Advanced Programming 2 - Accessing Databases

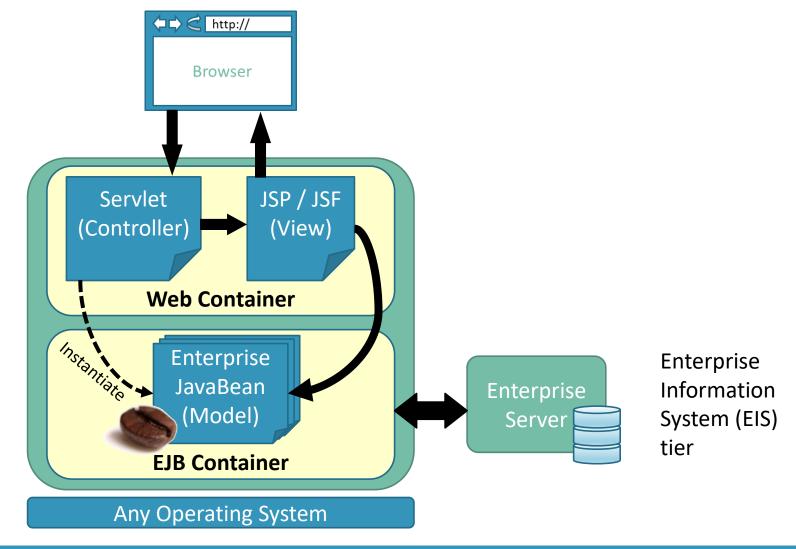
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Today's Lesson

ACCESSING DATABASES

ADO.Net

Agenda

- What is a data base
- Querying a data base
- Introduction to ADO.Net
- Data Providers
- Connecting to data bases
- Querying and reading a data base (fully connected)
- Querying and reading a data base (disconnected)
- A small tip about security

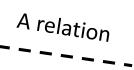
What is a relational data base? (briefly)

It is a collection of data, typically organized in relational data models (tables)

o For example:

Employees Table

Attributes:	ID (key)	Name	DepartmentID
	12345	Homer Simpson	101
	54321	Lenny Leonard	413
A record:	15243	Carl Carlson	101





Department Table

Number	Name	manager
101	control	12345
413	R&D	96534

Querying a Data Base

- Data bases of different types can be queried by different querying languages
- For example, an SQL data base can be accessed with the Standard Querying Language
- Crating Records:
 - Insert into Employees (ID, Name, DepartmentId, Salary, Location)
 values (98765, "Charles Montgomery Burns", 0, 1000000, Springfield)
- Read Records:
 - Select ID, name from Employees //Get ID and name columns for all records
 - Select * from Employees where ID = 12345 //Get all columns for a single record
- O Update Records:
 - Update Employees Set salary = 18000 where ID = 12345

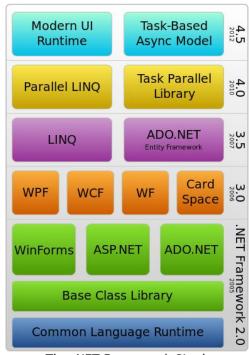
How do we use it in our program?

ADO.NET

Introduction

- ADO Active Data Objects
- ADO.NET is an object-oriented set of libraries that allows you to interact with data sources
- oCommonly, the data source is a database, but it could also be
 - a text file, an Excel spreadsheet, or an XML file

- ADO.NET provides a relatively common way to interact with data sources
 - but comes in different sets of libraries for each way you can talk to a data source
- These libraries are called **Data Providers**



The .NET Framework Stack

Data Providers

Provider Name	API prefix	Data Source Description
ODBC Data Provider	Odbc	Data Sources with an ODBC interface. Normally older data bases.
OleDb Data Provider	OleDb	Data Sources that expose an OleDb interface, i.e. Access or Excel.
Oracle Data Provider	Oracle	For Oracle Databases.
SQL Data Provider	Sql	For interacting with Microsoft SQL Server.
Borland Data Provider	Bdp	Generic access to many databases such as Interbase, SQL Server, IBM DB2, and Oracle.

What is the API prefix?

