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1. Aim:

Design a robust PostgreSQL transaction system for the students table where multiple student records are inserted in a single transaction.

- a. If any insert fails due to invalid data, only that insert should be rolled back.
- b. Previous successful inserts should remain intact.
- c. Use savepoints to manage partial rollbacks.
- d. Provide clear messages for successful and failed insertions.

2. Objective:

- Understand Transaction Management in PostgreSQL
- Learn Partial Rollback Using Savepoints
- Handle Errors Gracefully
- Provide Feedback on Database Operations
- **Develop Robust and Fault-tolerant Database Systems**

3. Code:

-- Create table

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

-- Insert multiple students in one transaction

```
DO $$
BEGIN
    BEGIN
        INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Shivanshu',20,12);
        INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Tanya',21,12);
        INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Devanshu',16,10);
        RAISE NOTICE 'Transaction Successfully Done';
    EXCEPTION
        WHEN OTHERS THEN
```



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```
RAISE NOTICE 'Transaction Failed..! Rolling back all changes.'; RAISE;  
END;  
END;  
$$;
```

```
SELECT * FROM students;
```

-- Transaction with Savepoints

```
BEGIN; -- Start transaction
```

-- Savepoint 1: Karan

```
SAVEPOINT sp1;  
INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Karan',19,12);  
DO $$ BEGIN RAISE NOTICE 'Inserted Karan successfully'; END $$;
```

-- Savepoint 2: Rohit (invalid insert)

```
SAVEPOINT sp2;  
DO $$  
BEGIN  
    BEGIN  
        INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Rohit','wrong',12);  
        EXCEPTION WHEN OTHERS THEN  
            RAISE NOTICE 'Failed to insert Rohit, rolling back to savepoint sp2';  
        END;  
    END;  
$$;
```

-- Rollback the failed insert in SQL
ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT sp2;

-- Savepoint 3: Aditya

```
SAVEPOINT sp3;  
INSERT INTO students(name, age, class) VALUES ('Aditya',17,10);  
DO $$ BEGIN RAISE NOTICE 'Inserted Aditya successfully'; END $$;
```

-- Commit all successful inserts
COMMIT;

```
SELECT * FROM students;
```



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4. Output:

Output:

```
CREATE TABLE
DO
id | name      | age | class
+---+---+---+
 1 | Shivanshu | 20 | 12
 2 | Tanya     | 21 | 12
 3 | Devanshu  | 16 | 10
(3 rows)

BEGIN
SAVEPOINT
INSERT 0 1
DO
SAVEPOINT
DO
ROLLBACK
SAVEPOINT
INSERT 0 1
DO
COMMIT
id | name      | age | class
+---+---+---+
 1 | Shivanshu | 20 | 12
 2 | Tanya     | 21 | 12
 3 | Devanshu  | 16 | 10
 4 | Karan     | 19 | 12
 5 | Aditya    | 17 | 10
(5 rows)

psql:commands.sql:27: NOTICE: Transaction Successfully Done
psql:commands.sql:38: NOTICE: Inserted Karan successfully
psql:commands.sql:50: NOTICE: Failed to insert Rohit, rolling back to savepoint sp2
psql:commands.sql:57: NOTICE: Inserted Aditya successfully
```

4. Learning Outcomes:

- Master Transaction Control
- Implement Partial Rollbacks with Savepoints
- Error Handling in Database Operations
- Provide Clear Feedback and Maintain Data Consistency