dbHandler for sqlite3

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# **Namespace Documentation**

# 4.1 handler Namespace Reference

namespace containing the Sqlite3Db class

# Classes

- struct select\_query\_param
- class Sqlite3Db

Class for handling connection and operations in a sqlite3 database.

# **Typedefs**

- typedef std::map< const std::string, std::vector< std::string >> DbTables
- typedef std::pair< std::string, std::string > FieldDescription

# 4.1.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the Sqlite3Db class

Namespace used to contain the Sqlite3Db class and all of it's members. It also uses some type definitions to make the software cleaner.

# 4.1.2 Typedef Documentation

#### 4.1.2.1 DbTables

 $\verb|typedef| std::map| < const std::string|, std::vector| < std::string| > handler::DbTables|$ 

Type that stores the information of the tables inside of the db.

# 4.1.2.2 FieldDescription

typedef std::pair<std::string, std::string> handler::FieldDescription

For use when defining a field in the create table statement

# 4.2 query Namespace Reference

namespace containing the macros for queries definitons.

# **Namespaces**

· affinity

namespace containing the data affinity definitions and calculation.

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namespace containing the query clauses.

• cmd

namespace containing the query commands.

data

namespace containing the query data types and options.

#### **Variables**

• const std::string end\_query =";"

# 4.2.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the macros for queries definitons.

# 4.3 query::affinity Namespace Reference

namespace containing the data affinity definitions and calculation.

# **Variables**

- const std::string integer = "INTEGER"
- const std::string int\_affinity = "INT"
- const std::string text = "TEXT"
- const std::vector< std::string > text\_affinity = {"CHAR", "CLOB", "TEXT"}
- const std::string **blob** = "BLOB"
- const std::string blob\_affinity = "BLOB"
- const std::string real = "REAL"
- const std::vector< std::string > real\_affinity = {"REAL", "FLOA", "DOUB"}
- const std::string numeric = "NUMERIC"

# 4.3.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the data affinity definitions and calculation.

# 4.4 query::cl Namespace Reference

namespace containing the query clauses.

#### **Functions**

- const std::string glob (const std::string pattern)
   generates a GLOB sglite3 clause with the pattern given.
- const std::string like (const std::string pattern)
  generates a LIKE sqlite3 clause with the pattern given.
- const std::string limit (int limit\_value)
   generates a LIMIT sqlite3 clause with the value given.
- const std::string offset (int offset\_value)
   generates an OFFSET sqlite3 clause with the value given.
- const std::string table\_info (const std::string table\_name)
  - Generates a table\_info clause used in PRAGMA statements.
- const std::string type (const std::string type)
   Generates a type="clause for WHERE clause.

#### **Variables**

- const std::string and\_ = " AND "
- const std::string as = " AS "
- const std::string before = " BEFORE "
- const std::string between = " BETWEEN "
- const std::string count = " COUNT "
- const std::string distinct = " DISTINCT "
- const std::string exists = " EXISTS "
- const std::string for\_ = " FOR "
- const std::string for\_each = " FOR EACH "
- const std::string from = "FROM"
- const std::string group\_by = " GROUP BY "
- const std::string having = " HAVING "
- const std::string in = " IN "
- const std::string **not**\_ = " NOT "
- const std::string on = " ON "
- const std::string or\_ = " OR "
- const std::string order\_by = " ORDER BY "
- const std::string sum = " SUM "
- const std::string values = " VALUES "
- const std::string where = " WHERE "

# 4.4.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the query clauses.

# 4.4.2 Function Documentation

# 4.4.2.1 glob()

generates a GLOB sqlite3 clause with the pattern given.

#### **Parameters**

pattern

The pattern to be included. GLOB patterns use UNIX type wildcards (\* and ?). Some examples of patterns could be 'XXXX\*', 'XXXXX', '?XXXXX?', '?????'...

#### Returns

The composed GLOB clause. "GLOB '[pattern]"

# 4.4.2.2 like()

generates a LIKE sqlite3 clause with the pattern given.

# **Parameters**

pattern	The pattern to be included. It's wildcards consist of " and '_'. Some examples of patterns could be
	'XXXX', 'XXXX', ' <i>XXXX</i> ', ''

#### Returns

The composed LIKE clause. "LIKE '[pattern]"

#### 4.4.2.3 limit()

generates a LIMIT sqlite3 clause with the value given.

#### **Parameters**

limit\_value Integer number defining the limit.

