# CLOUD DATA OBJECT API SPECIFICATION

Progress is committed to delivering market-leading technology innovations that empower our partners and customers to dramatically improve the development, deployment, integration and management of their business applications. The Cloud Data Object brings data management features normally found in Systems of Records to client applications in the cloud, specifically web and mobile apps.

Samples in this specification use JavaScript on the client where the Cloud Data Object is referred to as a JavaScript Data Object (JSDO) and OpenEdge ABL on the server. In reality any client or server language can be used to implement this specification.

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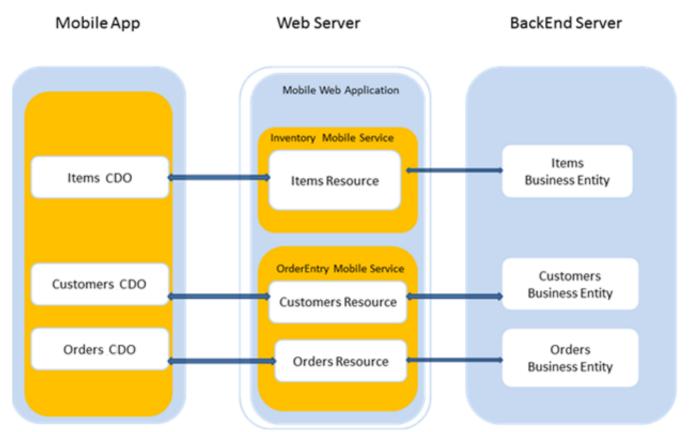
## Introduction

Mobile applications often communicate with a server for data and business logic. This specification introduces the *Cloud Data Object* (CDO), a client-side object that manages transactional data updates and access to server-side business logic.

A *Cloud Data Service* (CDS) defines the API for one or more server-side resources. Each resource provides access to a logical schema and its related business logic, which for the purposes of this document will be referred to as a *Business Entity*. The supported schemas are a single table or a dataset which contains one or more tables where the tables may be related. A Business Entity is implemented using a standard set of built-in operations to read and modify data on the backend. A Business Entity can also provide additional (customized) methods, so the resource will also provide access to these non-standard methods.

A CDO provides client access to the data and operations of a single resource. Client code can call methods on a CDO to execute the mapped server-side operations on the backend. The data for these operations is serialized between the Client and the Server.

For information on the *CDO Catalog file*, please refer to the document Cloud Data Object Catalog Specification.



The figure above provides an overview of how a CDO accesses a resource which works the same for a given CDO regardless of the type of client or type of backend.

# **Classes to support the Cloud Data Object**

CloudDataRecord

CloudDataObject

CloudSession

request

# **CloudDataRecord Class**

CloudDataRecord is a record instance for any table stored in the local memory of an associated class instance (CDO).

# **Properties**

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
_errorString property	A string value available on the data property of every CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory that is set as part of before-image data for the record and provides descriptive information about any record change error on the server following a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation.
_id property	A string value available on the data property of every CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory that provides a unique internal ID for the record.
data property	The data (field values) for a record associated with a CloudDataRecord object.

## Methods

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
acceptRowChanges() method	Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.
assign() method (CDO class)	Updates field values for the specified CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory.
getErrorString() method	Returns any before-image error string in the data of a record object referenced in CDO memory that was set as the result of a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation.
getId() method	Returns the unique internal ID for the record object referenced in CDO memory.
remove() method	Deletes the specified table record referenced in CDO memory.
rejectRowChanges() method	Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.

#### **Events**

This object has no events.

#### Example

The following example assumes that a CDO is referenced by the cdo variable. The example creates a new record object along with a message with credit information using properties of the record object:

```
function addRecord() {
  var record = cdo.add( {Balance: 10000, State: 'MA'} );
  alert( 'Record ID: ' + record.getId() + ' CreditLimit: ' +
      record.data.CreditLimit );
}
```

#### Notes

Using the add(), find(), findById(), or foreach() method, or the record property, on a given CDO and table reference, a CloudDataRecord instance returns a working record for the table referenced in CDO memory. You can then use properties and methods of the CloudDataRecord to update, delete, or display the specified record from the CDO.

# CloudDataObject Class

The CDO provides access to resources in a Cloud Data Service, known as a *Cloud Data Resource*. A single CDO object (CDO) provides access to one resource in a Cloud Data Service. The CDO provides application-oriented methods on the client to work with data and invoke business logic methods on a Cloud Data Service. The supported *Cloud Data operation* types are:

- 1. CRUD(Create, Read, Update, Delete)
- 2. Submit
- 3. Invoke operations

You identify how a CDO maps methods to operations of a given resource in a CDO catalog file that identifies how a CDO that you create can access the corresponding resource using methods of the CDO.

At run time, the CDO maintains an internal data store (*CDO memory*) for managing table data that is exchanged between the server and client, and it provides methods to read and write the data in CDO memory as individual record objects. To support this data exchange, a resource can be organized into basic operation types that include *built-in* create, read, update, delete (CRUD), and submit operations, and *non-built-in* invoke operations. The built-in Mobile operations can operate on a single table or on a single DataSet containing one or more tables. Each built-in operation type maps to a corresponding built-in method of the CDO.

The records of each table are presented as an array of record objects, which the built-in methods use to exchange the data with the Cloud Data Server. The built-in methods, through their corresponding operation types, support the common business operations that can be generated directly from an Business entity. Other methods of the CDO provide access to individual record objects of CDO memory. Based on the results of its methods, the CDO also maintains a working record for each table in its memory store that you can access directly using table and field references (see the notes). Thus, using the methods of a CDO and its table references, you can interact with a corresponding resource in a consistent manner from one resource (and its corresponding CDO) to another.

A CDO also supports non-built-in invoke operations that allow specific routines to be exposed in a resource and executed as corresponding JavaScript methods. You can do this in Developer Studio by annotating routines specifically as invoke operations. You can then call each routine annotated as an invoke operation using a unique *invocation method* on the CDO. Note that data exchanged between the Cloud Data Server and client using invoke operations is not automatically stored in CDO memory. It is initially accessible only through parameters and return values of the invocation methods provided by the CDO. You can subsequently use CDO methods to exchange data between the invocation methods and CDO memory, which is maintained and synchronized with the Cloud Data Server using the CDO built-in methods.

When you instantiate a CDO, it relies on a prior login session that you can establish using an instance of the Session class. This login session enables optionally secure communications between the client CDO and the Web server, specified Cloud Data Services, and ultimately the Cloud Data Server that implements the resource accessed by the CDO.

#### **Constructors**

Two constructors are available for the CDO. The first constructor takes the name of the corresponding resource as a parameter; the second constructor takes an initialization object as a parameter.

