

PL/SQL FUNCTIONS & PROCEDURES

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- A Procedure / Function is a logically grouped set of SQL & PL/SQL statements that perform a specific task.
- As stated, PL/SQL functions are typically used to compute a value. There are many built-in functions such as Systime, Sum, Avg. & To_Date.
- Developers also create their own functions when writing applications.
- The code for a PL/SQL function must contain a Return statement.

Procedures & Functions are made up of

- ① A declarative Part
- ② Executable Part
- ③ Exception handling Part

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Where do stored procedures & functions reside?

Stored in the Oracle Database. Can be invoked or called by any application using that function.

Syntax of PL/SQL Functions

CREATE [OR REPLACE] Function function_name

(Parameter 1, Parameter 2) RETURN datatype

↑ user defined

↑ Function header

Can have
0 Parameters or
n no. of Parameters

IS:

DECLARE Variable, constant etc ;

} Execution Part

BEGIN

Executable statements

Return (Return value);

END ;

Indicates
end of
header function

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Program 1 - Create and call a standalone function which returning the total no. of customers in the customer table.

Select * from customers;

CREATE OR REPLACE Function TotalCustomers {

 RETURN number IS

 Total number (2) := 0;

Function
Created

BEGIN

 SELECT count(*) into total From customers;

 RETURN total;

END;

Calling a function to return /show total no. of customers

DECLARE

 c number (2);

BEGIN

 c := total_customers();

 dbms_output.put_line ('Total no. of customers:' || c);

END;

Program 2 - Create & call a function to compute tax ~~of the~~ on the salary of the employees.

Create a replace function ctax (Sal number)

return number

as

Begin

 if Sal < 2000 then

 return Sal * .10;

else

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    return Sal * .20;  
end if;  
end;
```

} Function created

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How to use the CTax() on the table;

Select & from Customers;

Select ename, sal, CTax(sal) from customers;

Procedures

- These programs do not return a value directly. Mainly used to perform an action.

Parts of SubProgram Procedure

(1) Declarative Part (2) Executable Part (3) Exception handling

Creating a Procedure (Syntax)

Create [OR Replace] Procedure Procedure_name

[(Parameter_name [IN | OUT | INOUT], data type ...)]

(IS | AS)

BEGIN

<Procedure body>

END

- IN represents that value that will be passed from outside. (By default) Send values to Stored Procedures
- OUT represents the Parameter that will be used to return a value outside of the procedure. used to get values from stored procedures
- Procedure body containing executable part.

Example 1) The following example creates a simple procedure that displays the string 'Hello world' on the screen when executed.

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CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE greetings
IS/AS
BEGIN
    dbms_output.put_line ('Hello world');
END;
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Executing a standalone procedure

- (a) using Execute keyword (b) calling name of the procedure from PL/SQL block

(a) Execute greetings ; O/P Hello world.

(b) BEGIN
 greetings ;
END ;

Deleting a standalone Procedure

Syntax

