

# Eine Tour durch PostgreSQL-Contrib

## Extend Your Database Server

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# CREATE EXTENSION

```
postgres=# CREATE EXTENSION <tab><tab>
fuzzystrmatch pg_trgm plsh cube autoinc chkpass lo btree_gin btree_gist
test_parser ppython3u adminpack postgis_topology prefix tablefunc
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timetravel dict_int dblink plperlu pgmp ppython2u intagg pageinspect
dict_xsyn
```

# CREATE EXTENSION

- Neue Funktionen
- Datentypen
- Index-Methoden
- Procedural Languages (PL)
- Trigger
- Statistiken

# CREATE EXTENSION

- PostgreSQL "contrib"
- Viele weitere im Internet (github, pgfoundry, pgxn, ...)
- Debian/Ubuntu: [apt.postgresql.org](http://apt.postgresql.org)
- CREATE EXTENSION seit PostgreSQL 9.1
- Vorher `\i /usr/share/postgresql/8.4/contrib/foobar.sql`
- Vereinfachtes Handling, Backup

```
CREATE EXTENSION "uuid-oss";
```

```
# select uuid_generate_v1();  
       uuid_generate_v1
```

```
-----  
6eb92d28-4634-11e3-ae7a-001f29960aed
```



# CREATE EXTENSION pg\_trgm;

- String wird in Trigramme zerlegt  
cat → " c", " ca", "cat", "at "
- Abstand zwischen Strings: <->

```
# select 'Oberhausen' <-> 'Essen';  
?column?  
-----  
0.866667
```

- CREATE INDEX ON test\_trgm USING gist (t gist\_trgm\_ops);  
CREATE INDEX ON test\_trgm USING gin (t gin\_trgm\_ops);
- "Meinten Sie ...?"

```
SELECT t, t <-> 'word' AS dist  
FROM suchbegriffe  
ORDER BY dist LIMIT 10;
```

```
CREATE EXTENSION plsh;
```

```
CREATE FUNCTION ls(text) RETURNS text AS '  
#!/bin/sh  
ls -l "$1"  
' LANGUAGE plsh;  
  
SELECT ls ('/etc/passwd');  
ls
```

---

```
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 2818 Feb 7 2013 /etc/passwd
```

# CREATE EXTENSION cube;

- Multidimensional Cubes

```
# select '(5,7)::cube <@ '[(3,3),(8,8)]' AS punkt_im_rech  
punkt_im_rechteck
```

-----

t

- GiST-Support





# CREATE EXTENSION earthdistance;

```
select earth_distance(ll_to_earth(51,6), ll_to_earth(52,10));  
earth_distance  
-----  
298660.368346433
```



# CREATE EXTENSION postgis;

- Größte Extension, eigenes Open Source-Projekt



- Geo-Datentypen, OpenGIS, ISO SQL/MM
- "Welche Grundstücke liegen an dieser Straße?"
- Raster-Daten
- Routenplanung

# CREATE EXTENSION pg\_stat\_statements;

- Liste der ausgeführten Queries
- Verbessert seit PostgreSQL 9.2
- # SELECT query, calls, total\_time, rows, 100.0 \* shared\_blks\_hit / nullif(shared\_blks\_hit + shared\_blks\_read, 0) AS hit\_percent

```
FROM pg_stat_statements ORDER BY total_time DESC LIMIT 5;
```

```
-[ RECORD 1 ]-----
```

```
query      | UPDATE pgbench_branches SET bbalance = bbalance + ? WHERE bid =  
calls      | 3000  
total_time | 9609.001000000002  
rows       | 2836  
hit_percent | 99.9778970000200936
```

```
-[ RECORD 2 ]-----
```

```
query      | UPDATE pgbench_tellers SET tbalance = tbalance + ? WHERE tid = ?  
calls      | 3000  
total_time | 8015.156  
rows       | 2990  
hit_percent | 99.9731126579631345
```

```
-[ RECORD 3 ]-----
```

```
query      | copy pgbench_accounts from stdin  
calls      | 1  
total_time | 310.624  
rows       | 100000  
hit_percent | 0.30395136778115501520
```



# CREATE EXTENSION plpythonu;

- plpython2u, plpython3u
- "untrusted": CREATE FUNCTION nur für Superuser
- CREATE FUNCTION pymax (a integer, b integer)

```
RETURNS integer
```

```
AS $$
```

```
if a > b:
```

```
    return a
```

```
return b
```

```
$$ LANGUAGE plpythonu;
```

# CREATE EXTENSION adminpack;

- Support-Funktionen für pgAdmin3 ("Server-Instrumentierung")
- Files lesen/schreiben
- postgresql.conf, pg\_hba.conf, Logfiles