The resource name specified for the constructor must match the name of a resource provided by a Cloud Data Service for which a login session has already been started. After the CDO is created, it uses the information stored in the CDO catalog that is loaded for the Cloud Data Service to communicate with the specified resource.

#### Syntax

```
CDO ( resource-name )
CDO ( init-object )
```

resource-name

A string expression set to the name of a resource provided by a Cloud Data Service for which a login session has been started.

init-object

An object that can contain any writable CDO properties. It **must** contain the required CDO name property, which specifies the resource for the CDO. It can also contain either or both of the following initialization properties:

- autoFill A Boolean that specifies whether the the CDO invokes its fill (
   method upon instantiation to initialize CDO memory with data from the resource.
   The default value is false.
- **events** An object that specifies one or more CDO event subscriptions, each with its properties represented as an array, with the following syntax:

Syntax

event

The name of an event to which the CDO instance subscribes. See Events for a list of available CDO events.

```
object-ref
```

An optional object reference that defines the execution scope of the function called when the event fires. If the scope property is omitted, the execution scope is the global object (usually the browser or device window).

```
function-ref
```

A reference to an event handler function that is called when the event fires.

Each event passes a fixed set of parameters to its event handler, as described in the reference entry for the event in CDO Properties, Methods, and Events Reference.

# Example

The following example illustrates the use of an initialization object to instantiate a CDO:

```
dsItems = new progress.data.CDO({
  name : 'Item',
  autoFill : false,
  events : {
    'afterFill' : [ {
         scope : this,
         fn : function (cdo, success, request) {
```

## **Properties**

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
autoApplyChanges property	A Boolean on a CDO that indicates if the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes to CDO memory when you call the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.
autoSort property	A Boolean on a CDO and its table references that indicates if record objects are sorted automatically on the affected table references in CDO memory at the completion of a supported CDO operation.
caseSensitive property	A Boolean on a CDO and its table references that indicates if String field comparisons performed by supported CDO operations are case sensitive or case-insensitive for the affected table references in CDO memory.
name property	The name of the resource for which the current CDO is created.
record property	A property on a CDO table reference that references a CloudDataRecord object with the data for the working record of a table referenced in CDO memory.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
table reference property (CDO class)	An object reference property on a CDO that has the name of a table mapped by the resource to a table for which the current CDO is created.
useRelationships property	A Boolean that specifies whether CDO methods that operate on table references in CDO memory work with the table relationships defined in the schema (that is, work only on the records of a child table that are related to the parent).

#### Methods

Certain methods of the CDO class are called on the CDO object itself, without regard to a table reference, whether that reference is explicit (specified in the method signature) or implicit (in the case of a CDO containing only one table that is not explicitly specified). Other methods can be called on a reference to a table mapped by the resource for which the current CDO is created.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
acceptChanges() method	Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.
acceptRowChanges() method	Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.
addLocalRecords() method	Reads the record objects stored in the specified local storage area and updates CDO memory based on these record objects, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.
addRecords() method	Reads an array, table, or ProDataSet object containing one or more record objects and updates CDO memory based on these record objects, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.
deleteLocal() method	Clears out all data and changes stored in a specified local storage area, and removes the cleared storage area.
fill() method	Initializes CDO memory with record objects from the data records in a single table, or in one or more tables of a ProDataSet, as returned by the built-in read operation of the resource for which the CDO is created.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
hasData( ) method	Returns true if record objects can be found in any of the tables referenced in CDO memory (with or without pending changes), or in only the single table referenced on the CDO, depending on how the method is called; and returns false if no record objects are found in either case.
hasChanges() method	Returns true if CDO memory contains any pending changes (with or without before-image data), and returns false if CDO memory has no pending changes.
invocation method	Any method on the CDO that is defined by the resource to execute a corresponding routine on the Cloud Data Server as an invoke operation.
readLocal() method	Clears out the data in CDO memory and replaces it with all the data stored in a specified local storage area, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.
rejectChanges() method	Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.
rejectRowChanges() method	Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.
saveChanges() method	Synchronizes to the Cloud Data Server all changes pending in CDO memory since the last call to the fill() or saveChanges() methods, or since any prior changes have been otherwise accepted or rejected.
saveLocal() method	Saves CDO memory to a specified local storage area, including pending changes and any before-image data, according to a specified data mode.
subscribe( ) method (CDO class)	Subscribes a given event handler function to a named event of the current CDO or table reference.
unsubscribe() method (CDO class)	Unsubscribes a given event handler function from a named event of the current CDO or table reference.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
acceptChanges() method	Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.
acceptRowChanges() method	Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.
add() method	Creates a new record object for a table referenced in CDO memory and returns a reference to the new record.
addRecords() method	Reads an array, table, or ProDataSet object containing one or more record objects and updates CDO memory based on these record objects, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.
assign( ) method (CDO class)	Updates field values for the specified CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory.
find() method	Searches for a record in a table referenced in CDO memory and returns a reference to that record if found. If no record is found, it returns null.
findByld() method	Locates and returns the record in CDO memory with the internal ID you specify.
foreach() method	Loops through the records of a table referenced in CDO memory and invokes a user-defined callback function as a parameter on each iteration.
getData() method	Returns an array of record objects for a table referenced in CDO memory.
getErrorString() method	Returns any before-image error string in the data of a record object referenced in CDO memory that was set as the result of a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation.
getId() method	Returns the unique internal ID for the record object referenced in CDO memory.
getSchema() method	Returns an array of objects, one for each field that defines the schema of a table referenced in CDO memory.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
hasData() method	Returns true if record objects can be found in any of the tables referenced in CDO memory (with or without pending changes), or in only the single table referenced on the CDO, depending on how the method is called; and returns false if no record objects are found in either case.
rejectChanges() method	Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.
rejectRowChanges() method	Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.
remove() method	Deletes the specified table record referenced in CDO memory.
setSortFields() method	Specifies or clears the record fields on which to automatically sort the record objects for a table reference after you have set its autoSort property to true (the default).
setSortFn() method	Specifies or clears a user-defined sort function with which to automatically sort the record objects for a table reference after you have set its autoSort property to true (the default).
sort() method	Sorts the existing record objects for a table reference in CDO memory using either specified sort fields or a specified user-defined sort function.
subscribe() method (CDO class)	Subscribes a given event handler function to a named event of the current CDO or table reference.
unsubscribe() method (CDO class)	Unsubscribes a given event handler function from a named event of the current CDO or table reference.

