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### Limit the Result

You can limit the number of records returned from the query, by using the "LIMIT" statement:

### Example

Select the 5 first records in the "customers" table:

```
import mysql.connector
mydb = mysql.connector.connect(
  host="localhost",
  user="yourusername",
  passwd="yourpassword",
  database="mydatabase"
)
mycursor = mydb.cursor()
mycursor.execute("SELECT * FROM customers LIMIT 5")
myresult = mycursor.fetchall()
for x in myresult:
  print(x)
```

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### Start From Another Position

If you want to return five records, starting from the third record, you can use the "OFFSET" keyword:

### Example

Start from position 3, and return 5 records:

```
import mysql.connector

mydb = mysql.connector.connect(
   host="localhost",
   user="yourusername",
   passwd="yourpassword",
   database="mydatabase"
)

mycursor = mydb.cursor()

mycursor.execute("SELECT * FROM customers LIMIT 5 OFFSET 2")

myresult = mycursor.fetchall()

for x in myresult:
   print(x)
```

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