

# Day 14



# USER-DEFINED FUNCTIONS

Extend functionality

Complex custom calculations

Safe languages

SQL

PL/pgSQL

Extended version of SQL

Unsafe languages

Python

C

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AS  
$$
```

```
$$
```



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```

```
AS
```

```
$$
```

```
DECLARE
```

```
<variable declaration>;
```

```
$$
```

# USER-DEFINED FUNCTIONS

```
SELECT first_func(3,4)
```

3+4 + 3

first_func	
integer	
1	10

```
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    RETURNS return_datatype
    LANGUAGE plpgsql [sql|c|...]
```

```
AS
```

```
$$
```

```
DECLARE
```

```
<variable declaration>;
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
<function_definition>;
```

```
END;
```

```
$$
```

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BEGIN
<function_definition>;
END;
$$
```

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BEGIN
<function_definition>;
END;
$$
```

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BEGIN
<function_definition>;
END;
$$
```

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    LANGUAGE plpgsql

AS
$$
DECLARE
<variable declaration>;
BEGIN
<function_definition>;
END;
$$
```

# USER-DEFINED FUNCTIONS

```
CREATE FUNCTION first_func(c1 INT, c2 INT)
    RETURNS INT
    LANGUAGE plpgsql

AS
$$
DECLARE
c3 INT;
BEGIN
<function_definition>;
END;
$$
```

# USER-DEFINED FUNCTIONS

```
CREATE FUNCTION first_func(c1 INT, c2 INT)
    RETURNS INT
    LANGUAGE plpgsql

AS
$$
DECLARE
c3 INT;
BEGIN
SELECT c1+c2+3;
END;
$$
```



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```
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    LANGUAGE plpgsql [sql|c|...]

AS
$$
DECLARE
c3 INT;
BEGIN
SELECT c1+c2+3
INTO c3;
RETURN c3;
END;
$$
```

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```
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    RETURNS INT
    LANGUAGE plpgsql

AS
$$
DECLARE

BEGIN

RETURN SELECT c1+c2+3;
END;
$$
```

# USER-DEFINED FUNCTIONS

```
CREATE FUNCTION first_func(c1 INT, c2 INT)
    RETURNS INT
    LANGUAGE plpgsql

AS
$$
DECLARE
c3 INT;
BEGIN
SELECT c1+c2+3
INTO c3
FROM table;
RETURN c3;
END;
```

# Challenge

Create a function that expects the customer's first and last name and returns the total amount of payments this customer has made.

```
20 SELECT name_search('AMY','LOPEZ')
```

```
21
```

```
22
```

Data Output

Explain

Messages

Notifications

	name_search
	numeric
1	127.71

# TRANSACTIONS

Unit of work

One or multiple operations

# TRANSACTIONS

Bank transfer

id [PK] integ	first_name text	last_name text	amount numeric (9,2)
1	Tim	Brown	2500.00
2	Sandra	Miller	1600.00

 100

One unit of work

# TRANSACTIONS

```
BEGIN TRANSACTION;
```

# TRANSACTIONS

```
BEGIN WORK;
```



# TRANSACTIONS

```
BEGIN;
```

# TRANSACTIONS

BEGIN;

OPERATION1;  
OPERATION2;

Not visible in other sessions  
(e.g. other users)

# TRANSACTIONS

BEGIN;

OPERATION1;  
OPERATION2;

COMMIT;

Not visible in other sessions  
(e.g. other users)

# TRANSACTIONS

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;  
OPERATION2;
```

```
COMMIT;
```

# Challenge

The two employees Miller McQuarter and Christalle McKenny have agreed to swap their positions incl. their salary.

emp_id [PK] integer	first_name text	last_name text	position_title text	salary numeric (8,2)
1	Morrie	Conaboy	CTO	21268.94
2	Miller	McQuarter	Head of BI	14614.00
3	Christalle	McKenny	Head of Sales	12587.00

# ROLLBACK

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;  
OPERATION2;
```

```
COMMIT;
```

# ROLLBACK

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;
```

```
OPERATION2;
```

```
ROLLBACK;
```

```
COMMIT;
```

Undo everything in the current transaction that has not been committed yet!

