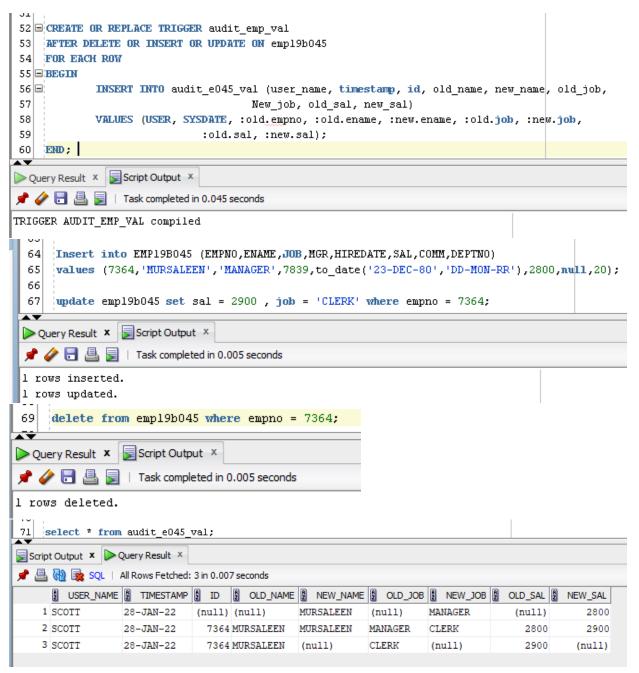
FOR EACH ROW

BEGIN

INSERT INTO audit_emp_values (user_name, timestamp, id, old_last_name, old_title,
New_title, old_salary, new_salary)

VALUES (USER, SYSDATE, :old.empno, :old.ename, :new.ename, :old.job, :new.job,
:old.sal, :new.sal);

END;
```



## **EXAMPLE 3**

#### **Before Row Trigger:**

To restrict the trigger action to those rows that satisfy a certain condition, provide a WHEN clause. Create a trigger on the EMP table to calculate an employee's commission when a row is added to the EMP table or an employee's salary is modified.

The NEW qualifier does not need to be prefixed with a colon in the WHEN clause.

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```
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER derive_commission_pct
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE OF SAL ON emp
FOR EACH ROW
WHEN (new.job = 'SALESMAN')
   IF INSERTING THEN : new.comm. := 0;
             /* UPDATE of salary */
      IF:old.comm. IS NULL THEN
             :new.comm. := 0;
      ELSE
             :new.comm. := :old.comm. + (:new.sal / :old.sal);
      END IF;
   END IF;
END;
 77 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER derive comm pct
 78 BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE OF SAL ON emp19b045
 79 FOR EACH ROW
 80 WHEN (new.job = 'SALESMAN')
 81 EBEGIN
         IF INSERTING THEN :new.comm := 0;
 82 🖃
         ELSE /* UPDATE of salary */
 83
 84 F :old.comm IS NULL THEN
 85
       :new.comm := 0;
 86
    ELSE
 87
       :new.comm := :old.comm + (:new.sal / :old.sal);
 88
    END IF:
 89
         END IF END:
 Script Output X
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TRIGGER DERIVE_COMM_PCT compiled
    (Insert into EMP19B045 (EMPNO, ENAME, JOB, MGR, HIREDATE, SAL, COMM, DEPTNO)
    values (7399, 'ASAD', 'SALESMAN', 7839, to date('22-DEC-81', 'DD-MON-RR'), 1600, 200, 20);
Script Output X
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l rows inserted.
 95 select * from empl9b045 where empno = 7399;
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                                   2 MGR 2 HIREDATE 2 SAL 2 COMM 2
                                                                        DEPTNO
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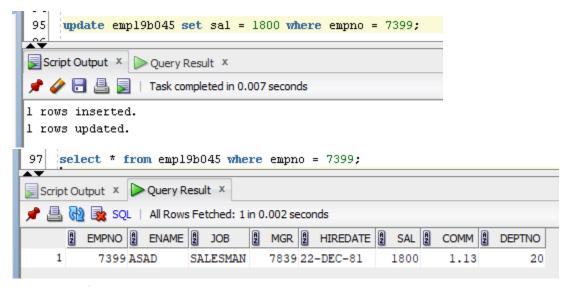
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### **DDL Triggers**

Oracle allows you to define triggers that will fire when DDL statements are executed. Simply put, DDL is any SQL statement used to create or modify a database object such as a table or an index. DL triggers include the following types of triggers:

- BEFORE CREATE and AFTER CREATE triggers fire when a schema object is created in the database or schema.
- BEFORE ALTER and AFTER ALTER triggers fire when a schema object is altered in the database or schema.
- BEFORE DROP and AFTER DROP triggers fire when a schema object is dropped from the database or schema.

## **EXAMPLE 4**

### **Creating DDL Trigger:**

This trigger will insert the respective information in the table "schema\_audit" such as the date when the DDL is executed, username who executed the DDL, type of database object created, name of the object given by the user at the time of its creation and the type of DDL into the table which we created earlier.

#### Creating an Audit Table:

