

## **Experiment No 11**

**Aim:** Implementation and demonstration of Transaction and Concurrency control techniques using locks

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### **Transactions:**

- A transaction is a sequential group of database manipulation operations, which is performed as if it were one single work unit.
- A transaction will never be complete unless each individual operation within the group is successful.
- If any operation within the transaction fails, the entire transaction will fail.
- ACID Properties:
  - Atomicity - This ensures that all operations within the work unit are completed successfully; otherwise, the transaction is aborted at the point of failure and previous operations are rolled back to their former state.
  - Consistency - This ensures that the database properly changes states upon a successfully committed transaction.
  - Isolation - This enables transactions to operate independently and transparently.
  - Durability - This ensures that the result or effect of a committed transaction persists in case of a system failure.
- A transaction begins with the BEGIN WORK statement and ends with either a COMMIT or ROLLBACK clause.
- The SQL commands between these beginning and ending statements form the bulk of the transaction
- When a successful transaction is completed, the COMMIT clause should be fired so that changes made in the table(s) take effect.
- If a failure or an inaccuracy occurs, the ROLLBACK clause is fired to return every table referenced in the transaction to its previous state.
- The behaviour of a transaction can be controlled using the AUTOCOMMIT clause
  - When AUTOCOMMIT is set to 1 (default), each SQL statement is considered a complete transaction by default when it gets executed.
  - When AUTOCOMMIT is set to 0, each SQL statement following subsequently is an incomplete transaction, until an explicit COMMIT is fired.

## Concurrency Control:

- Table Locking is used in MySQL for concurrency control, during running a transaction.
- A locking protocol is a set of rules followed by all transactions while requesting and releasing locks.
- This helps control concurrent access to data.
- MySQL provides two types of table locks :
  - READ Lock:
    - This lock only allows the user to read the table.
    - Other users can read the table as well, but can not perform any other operations, until the table is unlocked.
    - Hence, the READ lock locks data in Shared (S) Mode.
  - WRITE Lock:
    - This lock allows the user to both read and write.
    - Other users can not read nor write the locked table, until it is unlocked.
    - Hence, the WRITE lock locks data in Exclusive (X) Mode.

## Transactions:

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p
mysql> create table emp (eid int primary key, ename varchar(20) not null, unique(ename), age int) engine = INNODB;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.34 sec)

mysql> set autocommit = 0;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> start transaction;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values (101, 'Walter White', 52), (102, 'Jesse Pinkman', 28), (103, 'Saul Goodman', 35),
Query OK, 4 rows affected (0.00 sec)
Records: 4 Duplicates: 0 Warnings: 0

mysql> commit;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+-----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename          | age |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White   | 52  |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman  | 28  |
| 103 | Saul Goodman   | 35  |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40  |
+-----+-----+-----+
4 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql> insert into emp values (105, 'Skyler White', 48), (106, 'Kim Wexler', 32);
Query OK, 2 rows affected (0.00 sec)
Records: 2 Duplicates: 0 Warnings: 0

mysql> select * from emp;
+-----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename          | age |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White   | 52  |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman  | 28  |
| 103 | Saul Goodman   | 35  |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40  |
| 105 | Skyler White   | 48  |
| 106 | Kim Wexler     | 32  |
+-----+-----+-----+
6 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> commit;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)

mysql> delete from emp where eid = 104;
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.11 sec)
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```
mysql> select * from emp;
+-----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename          | age |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White   | 52  |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman  | 28  |
| 103 | Saul Goodman   | 35  |
| 105 | Skyler White   | 48  |
| 106 | Kim Wexler     | 32  |
+-----+-----+-----+
5 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> rollback;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.06 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+-----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename          | age |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White   | 52  |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman  | 28  |
| 103 | Saul Goodman   | 35  |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40  |
| 105 | Skyler White   | 48  |
| 106 | Kim Wexler     | 32  |
+-----+-----+-----+
6 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

## Concurrency Control:

### Write Lock:

```
mysql> lock table emp write;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+-----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+-----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
+-----+-----+-----+
6 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (107, 'Mike E.', 60);
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> show processlist;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id | User | Host | db | Command |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340 | root | localhost:58159 | test | Query |
| 0 | starting | | | show processlist |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1343 | ganm0r | localhost:56250 | test | Query |
| 10 | Waiting for table metadata lock | select * from emp |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql>
```

## Write Unlock:

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p
mysql> lock table emp write;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.03 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
+----+-----+-----+
6 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (107, 'Mike E.', 60);
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> show processlist;
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id | User | Host | db | Command |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340 | root | localhost:58159 | test | Query |
| 0 | starting | | | show processlist |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1343 | ganm0r | localhost:56250 | test | Query |
| 10 | Waiting for table metadata lock | select * from emp |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> unlock table;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.04 sec)

mysql>
```

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u ganm0r -p
mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
| 107 | Mike E. | 60 |
+----+-----+-----+
7 rows in set (1 min 16.03 sec)

mysql>
```

## Write Lock:

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p
mysql> lock table emp write;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> show processlist;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id    | User | Host                | db  | Command | Info |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340  | root | localhost:58159     | test | Query   | show processlist |
| 1343  | ganm0r | localhost:56250     | test | Query   | insert into emp values (108, 'Charles McGill', 55) |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql>
```

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u ganm0r -p
mysql> insert into emp values
-> (108, 'Charles McGill', 55);
```

