

Build an EF and ASP.NET Core 3.0 App HOL

Lab 3

This lab walks you through creating a SQL Server objects (stored procs, a view, and a user defined function), computed columns on the entities, the view models, and the query types. Prior to starting this lab, you must have completed Lab 2.

Part 1: Create the SQL Server Objects

All of the SQL Server objects will be created using the EF Core migration framework. This enables a single call to the EF Core command line to update the database to the necessary state.

All of the SQL calls are added into migrations using static helper classes that leverages an instance of the `MigrationBuilder` class. The `MigrationBuilder.Sql` method executes raw SQL against the target database.

Step 1: Create the Helper Classes

- 1) Create a new folder named `MigrationHelpers` under the `EfStructures` folder in the `SpyStore.Hol.Dal` project. In this folder, add three classes: `FunctionsHelper.cs`, `SprocsHelper.cs`, `ViewsHelper.cs`.
- 2) Make each class public and static, and add the following using statements to the top of each class:

```
using Microsoft.EntityFrameworkCore.Migrations;
```

Step 2: Create the User Defined Function Helper

- 1) In the `FunctionsHelper` class, add the following code to create a function that adds up the cost of each order detail record for a specific order. This will be called in the `Up` method of the migration:

```
public static void CreateOrderTotalFunction(MigrationBuilder migrationBuilder)
{
    string sql = @"
        CREATE FUNCTION Store.GetOrderTotal ( @OrderId INT )
        RETURNS MONEY WITH SCHEMABINDING
        BEGIN
            DECLARE @Result MONEY;
            SELECT @Result = SUM([Quantity]*[UnitCost]) FROM Store.OrderDetails
            WHERE OrderId = @OrderId;
            RETURN coalesce(@Result,0)
        END";
    migrationBuilder.Sql(sql);
}
```

- 2) Add another method to drop the function. This will be called by the `Down` method of the migration.

```
public static void DropOrderTotalFunction(MigrationBuilder builder)
{
    builder.Sql("drop function [Store].[GetOrderTotal]");
}
```

Step 3: Create the Stored Proc Helper

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- 1) In the SprocsHelper class, add the following code to create a stored procedure that converts the ShoppingCartRecords into Orders and OrderDetails records. This will be called in the Up method of the migration:

```
public static void CreatePurchaseSproc(MigrationBuilder migrationBuilder)
{
    var sql = @"
        CREATE PROCEDURE [Store].[PurchaseItemsInCart](@customerId INT = 0, @orderId INT OUTPUT) AS
        BEGIN
            SET NOCOUNT ON;
            INSERT INTO Store.Orders (CustomerId, OrderDate, ShipDate)
                VALUES(@customerId, GETDATE(), GETDATE());
            SET @orderId = SCOPE_IDENTITY();
            DECLARE @TranName VARCHAR(20);SELECT @TranName = 'CommitOrder';
            BEGIN TRANSACTION @TranName;
            BEGIN TRY
                INSERT INTO Store.OrderDetails (OrderId, ProductId, Quantity, UnitCost)
                SELECT @orderId, scr.ProductId, scr.Quantity, p.CurrentPrice
                FROM Store.ShoppingCartRecords scr
                INNER JOIN Store.Products p ON p.Id = scr.ProductId
                WHERE scr.CustomerId = @customerId;
                DELETE FROM Store.ShoppingCartRecords WHERE CustomerId = @customerId;
                COMMIT TRANSACTION @TranName;
            END TRY
            BEGIN CATCH
                ROLLBACK TRANSACTION @TranName;
                SET @orderId = -1;
            END CATCH;
        END;";
    migrationBuilder.Sql(sql);
}
```

- 2) Add another method to drop the stored procedure. This will be called by the Down method of the migration.

```
public static void DropPurchaseSproc(MigrationBuilder migrationBuilder)
{
    migrationBuilder.Sql("DROP PROCEDURE [Store].[PurchaseItemsInCart]");
}
```