# CREATE EXTENSION prefix;

- Präfix-Matching mit Index-Support

- ```
SELECT *
  FROM prefixes
 WHERE prefix @> '01805'
 ORDER BY length(prefix) DESC
 LIMIT 1;
```

# CREATE EXTENSION tablefunc;

- normal\_rand, connectby
- crosstab

```
CREATE TABLE ct(id SERIAL, rowid TEXT, attribute TEXT, value TEXT);
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test1','att1','val1');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test1','att2','val2');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test1','att3','val3');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test1','att4','val4');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test2','att1','val5');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test2','att2','val6');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test2','att3','val7');
INSERT INTO ct(rowid, attribute, value) VALUES('test2','att4','val8');
```

```
SELECT *
FROM crosstab(
    'select rowid, attribute, value
    from ct
    order by 1,2')
AS ct(row_name text, a1 text, a2 text, a3 text, a4 text);
```

| row_name | a1   | a2   | a3   | a4   |
|----------|------|------|------|------|
| test1    | val1 | val2 | val3 | val4 |
| test2    | val5 | val6 | val7 | val8 |

# CREATE EXTENSION plperl;

- Trusted, CREATE FUNCTION für alle erlaubt
- Keine Perl-Module erlaubt (use)
- create function match(text, text)

returns boolean as \$\$

```
($a, $b) = @_;
```

```
return $a =~ $b;
```

```
$$ language plperl;
```



```
CREATE EXTENSION postgres_fdw;
```

```
create table t (t text);  
insert into t values ('Hallo Welt');
```

```
create server loopback foreign data wrapper postgres_fdw  
options (port '5432');  
create user mapping for current_user server loopback ;  
create foreign table t2 (t text) server loopback  
options (table_name 't');
```

```
select * from t2;  
t
```

```
-----  
Hallo Welt
```

# CREATE EXTENSION dblink;

- Zugriff auf andere PostgreSQL-Datenbanken
- Älteres Interface als postgres\_fdw

```
CREATE VIEW myremote_pg_proc AS
SELECT *
  FROM dblink('dbname=postgres', 'select proname, prosrc
  AS t1(proname name, prosrc text);

SELECT * FROM myremote_pg_proc WHERE proname LIKE 'bytea%'
```



# CREATE EXTENSION hstore;

- Perl-Style Hashes
- Semi-strukturierte Daten
- ```
SELECT 'name => "Berg", vorname => "Christoph",  
      firma => "credativ"::hstore;  
      hstore
```

---

```
"name"=>"Berg", "firma"=>"credativ", "vorname"=>"Christoph"
```

- ```
SELECT h->'name';
```
- Index-Support

# CREATE EXTENSION plpgsql;

- PL/pgSQL: SQL + prozedurale Elemente
- Per Default installiert
- CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION get\_all\_foo() RETURNS SETOF foo AS

```
$BODY$
DECLARE
    r foo%rowtype;
BEGIN
    FOR r IN
        SELECT * FROM foo WHERE fooid > 0
    LOOP
        -- can do some processing here
        RETURN NEXT r; -- return current row of SELECT
    END LOOP;
    RETURN;
END
$BODY$
LANGUAGE plpgsql;

SELECT * FROM get_all_foo();
```



## CREATE EXTENSION autoinc;

- # CREATE SEQUENCE next\_id;  
# CREATE TABLE ids (id int4, idesc text);  
# CREATE TRIGGER ids\_nextid  
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON ids  
FOR EACH ROW  
EXECUTE PROCEDURE autoinc (id, next\_id);  
# INSERT INTO ids VALUES (0, 'first');  
# INSERT INTO ids VALUES (null, 'second');  
# INSERT INTO ids(idesc) VALUES ('third');  
# SELECT \* FROM ids ;

```
id | idesc
----+-----
 1 | first
 2 | second
 3 | third
```

- Ähnlich "serial"

# CREATE EXTENSION chkpass;

- Speichert crypt()-Passwörter
  - Eingabe im Klartext
  - Ausgabe verschlüsselt als Hash
  - Vergleicht als Hash
  - test=# create table test (p chkpass);
  - test=# insert into test values ('hello');
  - test=# select \* from test where p = 'hello';
- p

-----  
:fN6iG6x8Mv22M

# CREATE EXTENSION fuzzystrmatch;

- Soundex: Ähnliche Namen, US-Zensus 1880

```
# CREATE TABLE s (nm text);
# INSERT INTO s VALUES ('john'), ('joan'), ('wobbly'), ('jack');
# SELECT * FROM s WHERE difference(s.nm, 'john') > 2;
  nm
-----
john
joan
jack
```