- Consider a "connection" object that allows you to connect to your data base
- An OleDbConnection object allows you to connect to OleDb interfaced data bases (access, excel)
- An OdbcConnection object allows you to connect to Odbc interfaced data bases
- An SqlConnection object allows you to connect to SQL interfaced data bases
- o etc.

Connecting to a data base

- First, we need to create a connection object
- The connection tells the rest of the ADO.NET code which database it is talking to
- It manages all of the low level logic associated with the specific database protocols



- A connection is a valuable resource
 - You need to understand connections in order to make the right decisions when coding your data access routines
 - Think about an enterprise application where hundreds of users are accessing the same database
 - Think about a website that is being visited by hundreds of thousands of users...
- To establish a connection we simply need to instantiate a connection object

Connecting to a data base

The CTOR: SqlConnection(string connectionString)

The connection string sets the following parameters:

• Data source - Identifies the server. Could be **local machine**, machine **domain name**, or **IP Address**

Initial Catalog – the database name

Integrated Security - set to SSPI to make connection with user's Windows login

User ID - Name of user configured in SQL Server

Password Password matching SQL Server User ID

• Example:



```
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using System.Data;
using System.Data.SqlClient;
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               // 2. Open the connection
               conn.Open();
               // 3. Pass the connection to a command object
               SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand("select * from Employees", conn);
              // 4. Use the connection
              // get query results
               rdr = cmd.ExecuteReader();
               // print the EmployeeID of each record
               while (rdr.Read())
                    Console.WriteLine(rdr[0]);
            finally {
               // close the reader
               if (rdr != null) {
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The SqlCommand Object

Querying data:

- SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand("select ID from Employees", conn);
- SqlDataReader rdr = cmd.ExecuteReader(); // Call Execute reader to get query results

Inserting data:

- string insertString = @"Insert into Employees (ID, Name, DepartmentID, Salary, Location)
 values (98765, "Charles Montgomery Burns", 0, 1000000, Springfield)";
- SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand(insertString, conn);
- cmd.ExecuteNonQuery(); // Call ExecuteNonQuery to send command, expecting 'void' in return

The SqlCommand Object

 Updating data: (this time using a different constructor) string updateString = @"Update Employees Set salary = 18000 where ID = 12345"; SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand(updateString); cmd.Connection = conn; cmd.ExecuteNonQuery(); Deleting data: (this time using the default constructor) string deleteString = @"delete from Employees where ID = 12345"; SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand(); cmd.CommandText = deleteString; cmd.Connection = conn;

cmd.ExecuteNonQuery();

The SqlDataReader

- A SqlDataReader is a type that is good for reading data in the most efficient manner possible
- You can read from SqlDataReader objects in a forward-only sequential manner
 - You will not be able to go back and read it again, you will need a new query for that...
 - The forward only design of the SqlDataReader is what enables it to be fast less overhead
- The object is instantiated with an ExecuteReader call
 - SqlDataReader rdr = cmd.ExecuteReader();

You need a loop to read the data - row by row

The SqlDataReader

- The returned row contains values in its columns
- These values can be accessed with the '[]' operator (like a map or array)
 - We can insert an index, but it is preferable to use a string index since it is more readable