# **Events**

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
afterCreate event	Fires after the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following an add ( ) call, sends a request to create a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
afterDelete event	Fires after the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following a remove ( ) call, sends a request to delete a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.
afterFill event	Fires after the CDO, by means of a fill() call, sends a request to read a table or ProDataSet into CDO memory and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.
afterInvoke event	Fires after a non-built-in method is called asynchronously on a CDO and a response to the request is received from the Cloud Data Server.
afterSaveChanges event	Fires once for each call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method on a CDO, after responses to all create, update, and delete requests have been received from the Cloud Data Server.
afterUpdate event	Fires after the CDO, by means of a <code>saveChanges()</code> call following an <code>assign()</code> call, sends a request to update a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.
beforeCreate event	Fires before the CDO, by means of a <code>saveChanges()</code> call following an <code>add()</code> call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to create a record.
beforeDelete event	Fires before the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following a remove ( ) call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to delete a record.
beforeFill event	Fires before the CDO, by means of a fill() call, sends a request to the Cloud Data Server to read a table or ProDataSet into CDO memory.
beforeInvoke event	Fires when a non-built-in method is called asynchronously on a CDO, before the request for the operation is sent to the Cloud Data Server.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
beforeSaveChanges event	Fires once for each call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method on a CDO, before any create, update, or delete requests are sent to the Cloud Data Server.
beforeUpdate event	Fires before the CDO, by means of a <code>saveChanges()</code> call following an <code>assign()</code> call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to update a record.

The CDO can subscribe to the events listed in the previous table in either of two ways:

- Subscription via CDO constructor In the init-object parameter of the constructor, list each subscribed event with an optional scope object and an event handler method to be executed when the event fires. See the constructors description for this class.
- Subscription via subscribe( ) method See subscribe( ) method (CDO class).

**Note:** CDO events do not fire if the method call is synchronous.

## Example

The following example reads customer records from a server-side table or ProDataSet and displays fields from the records in a list on the current Web page:

```
var session = new progress.data.Session();

// assuming userName and password came from the UI

var loginResult = session.login('/MobileApp', userName, password);
if (loginResult != progress.data.Session.LOGIN_SUCCESS) {
    //process login failure here and return/throw error, etc
    throw new Error("Login failed");
}
session.addCatalog('/MobileApp/static/mobile/MobileSvc.json');
var cdoOrderEntry = new progress.data.CDO( 'OrderEntry' );
cdoOrderEntry.subscribe('AfterFill', onAfterFill);

function onAfterFill() {
    }));
}
```

#### Notes

• The CDO supports a working record for each table referenced in CDO memory. Certain methods set a specific record as the working record. After other methods execute, there is no working record or existing working records remain unchanged. When there is a working record, you can access the fields of the record using one of the following mechanisms:

Syntax

cdo-ref

The reference to a CDO, and if the CDO references only one table, an implied reference to the working record defined for that table.

table-ref

A table reference with the name of a table in cdo-ref memory and a reference to the table working record. There is one table reference in a CDO for each table referenced by the CDO.

field-ref

A field reference on a <code>table-ref</code>, or a property on the <code>data</code> property object, with the name and value of a field in the working record of the referenced table. There is one such field reference and <code>data</code> object property for each field defined in the table schema.

record

A property of type CloudDataRecord on a table reference, which references the working record of a referenced table specified by:

- cdo-ref.table-ref
- cdo-ref if the CDO references only one table

If the CDO references more than one table, the record property is null at the CDO level and is available only on a table-ref.

data

A property on a CloudDataRecord object with the field values for the working record specified by:

- cdo-ref.table-ref
- cdo-ref if the CDO references only one table
- A record-ref returned for an associated CDO table reference

**Note:** If a field-ref has the same name as a built-in property or method of the CDO, you must use the data property to reference its value in the working record.

Caution: Never write directly to a field-ref using this data property; in this case, use field-ref only to read the data. Writing field values using the data property does not mark the record for update when calling the <code>saveChanges()</code> method, nor does it re-sort the record in CDO memory according to any order you have established using the <code>autoSort</code> property. To mark a record for update and automatically re-sort the record according to the <code>autoSort</code> property, you must assign a field value either by setting a <code>cdo-ref.table-ref.field-ref</code> for a working record or by calling the <code>assign()</code> method on a valid <code>table-ref</code> or <code>CloudDataRecord</code> object reference.

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table referenced in CDO memory. You can return a record-ref for a working record as the value of the record property or as a value returned by supported CDO built-in methods that return a working record, such as add() and find().

For more information on properties available to reference working record fields using this syntax, see the properties listed in this reference entry and in CloudDataRecord object reference entry. For more information on the methods for setting the working record for referenced tables, see methods listed in this reference entry and CloudDataRecord object reference entry.

- Many CDO built-in methods are actually invoked on a CDO table reference, and can only be invoked on the CDO itself when its CDO memory is initialized with a single table.
- For a multi-table ProDataSet, the CDO accesses the data for all unrelated tables in CDO memory as top-level tables of the CDO. Access to data for all related child tables depends on the working record of the parent table in the CDO and the setting of the useRelationships property.

See also

CloudDataRecord object, Session class, record property, table reference property (CDO class)

#### CloudSessionClass

The CloudSession class can manage user authentication and session identification information in HTTP/S messages sent between CDO objects (CDOs) running in an App and Cloud Data Services running on a Web server. The authentication information includes a user ID and password (user credentials). The session identification information includes a URI, which identifies the Mobile Web application that provides the REST transport between its defined set of Cloud Data Services and the client that accesses them, and a session ID, which identifies the user login session for the entire set of Cloud Data Services supported by the Mobile or Web application.

To start a user login session, invoke the <code>login()</code> method on a <code>Session</code> object that you have instantiated, passing as parameters the Mobile Web application URI, optional user credentials, and an optional specified Mobile Web application resource (such as a static HTML page) to authenticate access. Once started, a login session for a Mobile Web application supports all Cloud Data Services that the application provides, each of which can provide one or more resources.

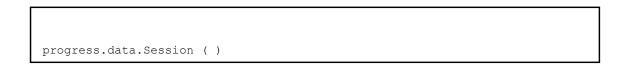
Each Cloud Data Service provided by a Mobile Web application relies on a separate CDO catalog file to define the communications between its resources and the CDOs that access them from the client. Once a user login session is established for a Mobile Web application, you can use its Session object to load the catalog for each Cloud Data Service provided by the Web application. Once the CDO catalog is loaded for the Cloud Data Service, you can instantiate a CDO to access any resource provided by the service in the catalog. If required, the authentication information for the session is also used to authorize access to the resource by its CDO.

All CDOs can thus rely on a single Session object to manage the user login session for all Cloud Data Services and their resources provided by a single Mobile Web application. This single Session object then manages the session life cycle from startup (login) to shutdown (logout) for all CDOs of a Mobile App and the Cloud Data Services they access from the same Mobile Web application.

#### Constructor

Instantiates a Session object that you can use to start a user login session for a Mobile Web application and load the CDO catalog for each supported Cloud Data Service whose resources are accessed using CDOs.

