

## **Advanced Data Management – D191**

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### Task A

**Summarize one real-world written business report that can be created from the DVD Dataset from the “Labs on Demand Assessment Environment and DVD Database” attachment.**

For this assignment, I will provide reporting for the fictitious DVD rental company DVD2U. DVD2U is looking to grow their market share and to ensure that they are investing in the most profitable films. To assist them in this process, I will be providing them a report with both detail and summary tables. This report will address the following questions:

- What is DVD2U’s most profitable film genre?
- Does DVD2U’s inventory align with the most profitable film genres?

#### **1. Identify the specific fields that will be included in the detailed table and the summary table of the report.**

For the detail table, I will be including the following fields:

rental\_mo  
rental\_yr  
film\_genre  
mo\_revenue

For the summary table, I will be including the following fields:

film\_genre  
total\_revenue  
total\_inventory

#### **2. Describe the types of data fields used for the report.**

**film\_id** is a smallint – it will be used to join the inventory table to the film\_category table; in addition, it will be used to calculate the total\_inventory.

**name** is a varchar – it is the film\_genre field in both the detail and summary tables.

**rental\_date** is a timestamp - it will be used to extract the month and year fields within functions.

**rental\_mo** is an integer field created using a user-defined function.

**rental\_yr** is an integer field created using a user-defined function.

**amount** is a numeric with 5 digits and 2 decimals – it will be used to calculate the mo\_revenue and total\_revenue.

**mo\_revenue** is a numeric with 7 digits and 2 decimals – it will be calculated as part of the detail table.

**total\_revenue** is a numeric with 8 digits and 2 decimals – it will be calculated as part of the summary table.

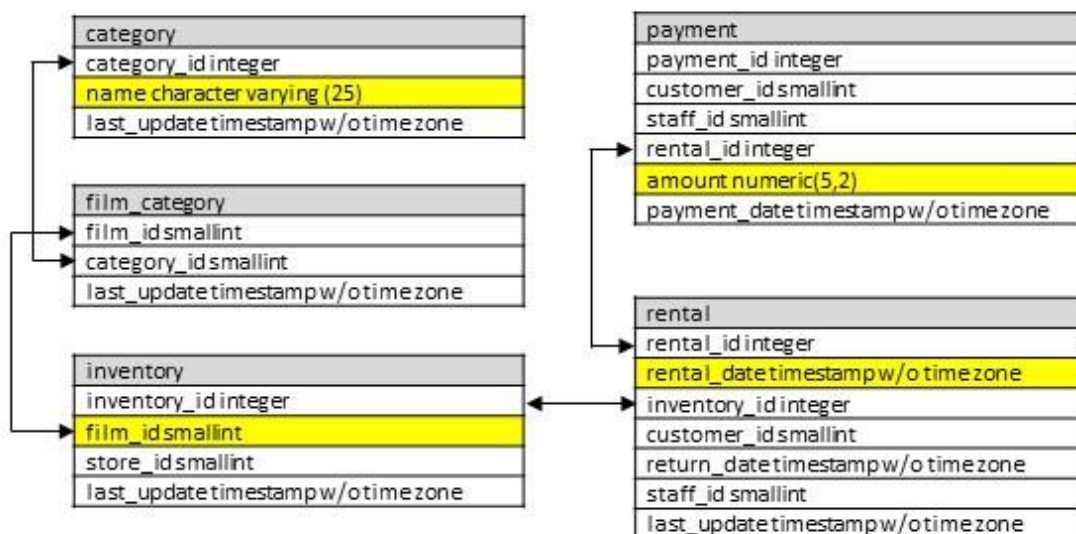
**category\_id** is an integer (also shown as smallint) – it will be used to join the film\_category and category tables.

**rental\_id** is an integer – it will be used to join the payment and rental tables.

**inventory\_id** is an integer – it will be used to join the rental and inventory tables.

### 3. Identify at least two specific tables from the given dataset that will provide the data necessary for the detailed table section and the summary table section of the report.

The following shows the five tables that will be used to extract the data necessary for DVD2U's report. The field names highlighted in yellow will be used in the final report or to calculate fields used in the final report, and there are arrows indicating the fields that will be used to join the tables.



**4. Identify at least one field in the detailed table section that will require a custom transformation with a user-defined function and explain why it should be transformed (e.g., you might translate a field with a value of N to No and Y to Yes).**

I will be transforming the rental\_date field which is currently a timestamp type. A function will be created to extract both the month and the year into separate fields. This will allow me to group the detail information by month and year, providing DVD2U a monthly snapshot of revenue by genre.

**5. Explain the different business uses of the detailed table section and the summary table section of the report.**

DVD2U wants to ensure that they are investing in the correct film genres to maximize their revenue. The detail table will provide them with a monthly revenue snapshot which can be utilized to see the top grossing genre on a monthly basis. The summary table will provide DVD2U with the total revenue by genre and will include an inventory count so they can monitor inventory levels to ensure revenue is maximized.

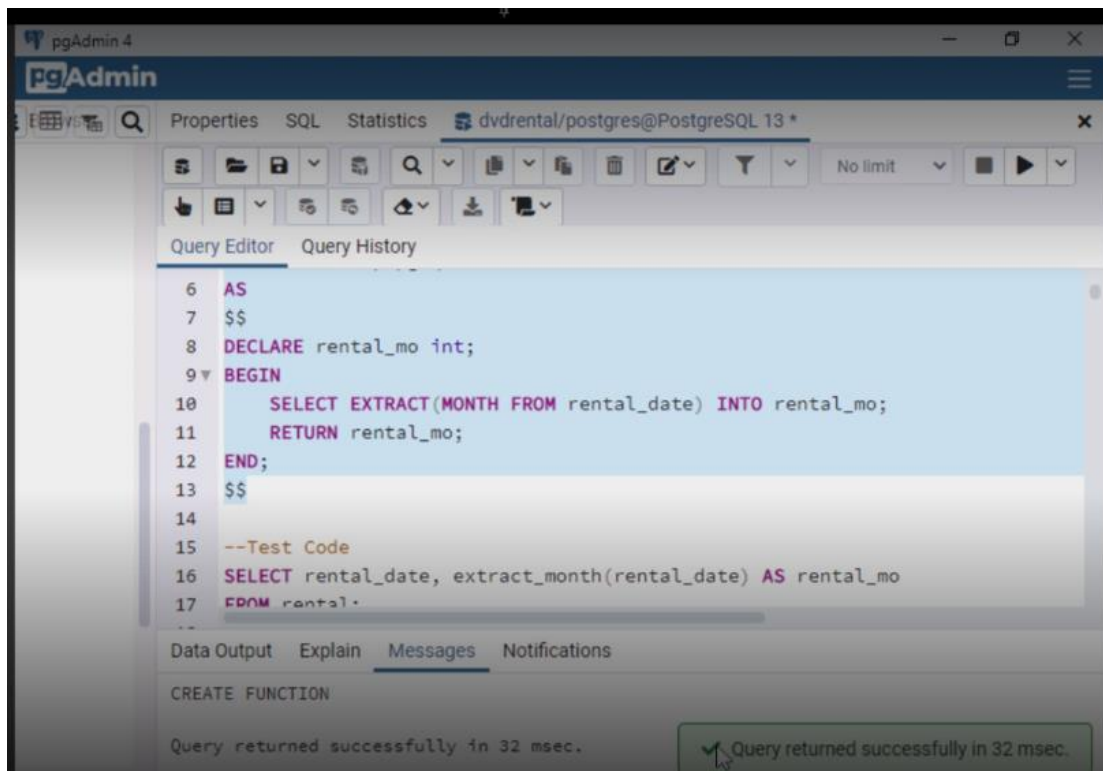
**6. Explain how frequently your report should be refreshed to remain relevant to stakeholders.**

This report should be refreshed monthly on the first of the month to capture the entirety of the previous month's rental transactions. For example, on May 1<sup>st</sup>, the report would be refreshed to capture all rental transactions through June 30<sup>th</sup>.