# Returns

The composed LIMIT clause. "LIMIT [limit\_value]"

### 4.4.2.4 offset()

generates an OFFSET sqlite3 clause with the value given.

#### **Parameters**

offset value

Integer number defining the offset from where a limit clause could be applied.

#### Returns

The composed OFFSET clause. "OFFSET [offset\_value]"

# 4.4.2.5 table\_info()

Generates a table\_info clause used in PRAGMA statements.

# **Parameters**

table\_name

The name of the table that the information is needed from.

#### Returns

The composed table\_info clause. "table\_info([table\_name])"

# 4.4.2.6 type()

Generates a type=" clause for WHERE clause.

#### **Parameters**

*type* The type that will be added to the clause.

#### Returns

The composed type clause. "type='[type]'"

# 4.5 query::cmd Namespace Reference

namespace containing the query commands.

# **Variables**

- const std::string add\_column = " ADD COLUMN "
- const std::string alter\_table = " ALTER TABLE "
- const std::string analyze = " ANALYZE "
- const std::string attach\_db = " ATTACH DATABASE "
- const std::string begin = " BEGIN "
- const std::string begin\_txn = "BEGIN EXCLUSIVE TRANSACTION"
- const std::string commit = " COMMIT "
- const std::string create = " CREATE "
- const std::string create\_uniq\_indx = " CREATE UNIQUE INDEX"
- const std::string create\_table = " CREATE TABLE "
- const std::string create\_trigger = " CREATE TRIGGER "
- const std::string create\_view = " CREATE VIEW "
- const std::string create\_virtual\_tbl = " CREATE VIRTUAL TABLE "
- const std::string delete\_ = " DELETE "
- const std::string detach\_db = " DETACH DATABASE "
- const std::string drop\_indx = " DROP INDEX "
- const std::string drop\_table = " DROP TABLE "
- const std::string drop\_trigger = " DROP TRIGGER "
- const std::string drop\_view = " DROP VIEW "
- const std::string explain = " EXPLAIN "
- const std::string insert = " INSERT "
- const std::string insert\_into = " INSERT INTO "
- const std::string insert\_on = " INSERT ON "
- const std::string **pragma** = " PRAGMA "
- const std::string reindex = " REINDEX "
- const std::string release\_savepoint = " RELEASE "
- const std::string rename\_to = " RENAME TO "
- const std::string rollback = " ROLLBACK"
- const std::string rollback\_savepoint = " ROLLBACK TO SAVEPOINT "
- const std::string savepoint = " SAVEPOINT "
- const std::string select = " SELECT "
- const std::string update = " UPDATE "
- const std::string using\_ = " USING "
- const std::string vacuum = " VACUUM"

# 4.5.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the query commands.

# 4.6 query::data Namespace Reference

namespace containing the query data types and options.

#### **Functions**

- const std::string len (int length)
   Generates sqlite3 definition of length for a datatype.
- const std::string trigger (const std::string db\_name, const std::string trigger\_name)

Generates a trigger definition with the database and trigger name given.

• const std::string view (const std::string db\_name, const std::string view\_name)

Generates a view definition with the database and view name given.

#### **Variables**

- const std::string char\_ = " CHAR "
- const std::string int\_ = " INT "
- const std::string not\_null = " NOT NULL "
- const std::string **null** = " NULL "
- const std::string primary\_key = " PRIMARY KEY "
- const std::string row = " ROW "
- const std::string table = " TABLE "

# 4.6.1 Detailed Description

namespace containing the query data types and options.

#### 4.6.2 Function Documentation

#### 4.6.2.1 len()

Generates sqlite3 definition of length for a datatype.

#### **Parameters**

length Integer number to be defined as length limit.

#### Returns

The composed length for a datatype. "([length])"

# 4.6.2.2 trigger()

Generates a trigger definition with the database and trigger name given.

#### **Parameters**

db_name	Name of the database where the trigger is located.	
trigger_name	Name of the trigger.	

#### Returns

The trigger declaration. "db\_name.trigger\_name"

# 4.6.2.3 view()

Generates a view definition with the database and view name given.

#### **Parameters**

db_name	Name of the database where the view is located.
view_name	Name of the view.

# Returns

The view declaration. "db\_name.view\_name"

# **Chapter 5**

# **Class Documentation**

# 5.1 handler::select\_query\_param Struct Reference

```
#include <handler.hpp>
```

# **Public Attributes**

- std::string table name
- std::vector< std::string > fields = {"\*"}
- bool select\_distinct = false
- std::string where\_cond = ""
- std::vector< std::string > group\_by = {}
- std::string having\_cond = ""
- std::vector< std::string > order\_by = {}
- std::string order\_type = "ASC"
- int **limit** = 0
- int offset = 0

# 5.1.1 Detailed Description

Structure used for storing all options that may be used during a select query.