# ROLLBACK

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;  
OPERATION2;  
OPERATION3;  
OPERATION4;
```

```
ROLLBACK;  
COMMIT;
```



# ROLLBACK

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;
```

```
OPERATION2;
```

```
SAVEPOINT op2;
```

```
OPERATION3;
```

```
OPERATION4;
```

```
ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT op2;
```

```
COMMIT;
```

# ROLLBACK

```
BEGIN;
```

```
OPERATION1;
```

```
OPERATION2;
```

```
SAVEPOINT op2;
```

```
OPERATION3;
```

```
SAVEPOINT op3;
```

```
OPERATION4;
```

```
ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT op3;
```

```
COMMIT;
```

Savepoints work only within a  
current transaction

# ROLLBACK

BEGIN;

OPERATION1;

OPERATION2;

SAVEPOINT op2;

OPERATION3;

SAVEPOINT op3;

OPERATION4;

RELEASE SAVEPOINT op3;

COMMIT;

ROLLBACK;  
ends transaction

ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT;  
does not end transaction

Deleting a savepoint

# STORED PROCEDURES

User-defined function:  
`CREATE FUNCTION`

 Downside:  
They cannot execute transactions

`BEGIN;`

`COMMIT;`

`ROLLBACK;`

✓ Stored procedures:  
They support transactions

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CREATE PROCEDURE <procedure_name> (param1, param2,...)
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# STORED PROCEDURES

```
CREATE PROCEDURE <procedure_name> (param1, param2,...)
    LANGUAGE plpgsql [sql|c|...]
AS
$$
DECLARE
<variable declaration>
BEGIN
<procedure_definition>
END;
$$
```



# STORED PROCEDURES

```
CREATE FUNCTION <function_name> (param1, param2,...)
    RETURNS INT
    LANGUAGE plpgsql [sql|c|...]

AS
$$
DECLARE
<variable declaration>
BEGIN
<function_definition>
RETURN expression;
END;
$$
```

**Not possible in a  
stored procedure!**

# STORED PROCEDURES

```
CREATE PROCEDURE <procedure_name> (param1, param2,...)
    LANGUAGE plpgsql [sql|c|...]
AS
$$
DECLARE
<variable declaration>
BEGIN
<procedure_definition>
END;
$$
```

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AS
$$
DECLARE
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BEGIN
<procedure_definition>
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END;
$$
```

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```
CREATE PROCEDURE sp_transfer (tr_amount INT, sender INT, recipient INT)
    LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$
```

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```
CREATE PROCEDURE sp_transfer (tr_amount INT, sender INT, recipient INT)
    LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$
BEGIN
    -- subtract from sender's balance
    UPDATE acc_balance
    SET amount = amount - tr_amount
    WHERE id = sender;
```

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    LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS
$$
BEGIN
    -- subtract from sender's balance
    UPDATE acc_balance
    SET amount = amount - tr_amount
    WHERE id = sender;

    -- add to recipient's balance
    UPDATE acc_balance
    SET amount = amount + tr_amount
    WHERE id = recipient;
```

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AS
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    SET amount = amount - tr_amount
    WHERE id = sender;

    -- add to recipient's balance
    UPDATE acc_balance
    SET amount = amount + tr_amount
    WHERE id = recipient;

    COMMIT;
END;
$$
```



# STORED PROCEDURES

```
CALL <store_procedure_name> (param1, param2,...);
```

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```
CALL <store_procedure_name> (param1, param2,...);
```

```
sp_transfer (tr_amount, sender,recipient)
```

```
CALL sp_transfer (100, 1,2);
```

# Challenge

Create a stored procedure called `emp_swap` that accepts two parameters `emp1` and `emp2` as input and swaps the two employees' position and salary. Test the stored procedure with `emp_id` 2 and 3.

<b>emp_id</b> [PK] integer	<b>first_name</b> text	<b>last_name</b> text	<b>position_title</b> text	<b>salary</b> numeric (8,2)
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