```
DROP PROCEDURE Procedure_name;
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Example

```
DROP PROCEDURE greetings;
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IN OUT Mode Example

An INOUT Parameter passes an initial value to a Subprogram & returning an updated value to the Caller.

IN & OUT Mode Example

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Program(2) Find minimum of two values. Here Procedure takes two numbers using the IN Mode & returns their minimum using OUT parameter.

DECLARE

a number;

b number;

c number;

Procedure findMin (X IN number, Y IN number, Z OUT number) IS

BEGIN

If X < Y Then

Z := X;

Else

Z := Y;

End If;

END;

BEGIN

a := 23;

b := 45;

findMin (a, b, c);

Output, put-line ("minimum of (23, 45) is " || c);

END;

O/P - Minimum of (23, 45) : 23

Notes

Create a
function

Program 3 - How to create PL/SQL stored Procedure & call it

CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE Rebellion IS

var_name Varchar(20) := 'Malumde';
var_web Varchar(20) := 'edu.com';

BEGIN

DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('what's up Internet? I am' || var_name || 'from'
|| var_web);

END Rebellion;

O/P : Procedure Rebellion compiled

Two ways to call a Procedure

① EXECUTE Rebellion;

EXEC Rebellion;

② BEGIN
Rebellion;
END;

Program 4 - How to create PL/SQL Stored Procedures with Parameters

Create OR Replace Procedure emp_Sal (dep_id Number, Sal_raise Number)

IS ~~sal~~ := 20000;

BEGIN

update employees SET Salary = Salary * Sal_raise where
department_id = dep_Id;

END

Column name

O/P : Procedure emp_Sal compiled

To call a Procedure

BEGIN

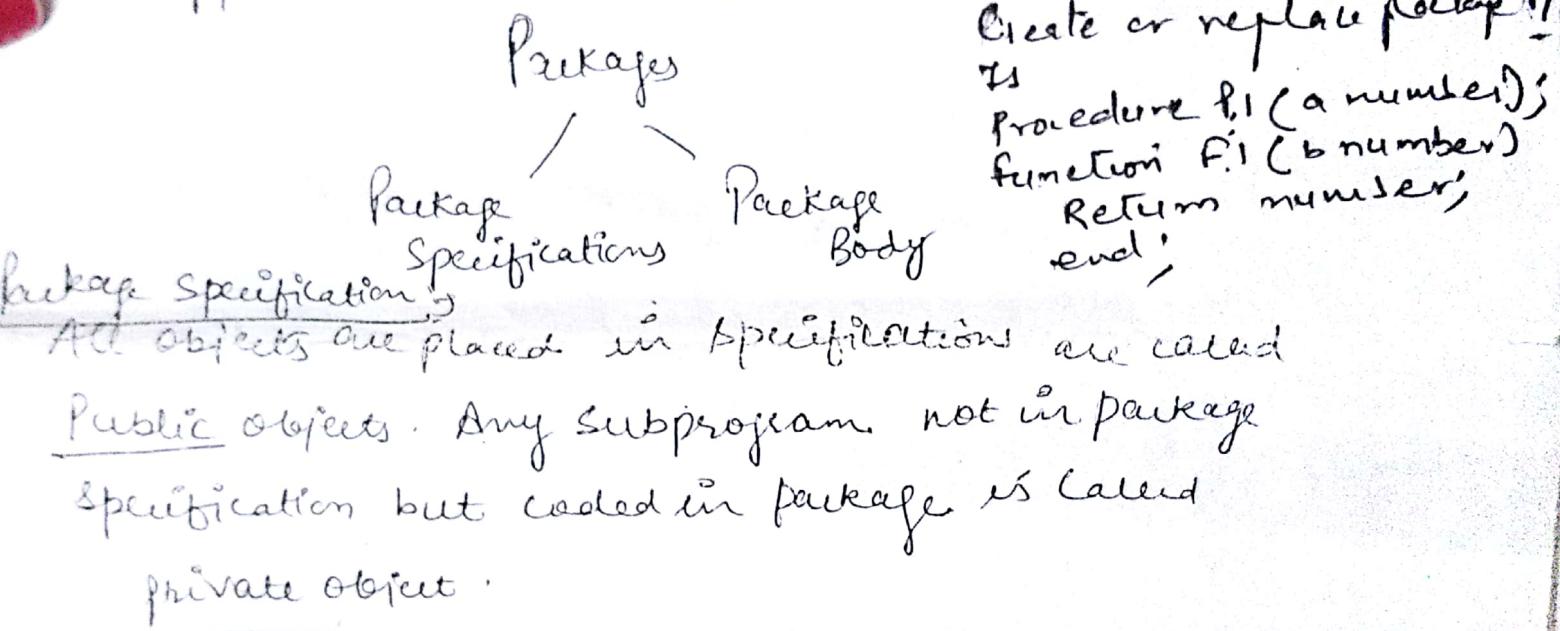
emp_Sal (10, 2);

END

Create Table Employees (name Varchar(20), department_id number(20),
Salary Integer).

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A Package is schema object that groups logically related PL/SQL types, Variables, Constants, Subprograms, Cursors & exceptions. A package is compiled & stored in database where many applications can share its contents.



CREATE PACKAGE cust_sal AS

PROCEDURE find_sal (C_id customers.id%TYPE);
END cust_sal;

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Package created

Package Body:

CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE BODY cust_sal AS

PROCEDURE find_sal (C_id customers.id%TYPE)
IS

C_Sal Customers. Salary% TYPE;

BEGIN

SELECT salary INTO c_sal
FROM customers
WHERE id=c_id;

dbms_output.put_line ('Salary: ' || c_sal);

END find_sal;

END cust_sal;

Package Body Created

Package Specification

CREATE OR REPLACE PACKAGE C_package AS

- Adds a customer -

PROCEDURE addcustomer (C_id customers. id%TYPE,

C_name customers. name%TYPE,

C_addr customers. address%TYPE,

C_Sal customers. salary%TYPE);

- - - Removes a customer -

PROCEDURE delcustomer (C_id customers. id

%TYPE);

- - List all customers

PROCEDURE listcustomer;

END C_package;

Declare
num emp.empno%TYPE;
begin
emp.sal := find_sal(num);
end; d.o.p.e ('||num);
end;

Create or replace package body
PI
is
procedure PI (a number)
is
begin
dbms_output (''||a);
end;
Function f, c number
Ret

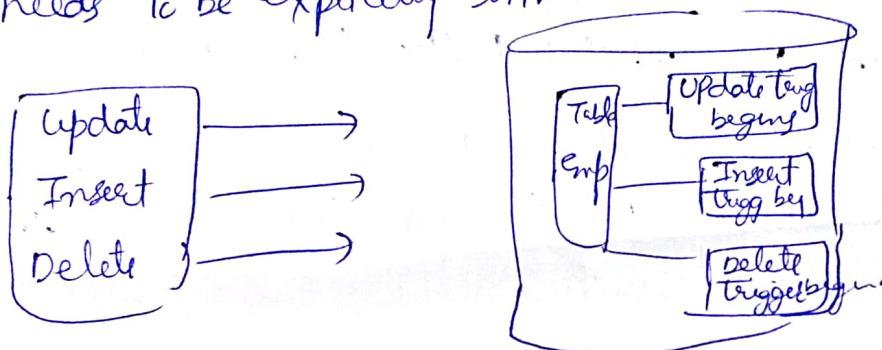
end;
end';

begin PI.PI(5);
package end;
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TRIGGERS

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- A database trigger is a stored procedure that is fired when an Insert, Update or Delete statements is issued against the associated table.