**B. Provide original code for function(s) in text format that perform the transformation(s) you identified in part A4.**

--Task B Function to extract month from rental\_date

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION extract_month(rental_date timestamp)
  RETURNS int
  LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$
DECLARE rental_mo int;
BEGIN
  SELECT EXTRACT(MONTH FROM rental_date) INTO rental_mo;
  RETURN rental_mo;
END;
$$
```

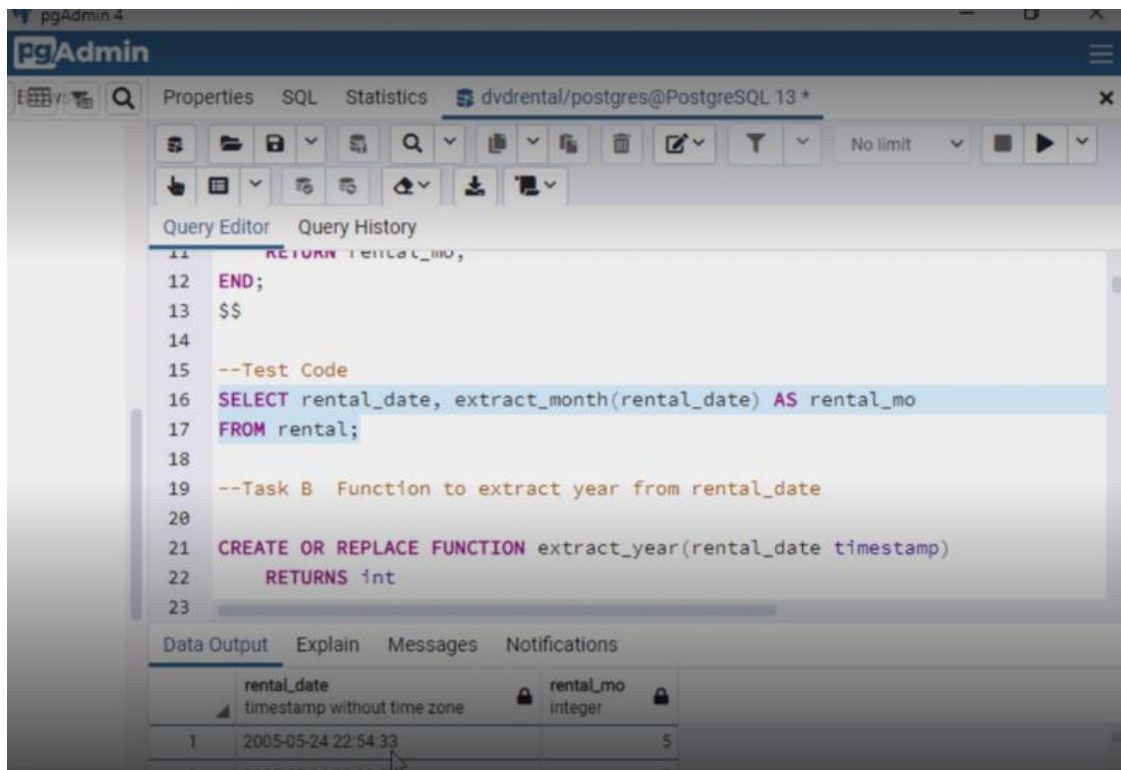


--Test Code

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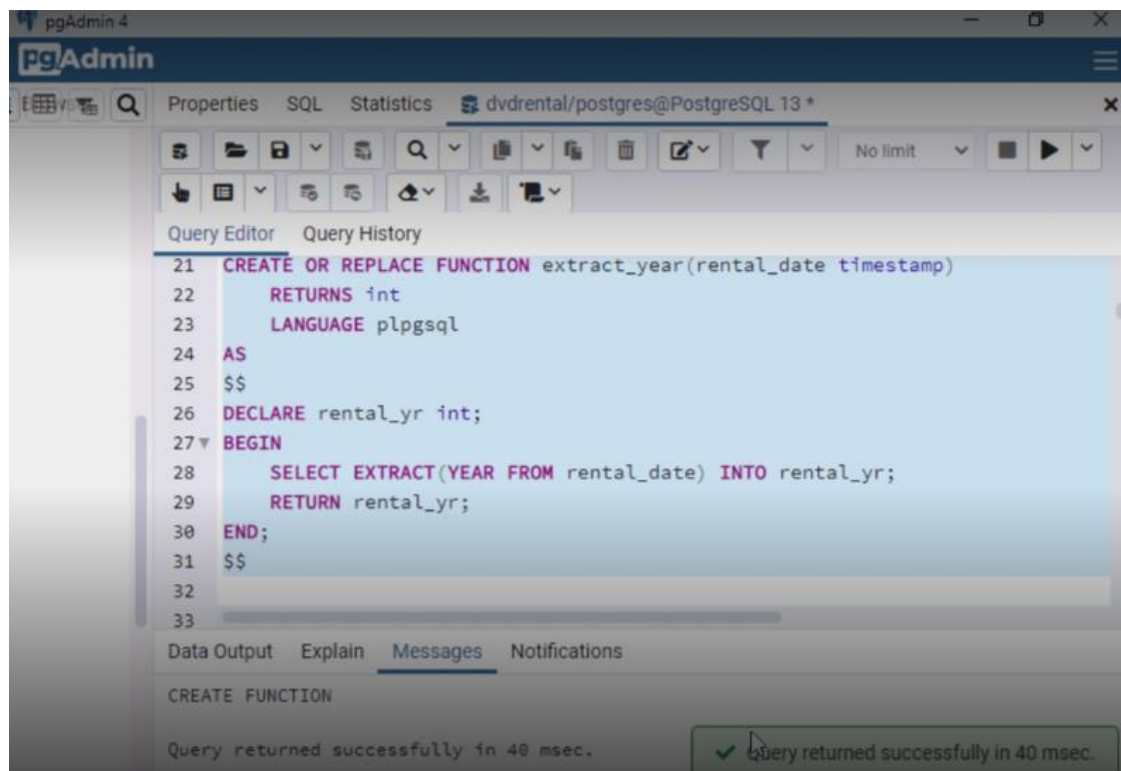
SELECT rental_date, extract_month(rental_date) AS rental_mo
FROM rental;

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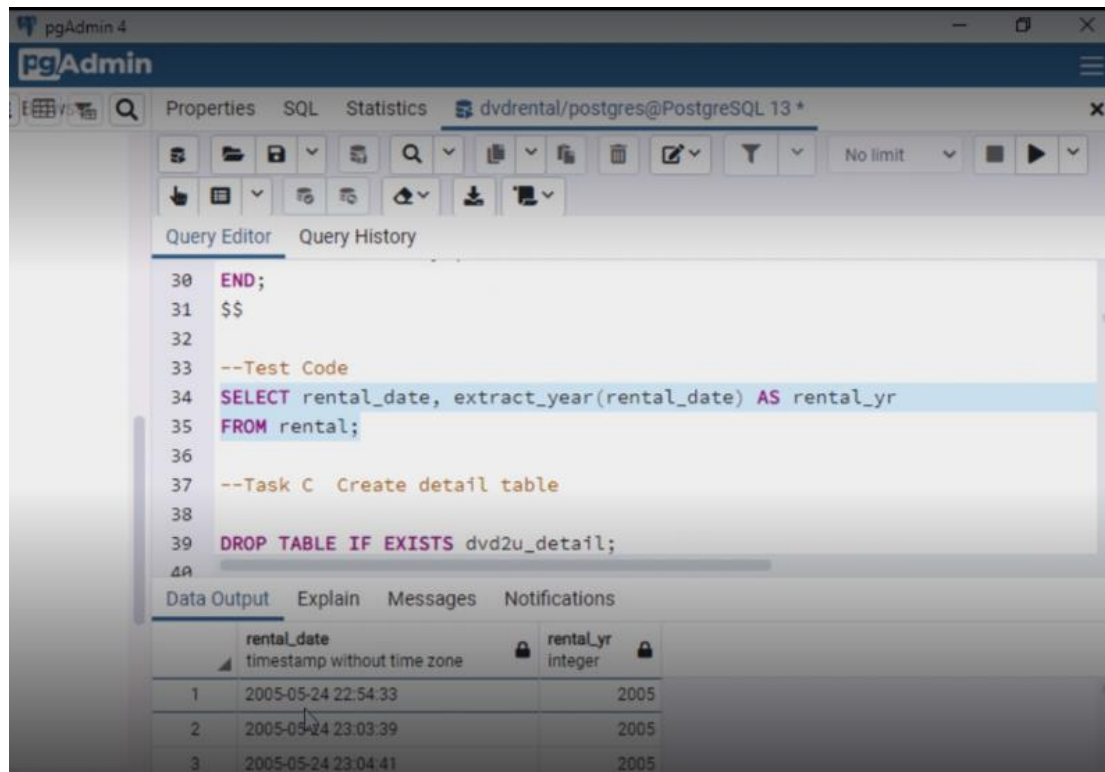
--Task B Function to extract year from rental\_date

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION extract_year(rental_date timestamp)
  RETURNS int
  LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$
DECLARE rental_yr int;
BEGIN
  SELECT EXTRACT(YEAR FROM rental_date) INTO rental_yr;
  RETURN rental_yr;
END;
$$
```



