**DELETE Query**

To delete a row in MySQL, the DELETE FROM statement is used:

DELETE FROM `table\_name` [WHERE condition];

* DELETE FROM `table\_name` tells MySQL server to remove rows from the table ..
* [WHERE condition] is optional and is used to put a filter that restricts the number of rows affected by the MySQL DELETE row query.

If the WHERE clause is not used in the MySQL DELETE query, then all the rows in a given table will be deleted.

## Example

DELETE FROM `movies` WHERE `movie\_id` = 18;

DELETE FROM `movies` WHERE `movie\_id` IN (20,21);