Syntax



**Properties** 

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
authenticationModel property	A string constant that specifies the type of authentication that the server requires from the Mobile App.
catalogURIs property	Returns the list of URIs used to load the CDO catalogs to access the Cloud Data Services provided by the Mobile Web application for which the current Session object manages a user login session.
clientContextId property	The value of the most recent client context identifier (CCID) that the Session object has found in the X-CLIENT-CONTEXT-ID HTTP header of a server response message.
connected property	Returns a Boolean that indicates the most recent online status of the current Session object, when it last determined if the Mobile Web application it manages is available.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
CDOs property	Returns an array of CDOs that use the current Session object to communicate with their mobile services.
lastSessionXHR property	Returns an object reference to the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) that was most recently used by the Session object to execute a Session object method.
loginHttpStatus property	Returns the specific HTTP status code returned in the response from the most recent login attempt on the current Session object.
loginResult property	Returns the return value of the <code>login()</code> method, which is the basic result code for the most recent login attempt on the current <code>Session</code> object.
loginTarget property	Returns the string appended to the Mobile Web application URI passed to the <code>login()</code> method to form the URI of an application resource against which the user has been authenticated for the current login session.

onOpenRequest property	Returns the reference to a user-defined callback function that the Session object executes to modify a request object before sending the request object to the server.
pingInterval property	A Number that specifies the duration, in milliseconds, between one automatic execution of the current Session object's ping ( ) method and the next.
services property	Returns an array of objects that identifies the Cloud Data Services that have been loaded for the current Session object and its Mobile Web application.
serviceURI property	Returns the URI to the Mobile Web application passed as a parameter to the most recent call to the <code>login()</code> method on the current <code>Session</code> object, whether or not the most recent call to <code>login()</code> succeeded.
userName property	Returns the user ID passed as a parameter to the most recent call to the <code>login()</code> method on the current <code>Session object</code> .

# Methods

Table 28: Session class-instance methods

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
addCatalog() method	Loads a CDO catalog for a login session established using the login() method.
login() method	Starts a user login session on the current Session object by sending an HTTP request with user credentials to a URI for a specified Mobile Web application.
logout( ) method	Terminates the login session on the Mobile Web application managed by the current Session object, and invalidates any session currently maintained by the server and the browser or hybrid native wrapper.
ping() method	Determines the online status of the current Session object from its ability to access the Mobile Web application that it manages.
subscribe() method (Session class)	Subscribes a given event handler function to a named event of the current Session object.
unsubscribe() method (Session class)	Unsubscribes a given event handler function from a named event of the current Session object.

## **Events**

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
afterAddCatalog event	Fires when the addCatalog() method on the current Session object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.
afterLogin event	Fires when the login() method on the current Session object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.
afterLogout event	Fires when the logout ( ) method on the current Session object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
offline event	Fires when the current Session object detects that the device on which it is running has gone offline, or that the Mobile Web application to which it has been connected is no longer available.
online event	Fires when the current Session object detects that the device on which it is running has gone online after it was previously offline, or that the Mobile Web application to which it is connected is now available after it was previously unavailable.

#### Example — Using the CloudSession class

This is an example of how you might create a CloudSession object and use the URI to a Mobile Web application to log into the application, load the CDO catalog for a Cloud Data Service provided by that application, and create a CDO for a Customer resource defined by that service in the catalog:

```
// create Session

pdsession = new CloudSession();

// log in, i.e., authenticate to the Mobile Web application

pdsession.login('https://BestSports.com:443/SportsApp', username, password);

// load catalog for a service that's part of the Mobile Web application
```

The CDO automatically finds and uses the Session object on which a catalog that defines the Customer resource is loaded.

#### **Notes**

• Use an instance of this class to call the <code>login()</code> method to start a user login session, call the <code>addCatalog()</code> method to load one or more CDO catalogs for the session, and possibly call the <code>logout()</code> method to terminate the session. To use the same <code>Session</code> instance to start a new login session, you must call the <code>logout()</code> method first.

**Caution:** To help ensure that HTTP Forms access to Mobile Web applications works in certain Web browsers, such as Firefox, when the Web application is configured for Cross-Origin Resource Sharing (CORS), always call the <code>login()</code>, <code>addCatalog()</code>, and <code>logout()</code> methods asynchronously.

- The behavior of a login session using this class depends on the authentication model of the Web server and how its resources are protected and accessed. For more information, see the description of the login ( ) method.
- If you have special requirements for sending Mobile requests to the Web server, you can modify the XMLHttpRequest object that is sent by the Session object. To do so, assign a callback function as the value of Session.onOpenRequest.

# request Class

A request contains data and status information returned from a call to one of the methods of an associated CDO class instance (CDO) that executes a Mobile CRUD or invoke operation of a Cloud Data Service. This request object is returned by the associated CDO method call: fill(), saveChanges(), or a given invocation method.

In the case of an asynchronous call (all CRUD operations and invoke operations that you execute asynchronously), the request object is passed as a parameter to any user-defined event handler functions that you subscribe to associated CDO events. For invoke operations that you execute synchronously, the object is available as the return value of the corresponding CDO invocation method. The object is also passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO.

# Properties

Member	Brief description (See also the reference entry)
async property	A Boolean that indicates, if set to true, that the Mobile operation was executed asynchronously on the Mobile App.
batch property	A reference to an object with a property named operations, which is an array containing the request objects for each of the one or more Mobile record-change operations performed in response to calling the CDO saveChanges() method either with an empty parameter list or with the single parameter value of false.
fnName property	For an invoke operation, the name of the CDO invocation method that called the operation.
cdo property	An object reference to the CDO that performed the operation returning the request object.
record property	An object reference to the record created, updated, or deleted by the current Mobile record-change operation.
objParam property	A reference to the object, if any, that was passed as an input parameter to the CDO method that has returned the current request object.
response property	Returns an object whose properties contain data from a Mobile built-in or invoke operation executed on the Cloud Data Server.
success property	A Boolean that when set to true indicates that the Mobile operation was successfully executed.
xhr property	A reference to the XMLHttpRequest object used to perform a Mobile operation request.

# Methods

This object has no methods.

## **Events**

This object has no events.

# Cloud Data Object (CDO) Properties, Methods, and Events Reference

This section describes the properties, methods, and events of OpenEdge JavaScript classes and objects described in CDO Class and Object Reference. Where a given method can be called on different object type references, the method syntax shows how to call it for each object type and the description indicates when to call it and to what effect for each object type.