--Test Code

```
SELECT rental_date, extract_year(rental_date) AS rental_yr  
FROM rental;
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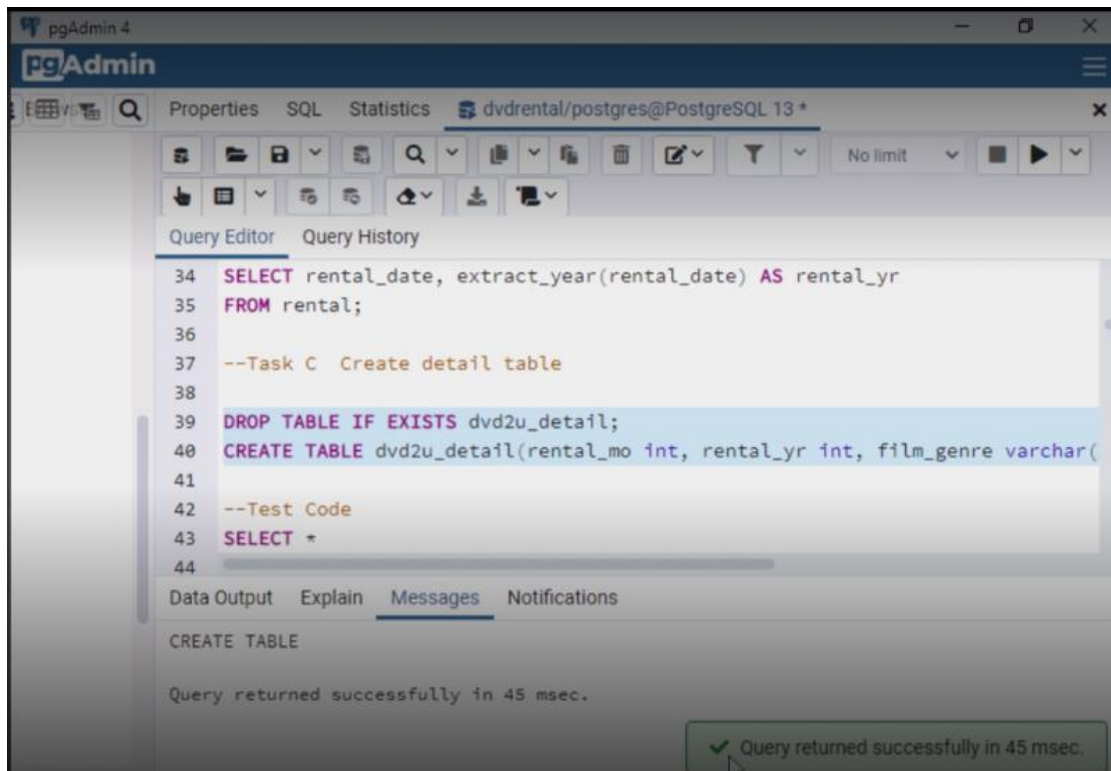


**C. Provide original SQL code in a text format that creates the detailed and summary tables to hold your report table sections.**

--Task C Create detail table

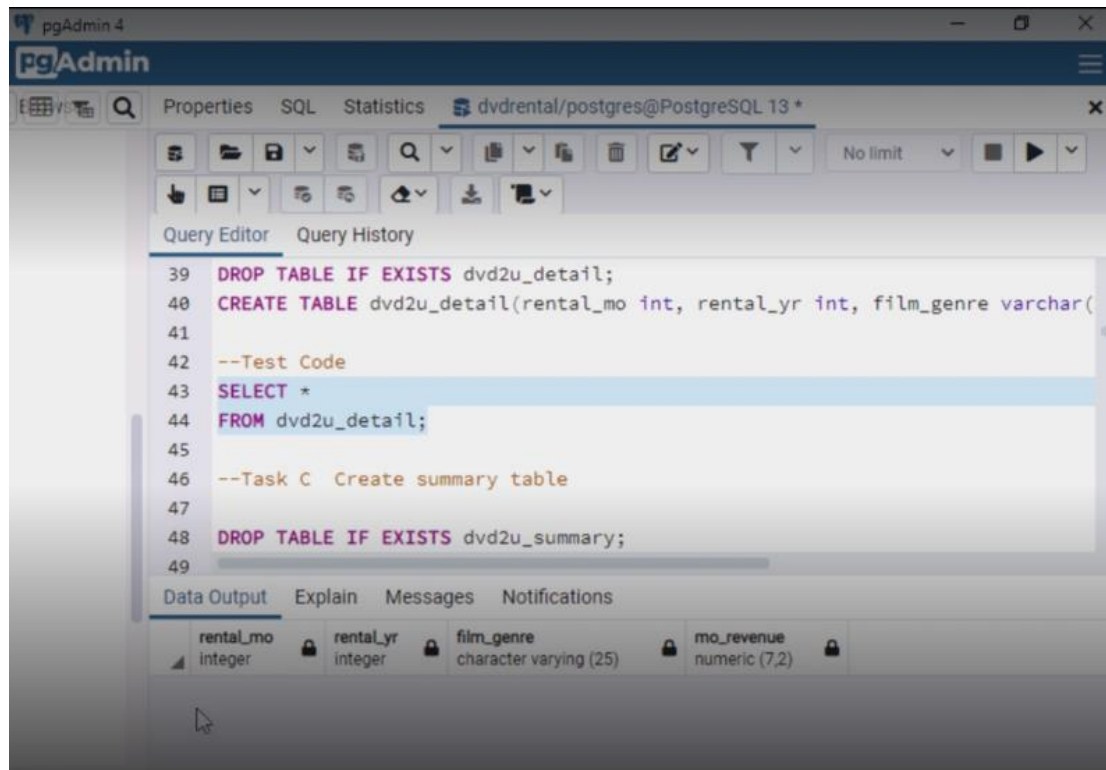
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS dvd2u\_detail;

CREATE TABLE dvd2u\_detail(rental\_mo int, rental\_yr int, film\_genre varchar(25), mo\_revenue numeric(7,2));



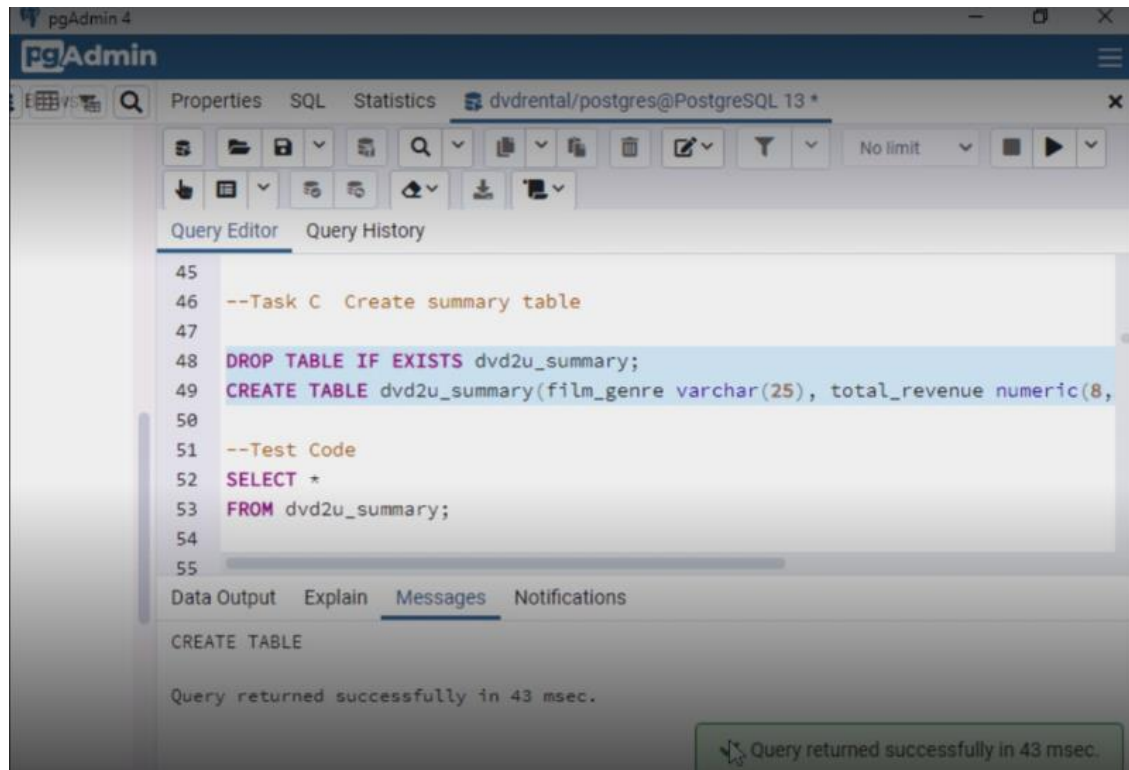


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--Test Code  
SELECT *  
FROM dvd2u_detail;
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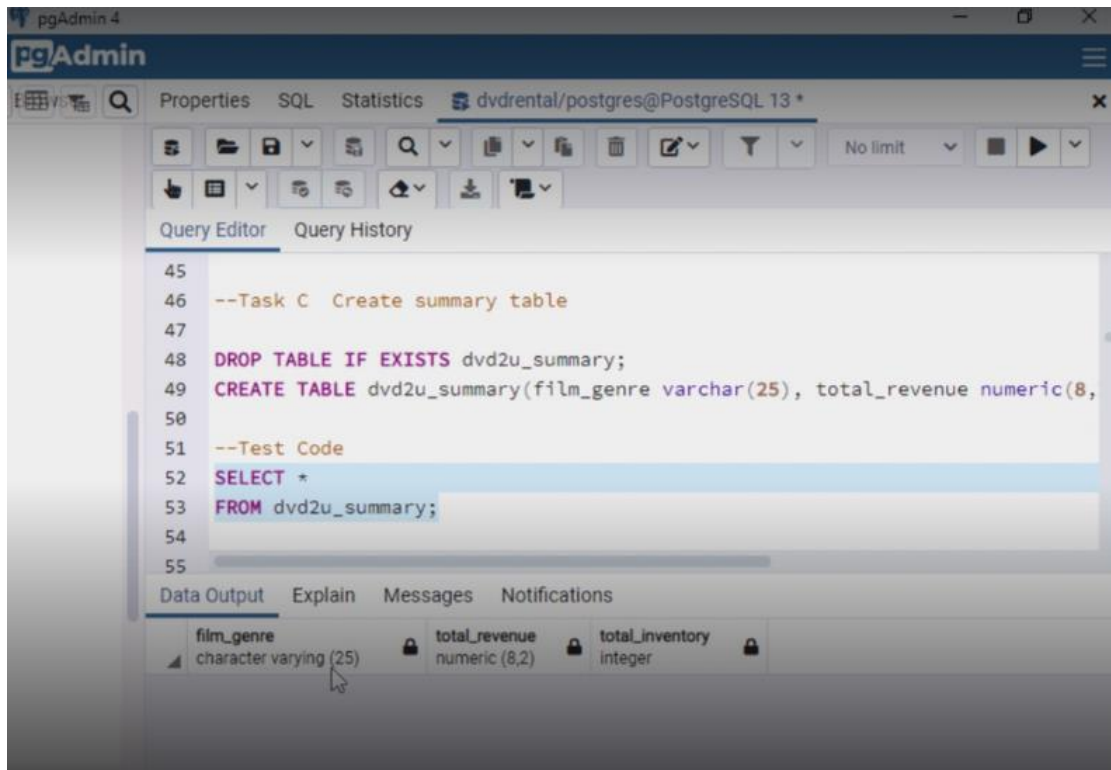


--Task C Create summary table

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS dvd2u_summary;  
CREATE TABLE dvd2u_summary(film_genre varchar(25), total_revenue numeric(8,2),  
total_inventory int);
```