Step 4: Create the Views Helper

- 1) In the ViewsHelper class, add the following code to create two views, one for the Orders and OrderDetails tables (and related Product records), and another one for the ShoppingCartRecords table (and related Product records). These will be called in the Up method of the migration:

```
public static void CreateOrderDetailWithProductInfoView(MigrationBuilder builder)
{
    builder.Sql(@"
        CREATE VIEW [Store].[OrderDetailWithProductInfo]
        AS
        SELECT
            od.Id, od.TimeStamp, od.OrderId, od.ProductId, od.Quantity, od.UnitCost,
            od.Quantity * od.UnitCost AS LineItemTotal, p.ModelName, p.Description, p.ModelNumber,
            p.ProductImage, p.ProductImageLarge, p.ProductImageThumb, p.CategoryId, p.UnitsInStock,
            p.CurrentPrice, c.CategoryName
        FROM Store.OrderDetails od INNER JOIN Store.Orders o ON o.Id = od.OrderId
        INNER JOIN Store.Products AS p ON od.ProductId = p.Id INNER JOIN
            Store.Categories AS c ON p.CategoryId = c.id");
}

public static void CreateCartRecordWithProductInfoView(MigrationBuilder builder)
{
    builder.Sql(@"
        CREATE VIEW [Store].[CartRecordWithProductInfo]
        AS
        SELECT scr.Id, scr.TimeStamp, scr.DateCreated, scr.CustomerId, scr.Quantity,
            scr.LineItemTotal, scr.ProductId, p.ModelName, p.Description,
            p.ModelNumber, p.ProductImage, p.ProductImageLarge, p.ProductImageThumb,
            p.CategoryId, p.UnitsInStock, p.CurrentPrice, c.CategoryName
        FROM Store.ShoppingCartRecords scr
            INNER JOIN Store.Products p ON p.Id = scr.ProductId
            INNER JOIN Store.Categories c ON c.Id = p.CategoryId");
}
```

- 2) Add methods to drop the views. This will be called by the Down method of the migration.

```
public static void DropOrderDetailWithProductInfoView(MigrationBuilder builder)
{
    builder.Sql("drop view [Store].[OrderDetailWithProductInfo]");
}

public static void DropCartRecordWithProductInfoView(MigrationBuilder builder)
{
    builder.Sql("drop view [Store].[CartRecordWithProductInfo]");
}
```

Step 5: Create the Migration for the SQL Server Objects

Even if nothing has changed in the model, migrations can still be created. The Up and Down methods will be empty. To execute custom SQL, that is exactly what is needed.

- 1) Open a command prompt or Package Manager Console in the SpyStore.Ho1.Da1 directory.
- 2) Create an empty migration (but do **NOT** run `dotnet ef database update`) by running the following command. Note that the output directory will be the same as previous migrations for the same derived DbContext:

```
dotnet ef migrations add TSQL -c SpyStore.Hol.Dal.EfStructures.StoreContext
```

- 3) Open up the new migration file (named <timestamp>_TSQL.cs). Note that the Up and Down methods are empty. Add the following using statement to the top of the file:

```
using SpyStore.Hol.Dal.EfStructures.MigrationHelpers;
```

- 4) Change the Up method to the following:

```
protected override void Up(MigrationBuilder migrationBuilder)
{
    ViewsHelper.CreateOrderDetailWithProductInfoView(migrationBuilder);
    ViewsHelper.CreateCartRecordWithProductInfoView(migrationBuilder);
    FunctionsHelper.CreateOrderTotalFunction(migrationBuilder);
    SprocsHelper.CreatePurchaseSproc(migrationBuilder);
}
```

- 5) Change the Down method to the following code:

```
protected override void Down(MigrationBuilder migrationBuilder)
{
    ViewsHelper.DropOrderDetailWithProductInfoView(migrationBuilder);
    ViewsHelper.DropCartRecordWithProductInfoView(migrationBuilder);
    FunctionsHelper.DropOrderTotalFunction(migrationBuilder);
    SprocsHelper.DropPurchaseSproc(migrationBuilder);
}
```

6) SAVE THE MIGRATION FILE BEFORE RUNNING THE MIGRATION

- 7) Update the database by executing the migration:

```
dotnet ef database update
```