# 5.1.2 Member Data Documentation

# 5.1.2.1 fields

```
std::vector<std::string> handler::select_query_param::fields = {"*"}
```

Fields to be shown in the result

#### 5.1.2.2 group\_by

```
std::vector<std::string> handler::select_query_param::group_by = {}
```

Fields grouped in the result

# 5.1.2.3 having\_cond

```
std::string handler::select_query_param::having_cond = ""
```

Having filter condition to be applied

#### 5.1.2.4 limit

```
int handler::select_query_param::limit = 0
```

Maximum number of results to be processed

#### 5.1.2.5 offset

```
int handler::select_query_param::offset = 0
```

Starting point in the results to apply the limit quantity

# 5.1.2.6 order\_by

```
std::vector<std::string> handler::select_query_param::order_by = {}
```

Fields or conditions to order the results

# 5.1.2.7 order\_type

```
std::string handler::select_query_param::order_type = "ASC"
```

Type of ordering of the results "ASC" or "DESC"

# 5.1.2.8 select\_distinct

```
bool handler::select_query_param::select_distinct = false
```

Flag for showing only distinct results

# 5.1.2.9 table\_name

```
std::string handler::select_query_param::table_name
```

Name of the table in which the select query will be applied

#### 5.1.2.10 where\_cond

```
std::string handler::select_query_param::where_cond = ""
```

Condition to be applied with a WHERE clause

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

· include/handler.hpp

# 5.2 handler::Sqlite3Db Class Reference

Class for handling connection and operations in a sqlite3 database.

```
#include <handler.hpp>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

• Sqlite3Db ()

Constructor for handler using test.db.

Sqlite3Db (std::string db\_path)

Constructor for user defined database name.

∼Sqlite3Db ()

Destructor of the class Sqlite3Db.

• void closeConnection ()

Close connection to the current database.

• bool createTable (std::string table\_name, std::vector< FieldDescription > fields)

Create a table in the database with the specified parameters.

• bool deleteRecords (std::string table\_name, std::string condition)

Delete the records from a table that meet the provided condition/s.

bool dropTable (std::string table\_name)

Drop the table specified.

bool executeQuery (const char \*sql\_query, std::vector< std::string > &data=empty\_vec, std::vector< int > indexes\_stmt={}, bool verbose=false)

Execute an SQLite query and receive the output selected.

bool insertRecord (std::string table name, std::vector< std::string > values)

Insert record data inside of a table.

bool connectDb ()

Reconnects the handler to it's linked database.

std::vector< std::string > selectRecords (std::string table\_name, std::vector< std::string > fields={"\*"}, bool select\_distinct=false, std::string where\_cond="", std::vector< std::string > group\_by={}, std::string having
 \_cond="", std::vector< std::string > order\_by={}, std::string order\_type="ASC", int limit=0, int offset=0)

Selects and extracts the records that meet certain conditions.

std::vector< std::string > selectRecords (select\_query\_param select\_options)

Selects and extracts the records that meet certain conditions.

bool updateHandler ()

Updates the information contained in the handler.

const std::string getAffinity (const std::string field\_datatype)

Calculate the affinity token corresponding to a datatype given.

std::vector< std::string > getFields (std::string table\_name)

Get field's names from a table in the database.

• int getNumTables ()

Get number of tables in the database.

DbTables getTables ()

Get tables information map stored in the handler.

std::vector< std::string > getTablesNames ()

Get table's names from the database.

std::string getDbPath ()

Gets db relative path from the database.

bool isAffined (const std::string affinity, const std::string value\_to\_check)

Compares the value of some field to it's corresponding affinity.

bool isValidInt (const std::string &str)

Checks if a string is a valid integer number.

bool isValidReal (const std::string &str)

Checks if a string is a valid real number.

#### Static Public Member Functions

static int callback (void \*NotUsed, int argc, char \*\*argv, char \*\*azColName)

Callback to show the output of sqlite3\_exec()

static bool isReal (char c)

Check if a character is valid for being inside of a real number.

• static bool isInt (char c)

Check if a character is valid for being inside of an integer number.

# **Friends**

• std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &output, const Sqlite3Db &sqlite3Db)

# 5.2.1 Detailed Description

Class for handling connection and operations in a sqlite3 database.

This class contains all of the basic operations available in the sqlite3 syntax, including a custom executeQuery(), so that the user can pass their own querys and obtain the data from them, if preferred over the provided functionality.

#### 5.2.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 5.2.2.1 Sqlite3Db() [1/2]