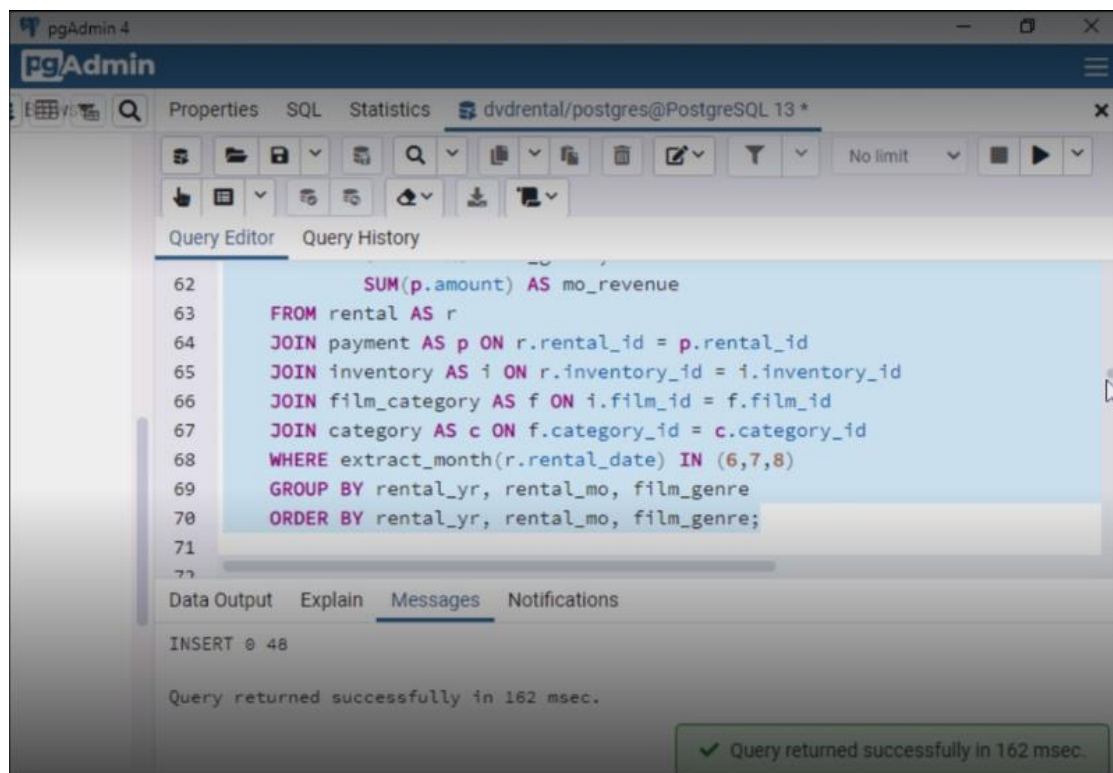
```
--Test Code
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_summary;
```