## Write Unlock:

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p
mysql> lock table emp write;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> show processlist;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id    | User | Host                | db  | Command | Info |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340  | root | localhost:58159     | test | Query   | show processlist |
| 1343  | ganm0r | localhost:56250     | test | Query   | insert into emp values (108, 'Charles McGill', 55) |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> unlock table;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql>
```

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u ganm0r -p
mysql> insert into emp values
-> (108, 'Charles McGill', 55);
Query OK, 1 row affected (24.41 sec)

mysql>
```

## Read Lock:

```
Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p
mysql> lock table emp read;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
| 107 | Mike E. | 60 |
| 108 | Charles McGill | 55 |
+----+-----+-----+
8 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49);
ERROR 1099 (HY000): Table 'emp' was locked with a
  READ lock and can't be updated
mysql> show processlist;
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id | User | Host | db | Command |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340 | root | localhost:58159 | test | Query |
| 0 | starting | | | show |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1343 | ganm0r | localhost:56250 | test | Query |
| 8 | Waiting for table metadata lock | insert into emp values |
(109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49) |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
--+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+

Command Prompt - mysql -u ganm0r -p
mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
| 107 | Mike E. | 60 |
| 108 | Charles McGill | 55 |
+----+-----+-----+
8 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49);
```



## Read Unlock:

```
mysql> lock table emp read;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
| 107 | Mike E. | 60 |
| 108 | Charles McGill | 55 |
+----+-----+-----+
8 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49);
ERROR 1099 (HY000): Table 'emp' was locked with a
READ lock and can't be updated
mysql> show processlist;
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Id | User | Host | db | Command | Info |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 1340 | root | localhost:58159 | test | Query | show processlist |
| 1343 | ganm0r | localhost:56250 | test | Query | insert into emp values (109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49) |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> unlock table;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

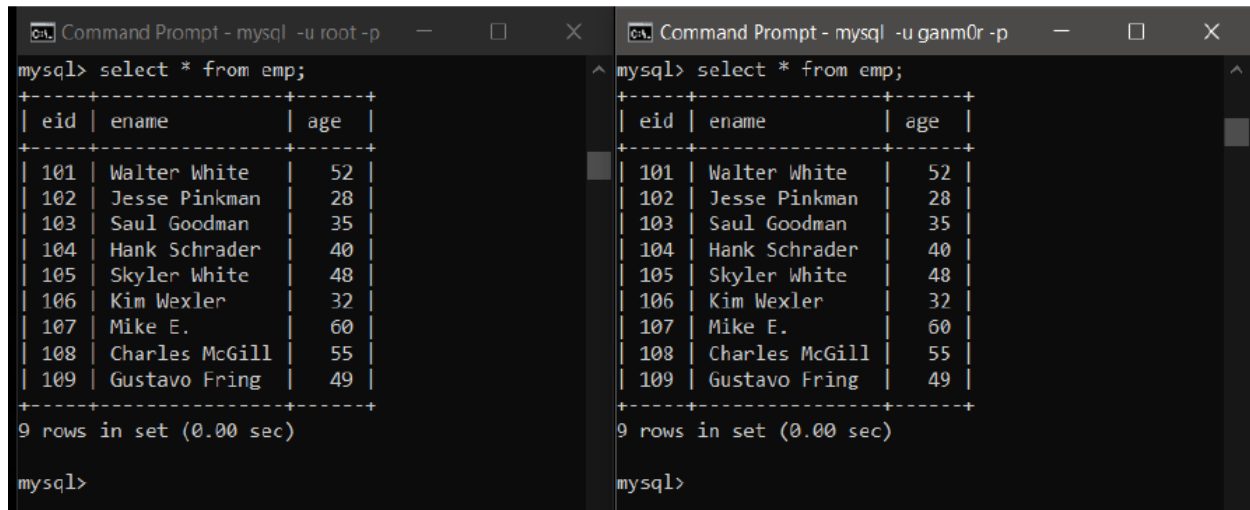
mysql>
```

```
mysql> select * from emp;
+----+-----+-----+
| eid | ename      | age |
+----+-----+-----+
| 101 | Walter White | 52 |
| 102 | Jesse Pinkman | 28 |
| 103 | Saul Goodman | 35 |
| 104 | Hank Schrader | 40 |
| 105 | Skyler White | 48 |
| 106 | Kim Wexler | 32 |
| 107 | Mike E. | 60 |
| 108 | Charles McGill | 55 |
+----+-----+-----+
8 rows in set (0.00 sec)

mysql> insert into emp values
-> (109, 'Gustavo Fring', 49);
Query OK, 1 row affected (20.14 sec)

mysql>
```

## Final Result in the Table:



The image shows two side-by-side terminal windows, both running MySQL. The left window is titled 'Command Prompt - mysql -u root -p' and the right window is titled 'Command Prompt - mysql -u ganm0r -p'. Both windows show the same query: 'mysql> select \* from emp;'. The results are displayed in a table format with columns 'eid', 'ename', and 'age'. The data is identical in both windows, showing 9 rows of employee information. Below the table, both windows show '9 rows in set (0.00 sec)' and the prompt 'mysql>'.

eid	ename	age
101	Walter White	52
102	Jesse Pinkman	28
103	Saul Goodman	35
104	Hank Schrader	40
105	Skyler White	48
106	Kim Wexler	32
107	Mike E.	60
108	Charles McGill	55
109	Gustavo Fring	49

## Conclusion:

We studied Transactions and Concurrency Control and implemented them successfully.