- Levenshtein: Abstand in Zahl der Änderungen am String

```
# SELECT levenshtein('GUMBO', 'GAMBOL');
 levenshtein
-----
                2
```

- metaphone: Ähnlich Soundex

```
CREATE EXTENSION btree_gin;
```

- CREATE TABLE test (a int4);
- CREATE INDEX testidx ON test USING gin (a);
- Nützlich für mehrspaltige GIN-Indexe





## CREATE EXTENSION btree\_gist;

- Analog btree\_gin
- Support für <-> (Abstand)
- Support für Exclusion Constraints mit <>

```
=> CREATE TABLE zoo (  
    cage    INTEGER,  
    animal  TEXT,  
    EXCLUDE USING gist (cage WITH =, animal WITH <>)  
);
```

```
=> INSERT INTO zoo VALUES(123, 'zebra');
```

```
=> INSERT INTO zoo VALUES(123, 'zebra');
```

```
=> INSERT INTO zoo VALUES(123, 'lion');
```

```
ERROR:  conflicting key value violates exclusion  
        constraint "zoo_cage_animal_excl"
```

```
DETAIL:  Key (cage, animal)=(123, lion) conflicts with  
        existing key (cage, animal)=(123, zebra).
```

```
=> INSERT INTO zoo VALUES(124, 'lion');
```



# CREATE EXTENSION pgstattuple;

- Liest ganze Tabelle oder Index
- `SELECT * FROM pgstattuple('pg_catalog.pg_proc');`

```
-[ RECORD 1 ]-----+-----  
table_len      | 458752  
tuple_count    | 1470  
tuple_len      | 438896  
tuple_percent  | 95.67  
dead_tuple_count | 11  
dead_tuple_len | 3157  
dead_tuple_percent | 0.69  
free_space     | 8932  
free_percent   | 1.95
```

- `SELECT * FROM pgstatindex('pg_cast_oid_index');`

# CREATE EXTENSION unaccent;

- # SELECT unaccent('Hôtel');  
unaccent  
-----  
Hotel
- Integration mit tsearch



# CREATE EXTENSION lo;

- Management von BLOB-Referenzen über Trigger
- `CREATE TABLE image (title text, raster lo);`

```
CREATE TRIGGER t_raster BEFORE UPDATE OR DELETE ON image
    FOR EACH ROW EXECUTE PROCEDURE lo_manage(raster);
```

- Nützlich für JDBC- und ODBC-Anwendungen

```
CREATE EXTENSION insert_username;
```

```
CREATE TABLE username_test (  
    name      text,  
    username  text not null  
);
```

```
CREATE TRIGGER insert_usernames  
    BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON username_test  
    FOR EACH ROW  
    EXECUTE PROCEDURE insert_username (username);
```

```
INSERT INTO username_test VALUES ('foobar');
```

```
SELECT * FROM username_test;
```

```
name | username  
-----+-----  
foobar | cbe
```

```
CREATE EXTENSION isn;
```

```
# SELECT ean13('4220356483487');  
      ean13
```

```
-----  
422-035648348-7
```

```
# SELECT isbn('978-0-393-04002-9');  
      isbn
```

```
-----  
0-393-04002-X
```

```
# SELECT isbn13('0901690546');  
      isbn13
```

```
-----  
978-0-901690-54-8
```

```
# SELECT issn('1436-4522');  
      issn
```

```
-----  
1436-4522
```

# CREATE EXTENSION citext;

- Case-insensitive text type
- Transparente Konvertierung groß/klein
- CREATE TABLE users (  
    nick CITEXT PRIMARY KEY,  
    pass TEXT NOT NULL  
);

```
INSERT INTO users VALUES ('larry', md5(random()::text));
```

```
SELECT * FROM users WHERE nick = 'Larry';
```

# CREATE EXTENSION pg\_buffercache;

```
# SELECT c.relname, count(*) AS buffers
FROM pg_buffercache b INNER JOIN pg_class c
ON b.relfilenode = pg_relation_filenode(c.oid) AND
   b.reldatabase IN (0, (SELECT oid FROM pg_database
                        WHERE datname = current_database()))
GROUP BY c.relname
ORDER BY 2 DESC LIMIT 10;
```

| relname                        | buffers |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| ranges                         | 100     |
| prefixes                       | 91      |
| pg_depend                      | 84      |
| pg_proc                        | 80      |
| idx_prefix                     | 72      |
| pg_depend_reference_index      | 49      |
| pg_attribute                   | 49      |
| pg_depend_depender_index       | 37      |
| pg_proc_proname_args_nsp_index | 35      |
| prefixes_pkey                  | 35      |