**D. Provide an original SQL query in a text format that will extract the raw data needed for the detailed section of your report from the source database.**

--Task D Input Detail info into Detail Table

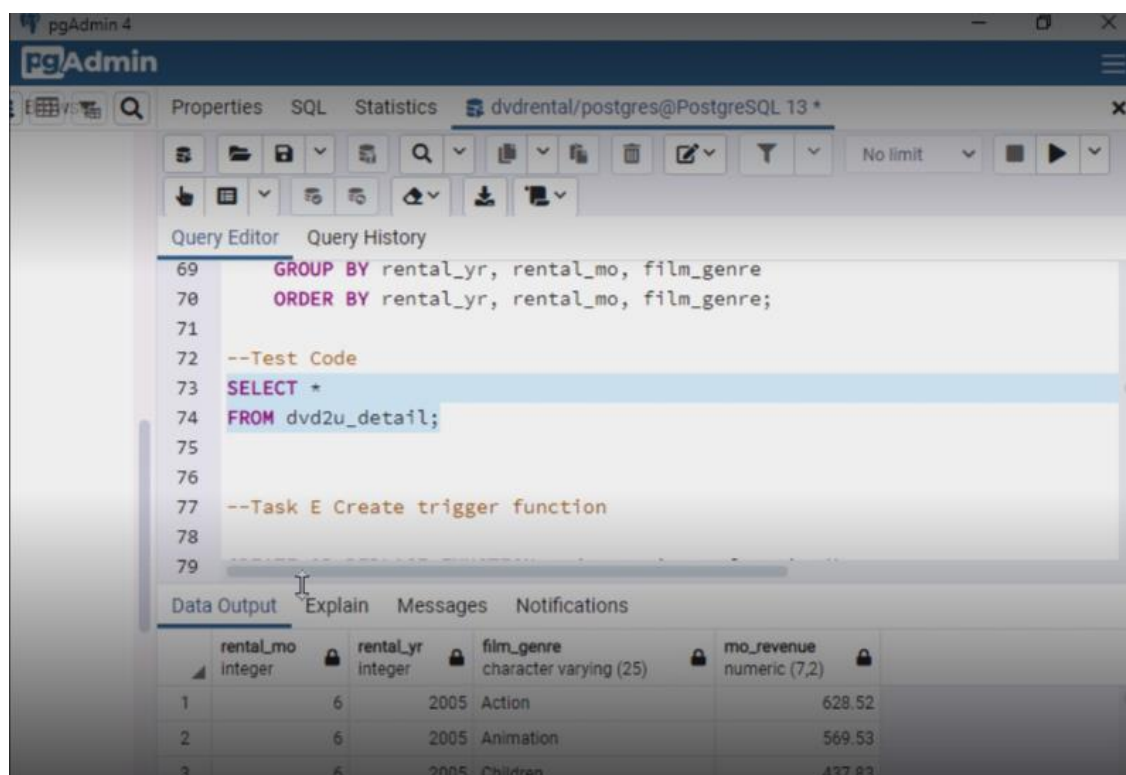
```
INSERT INTO dvd2u_detail
SELECT      extract_month(r.rental_date) AS rental_mo,
            extract_year(r.rental_date) AS rental_yr,
            c.name AS film_genre,
            SUM(p.amount) AS mo_revenue
FROM rental AS r
JOIN payment AS p ON r.rental_id = p.rental_id
JOIN inventory AS i ON r.inventory_id = i.inventory_id
JOIN film_category AS f ON i.film_id = f.film_id
JOIN category AS c ON f.category_id = c.category_id
WHERE extract_month(r.rental_date) IN (6,7,8)
GROUP BY rental_yr, rental_mo, film_genre
ORDER BY rental_yr, rental_mo, film_genre;
```



```

--Test Code
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_detail;

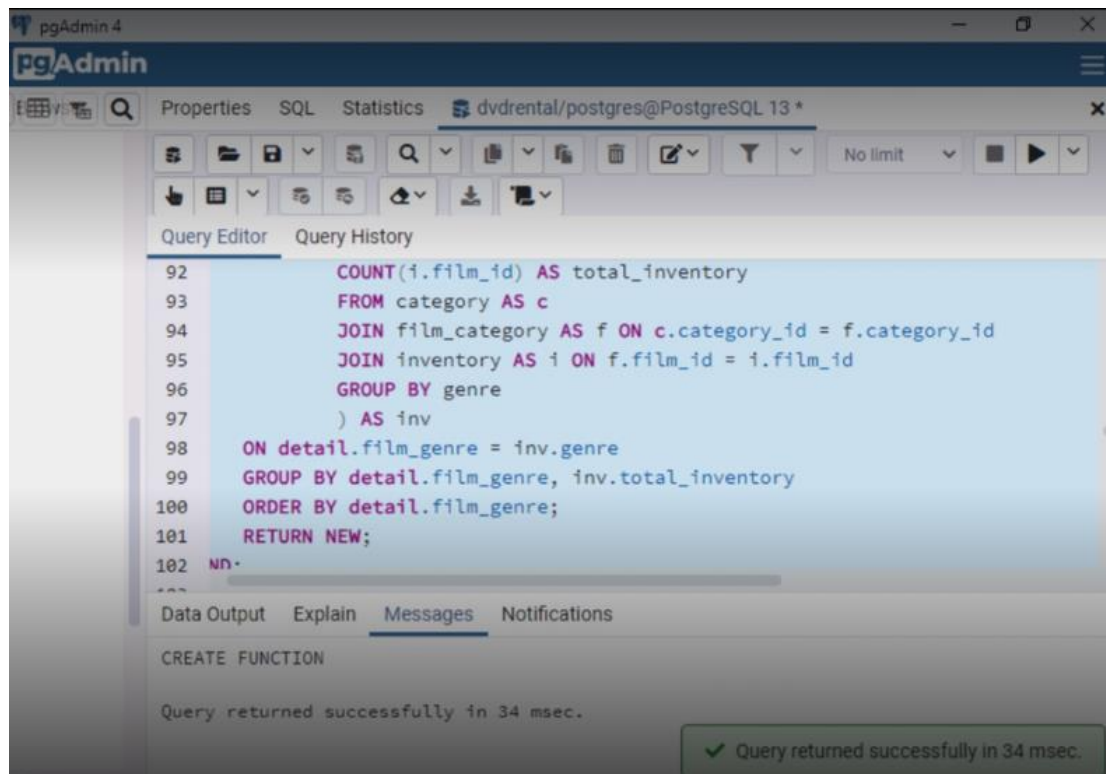
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**E. Provide original SQL code in a text format that creates a trigger on the detailed table of the report that will continually update the summary table as data is added to the detailed table**

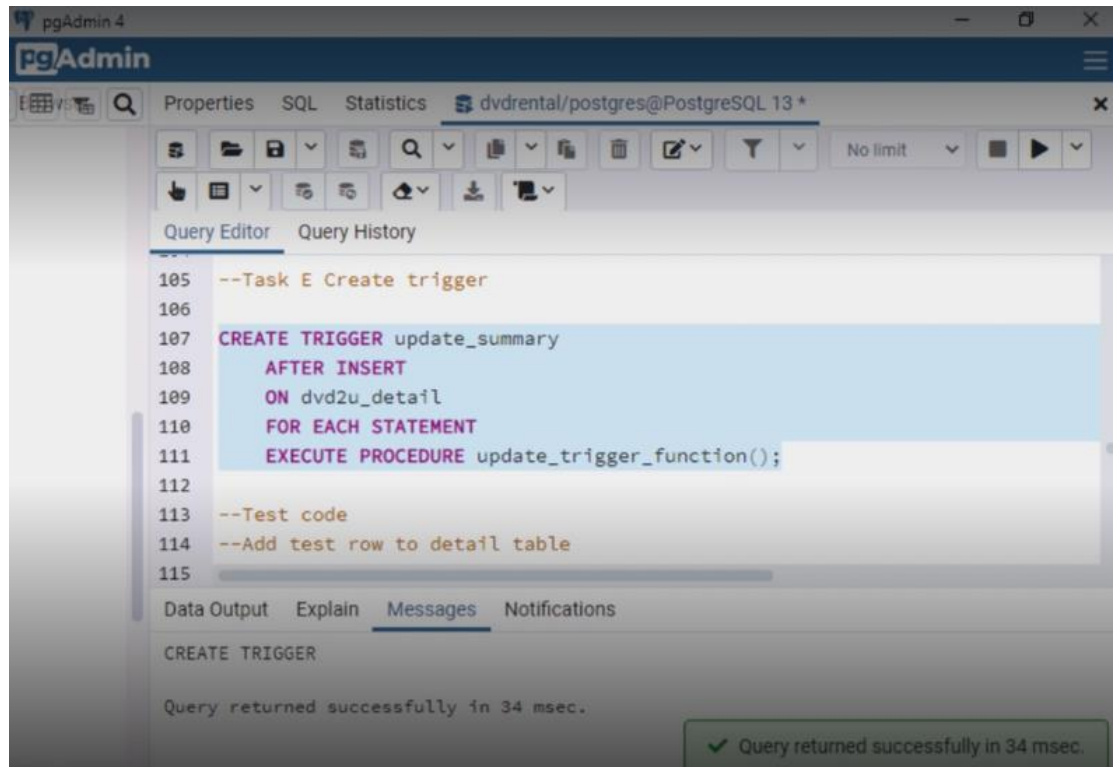
--Task E Create trigger function

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION update_trigger_function()
  RETURNS TRIGGER
  LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS $$
BEGIN
  DELETE FROM dvd2u_summary;
  INSERT INTO dvd2u_summary
  SELECT detail.film_genre,
         SUM(detail.mo_revenue) AS total_revenue,
         inv.total_inventory
  FROM dvd2u_detail AS detail
  JOIN (
    SELECT c.name as genre,
           COUNT(i.film_id) AS total_inventory
    FROM category AS c
    JOIN film_category AS f ON c.category_id = f.category_id
    JOIN inventory AS i ON f.film_id = i.film_id
    GROUP BY genre
  ) AS inv
  ON detail.film_genre = inv.genre
  GROUP BY detail.film_genre, inv.total_inventory
  ORDER BY detail.film_genre;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
$$;
```