## For details, see the following topics:

- \_errorString property
- \_id property
- acceptChanges() method
- acceptRowChanges() method
- add() method
- addCatalog() method
- · addItem() method
- addLocalRecords() method
- addRecords() method
- afterAddCatalog event
- afterCreate event
- afterDelete event
- afterFill event
- afterInvoke event
- afterLogin event
- afterLogout event
- afterSaveChanges event
- afterUpdate event
- assign() method (CDO class)
- async property
- authenticationModel property
- autoApplyChanges property
- autoSort property
- batch property
- beforeCreate event
- beforeDelete event

- beforeFill event
- beforeInvoke event
- beforeSaveChanges event
- beforeUpdate event
- caseSensitive property
- catalogURIs property
- clearItems() method
- clientContextId property
- connected property
- data property
- deleteLocal() method
- display() method
- fill() method
- find() method
- findById() method
- fnName property
- foreach() method
- getData() method
- getErrorString() method
- getFormFields() method
- getFormRecord() method
- getId() method
- getListViewRecord() method
- getSchema() method
- hasData() method
- hasChanges() method
- invocation method
- cdo property
- CDOs property
- record property
- records property
- lastSessionXHR property
- login() method
- loginHttpStatus property
- loginResult property

- loginTarget property
- logout() method
- name property
- objParam property
- offline event
- online event
- onOpenRequest property
- ping() method
- pingInterval property
- readLocal() method
- record property
- rejectChanges() method
- rejectRowChanges() method
- remove() method
- response property
- saveChanges() method
- saveLocal() method
- services property
- serviceURI property
- setDetailPage() method
- setFieldTemplate() method
- setItemTemplate() method
- setListView() method
- setSortFields() method
- setSortFn() method
- showListView() method
- sort() method
- subscribe() method (CDO class)
- subscribe() method (Session class)
- success property
- table reference property (CDO class)
- unsubscribe() method (CDO class)
- unsubscribe() method (Session class)
- unsubscribeAll() method
- useRelationships property

- userName property
- xhr property

# \_errorString property

A string value available on the data property of every CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory that is set as part of before-image data for the record and provides descriptive information about any record change error on the server following a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation.

If there is no error in the associated record change, the value of this property is undefined. However, this property can have a value when a given record change involving the associated record object fails. For an OpenEdge Cloud Data Service, the value of this property then corresponds to the setting of the ERROR-STRING attribute on the associated temp-table buffer object on the Cloud Data Server.

OpenEdge uses this error string in the client CDO Services (such as the Row CDO Service) built into the Mobile App Builder.

Note: To return this value to your application for any record object in the CDO, use the

getErrorString() method.

Return type: String

Access: Read-only

Applies to: data property

You can access this value on the data property of a CloudDataRecord object that is returned from a record change operation and obtained in one of the following ways for a CDO that supports before-imaging:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.
- Accessing each record object provided by the records property on the request object returned to the callback of a CDO afterSaveChanges event on completion of a Mobile submit operation.

**Note:** Although a value for this property is set when the associated record change operation fails on the Cloud Data Server, this value is only returned for a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation that appears to be successful. That is, the success parameter of the associated event callback is set to true.

#### Example:

Following are valid \_errorString property references, where record-ref is a valid CloudDataRecord object reference, dsCustomer is a CDO reference, and ttCustomer is a table reference in the CDO:

```
record-ref.data._errorString
dsCustomer.ttCustomer.record.data._errorString
```

# \_id property

A string value available on the data property of every CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory that provides a unique internal ID for the record.

This internal record ID is a unique value generated by OpenEdge for each CloudDataRecord record object loaded in CDO memory using the fill(), add(), or addRecords() methods. This field has no relationship to the internal RECID and ROWID values maintained for the records of an OpenEdge database. Use this record ID to relate records in a table hierarchy.

**Note:** To return this value to your application for any record object in the CDO, use the <code>getId()</code> method.

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

To return and set the specified record as the working record, you can pass any \_id value to the

 $\verb|findById()| method called on the associated table reference.$ 

Note: The value assigned to  $\_id$  for any given record object can change with each invocation of the fill() or saveChanges() methods.

**Caution:** Do not change the value referenced by \_id. Otherwise, any Mobile App UI managed by OpenEdge can have unpredictable behavior.

#### **Examples**

Following are valid \_id property references, where record-ref is a valid CloudDataRecord object reference, dsCustomer us a CDO reference, and ttCustomer is a table reference in the CDO:

```
record-ref.data._id
dsCustomer.ttCustomer.record.data._id
```

# acceptChanges() method

Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.

If the method succeeds, it returns true. Otherwise, it returns false.

Note: This method applies only when the CDO autoApplyChanges property is set to false. In this case, you typically invoke this method after calling the saveChanges ( ) method in order to accept a series of changes after they have been successfully applied to the Cloud Data Server. If the autoApplyChanges property is true, the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes for the specified table reference, or for all table references of the specified CDO, based on the success of the corresponding Mobile record-change operations.

**Note:** Accepting all pending changes in CDO memory—or even pending changes for a single table reference—because none raised an error from the Cloud Data Server might be too broad an action for your application. If so, consider using acceptRowChanges ( ) to accept changes a single table record at a time. For more information, see the description of acceptRowChanges ( ) method.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.acceptChanges ( )
cdo-ref.table-ref.acceptChanges ( )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, the method accepts changes for all table references in the CDO.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, the method accepts changes for the specified table reference.

When you accept changes on a table reference, this method makes the record objects for the specified table reflect all pending changes in CDO memory. When you accept changes on the CDO reference, the method makes the record objects for all table references in the CDO reflect all pending changes in CDO memory. As the specified changes are accepted, the method also empties any associated before-image data, clears all associated settings of the \_errorString property, and removes the associated record change indications from CDO memory.

**Note:** After this method accepts changes, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for affected table references are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

**Caution:** If you have pending CDO changes that you need to apply to the Cloud Data Server, be sure **not** to invoke this method **before** you invoke the <code>saveChanges()</code> method to successfully apply these changes to the Cloud Data Server. Otherwise, the affected client data will be inconsistent with the corresponding data on the Cloud Data Server.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a CDO created so it **does not** automatically accept or reject changes to data in CDO memory after a call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Instead, it subscribes a handler for the CDO <code>afterSaveChanges</code> event to determine if all changes to the <code>eCustomer</code> table in CDO memory should be accepted or rejected based on the success of all Mobile create, update, and delete operations on the Cloud Data Server. To change the data for a record, a jQuery event is also defined on an update button to update the corresponding <code>eCustomer</code> record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (<code>#custdetail</code>):