- A trigger can include SQL & PL/SQL statements to execute it as a unit.
- A trigger is automatically executed without any action required by the user. A stored procedure on other hand needs to be explicitly invoked.



use of database Triggers

- To derive column values automatically
- To enforce complex integrity constraints
- Database Trigger vs Procedure
 - Trigger do not accept Parameters
 - A trigger is automatically updated
 - Procedures can accept Parameters
 - A stored Procedure needs to be explicitly invoked.

Parts of a Trigger

- ① Trigger event / statement - is the SQL statement that causes a trigger to be fired

2) Trigger constraint or Restrictions

- specifies a boolean expression that must be true for the trigger to fire - Trigger actions are not executed if the trigger restriction evaluates to false.

3) Trigger action - is the procedure that contains SQL statements & PL/SQL code to be executed when a triggering statement is issued.

TYPES OF TRIGGERS

1. Row level Triggers - executes once for each row in a transaction. commands of RLT are executed on all rows that are affected by the command.

Example - If a update statement updates multiple rows of a table, a row trigger is fired once for each row affected by the update statement

2. Statement level Triggers - SCT are triggered only once for each Transaction

For example - when an update command updates 15 rows, the commands contained in the trigger are executed only once.

DLT are the default types of trigger created via Create Trigger command

3. Before & After Trigger when trigger is defined, You can specify whether the trigger must occur before or after the triggering event i.e Insert, update or Delete command.

Batch Time:

Roll Number:

Date:

Name of Candidate:

SYNTAX FOR CREATING A TRIGGER

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CREATE [OR REPLACE] TRIGGER trigger_name

Trig event { { BEFORE | AFTER }
 { DELETE | [OR] INSERT | [OR] UPDATE [OF column_name, ...]
 ON table_name }

[Reference { OLD AS old, NEW AS new }] } Trigger restrictions
 [FOR Each Row [when condition ...]]

DECLARE

Variable declaration ;

Constant declaration ;

BEGIN

PL/SQL SubProgram Body ;

[Exception
 exception PL/SQL block;]

END

To trigger actions

Program 1 - To create a trigger for the emp table , which makes the entry in EName column in upper case .

CREATE OR REPLACE Trigger upper_Trigger

Before Insert OR update of Ename ON emp

For each row

BEGIN

:new.Ename := upper(:new.ename);

END;

Program 2 - To Create a trigger on the emp table which shows the old values & new value of ename after any update on ename of emp table

Create or Replace Trigger Emp_Update

After update of EName on Emp for each Row

BEGIN

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DBMS_output.Put_line ('old Name: ' || :old.ename);
----- ('New Name: ' || :new.ename );
END;
```

Program 3: To create a trigger so that no operation can be performed on Emp table on Sunday 11/17/1981.

Create OR Replace Trigger Emp_Sunday

Before Insert OR Update or Delete on Emp.

BEGIN

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IF RTRIM(upper(TO_CHAR(SYSDATE,'Day'))) = 'SUNDAY' THEN
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Raise_application_error (-20022, 'No operation can be performed on Sunday');

END IF;

END;