

# Transactions

CSE 344

# ACID

**Atomicity:** all or nothing

**Consistency:** only valid data preserved

**Isolation:** equivalent to serial execution

**Durability:** commits are fault tolerant

# Transaction Statements

BEGIN TRANSACTION;

...

...

COMMIT TRANSACTION;

or

ROLLBACK TRANSACTION;

# Prepared Statements

```
private static final String SEARCH_ONE_HOP_SQL =  
    "SELECT TOP (?) year,month_id,...,actual_time "  
        + "FROM Flights "  
        + "WHERE origin_city = ? AND dest_city = ? AND  
day_of_month = ? "  
        + "ORDER BY actual_time ASC";  
  
    private PreparedStatement searchOneHopStatement;  
  
...  
  
searchOneHopStatement = conn.prepareStatement(SEARCH_ONE_HOP_SQL);  
  
...  
  
searchOneHopStatement.clearParameters();  
searchOneHopStatement.setInt(1, numberOfltineraries);  
searchOneHopStatement.setString(2, originCity);  
searchOneHopStatement.setString(3, destinationCity);  
searchOneHopStatement.setInt(4, dayOfMonth);  
ResultSet oneHopResults = searchOneHopStatement.executeQuery();
```

HI, THIS IS  
YOUR SON'S SCHOOL.  
WE'RE HAVING SOME  
COMPUTER TROUBLE.



OH, DEAR - DID HE  
BREAK SOMETHING?  
IN A WAY - )



DID YOU REALLY  
NAME YOUR SON  
Robert'); DROP  
TABLE Students;-- ?



OH, YES. LITTLE  
BOBBY TABLES,  
WE CALL HIM.

WELL, WE'VE LOST THIS  
YEAR'S STUDENT RECORDS.  
I HOPE YOU'RE HAPPY.



AND I HOPE  
YOU'VE LEARNED  
TO SANITIZE YOUR  
DATABASE INPUTS.

# Testing Your Transactions

Way 1:

System.in.read();  
+  
2 Terminal Instances

Way 2:

Debugging Mode in 2 Eclipse Instances

```
public void transaction_choosePlan(int cid, int pid) throws Exception {
    /* updates the customer's plan to pid: UPDATE customer SET plid = pid */
    try {
        beginTransaction();
        updatePlanStatement.clearParameters();
        updatePlanStatement.setInt(1, pid);
        updatePlanStatement.setInt(2, cid);
        updatePlanStatement.executeUpdate();

        // rollback if customer has too many movies
        int remaining = getRemainingRentals(cid);

        if (remaining < 0) {
            rollbackTransaction();
            System.out
                .println("You cannot switch to this plan!");
        } else {
            commitTransaction();
        }
    } catch (SQLException e) {
        try {
            rollbackTransaction();
        } catch (SQLException se) {
        }
    }
}
```