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomerOrder',
                                     autoApplyChanges : false } );
dataSet.eCustomer.subscribe('afterSaveChanges', onAfterSaveCustomers, this);
$('#btnUpdate').bind('click', function(event) {
  var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
  record.assign();
});
\ensuremath{//} Similar controls might be defined to delete and create eCustomer records...
$('#btnSave').bind('click', function(event) {
  dataSet.saveChanges();
});
function onAfterSaveCustomers(cdo, success, request) {
  if (success)
    var errorFound = false;
    cdo.eCustomer.foreach( function ( pCustomer ) {
        if (pCustomer.getErrorString()) {
```

When the update button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record (record) with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the assign() method on record with an empty parameter list to update its fields in eCustomer with any new values entered into the form. You might define similar events and controls to delete eCustomer records and add new eCustomer records.

A jQuery event also defines a save button that when clicked invokes the <code>saveChanges()</code> method to apply all pending changes in CDO memory to the Cloud Data Server. After the method completes, and all results have been returned to the client from the Cloud Data Server, the CDO <code>afterSaveChanges</code> event fires, and if all Mobile operations on the Cloud Data Server were successful, the handler calls <code>acceptChanges()</code> to accept the pending changes to <code>eCustomer</code> in CDO memory. For more information on how this same example determines when and how to reject changes, see the description of the <code>rejectChanges()</code> method.

**Note:** This example shows the default invocation of <code>saveChanges()</code>, which invokes each Mobile record-change operation, one record at a time, across the network. You can also have <code>saveChanges()</code> send all pending record change operations across the network in a single Mobile submit operation. For more information and an example, see the description of the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.

# acceptRowChanges() method

Accepts changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.

This can be the working record of a table reference or the record specified by a CloudDataRecord object reference. If the method succeeds, it returns true. Otherwise, it returns false.

Note: This method applies only when the CDO autoApplyChanges property is set to false. In this case, you typically invoke this method for a successful Mobile record-change operation in the handler for the corresponding CDO event fired in response to executing the saveChanges ( ) method. If the autoApplyChanges property is true, the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes to the record object based on the success of the corresponding Mobile operation on the Cloud Data Server.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
record-ref.acceptRowChanges ( )
cdo-ref.acceptRowChanges ( )
cdo-ref.table-ref.acceptRowChanges ( )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table reference in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

When you accept changes on a specified record object, this method makes the record reflect all pending changes in CDO memory. As the specified changes are accepted, the method also empties any associated before-image data, clears any associated \_errorString property setting, and removes the associated pending change indications from CDO memory.

**Note:** After this method accepts changes on a record, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for the affected table reference are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

**Caution:** If you have pending CDO changes that you need to apply to the Cloud Data Server, be sure **not** to invoke this method **before** you invoke the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Otherwise, the affected client data will be inconsistent with the corresponding data on the Cloud Data Server.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a CDO created so it **does not** automatically accept or reject changes to data in CDO memory after a call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Instead, it subscribes a single handler for each of the <code>afterDelete</code>, <code>afterCreate</code>, and <code>afterUpdate</code>, events to determine if changes to any <code>eCustomer</code> table record in CDO memory should be accepted or rejected based on the success of the corresponding Mobile operation on the Cloud Data Server. To change the data for a record, a jQuery event is also defined on a save button to update the corresponding <code>eCustomer</code> record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (<code>#custdetail</code>):

When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the <code>findById()</code> method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the <code>assign()</code> method on <code>record</code> with an empty parameter list to update its fields in <code>eCustomer</code> with any new values entered into the form. It then calls the <code>saveChanges()</code> method to invoke the Mobile update operation to apply these record changes to the Cloud <code>Data Server</code>. You might define similar events and controls to delete the <code>eCustomer</code> record or add a new <code>eCustomer</code> record.

After each Mobile operation for a changed eCustomer record completes, results of the operation are returned to the client from the Cloud Data Server, and the appropriate event fires. If the operation was successful, the handler calls acceptRowChanges ( ) to accept the record change associated with the event in CDO memory. An advantage of using an event to manually accept a record change is that you can perform other actions associated with accepting this particular change, such as creating a local log that describes the change.

**Note:** This example shows the default invocation of <code>saveChanges()</code>, which invokes each Mobile operation, one record at a time, across the network. You can also have <code>saveChanges()</code> send all pending record change operations across the network in a single Mobile submit operation. For an example, see the description of the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.

# add() method

Creates a new record object for a table referenced in CDO memory and returns a reference to the new record.

After completing execution, the new record becomes the working record for the associated table. If the table has child tables, the working record for these child tables is not set. To synchronize the change on the Cloud Data Server, call the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.

Return type: CloudDataRecord object

## **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.add ( [new-record-object] )

cdo-ref.table-ref.add ( [new-record-object] )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

new-record-object

If specified as a non-null object, passes in the data to create the record for the CloudDataRecord instance. The data to create the record is identified by one or more properties, each of which has the name of a corresponding field in the table schema and has the value to set that field in the new table record.

If you omit or set the parameter to null, or you do not include properties of

new-record-object for all fields in the new record, the method uses the default values from the table schema stored in the catalog to set the unspecified record fields.

**Note:** After this method adds the new record object, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for the affected table reference are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

If the specified table reference is for a child table in a ProDataSet, when the useRelationships property is true, add() uses the relationship to set related field values of the new child record from the working record of the parent table. However, if the working record of the parent is not set, add() throws an error. If useRelationships is false, the fields for the new record are set as specified by new-record-object and no error is thrown.

#### Example

Assuming useRelationships is true, given a CDO created for a ProDataSet resource with a customer and related child order table, the add() method in the following code fragment uses this relationship to automatically set the CustNum field in a new record added to the order table:

```
var dataSet = new Progress.data.CDO( 'CustomerOrderDS' );
dataSet.customer.add( { CustNum: 1000, Balance: 10000, State: 'MA' } );
```

Note: OpenEdge adds the new record object with an OpenEdge-reserved String property named

\_id, which uniquely identifies the record in CDO memory. Note that once you have saved the new record object to the Cloud Data Server using saveChanges ( ), its \_id value can change with each invocation of the fill ( ) method.

# addCatalog() method

Loads a CDO catalog for a login session established using the login ( ) method.

This method can be called synchronously or asynchronously, depending on parameters that you pass.

If the login ( ) method has not been called on the current Session object, or has been called but failed, the method throws an Error object.

Return type: Number