```
while (rdr.Read()) // read a row, returns a Boolean
{
    // get the results of each column
    int id = (int)rdr[0]; // not very readable
    string name = (string)rdr["Name"];
    int depId = (string)rdr["DepartmentID"];
    // now we can do anything we want with
    // these C# objects :)
}
```

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•••	•••	•••

Disconnected Data

Introduction

- Up until now we used a fully connected mode
 - We used the *SqlCommand* object to query the data base
 - We used the *SqlDataReader* to read it quickly
 - But the session with the server was open the entire time!
 - Very resource consuming, particularly if used by many clients...
- O What about something in between?
 - Introducing the DataSet & DataAdapter objects!

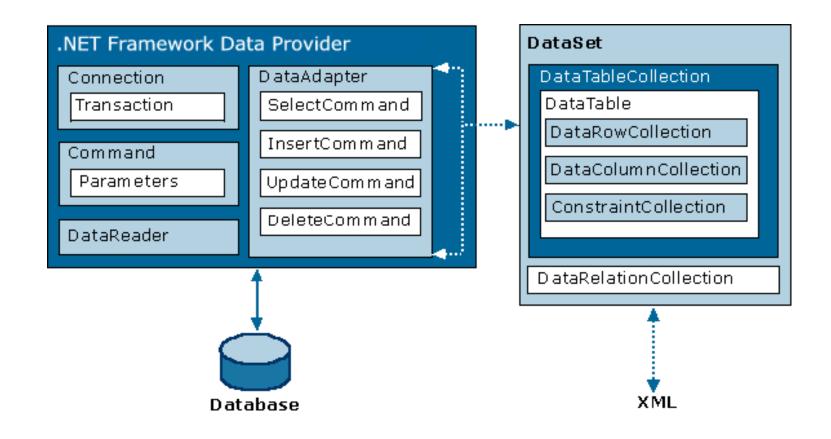


The DataSet & SqlDataAdapter Objects

- A **DataSet** is an **in-memory** data store that can hold numerous tables
- DataSets only hold data and do not interact with a data source
- It is the SqlDataAdapter that manages connections
- It opens a connection only when required and closes it as soon as it has performed its task
 - Automatically!

An initialized DataSet can be read numerous times without invoking the data base

The ADO. Net Architecture



Let's get to work!

```
DataSet ds = new DataSet();
DataTable departments = new DataTable("Departments");
DataTable employees = new DataTable("Employees");
// filling the Employee table from the data base
SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand("select * from Employees", conn);
SqlDataAdapter tableAdapter = new SqlDataAdapter(cmd); // opens conn
// use Fill method to fill the data table
tableAdapter.Fill(employees); // connection is now closed
// filling the Department table from the data base
cmd = new SqlCommand("select * from Departments", conn);
tableAdapter = new SqlDataAdapter(cmd); // connection is opened
tableAdapter.Fill(departments);// connection is now closed again
// adding the tables to the data set
ds.Tables.Add(departments);
ds.Tables.Add(employees);
```

Departments Table

Number	Name	manager
101	control	12345
413	R&D	96534

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adding a relation
DataRelation dr=new DataRelation("EmployeeDepartment",
                    ds.Tables[0].Columns["Number"],
                    ds.Tables[1].Columns["DepartmentID"]
ds.Relations.Add(dr);
// adding a new row
// only in our memory, not the data base yet
DataRow nr = ds.Tables["Employees"].NewRow();
nr["ID"] = "34825";
nr["Name"] = "Bart Simpson";
nr["DepartmentID"] = "101";
ds.Tables["Employees"].Rows.Add(nr);
```

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```
// acessing the data set
   foreach(DataTable aTable in ds.Tables)
     foreach (DataRow aRow in aTable.Rows)
        foreach (DataColumn aCol in aTable.Columns)
        Console.WriteLine(aRow[aCol]);

// updating the data base when needed
tableAdapter.Update(ds,"Employees");
```

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ORM

OBJECT RELATIONAL MAPPING

Object Relational Mapping

- O Automatically convert relational data ⇔ objects
- You can implement your own code, or use existing tools
- Hibernate: HIBERNAT

```
public class User {
  private long userId = 0 ;
  private String firstName = "";
  private String lastName = "";
  private int age = 0;
  private String email = "";
}
```



```
mysql> create database myDatabase;
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> use myDatabase;
Database changed
mysql> CREATE TABLE USERS(
-> USER_ID NUMERIC PRIMARY KEY,
-> FIRST_NAME CHAR(20),
-> LAST_NAME CHAR(20),
-> AGE NUMERIC,
-> EMAIL CHAR(40)
-> );
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.06 sec)
```

Hibernate Mapping via XML

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
 <!DOCTYPE hibernate-mapping PUBLIC</pre>
 "-//Hibernate/Hibernate Mapping DTD 3.0//EN"
 "http://hibernate.sourceforge.net/hibernate-mapping-3.0.dtd" >
 <hibernate-mapping>
    <class name="User" table="USERS" >
       <id name="userId" type="java.lang.Long" column="user id" >
            <generator class="increment" />
       </id>
       property name="firstName" type="java.lang.String" column="first name" length="20" />
       property name="lastName" type="java.lang.String" column="last name" length="20" />
       </class>
 </hibernate-mapping>
```