# CREATE EXTENSION pgcrypto;

- Kryptographische Funktionen
- Hashes: md5, sha1, sha256, ... (OpenSSL)
- hmac()
- crypt()
- OpenPGP
  - ▶ pgp\_sym\_encrypt(), pgp\_sym\_decrypt()
  - ▶ pgp\_pub\_encrypt(), pgp\_pub\_decrypt()
- gen\_random\_bytes()

# CREATE EXTENSION pgmp;

- GNU Multi Precision library
- Große Integer, Primzahlen
- Rationale Zahlen (Brüche)

```
select '3/8'::mpq + '5/6'::mpq as fraction;  
fraction  
-----  
29/24
```

# CREATE EXTENSION tcn;

- Triggered Change Notification
- LISTEN/NOTIFY
- ```
create trigger tcndata_tcn_trigger
  after insert or update or delete on tcndata
  for each row
  execute procedure triggered_change_notification();
listen tcn;
```

Asynchronous notification "tcn" with payload  
"tcndata",I,"a"='2',"b"='2012-12-23'  
received from server process with PID 22770.

# CREATE EXTENSION pgrowlocks;

```
# select * from pgrowlocks('tbl');
```

locked_row	locker	multi	xids	modes	pids
(0,1)	18227	f	{18227}	{"For Update"}	{0}



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# CREATE EXTENSION pg\_freespacemap;

- Freier Platz in Tabellenblöcken
- # SELECT \* FROM pg\_freespace('foo');

blkno	avail
0	0
1	0
2	0
3	32
4	704
5	704
6	704
7	1216

- Selten notwendig



# CREATE EXTENSION ltree;

This module implements a data type ltree for representing labels of data stored in a hierarchical tree-like structure. Extensive facilities for searching through label trees are provided.

```
ltreetest=> SELECT path FROM test WHERE path <@ 'Top.Science';
           path
```

---

Top.Science

Top.Science.Astronomy

Top.Science.Astronomy.Astrophysics

Top.Science.Astronomy.Cosmology



# CREATE EXTENSION pageinspect;

- Block-level debugging
- `get_raw_page()`, `page_header()`, `heap_page_items()`
- `bt_metap()`, `bt_page_stats()`, `bt_page_items()`
- `fsm_page_contents`



```
CREATE EXTENSION file_fdw;
```

The `file_fdw` module provides the foreign-data wrapper `file_fdw`, which can be used to access data files in the server's file system. Data files must be in a format that can be read by `COPY FROM`; see `COPY` for details. Access to such data files is currently read-only.





# CREATE EXTENSION pltcl;

- pltcl, pltclu



# CREATE EXTENSION seg;

This module implements a data type `seg` for representing line segments, or floating point intervals. `seg` can represent uncertainty in the interval endpoints, making it especially useful for representing laboratory measurements.

## CREATE EXTENSION sslinfo;

The `sslinfo` module provides information about the SSL certificate that the current client provided when connecting to PostgreSQL. The module is useless (most functions will return `NULL`) if the current connection does not use SSL.



# CREATE EXTENSION timetravel;

Long ago, PostgreSQL had a built-in time travel feature that kept the insert and delete times for each tuple. This can be emulated using these functions. To use these functions, you must add to a table two columns of abstime type to store the date when a tuple was inserted (`start_date`) and changed/deleted (`stop_date`):

```
CREATE TABLE mytab (  
    ...  
    start_date      abstime,  
    stop_date       abstime  
    ...  
);
```

# CREATE EXTENSION dict\_int;

dict\_int is an example of an add-on dictionary template for full-text search. The motivation for this example dictionary is to control the indexing of integers (signed and unsigned), allowing such numbers to be indexed while preventing excessive growth in the number of unique words, which greatly affects the performance of searching.



# CREATE EXTENSION intarray;

The intarray module provides a number of useful functions and operators for manipulating null-free arrays of integers. There is also support for indexed searches using some of the operators.



# CREATE EXTENSION intagg;

The intagg module provides an integer aggregator and an enumerator. intagg is now obsolete, because there are built-in functions that provide a superset of its capabilities. However, the module is still provided as a compatibility wrapper around the built-in functions.

# CREATE EXTENSION dict\_xsyn;

dict\_xsyn (Extended Synonym Dictionary) is an example of an add-on dictionary template for full-text search. This dictionary type replaces words with groups of their synonyms, and so makes it possible to search for a word using any of its synonyms.



# CREATE EXTENSION moddatetime;

`moddatetime()` is a trigger that stores the current time into a timestamp field. This can be useful for tracking the last modification time of a particular row within a table.



CREATE EXTENSION refint;

Functions for Implementing Referential Integrity



# CREATE EXTENSION test\_parser;

- test\_parser is an example of a custom parser for full-text search. It doesn't do anything especially useful, but can serve as a starting point for developing your own parser.