```
addCatalog ( catalog-uri [ , cat-user-name [ , cat-password ] ] )
addCatalog ( args )
```

**Note:** If you call addCatalog() passing catalog-uri, the method executes synchronously. If you call it passing args, the method executes synchronously or asynchronously, depending on the setting of args.

catalog-uri

The URI of a CDO catalog file. The file is typically in a location relative to the Mobile Web application where the Session object has a login session.

If the Mobile App from which you are logging in is a Mobile Web App deployed to the same Apache Tomcat server as the Mobile Web application, you can specify catalog-uri as a relative URI, for example:

/SportsMobileApp/static/mobile/OrderEntrySvc.json, which is relative to the deployment end point (Tomcat server domain or host and port).

If the Mobile App from which you are logging in is a Mobile Native App that will be installed to run directly in a native device container, or if it is a Mobile Web App deployed to a different Web server from the Mobile Web application, you must specify catalog-uri as an absolute URI to the Tomcat server domain or host and port, for example, http://www.progress.com/SportsMobileApp/static/mobile/OrderEntrySv

http://testmach:8980/SportsMobileApp/static/mobile/OrderEntrySvc.json.

**Note:** The default catalog URI for a catalog created for a Cloud Data Service, relative to the Apache Tomcat server domain or host and port where the session is logged in, is the following:

/MobileWebApplicationName/static/mobile/ServiceName.json, where MobileWebApplicationName is the name of the Mobile Web application and ServiceName is the name of the Cloud Data Service for which the CDO catalog is created.

c.json, or perhaps for testing,

A string expression containing a user ID to authenticate access to a protected catalog. If you do not specify cat-user-name, catalog access is authorized using existing user credentials (if any).

cat-password

A string expression containing a password (if required) to authenticate the user specified by cat-user-name.

args

An object that has one or more of the following properties:

- cataloguri (Required) Same value as the catalog-uri parameter.
- userName (Optional) Same value as the cat-user-name parameter.
- password (Optional) Same value as the cat-password parameter.
- **async** (Optional) A Boolean that, if true, tells addCatalog() to execute asynchronously. If false or absent, addCatalog() executes synchronously.

**Note:** Typically, you do not need to specify, cat-user-name or cat-password. These optional parameters are available primarily if you store the catalog somewhere other than as part of the Mobile Web application where the user session is logged in.

You can read the catalogURIs property to return the URIs for all catalogs previously loaded for the login session.

When the method completes, it returns one of the following numeric constants to indicate the result:

- Session.ASYNC\_PENDING The method is called asynchronously, or if there is an error preparing to send the request to the server, it throws an Error object. All asynchronous execution results (including any server errors) are returned in the afterAddCatalog event that is fired on the Session object after the method completes. Before calling the method, you can subscribe one or more handlers to this event using the subscribe() method on the Session object.
- Session.SUCCESS The specified CDO catalog loaded successfully.
- Session.AUTHENTICATION\_FAILURE The catalog failed to load because of a
  user authentication error.
- Session.CATALOG\_ALREADY\_LOADED The specified CDO catalog did not load because it is already loaded.

It is also possible for this method to throw an Error object, in which case it does not return a value at all. For more detailed information about any response (successful or unsuccessful) returned from the Web server, you can also check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by the lastSessionXHR property.

Note: When called asynchronously, any handler for the <code>afterAddCatalog</code> event is passed the same information that is available for the <code>addCatalog()</code> method when it is called synchronously, including the <code>Session</code> object that executed <code>addCatalog()</code> (with the same property settings) and any <code>Error</code> object that was thrown processing the server response.

**Caution:** To help ensure that HTTP Forms access to Mobile Web applications works in certain Web browsers, such as Firefox, when the Web application is configured for Cross-Origin Resource Sharing (CORS), always call the addCatalog() method asynchronously.

#### Example

The following code fragment calls the <code>addCatalog()</code> method synchronously on the session, <code>empSession</code> by omitting the <code>async</code> property from its object parameter. For a similar example with the method called asynchronously, see the reference entry for the <code>afterAddCatalog</code> event. This synchronous example uses <code>try</code> and <code>catch</code> blocks to check for either expected success and failure return values, or a thrown <code>Error</code> object with an unknown error, and assembles an appropriate message to display in an alert box for each case:

```
try {
   var retValue;

retValue = empSession.addCatalog( { catalogURI : myCatalogURI } );

if (retValue === progress.data.Session.LOGIN_AUTHENTICATION_FAILURE ) {
    alert("add Employee Catalog failed. Authentication error");
}

else if ( retValue ) {
    alert("Catalogs loaded.");
}
```

# addLocalRecords() method

Reads the record objects stored in the specified local storage area and updates CDO memory based on these record objects, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.

The method updates any single array or table, or all tables for a ProDataSet, as read in according to the CDO resource definition. The data is merged into CDO memory and affects existing data according to a specified merge mode and optional key fields.

After execution, the working record set for each CDO table reference remains unchanged.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
addLocalRecords ( [ storage-name , ] add-mode [ , key-fields ] )
```

storage-name

The name of the local storage area in which to save the specified data from CDO memory. If storage-name is not specified, blank, or null, the name of the default storage area is used. The name of this default area is  $cdo_serviceName_resourceName$ , where serviceName is the name of the Cloud Data Service that supports the CDO

instance, and resourceName is the name of the resource (table, dataset, etc.) for which the CDO instance is created.

**Note:** A ProDataSet object read in from local storage can contain before-image data, which this method merges into CDO memory along with the record objects. However, if the ProDataSet object contains before-image data for a record object that conflicts with existing before-image data in CDO memory for that same record object, addLocalRecords ( ) throws an exception.

add-mode

An integer constant that represents a merge mode to use. Each merge mode handles duplicate keys in a particular manner, depending on your specification of key-fields. You can specify the following numeric constants, which affect how the table record objects in the specified local storage area are added to CDO memory:

 CDO.MODE\_REPLACE — Adds the table record objects in the specified local storage area to the existing record objects in CDO memory. If duplicate keys are found between record objects in local storage and record objects in CDO memory, the record objects with duplicate keys in CDO memory are replaced with the corresponding records in local storage.

**Note:** For the current release, only this single merge mode is supported. Use of any other merge mode (for example, as specified for the addRecords ( ) method) throws an exception.

#### Caution:

If any specified key-fields match the unique indexes of corresponding tables on the server, adding the contents of the specified local storage area can result in records with duplicate keys. If the corresponding server tables have unique indexes, you must make any affected duplicate key fields unique before calling saveChanges ( ).

```
key-fields
```

An object with a list of primary key fields to check for records with duplicate keys. For example, when merging with a ProDataSet that has eCustomer and eOrder table references, you might use the following object:

```
{
   eCustomer: [ "CustNum" ],
```

When merging with a single table reference, you might use the following array object:

```
[ "CustNum", "Ordernum" ]
```

**Note:** For any key-fields that have the String data type, the character values for these fields are compared to identify duplicates according to the value of the caseSensitive property on each affected table reference.