Hibernate Use Example

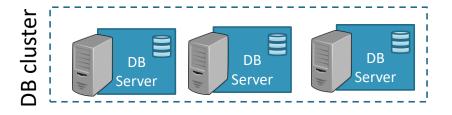
```
import org.hibernate.Session;
public class UserManager {
private Session session = null;
public UserManager (Session session) {
    this.session = session;
 public void saveUser(User user) {
  session.save(user);
 public void updateUser(User user) {
  session.update(user);
 public void deleteUser(User user) {
  session.delete(user);
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
User user = new User();
user.setFirstName("Kermit");
user.setLastName("Frog");
user.setAge(54);
user.setEmail("kermit@muppets.com");
SessionFactory sessionFactory = new
Configuration().configure().buildSessionFactory();
 Session session = sessionFactory.openSession();
UserManager manager = new UserManager(session);
manager.saveUser(user);
                         mysql
session.flush();
                        mysql> select * from users;
                          USER_ID : FIRST_NAME : LAST_NAME : AGE : EMAIL
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                          row in set (0.02 sec)
```

ACID

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- We want to access databases concurrently
- And do it right...



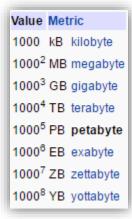
- ACID properties:
 - Atomicity requires that each transaction be "all or nothing"
 - Consistency any transaction should bring the database from one valid state to another
 - Isolation concurrent execution of transactions should result in a system state that would be obtained if transactions were executed serially (one after the other)
 - Durability once a transaction has been committed, it will remain so, even in the event of power loss, crashes, or errors
- Hard to achieve...
 - Especially when trying to scale-out



Bid Data

- Data sets that are so large or complex
 - that traditional data processing applications are inadequate
- petabytes of data...

- O Characteristics the 5 V's:
 - Volume The quantity of generated and stored data
 - Variety The different forms of data we collect
 - Velocity The speed at which the data is generated
 - Variability / Veracity Inconsistency of the data / trustworthiness of the data
 - Value can we extract useful information from it / why we fight!





