--Task E Create trigger

```
CREATE TRIGGER update_summary  
  AFTER INSERT  
  ON dvd2u_detail  
  FOR EACH STATEMENT  
  EXECUTE PROCEDURE update_trigger_function();
```



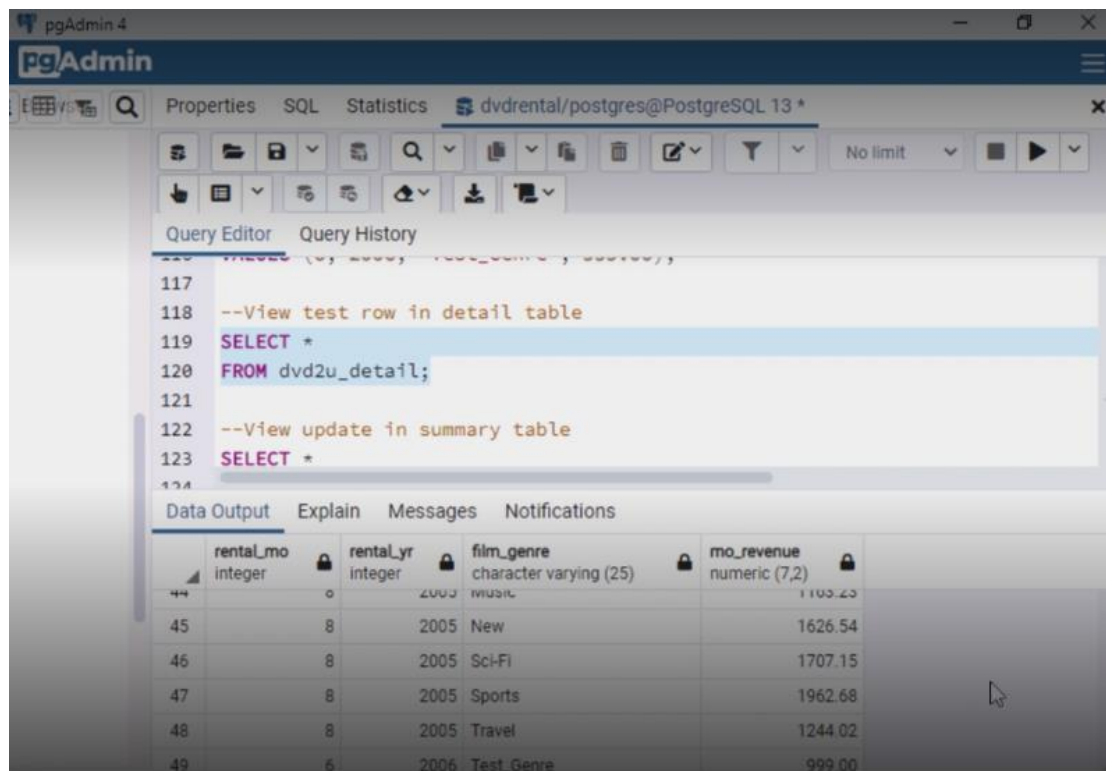
--Test code

--Add test row to detail table

```
INSERT INTO dvd2u_detail(rental_mo, rental_yr, film_genre, mo_revenue)  
VALUES (6, 2006, Test_Genre, 999.00);
```

--View test row in detail table

```
SELECT *  
FROM dvd2u_detail;
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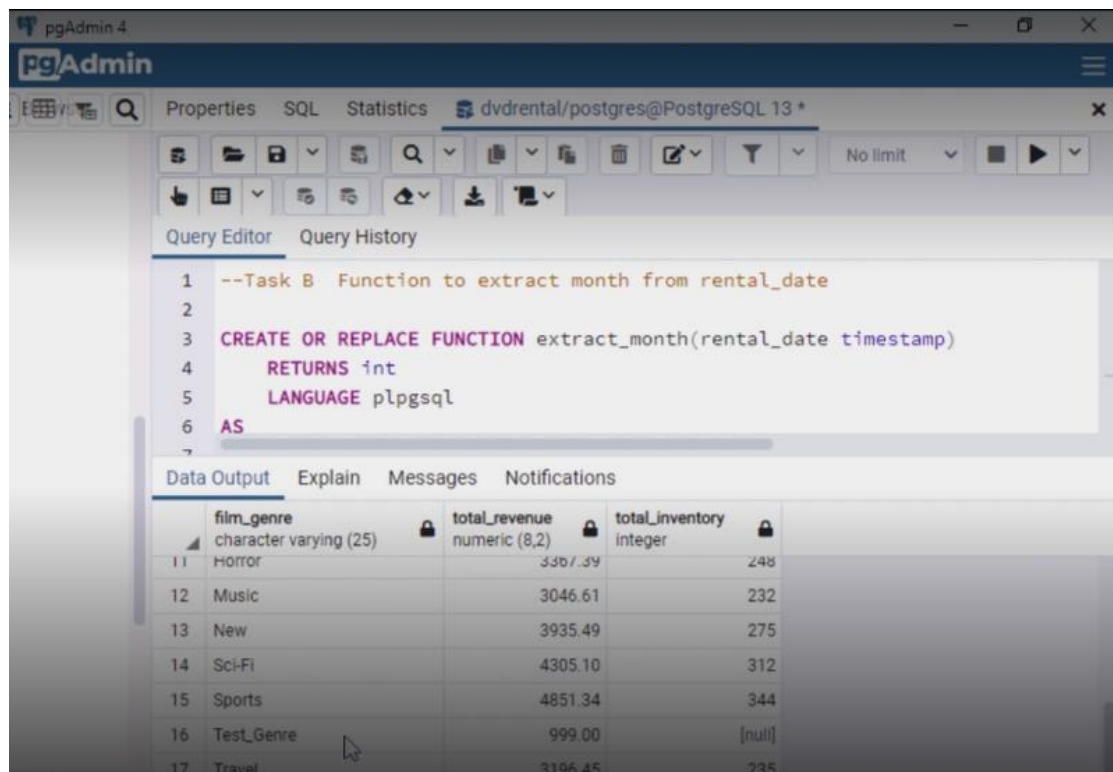
The screenshot shows the pgAdmin 4 interface. The top bar indicates the connection is to 'dvdrental/postgres@PostgreSQL 13 \*'. The 'Query Editor' tab is active, displaying a SQL script. The script includes a comment '--View test row in detail table' followed by a 'SELECT \* FROM dvd2u\_detail;' query. Below the query editor, the 'Data Output' tab is selected, showing the results of the query in a table format. The table has five columns: 'rental\_mo' (integer), 'rental\_yr' (integer), 'film\_genre' (character varying (25)), and 'mo\_revenue' (numeric (7,2)). The results show six rows of data, with the last row being the test row added in the previous step.

	rental_mo integer	rental_yr integer	film_genre character varying (25)	mo_revenue numeric (7,2)
44	0	2005	music	1103.23
45	8	2005	New	1626.54
46	8	2005	Sci-Fi	1707.15
47	8	2005	Sports	1962.68
48	8	2005	Travel	1244.02
49	6	2006	Test_Genre	999.00



--View update in summary table

