

Code examples from lectures

Database administration

# **Database administration**

# **DCL**

1. Create a Role for Database Read Operations:

```
CREATE ROLE readonly;
```

- **CREATE ROLE**: Creates a new role in the database.
- Creates a role named readonly for database read operations.
- 2. Create a Role for Database Write Operations:

```
CREATE ROLE readwrite;
```

- Creates a role named readwrite for database write operations.
- 3. Create a User with a Password:

```
CREATE USER mykola WITH PASSWORD 'securePassword';
```

- CREATE USER: Creates a new database user.
- Creates a user named mykola with the password 'securePassword'.
- 4. Grant Role to a User:

```
GRANT readonly TO mykola;
```

- **GRANT**: Assigns privileges or roles to users or roles.
- Grants the readonly role to the user mykola.
- 5. Create Another User with More Privileges:

```
CREATE USER patron WITH PASSWORD 'anotherSecurePassword';
GRANT readwrite TO patron;
```

• Creates a user named patron with the password 'anotherSecurePassword' and grants the readwrite role to this user.

# 6. Grant Select Privilege to Readonly Role:

```
GRANT SELECT ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA myshop TO readonly;
```

• Grants the SELECT privilege on all tables in the myshop schema to the readonly role.

# 7. Grant Select, Insert, Update, Delete Privileges to Readwrite Role:

```
GRANT SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA myshop TO readwrite;
```

o Grants SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, and DELETE privileges on all tables in the myshop schema to the readwrite role.

### 8. Grant Privileges on Future Tables Automatically:

```
ALTER DEFAULT PRIVILEGES IN SCHEMA myshop GRANT SELECT ON TABLES TO readonly;
ALTER DEFAULT PRIVILEGES IN SCHEMA myshop GRANT SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE ON TABLES TO readwrite;
```

- **ALTER DEFAULT PRIVILEGES**: Changes the default access privileges for objects created in the future.
- Ensures that any new tables created in the myshop schema will automatically grant SELECT privilege to the readonly role and SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE privileges to the readwrite role.

### 9. Grant Update Privileges on Specific Table:

```
GRANT UPDATE ON myshop.products TO readwrite;
```

• Grants UPDATE privilege on the products table in the myshop schema to the readwrite role.

# 10. Revoke Delete Privileges from Specific Table:

```
REVOKE DELETE ON myshop.clients FROM readwrite;
```

- **REVOKE**: Removes privileges or roles from users or roles.
- Revokes the DELETE privilege on the clients table in the myshop schema from the readwrite role.

# 11. Temporarily Add User to Readwrite Group:

```
GRANT readwrite TO mykola;
```

• Temporarily grants the readwrite role to the user mykola.

# 12. Remove User from Readwrite Group:

```
REVOKE readwrite FROM mykola;
```

• Removes the readwrite role from the user mykola.

#### 13. Allow Readwrite Role to Create New Tables:

```
ALTER ROLE readwrite CREATEROLE CREATEDB;
```

- ALTER ROLE: Modifies attributes of a database role.
- Grants the readwrite role the ability to create new roles (CREATEROLE) and databases (CREATEDB).

# 14. Set a Role to Login:

```
ALTER ROLE readonly LOGIN;
```

• Enables the readonly role to be used for logging into the database.

#### 15. View Role Table Grants:

```
SELECT grantee, privilege_type
FROM information_schema.role_table_grants
WHERE grantee IN ('readonly', 'readwrite');
```

- **information\_schema**: A system schema that provides access to database metadata.
- **role\_table\_grants**: A view that shows the privileges granted on tables.
- Retrieves the list of privileges (privilege\_type) granted to the roles readonly and readwrite.

# **Transactions**

# 1. Simple Transaction with Commit:

```
BEGIN;
INSERT INTO products (name, quantity) VALUES ('Tablet', 10);
COMMIT;
```

- **BEGIN**: Starts a new transaction.
- **INSERT INTO**: Adds new rows to a table.
- **COMMIT**: Ends the transaction, making all changes permanent.
- Inserts a product named 'Tablet' with a quantity of 10 into the products table and commits the transaction.

#### 2. Transaction with Rollback Due to Error:

```
INSERT INTO clients (name) VALUES ('Petro');
-- Assuming there is a business rule that an order can't be placed without
specifying a product
INSERT INTO orders (order_id, client_id) VALUES (3, (SELECT client_id FROM clients WHERE name = 'Petro'));
-- If the order addition fails or is invalid
ROLLBACK;
```

- **ROLLBACK**: Ends the transaction, discarding all changes made during the transaction.
- Starts a transaction, inserts a client named 'Petro', and attempts to insert an order for 'Petro'. If the order insertion fails due to a business rule or error, the transaction is rolled back, discarding all changes.

# 3. Transaction with Savepoints:

```
BEGIN;

-- Add a new client
INSERT INTO clients (name) VALUES ('Maria');

-- Create a savepoint after adding the client
SAVEPOINT client_added;

-- Attempt to add an order
INSERT INTO orders (order_id, client_id)
VALUES (4, (SELECT client_id FROM clients WHERE name = 'Maria'));

-- Assume the order addition failed due to some validation or check
ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT client_added;

-- Try adding a different order
INSERT INTO orders (order_id, client_id)
VALUES (5, (SELECT client_id FROM clients WHERE name = 'Maria'));

COMMIT;
```

- **SAVEPOINT**: Sets a savepoint within a transaction to which you can later roll back.
- **ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT**: Rolls back part of a transaction to a savepoint.
- Starts a transaction, inserts a client named 'Maria', and creates a savepoint. Attempts to insert an order for 'Maria' and if it fails, rolls back to the savepoint, then tries to insert a different order and commits the transaction.

#### 4. Transaction with Multiple Inserts and Conditional Commit or Rollback:

```
BEGIN;
-- Add a new category
INSERT INTO categories (name) VALUES ('Gadgets');
-- Add a new product linked to the newly added category
INSERT INTO products (name, quantity) VALUES ('Smartwatch', 50);
```

Starts a transaction, inserts a new category 'Gadgets', inserts a new product
 'Smartwatch' and links it to 'Gadgets', inserts a new client 'Eva', and creates an order for
 'Eva'. If all operations succeed, commits the transaction. If any step fails, rolls back the
 entire transaction.