

MySQL User-Defined Functions Practice Questions and Answers

General Questions: User-Defined Functions

1. Convert to Uppercase: Write a function that accepts a string and returns it in uppercase.
2. Calculate Square: Write a function that takes an integer and returns its square.
3. Simple Addition: Write a function that accepts two numbers and returns their sum.
4. Length of String: Write a function that takes a string as input and returns its length.
5. Convert Fahrenheit to Celsius: Write a function that converts a temperature from Fahrenheit to Celsius. Formula: $C = (F - 32) * 5 / 9$.

Answers to General Questions

1. Convert to Uppercase

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION toUpperCase(input_str VARCHAR(255))
RETURNS VARCHAR(255) DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    RETURN UPPER(input_str);
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

2. Calculate Square

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION squareNumber(n INT)
RETURNS INT DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    RETURN n * n;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

3. Simple Addition

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DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION addNumbers(a INT, b INT)
RETURNS INT DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
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    RETURN a + b;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

4. Length of String

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DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION stringLength(input_str VARCHAR(255))
RETURNS INT DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    RETURN CHAR_LENGTH(input_str);
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

5. Convert Fahrenheit to Celsius

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION fahrenheitToCelsius(F DECIMAL(5,2))
RETURNS DECIMAL(5,2) DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    RETURN (F - 32) * 5 / 9;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

MySQL Table-Based Questions: User-Defined Functions

Sample Table: employees

```
CREATE TABLE employees (
    emp_id INT PRIMARY KEY,
    first_name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,
    last_name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,
    salary DECIMAL(10,2) NOT NULL
);

INSERT INTO employees (emp_id, first_name, last_name, salary) VALUES
(1, 'John', 'Doe', 5000.00),
(2, 'Jane', 'Smith', 7000.00),
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(3, 'Alice', 'Johnson', 6000.00),

(4, 'Bob', 'Brown', 5500.00),

(5, 'Charlie', 'Davis', 8000.00);

Practice Questions

1. Create a function that returns the full name of an employee given their emp_id.
2. Create a function that calculates the annual salary of an employee given their emp_id.
3. Create a function that checks if an employee's salary is above a certain threshold and returns 'Yes' or 'No'.
4. Create a function that takes an emp_id as input and returns the first name in uppercase.
5. Create a function that calculates the average salary of all employees and returns it.

Answers to Table-Based Questions

1. Full Name of Employee

DELIMITER \$\$

CREATE FUNCTION getFullName(emp INT)

RETURNS VARCHAR(255) DETERMINISTIC

BEGIN

 DECLARE full_name VARCHAR(255);

 SELECT CONCAT(first_name, ' ', last_name) INTO full_name

 FROM employees WHERE emp_id = emp;

 RETURN full_name;

END \$\$

DELIMITER ;

2. Annual Salary

DELIMITER \$\$

CREATE FUNCTION getAnnualSalary(emp INT)

RETURNS DECIMAL(10,2) DETERMINISTIC

BEGIN

 DECLARE annual_salary DECIMAL(10,2);

 SELECT salary * 12 INTO annual_salary

 FROM employees WHERE emp_id = emp;

 RETURN annual_salary;

END \$\$

DELIMITER ;

3. Check Salary Threshold

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION isSalaryAboveThreshold(emp INT, threshold DECIMAL(10,2))
RETURNS VARCHAR(3) DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    DECLARE result VARCHAR(3);
    IF (SELECT salary FROM employees WHERE emp_id = emp) > threshold THEN
        SET result = 'Yes';
    ELSE
        SET result = 'No';
    END IF;
    RETURN result;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

4. First Name in Uppercase

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION getUpperCaseFirstName(emp INT)
RETURNS VARCHAR(255) DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    DECLARE upper_name VARCHAR(255);
    SELECT UPPER(first_name) INTO upper_name
    FROM employees WHERE emp_id = emp;
    RETURN upper_name;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```

5. Average Salary

```
DELIMITER $$
CREATE FUNCTION getAverageSalary()
RETURNS DECIMAL(10,2) DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    DECLARE avg_salary DECIMAL(10,2);
    SELECT AVG(salary) INTO avg_salary FROM employees;
    RETURN avg_salary;
END $$
DELIMITER ;
```