```
CREATE TABLE schema_audit (

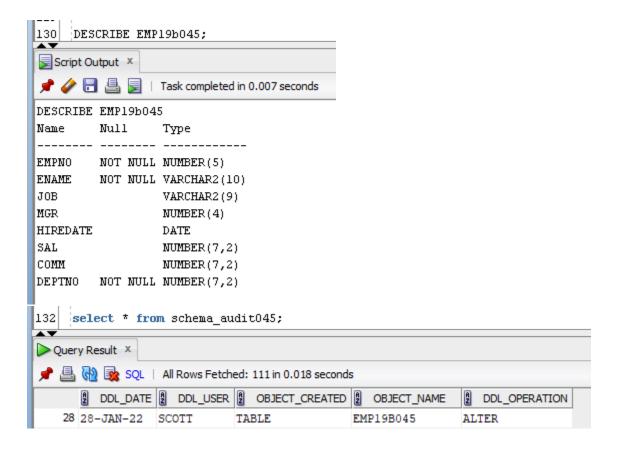
ddl_date DATE,
```

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ddl_user
                  VARCHAR2(15),
   object_created
                  VARCHAR2(15),
                  VARCHAR2(15),
   object_name
   ddl_operation
                  VARCHAR2(15)
);
Creating Trigger:
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER hr_audit_tr
AFTER DDL ON SCHEMA
BEGIN
   INSERT INTO schema_audit VALUES
     sysdate,
     sys_context('USERENV','CURRENT_USER'),
     ora_dict_obj_type,
     ora_dict_obj_name,
     ora_sysevent
   );
END;
 102 CREATE TABLE schema_audit045
 103
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 104
          ddl date
                        DATE .
 105
          ddl_user
                        VARCHAR2 (15),
 106
          object_created
                              VARCHAR2(15),
 107
          object_name
                            VARCHAR2(15),
 108
          ddl_operation
                             VARCHAR2 (15)
 109
      1);
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 Script Output X
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 table SCHEMA_AUDIT045 created.
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```
112 CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER hr audit045 tr
113 AFTER DDL ON SCHEMA
114 BEGIN
115
        INSERT INTO schema audit045 VALUES
116
117
         sysdate
118
         sys_context('USERENV','CURRENT_USER'),
119
         ora_dict_obj_type,
120
         ora dict obj name,
121
         ora_sysevent
122
        );
123 END;
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 Script Output X
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TRIGGER HR_AUDIT045_TR compiled
  125
       DESCRIBE EMP19b045;
  Script Output X
     DESCRIBE EMP19b045
  Name
           Null
                     Type
  EMPNO
           NOT NULL NUMBER (4)
  ENAME
           NOT NULL VARCHAR2(10)
  JOB.
                     VARCHAR2 (9)
  MGR
                     NUMBER (4)
  HIREDATE
                     DATE
  SAL
                     NUMBER(7,2)
  COMM
                     NUMBER(7,2)
 DEPTNO
           NOT NULL NUMBER (7,2)
127 Alter table emp19b045
128
    modify EMPNO NUMBER(5);
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table EMP19B045 altered.



#### **Trigger Enabling and Disabling**

By default, the CREATE TRIGGER statement creates a trigger in the enabled state. To create a trigger in the disabled state, specify DISABLE. Creating a trigger in the disabled state lets you ensure that it compiles without errors before you enable it.

Some reasons to temporarily disable a trigger are:

- The trigger refers to an unavailable object.
- You must do a large data load, and you want it to proceed quickly without firing triggers.
- You are reloading data.

To enable or disable a single trigger, use this statement:

ALTER TRIGGER [schema.]trigger\_name { ENABLE | DISABLE };

To enable or disable all triggers created on a specific table, use this statement:

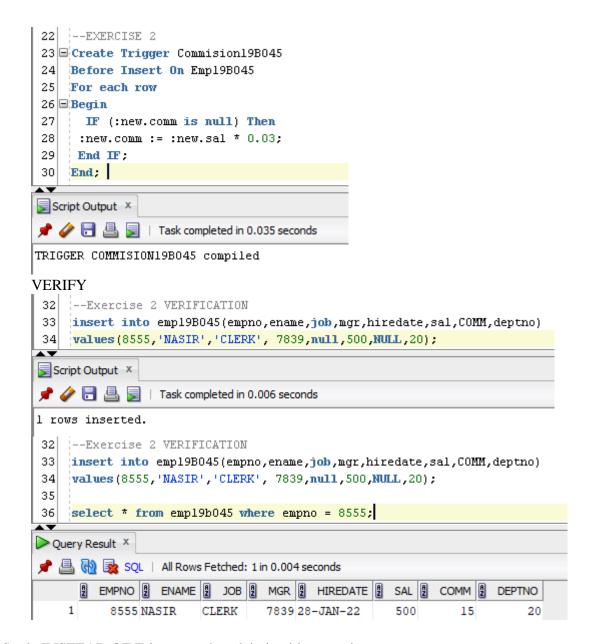
**ALTER TABLE table\_name { ENABLE | DISABLE } ALL TRIGGERS;** 

## **Exercise:**

1. Create a trigger that fill hiredate column with the current date, If the newly inserted record in employee has null hireDate field.



2. Create a trigger that will fill the commission attribute in Employee table always 3% of the salary attribute.



3. Study INSTEAD OF Triggers and explain it with examples.

An INSTEAD OF trigger is a trigger that allows you to skip an INSERT, DELETE, or UPDATE statement to a table or a view and execute other statements defined in the trigger instead. The actual insert, delete, or update operation does not occur at all.

In other words, an INSTEAD OF trigger skips a DML statement and execute other statements. A typical example of using an INSTEAD OF trigger is to override an insert, update, or delete operation on a view. Suppose, an application needs to insert new brands into the production. brands table. However, the new brands should be stored in another table called production.