```
handler::Sqlite3Db::Sqlite3Db ( )
```

Constructor for handler using test.db.

When creating a new object, the connection to the database is attempted. If no database exists with the name provided, it is created.

Assuming the database already exists and contains some information, this constructor will load all the names of the tables present in the database as map keys. Assigned to each of the keys there will be a vector loaded with the names of the fields in each table.

#### 5.2.2.2 Sqlite3Db() [2/2]

Constructor for user defined database name.

# **Parameters**

db\_name | name of the database to be connected to.

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
  hanlder::Sqlite3Db MyHandler("dbname.db");
  return 0;
```

This is an overloaded member function, provided for convenience. It differs from the above function only in what argument(s) it accepts.

#### 5.2.2.3 ∼Sqlite3Db()

```
handler::Sqlite3Db::~Sqlite3Db ()
```

Destructor of the class Sqlite3Db.

This desctructor will close the connection to the database and then destroy the object.

# 5.2.3 Member Function Documentation

# 5.2.3.1 callback()

Callback to show the output of sqlite3\_exec()

When not using the executeQuery() method, it may be interesting to use the sqlite3\_exec() instead, and so, a callback to see the output of the operation is higly recommended.

#### **Parameters**

NotUsed	Not used.
argc	Number of arguments.
argv	Values of the arguments.
azColName	Name of the column in the database.

#### 5.2.3.2 closeConnection()

```
void handler::Sqlite3Db::closeConnection ( )
```

Close connection to the current database.

The closing of the connection is not recommended, since the main purpose of the Handler is to manage an open database while connected to it.

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
    hanlder::Sqlite3Db MyHandler("dbname.db");
    /*
    ......
    operations on database
    .....
    */
    MyHandler.closeConnection();
    return 0;
}
```

#### 5.2.3.3 connectDb()

```
bool handler::Sqlite3Db::connectDb ( )
```

Reconnects the handler to it's linked database.

While doing the reconnection all the data inside of the handler is renewed, in case some changes took place during the time it was offline.

Returns

EXIT\_SUCCESS if the db was reopened and it's information loaded correctly. EXIT\_FAILURE otherwise.

#### An example of usage could be as follows:

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
    hanlder::Sqlite3Db MyHandler("dbname.db");
    /*
    .....
    operations on database
    .....
    */
    MyHandler.closeConnection();
    ...
    if (MyHandler.reconnectDb() == EXIT_SUCCESS) {
        ...
    }
    return 0;
}
```

# 5.2.3.4 createTable()

Create a table in the database with the specified parameters.

Creates a table in the database with the provided name and with the descripted fields. Each

#### **Parameters**

table_name	Name for the table to be created.
fields	Vector of desriptions, each of them containing name of field and data specifications of the field
	corresponding field.

#### Returns

EXIT SUCCESS if correct. Otherwise EXIT FAILURE is returned.

#### An example of usage could be as follows:

# 5.2.3.5 deleteRecords()

Delete the records from a table that meet the provided condition/s.

Locates and deletes the records from the table which meet a condition given. If the condition is "all", all records are deleted.

# **Parameters**

table_name	Name of the table where the records will be deleted.	
condition	Condition to match for the deletion.	1

#### Returns

EXIT\_SUCCESS if correct. Otherwise EXIT\_FAILURE is returned.

# An example of usage could be as follows:

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
    handler::Sqlite3Db myHandler;
    //In table company created previously
    std::string table_name = "COMPANY";
    std::string condition = "ID == 1";
    //Delete record that meets condition
    if (myHandler.deleteRecords(table_name, condition) == EXIT_SUCCESS){
        ...
    }
    //Delete all records in the table "table_name"
```

```
if (myHandler.deleteRecords(table_name, condition="all")){
    ...
}
return 0;
}
```

# 5.2.3.6 dropTable()

Drop the table specified.

Drops the specified table and deletes it's content from the DbInfo contained in the Handler.

#### **Parameters**

table\_name Name of the table to be dropped.

#### Returns

EXIT\_SUCCESS if correct. Otherwise EXIT\_FAILURE is returned.

#### An example of usage could be as follows:

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
    handler::Sqlite3Db myHandler;
    //In table company created previously
    std::string table_name = "COMPANY";
    //Delete record that meets condition
    if (myHandler.dropTable(table_name) == EXIT_SUCCESS) {
    ...
    } else{
        (error handling)
    ...
    }
    return 0;
}
```

#### 5.2.3.7 executeQuery()

Execute an SQLite query and receive the output selected.