```
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_summary;
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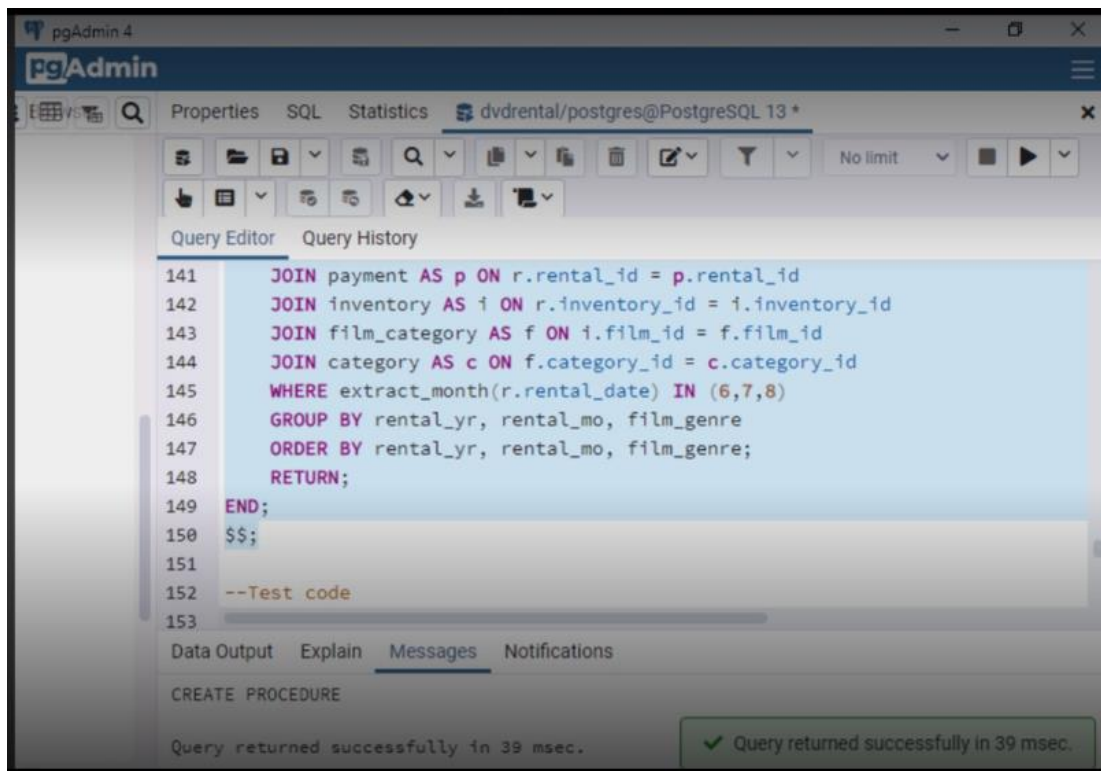
The screenshot shows the pgAdmin 4 interface. The top bar indicates the connection is 'dvdrental/postgres@PostgreSQL 13 \*'. The 'Query Editor' tab is active, displaying a SQL script. The script includes a comment '--Task B Function to extract month from rental\_date', followed by a 'CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION' statement for 'extract\_month' which takes a 'timestamp' and returns an 'int'. The function body is currently empty, marked with 'AS' and a placeholder for the function body. Below the query editor, the 'Data Output' tab is active, showing a table with three columns: 'film\_genre', 'total\_revenue', and 'total\_inventory'. The table contains seven rows of data, including genres like Horror, Music, New, Sci-Fi, Sports, Test\_Genre, and Travel.

	film_genre character varying (25)	total_revenue numeric (8,2)	total_inventory integer
11	Horror	3367.39	248
12	Music	3046.61	232
13	New	3935.49	275
14	Sci-Fi	4305.10	312
15	Sports	4851.34	344
16	Test_Genre	999.00	[null]
17	Travel	3196.45	235

**F. Provide an original stored procedure in a text format that can be used to refresh the data in both the detailed table and summary table. The procedure should clear the contents of the detailed table and summary table and perform the raw data extraction from part D.**

/\*Task F Create a stored procedure to clear contents of detail & summary table and perform data extraction from part D\*/