- 8) Check the database to make sure the function exists

Part 2: Add the Calculated Fields

Step 1: Add the OrderTotal to the Order Entity

- 1) Open the OrderBase.cs file in the SpyStore.Hol.Models project and add the following property:

```
[Display(Name = "Total"),DataType(DataType.Currency)]
[DatabaseGenerated(DatabaseGeneratedOption.Computed)]
public decimal? OrderTotal { get; set; }
```

- 2) Open the `StoreContext.cs` file in the `SpyStore.Hol.Dal` project, and add the following Fluent API command in the `OnModelCreating` method to the `Order` entity:

```
modelBuilder.Entity<Order>(entity =>
{
    entity.Property(e => e.OrderDate).HasColumnType("datetime").HasDefaultValueSql("getdate()");
    entity.Property(e => e.ShipDate).HasColumnType("datetime").HasDefaultValueSql("getdate()");
    entity.Property(e => e.OrderTotal)
        .HasColumnType("money")
        .HasComputedColumnSql("Store.GetOrderTotal([Id])");
});
```

NOTES:

- The `DatabaseGenerated` attribute is overruled by the Fluent API. I keep the attribute for transparency.

Step 2: Add the `LineItemTotal` to the `OrderDetail` Entity

- 1) Open the `OrderDetailBase.cs` file in the `SpyStore.Hol.Models` project and add the following property:

```
[DataType(DataType.Currency), Display(Name = "Total")]
[DatabaseGenerated(DatabaseGeneratedOption.Computed)]
public decimal? LineItemTotal { get; set; }
```

- 2) Open the `StoreContext.cs` file in the `SpyStore.Hol.Dal` project, and add the following Fluent API command in the `OnModelCreating` method to the `Order` entity:

```
modelBuilder.Entity<OrderDetail>(entity =>
{
    entity.Property(e => e.UnitCost).HasColumnType("money");
    entity.Property(e => e.LineItemTotal).HasColumnType("money")
        .HasComputedColumnSql("[Quantity]*[UnitCost]");
});
```

Step 3: Create the Final Migration and Update the Database

- 1) **SAVE THE ALL FILES, INCLUDING `OrderBase.cs`, `OrderDetailBase.cs`, and `StoreContext.cs`**

- 2) Create a new migration and update the database:

```
dotnet ef migrations add Final -c SpyStore.Hol.Dal.EfStructures.StoreContext
dotnet ef database update
```

Part 3: Scalar Function Mapping in EF Core

With EF Core 2, scalar SQL Server functions can be mapped to C# methods to be used in LINQ queries.

1) Open the `StoreContext.cs` file and ensure the following using statement is in the file:

```
using System;
```

2) Add the following static method to the `StoreContext.cs` file:

```
[DbFunction("GetOrderTotal",Schema = "Store")]
public static int GetOrderTotal(int orderId)
{
    //code in here doesn't matter
    throw new Exception();
}
```

NOTE:

- Functions can be mapped using Data Annotations or the Fluent API

Part 4: Add the Custom Exceptions

A common pattern in exception handling is to wrap system exceptions with custom exceptions. The SpyStore Data Access Layer uses five (5) custom exceptions with a base custom exception.

NOTE: Copy the Exceptions folder and all of the contained files from Lab3/Assets into the SpyStore.Hol.Dal project. It includes all of the custom exception.

Part 5: Add/Update the ViewModels

ViewModels are a common way to represent data from multiple tables in one class. In this lab you will create the view models for the Data Access Layer. They extend the `OrderBase` and `ShoppingCartRecordBase` classes created in the last lab.

NOTE: Copy the ViewModels folder and all of the contained files from Lab3/Assets into the SpyStore.Hol.Models project. It includes the base properties of all of the view models. This part of the lab will update the navigation properties and attributes for the View Models.

Step 1: The CartRecordWithProductInfo ViewModel

This view model extends the ShoppingCartRecordBase class with Product and Category properties.

1) Update the code to the following:

```
public class CartRecordWithProductInfo : ShoppingCartRecordBase
{
    public new int Id { get; set; }
    public string Description { get; set; }
    [Display(Name="Model Number")]
    public string ModelNumber { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Name")]
    public string ModelName { get; set; }
    public string ProductImage { get; set; }
    public string ProductImageLarge { get; set; }
    public string ProductImageThumb { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "In Stock")]
    public int UnitsInStock { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Price"),DataType(DataType.Currency)]
    public decimal CurrentPrice { get; set; }
    public int CategoryId { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Category")]
    public string CategoryName { get; set; }
}
```

NOTES:

- Owned types are not yet support for query types, so the ProductDetails class can't be used.