# **Parameters**

sql_query	The query to be executed.
indexes_stmt	The indexes of the output (each index is a field of the database) that will be extracted from the result of the query.
data	Container to store the data retrieved from the indexes_stmt.
verbose	If set to true, the result of the query will also be printed through the console. Default avai પાક risxygen false.

#### Returns

EXIT\_SUCCESS if correct. Otherwise EXIT\_FAILURE is returned. The data vector is passed by reference, so the content of it is changed during the query execution.

#### An example of usage could be as follows:

```
#include <sqlite3handler.hpp>
#include <sqlite3query.hpp>
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
  handler::Sqlite3Db MyHandler("mydatabase.db");
  /\star Generate custom user query \star/
  const char* query = (query::cmd::select + query::cl::from + "My Table" \
                 + query::end_query).c_str();
  /* Vector for data storage */
  std::vector<std::string> data;
  /\star Indexes to get the data from in each row of the result \star/
  std::vector<int> indexes_stmt = {1,3};
  /* Flag for verbose mode */
  bool verbose = true;
  /\star Execute the query with the settings defined and extracting data \star/
  MyHandler.executeQuery(query, data, indexes_stmt, verbose);
  Process the data
  /* Generate another custom user query */
  query = (query::cmd::drop_table + "My Table" \
                 + query::end_query).c_str();
  /\star Execute the query in simple mode, no data extraction and not verbose mode \star/
  MyHandler.executeQuery(query);
  return 0:
```

#### 5.2.3.8 getAffinity()

Calculate the affinity token corresponding to a datatype given.

Using the data affinities defined in the SQLite3 documentation, and with the rules specified to calculate them, this method will return the affinity according to the datatype it receives.

#### **Parameters**

field\_datatype | The datatype for which the affinity token will be calculated.

#### Returns

Affinity values "INTEGER", "REAL", "TEXT", "BLOB" or "NUMERIC", depending on the input.

Lambda to convert the input string to uppercase for further processing.

# 5.2.3.9 getDbPath()

```
std::string handler::Sqlite3Db::getDbPath ( )
```

Gets db relative path from the database.

#### Returns

A vector containing the names of the tables.

# 5.2.3.10 getFields()

Get field's names from a table in the database.

# **Parameters**

table\_name | The name of the table which field's names are needed.

#### Returns

A vector containing the names of the fields of the table.

# 5.2.3.11 getNumTables()

```
int handler::Sqlite3Db::getNumTables ( )
```

Get number of tables in the database.

# Returns

The number of tables.

# 5.2.3.12 getTables()

```
handler::DbTables handler::Sqlite3Db::getTables ( )
```

Get tables information map stored in the handler.

#### Returns

A vector containing the names of the tables.

#### 5.2.3.13 getTablesNames()

```
std::vector< std::string > handler::Sqlite3Db::getTablesNames ( )
```

Get table's names from the database.

#### Returns

A vector containing the names of the tables.

# 5.2.3.14 insertRecord()

Insert record data inside of a table.

Given the data to insert, the method will put it inside of the specified table if the fields match.

#### **Parameters**

table_name	Name of the table where the record will be added.
values	Container of the values of the fields to insert. The not defined values should contain an empty
	string ("").

## Returns

EXIT\_SUCCESS if correct. Otherwise EXIT\_FAILURE is returned.

#### An example of usage could be as follows:

# 5.2.3.15 isAffined()

Compares the value of some field to it's corresponding affinity.

The value of the data in a field is compared against it's affinity. The comparison determines if the data given is valid for that field or not.

It is important to notice that only "INTEGER", "REAL" and "NUMERIC" affinities need this validation. The "TEXT" or "BLOB" affinities can contain numbers, but numbers cannot contains characters inside of them, except from "," or "." for decimal depending on the country.

#### **Parameters**

affinity	The affinity token of the corresponding field to be checked.
value_to_check	The value that needs to be validated before an operation.

#### Returns

True if the value is valid for the field given, false otherwise.

# 5.2.3.16 isInt()

```
static bool handler::Sqlite3Db::isInt ( {\tt char}\ c\ ) \quad [{\tt inline}], \ [{\tt static}]
```

Check if a character is valid for being inside of an integer number.