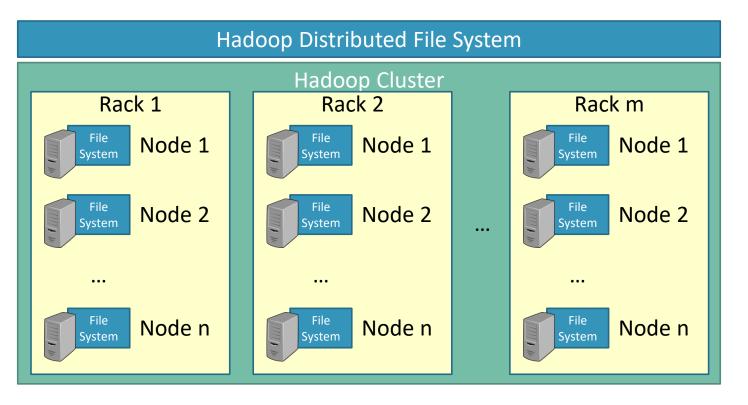






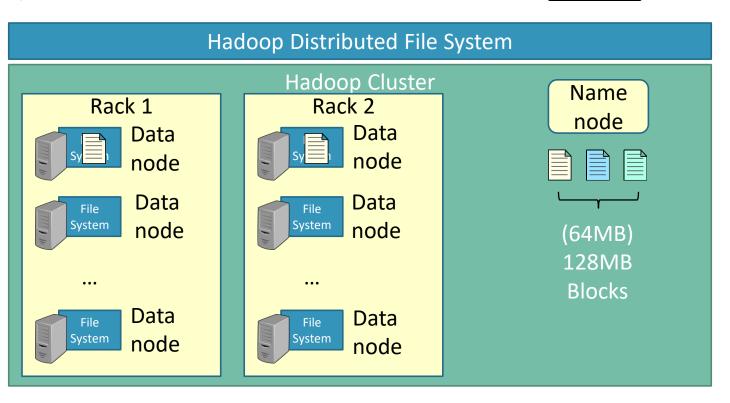


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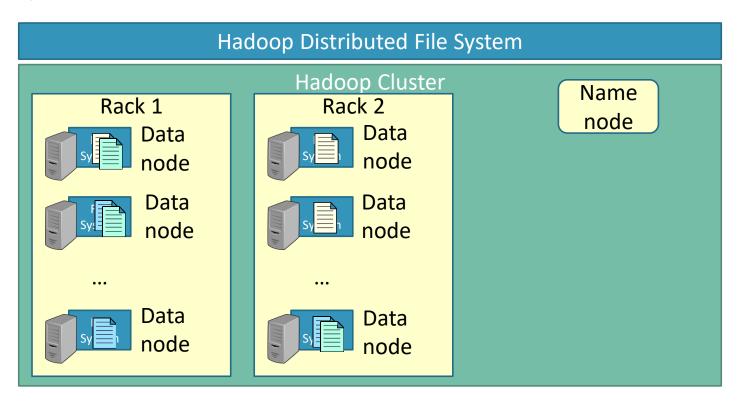


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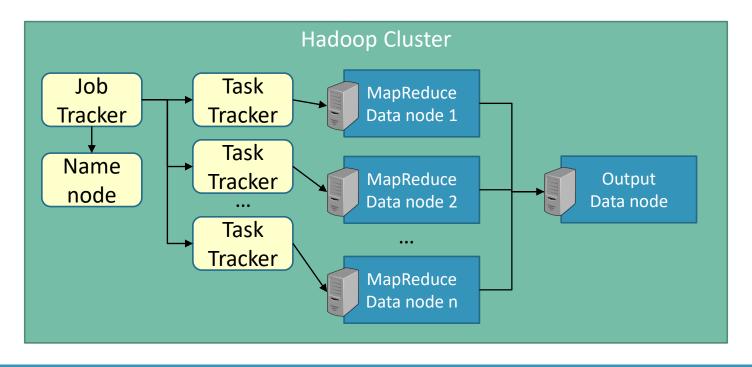


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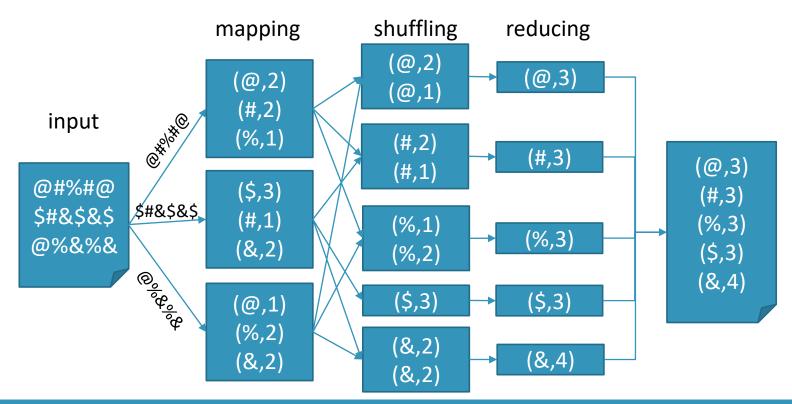


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 - Example: word count



Simple MapReduce in Java



O Word count Example:

```
public static class Map extends Mapper<LongWritable, Text, Text, IntWritable> {
    private final static IntWritable one = new IntWritable(1);
    private Text word = new Text();

    public void map(LongWritable key, Text value, Context context) throws IOException
        String line = value.toString();
        StringTokenizer tokenizer = new StringTokenizer(line);
        while (tokenizer.hasMoreTokens()) {
            word.set(tokenizer.nextToken());
            context.write(word, one);
        }
    }
}
```

```
public static class Reduce extends Reducer<Text, IntWritable, Text, IntWritable> {
    public void reduce(Text key, Iterable<IntWritable> values, Context context)
        throws IOException, InterruptedException {
        int sum = 0;
        for (IntWritable val : values) {
            sum += val.get();
        }
        context.write(key, new IntWritable(sum));
    }
}
```