

# API Documentation



**OctopusDB**

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# APIs

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## createDB.sh

### Description

Creates a new database in your system

### Example

```
| bash createDB.sh dbName
```

### Arguments

- **\$1** Database Name: Should not contain any special characters or contain only numbers

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully created a new database
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or database name is not valid or database exists
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## dropBD.sh

### Description

Removes a given database from the system

### Example



```
bash dropDB.sh dbName
```

### Arguments

- **\$1** Database Name

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully dropped the database
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or database doesn't exists
- 

## listBD.sh

### Description

Lists the databases in the system

### Example



```
bash listDB.sh
```

### Arguments

- no\_args

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully listed databases
  - **1** : If system doesn't contain any database
- 

## openBD.sh

### Description

Opens a specific database for the user to start managing tables inside it

### Example



```
bash openDB.sh dbName
```

### Arguments

- **\$1** Database Name

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully opened the database
  - **1** : If database doesn't exist
- 

## printBD.sh

### Description

Prints a file that contains records in a structured table

### Example



```
bash printTable.sh tableData.d tableMetadata.md
```

### Arguments

- **\$1** : The file that contains the records
- **\$2** : The file that contains column names

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully printed the table
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or files don't exist
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## insertColumns.sh

### Description

Contains test functions and insert function for columns into a table, these functions are used in create table script

### Functions

```
function columnDataCheck ()
# @description Checks if the datatypes of columns are
valid or not
# @args $1 column names and datatypes in the following
syntax: col1Name datatype constrain,col2Name datatype
constrain ..etc
# @returncode 0 If valid
# @returncode 1 If not valid

function PKCheck ()
# @description The function checks if primary key data
type is repeated
# @arg $1 column names and datatypes in the following
syntax: col1Name datatype constrain,col2Name datatype
constrain ..etc
# @returncode 0 If not repeated
# @returncode 1 If repeated

function textPKCheck ()
# @description The function checks if primary key is
assigned to text data type
# @arg $1 column names and datatypes in the following
syntax: col1Name datatype constrain,col2Name datatype
constrain ..etc
# @returncode 0 If not assigned
# @returncode 1 If assigned
```

```
function insert ()  
# @description The function inserts column names and  
# datatypes into table metadata file  
# @arg $1 column names and datatypes in the following  
# syntax: col1Name datatype constrain,col2Name datatype  
# constrain ..etc
```

## Arguments

- no\_args

## Exit Codes

- Not specified
- 

# createTable.sh

## Description

Creates a new table in a database

## Example

```
bash createTable.sh tableName
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table Name: Should not contain any special characters or contain only numbers

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully created a new table
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table name is not valid or table exists or column names are repeated or database is not selected
-

# dropTable.sh

## Description

Removes a given table from a database

## Example

```
bash dropTable.sh tableName
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table Name

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully dropped the table
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table doesn't exist or database is not selected
- 

# listTables.sh

## Description

Lists tables inside a database

## Example

```
bash listTables.sh
```

## Arguments

- no\_args

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully listed tables
  - **1** : If database doesn't contain any tables or database is not selected
-

# showTable.sh

## Description

Shows all records from a given table

## Example

```
bash showTable.sh tableName
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table name

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully displayed table records
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table name doesn't exist or database is not selected
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# test.sh

## Description

Contains all test functions for validation

## Functions

```
function argsCheck ()
# @description Checks if number of args passed to a
script corresponds to valid args number
# @arg $1 number of arguments passed to the script
# @arg $2 valid number of arguments for the script
# @returncode 0 If valid
# @returncode 1 If not valid

function validName ()
# @description Checks if a given name is valid; doesn't
contain any characters or contains only numbers
# @arg $1 name
# @returncode 0 If valid
# @returncode 1 If not valid
```



```
function dbExist ()
# @description Checks if a database exists or not
# @arg $1 database name
# @returncode 0 If exists
# @returncode 1 If doesn't exist

function dbSetEmpty ()
# @description CThe fuhecks if the databases set in the
system is empty
# @noargs
# @returncode 0 If set is empty
# @returncode 1 If set is not empty

function dbUsed ()
# @description Checks if user is currently using a
database
# @noargs
# @returncode 0 If user is using a database
# @returncode 1 If no database is being used

function intCheck ()
# @description Checks if a value is integer
# @arg1 $1 Value
# @returncode 0 If integer
# @returncode 1 If not
```

## Arguments

- no\_args

## Exit Codes

- Not specified
-

# insertRecord.sh

## Description

Adds records into table as a full record

## Example

```
bash insertRecord.sh tableName VALUE1 VALUE2 ...
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table name
- **\$n** Columns values

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully inserted the record
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or no database is currently used or table doesn't exist or primary key is repeated or a data type is invalid for the column or if number of input arguments to add to table greater than or less than number of columns
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# deleteRecord.sh

## Description

Deletes records from a table

## Example

```
bash deleteRecord.sh tableName record
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table name
- **\$2** The record given in the following syntax where you can specify multiple columns: COLUMN=VALUE COLUMN=VALUE

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully deleted the record
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table doesn't exist or no database is currently used or column name doesn't exist or the record doesn't exist
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## updateRecord.sh

### Description

Updates a column in specific records

### Example

```
bash updateRecord.sh tableName record columnName
```

### Arguments

- **\$1** Table name
- **\$2** The record given in the following syntax where you can specify multiple columns: COLUMN=VALUE COLUMN=VALUE
- **\$last** The updated value given in the following syntax COLUMN=VALUE

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully updated the record
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table doesn't exist or no database is currently used or column name doesn't exist or the record doesn't exist
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## selectRecord.sh

### Description

Displays specific records in a table

### Example

```
bash selectRecord.sh tableName record
```

## Arguments

- **\$1** Table name
- **\$2** The record given in the following syntax where you can specify multiple columns: COLUMN=VALUE COLUMN=VALUE

## Exit Codes

- **0** : If successfully displayed the record
  - **1** : If there is a syntax error in arguments or table doesn't exist or no database is currently used or column name doesn't exist or table doesn't exist or the record doesn't exist
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## help.sh

### Description

Prints a User manual for the available options

### Arguments

- no\_args

### Exit Codes

- Not specified