Step 2: The CartWithCustomerInfo ViewModel

1) Update the code to the following:

```
public class CartWithCustomerInfo
{
    public Customer Customer { get; set; }
    public IList<CartRecordWithProductInfo> CartRecords { get; set; }
    = new List<CartRecordWithProductInfo>();
}
```

Step 3: The OrderDetailWithProductInfo Model

1) Update the code to the following:

```
public class OrderDetailWithProductInfo : OrderDetailBase
{
    public new int Id { get; set; }
    public string Description { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Model Number")]
    public string ModelNumber { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Name")]
    public string ModelName { get; set; }
    public string ProductImage { get; set; }
    public string ProductImageLarge { get; set; }
    public string ProductImageThumb { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "In Stock")]
    public int UnitsInStock { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Price"), DataType(DataType.Currency)]
    public decimal CurrentPrice { get; set; }
    public int CategoryId { get; set; }
    [Display(Name = "Category")]
    public string CategoryName { get; set; }
}
```

Step 4: Create the OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo Model

1) Update the code to the following:

```
public class OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo : OrderBase
{
    public Customer Customer { get; set; }
    public IList<OrderDetailWithProductInfo> OrderDetails { get; set; }
}
```

2) AutoMapper is used to create an instance of this class from an Order, Customer, and list of OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo records. AutoMapper must be configured with the from and the to types and any specific instructions (such as ignoring properties). Create a static class variable to hold the configuration, and a static constructor that creates the configuration. The navigation properties must be ignored, since the OrderDetails of the Order class is of a different type than the OrderDetails type of the viewmodel. Add the following code:

```
private static readonly MapperConfiguration _mapperCfg;
static OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo()
{
    _mapperCfg = new MapperConfiguration(cfg =>
    {
        cfg.CreateMap<Order, OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo>()
            .ForMember(record => record.OrderDetails, y => y.Ignore());
    });
}
```


- 3) Next, add a static method that will execute the mapping configuration to create the new instance of the viewModel:

```
public static OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo Create(Order order, Customer customer,
IEnumerable<OrderDetailWithProductInfo> details)
{
    var viewModel = _mapperCfg.CreateMapper().Map<OrderWithDetailsAndProductInfo>(order);
    viewModel.OrderDetails = details.ToList();
    viewModel.Customer = customer;
    return viewModel;
}
```

Part 4: Add the Query Types

Query types are used to map views or tables without primary keys to entities. Mapping query types is a two-step process. The first is to create a `DbQuery<T>` property on the `StoreContext`, then set the SQL to use. If the query type is to be used with a view, the mapping is added in the `OnModelCreating` method. Query types can also be loaded with `FromSql` calls.

- 1) Open the `StoreContext.cs` file and add the following using statement:

```
using SpyStore.Hol.Models.ViewModels;
```

- 2) Add the following properties to the `StoreContext` class:

```
public DbSet<CartRecordWithProductInfo> CartRecordWithProductInfos { get; set; }
public DbSet<OrderDetailWithProductInfo> OrderDetailWithProductInfos { get; set; }
```

- 3) In the `OnModelCreating` method, map the `DbSet<T>` properties to the views created in the last lab and add the `HasNoKey()`:

```
modelBuilder.Entity<CartRecordWithProductInfo>()
    .ToView("CartRecordWithProductInfo", "Store").HasNoKey();
modelBuilder.Entity<OrderDetailWithProductInfo>()
    .ToView("OrderDetailWithProductInfo", "Store").HasNoKey();
```

Summary

This lab created the SQL Server views, function, and stored procedure. Then calculated fields were added to the `Order` and `OrderDetail` tables. The SQL Server user defined function was mapped to a C# method, the custom exceptions were created as well as the view models. Finally, the two views were mapped to view models using the query collection type.

Next steps

In the next part of this tutorial series, you will create the repositories.