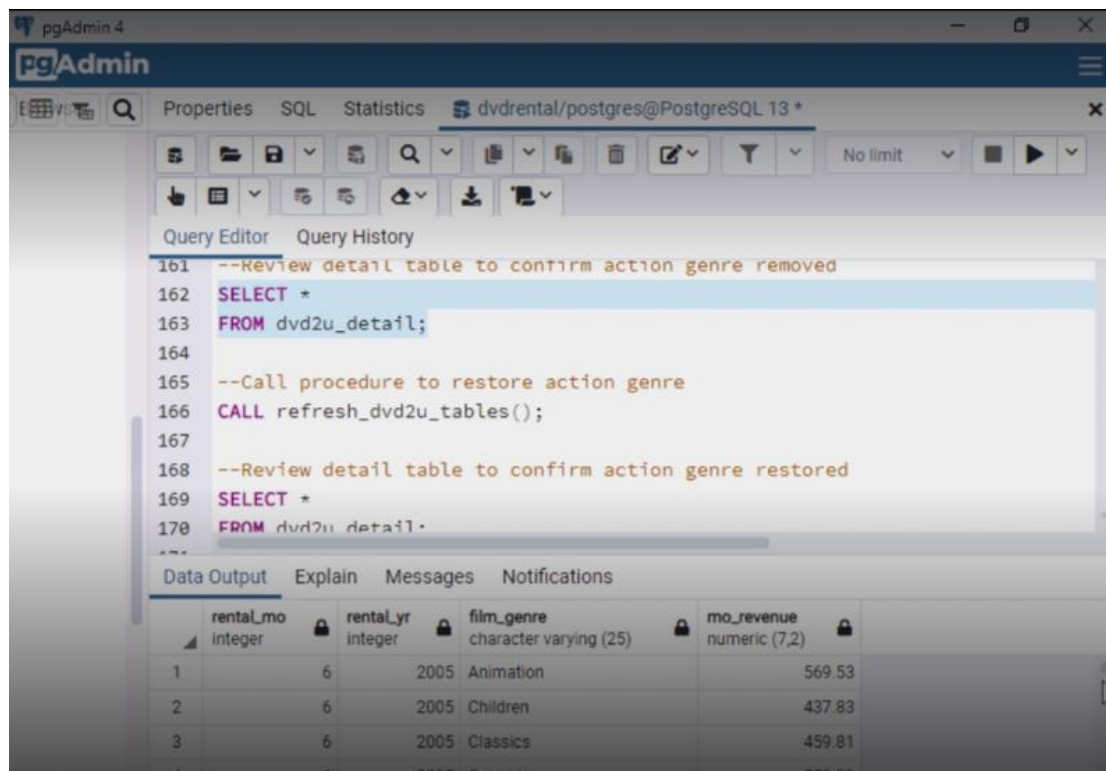
```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE refresh_dvd2u_tables()
LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS $$
BEGIN
    DELETE FROM dvd2u_detail;
    DELETE FROM dvd2u_summary;
    INSERT INTO dvd2u_detail
    SELECT      extract_month(r.rental_date) AS rental_mo,
                extract_year(r.rental_date) AS rental_yr,
                c.name AS film_genre,
                SUM(p.amount) AS mo_revenue
    FROM rental AS r
    JOIN payment AS p ON r.rental_id = p.rental_id
    JOIN inventory AS i ON r.inventory_id = i.inventory_id
    JOIN film_category AS f ON i.film_id = f.film_id
    JOIN category AS c ON f.category_id = c.category_id
    WHERE extract_month(r.rental_date) IN (6,7,8)
    GROUP BY rental_yr, rental_mo, film_genre
    ORDER BY rental_yr, rental_mo, film_genre;
RETURN;
END;
$$;
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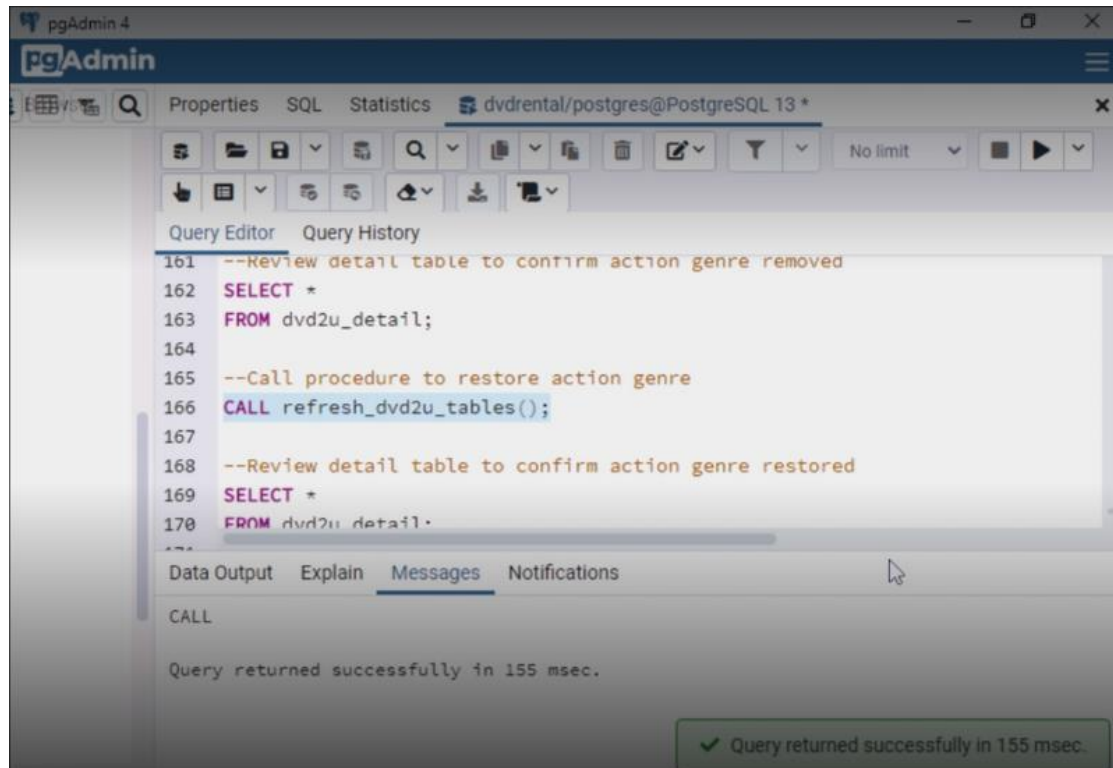
```
--Test code
--Review detail table
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_detail;
```

```
--Remove action genre
DELETE FROM dvd2u_detail
WHERE film_genre = 'Action';
```

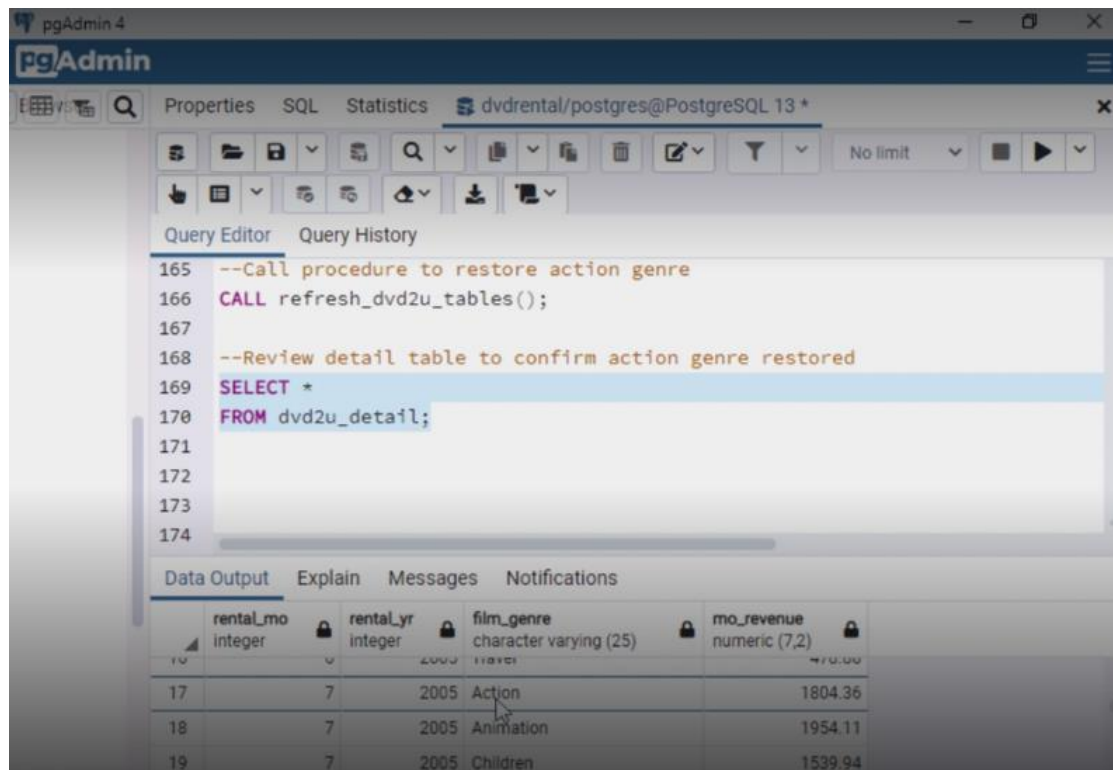
```
--Review detail table to confirm action genre removed
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_detail;
```



--Call procedure to restore action genre  
CALL refresh\_dvd2u\_tables();



```
--Review detail table to confirm action genre restored
SELECT *
FROM dvd2u_detail;
```



# 1. Identify a relevant job scheduling tool that can be used to automate the stored procedure.

Because PostgreSQL does not have its own built-in scheduler, pgAgent can be used to execute the stored procedure. Scheduling can be managed by pgAdmin 4 but must be manually installed, as it is not part of the default installation. Once installed, a user would right click on pgAgent Jobs to create a new job that would automatically execute the stored procedure per user-defined execution steps (Dias, H., 2020).

## References

Dias, H. (2020). *An Overview of Job Scheduling Tools for PostgreSQL*.  
<https://severalnines.com/blog/overview-job-scheduling-tools-postgresql/>