#### **Parameters**

```
c The character to be checked.
```

#### Returns

True if the character is not alphabetic, a space, or a comma or dot. False otherwise.

#### 5.2.3.17 isReal()

Check if a character is valid for being inside of a real number.

#### **Parameters**

c The character to be checked.

#### Returns

True if the character is not alphabetic or a space. False otherwise.

# 5.2.3.18 isValidInt()

Checks if a string is a valid integer number.

#### **Parameters**

str String to be checked.

# Returns

True if the string is a valid integer. False otherwise.

# 5.2.3.19 isValidReal()

Checks if a string is a valid real number.

#### **Parameters**

str String to be checked.

#### Returns

True if the string is a valid real (float, double...). False otherwise.

# 5.2.3.20 selectRecords() [1/2]

Selects and extracts the records that meet certain conditions.

#### **Parameters**

select options	Structure containing all the necessary options to be used during the select statement.	1
		1

This is an overloaded member function, provided for convenience. It differs from the above function only in what argument(s) it accepts.

/include selectRecordsStruct.cpp Lambda to convert the input string to uppercase for further processing.

# 5.2.3.21 selectRecords() [2/2]

```
std::vector< std::string > handler::Sqlite3Db::selectRecords (
    std::string table_name,
    std::vector< std::string > fields = {"*"},
    bool select_distinct = false,
    std::string where_cond = "",
    std::vector< std::string > group_by = {},
    std::string having_cond = "",
    std::vector< std::string > order_by = {},
    std::string order_type = "ASC",
    int limit = 0,
    int offset = 0 )
```

Selects and extracts the records that meet certain conditions.

Extracts all the data that fits the descriptions and conditions passed as arguments. Most of them are optional, so only the table name is necessary if no other specific parameters are needed.

### **Parameters**

table_name	Name of the table from where the data will be selected.
fields	Container of the names of the fields of the table that will be retrieved from the results in string format. Default value is "*" to take all the fields.
select_distinct	Boolean flag to set whether or not only unique results should be selected. Default value is false.
where_cond	If set, it contains the condition to apply with a WHERE clause in the select query composition. It is empty by default.
group_by	If set, it contains the condition that will be used to group the results of the select query. It is empty by default.
having_cond	If set, it contains the condition applied to the query after a HAVING clause. It is empty by default.
order_by	If set, it contains the condition that will be used to order the results of the select query. It is empty by default.
order_type	Only applied if the order_by argument is set. Defines the type of ordering to be applied. The types are "ASC" or "DESC". Default value is "ASC"
limit	If set, it defines the number of results that will be extracted from the select query data. Default value is 0 for no limit.
offset	If set, it defines the number of results that will be skipped from the select query data before extracting them. Default value is 0 for none.

#### Returns

A vector containing all the values retrieved in order. This means that, if three fuelds were given as argument, each group of three elements of this vector will correspond to a row of data.

/include selectRecords.cpp Lambda to convert the input string to uppercase for further processing.

#### 5.2.3.22 updateHandler()

```
bool handler::Sqlite3Db::updateHandler ( )
```

Updates the information contained in the handler.

If multiple connections are being used in the same database, it may be possible that a table is changed, or a new one created, without the current hander knowing it. For this purpose, execution of this method will updated all the tables and field information that is stored in the handler, so it can operate normally from different connections.

#### Returns

EXIT SUCCESS if the information was updated. EXIT FAILURE if an error occurred during the process.

An example of usage could be as follows, with two different programs working on same db:

```
#include "../source/include/sqlite3handler.hpp'
#include "../source/include/sqlite3query.hpp"
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
    /* Stablish first connection to database */
         handler::Sqlite3Db MyHandler("mydatabase.db");
    while (/* condition */) {
       ^{\prime}\star update every time before acting on the db in case something is changed \star ^{\prime}
      MyHandler.updateHandler();
            operations on db.
         return 0:
#include "../source/include/sqlite3handler.hpp"
#include "../source/include/sqlite3query.hpp
int main(int argc, char const *argv[]) {
         /\star Stablish second connection to the database \star/
         handler::Sqlite3Db AnotherHandler("mydatabase.db");
    while (/* condition */) {
      /\star update every time before acting on the db in case something is changed \star/
       AnotherHandler.updateHandler();
            operations on db.
    }
         return 0;
```

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- · include/handler.hpp
- · src/sqlite3handler.cpp