If k = y - fields is specified, the method checks for duplicate keys using the specified primary keys found in k = y - fields. If k = y - fields is **not** specified, the method searches other possible sources for definitions of primary keys in the following order, and uses the first source of definitions found:

- 1. Primary key annotations from any OpenEdge Business Entity resource (as identified in the CDO Catalog)
- 2. Unique ID properties associated with the resource (for example, the idProperty property as identified in the CDO Catalog for a Rollbase object)

If no source of primary key definitions is found, the method adds **all** local storage records to CDO memory, regardless of the specified add-mode, and regardless of any duplicate records that might result.

**Note:** For Rollbase Mobile, all tables represented by Rollbase objects have a defined primary key. For OpenEdge Mobile, the Progress Developer Studio for OpenEdge defines the primary key automatically using a primaryKey annotation when you create a Business Entity for the resource either with a new Express project or with the New

Business Entity wizard using the **Select database table** option. If you use the **Select schema from file** option in the New Business Entity wizard or you create the Business Entity manually, you must add this annotation for each temp-table definition yourself, which you can do using the Define Service Interface wizard in Developer Studio. For more information on service interface annotations, see the Progress Developer Studio for OpenEdge online help.

**Note:** After this method checks for any duplicate keys and completes adding record objects to CDO memory, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for the affected table references are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String values in the specified sort fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

**Note:** OpenEdge adds each new record object with an OpenEdge-reserved String property named \_id, which uniquely identifies the record in CDO memory. Note that once you have saved the new record objects to the Cloud Data Server using saveChanges(), their \_id property values can change with each invocation of the fill() method.

**Caution:** Do not change the value referenced by \_id. Otherwise, any Mobile App UI managed by OpenEdge can have unpredictable behavior.

This method returns true if it successfully reads the data from the local storage area; it then updates CDO memory with this data according to the specified <code>add-mode</code>. If <code>storage-name</code> does not exist, but otherwise encounters no errors, the method leaves CDO memory unchanged and returns <code>false</code>. If the method does encounter errors (for example, with reading the data in the specified storage area), it also leaves CDO memory unchanged and throws an exception.

#### Example

The following code fragment fills memory for a CDO, dataset, with records from a csCustomerOrder ProDataSet on the server. This ProDataSet contains temp-tables that correspond to the Customer and Order tables of the OpenEdge sports2000 database:

```
var dataset = progress.data.CDO( "dsCustomerOrder" );
dataset.fill(); // Loads the ProDataSet with all available server records
```

#### addRecords() method

The fragment then calls addLocalRecords ( ) on the CDO to add a set of similar records to CDO memory from the default local storage area, where the records were previously stored using the CDO saveLocal ( ) method. Duplicate Customer and Order records are checked and replaced with the records from local storage based on the respective primary key fields, CustNum and Ordernum.

# addRecords() method

Reads an array, table, or ProDataSet object containing one or more record objects and updates CDO memory based on these record objects, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.

The method updates all tables read in for a ProDataSet or updates a specified CDO table, depending on how the method is called. The data is merged into CDO memory and affects existing data according to a specified merge mode and optional key fields.

After execution, the working record set for each CDO table reference depends on the merge mode that is specified.

Return type: null

## **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.addRecords ( merge-object , add-mode [ , key-fields ] )

cdo-ref.table-ref.addRecords ( merge-object , add-mode [ , key-fields ] )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, the method merges data for all referenced tables in the ProDataSet.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, the method merges data only for the referenced table.

merge-object

An object with the data to merge. If you call the method on table-ref, the object can either be an object that contains an array of record objects to merge with the referenced table or a ProDataSet-formatted object containing such an array.

**Note:** This object must have a supported JavaScript object format that matches the data returned from the built-in read operation (CDO fill ( ) method). For example, the object returned from an invocation method for an output table or ProDataSet that has the same schema as supported output from the built-in read operation should work.

The following formats are supported for merge-object:

• Single table object with an array of record objects. For example:

```
eCustomer: [
   // Record objects ...
]
```

 An array of record objects for a single table object or for a ProDataSet with a single table object. For example:

```
[
// Record objects ...
]
```

 A ProDataSet object with a single table or multiple table objects at the same level only. For example:

```
dsCustomerOrder: {
    eCustomer: [
        // Record objects ...
],
    eOrder: [
        // Record objects ...
]
}
```

**Note:** A ProDataSet object can contain before-image data, which this method merges into CDO memory along with the record objects. However, if the ProDataSet object contains before-image data for a record object that conflicts with existing before-image data in CDO memory for that same record object, addRecords ( ) throws an exception.

add-mode

An integer that represents a merge mode to use. If you also specify key-fields, each merge mode handles duplicate keys in a particular manner as described here. If you **do not** specify key-fields, the method adds **all** the records of merge-object regardless of the mode. You can specify the following numeric constants, which affect how the table record objects in merge-object are added to CDO memory:

- CDO.MODE\_APPEND Adds the table record objects in <code>merge-object</code> to the existing record objects in CDO memory. If a duplicate key is found between a record object in <code>merge-object</code> and a record object in CDO memory, the method throws an error.
- CDO.MODE\_MERGE Adds the table record objects in
   merge-object to the existing record objects in CDO memory. If duplicate keys are
   found between record objects in merge-object and record objects in CDO
   memory, the method ignores (does not add) the record objects with duplicate keys
   in

merge-object.

- CDO.MODE\_REPLACE Adds the table record objects in merge-object to the existing record objects in CDO memory. If duplicate keys are found between record objects in merge-object and record objects in CDO memory, the record objects with duplicate keys in CDO memory are replaced with the corresponding records in merge-object.
- CDO.MODE\_EMPTY Empties all table record objects from CDO memory and replaces them with the contents of merge-object.

**Note:** If merge-object is an empty object ( $\{\}$ ), this mode effectively empties the data from CDO memory.

After execution, if the specified merge mode was CDO.MODE\_EMPTY, the working record set for any table references is undefined, because CDO memory is completely emptied or replaced. For any other merge mode, the working record set for each CDO table reference remains unchanged.

#### Caution:

If a table key-fields matches the unique indexes of corresponding tables, adding the contents of merge-object can result in records with duplicate keys. If the corresponding tables have unique indexes, you must make any affected duplicate key fields unique before calling <code>saveChanges()</code>.

key-fields

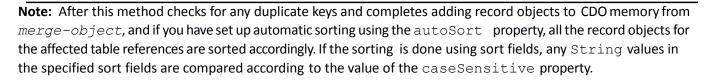
An object with a list of key fields to check for records with duplicate keys. For example, when merging with a ProDataSet that has eCustomer and eOrder table references, you might use the following object:

```
{
eCustomer: [ "CustNum" ],
```

When merging with a single table reference, you might use the following array object:

```
[ "CustNum", "Ordernum" ]
```

**Note:** For any key-fields that have the String data type, the character values for these fields are compared to identify duplicates according to the value of the caseSensitive property on each affected table reference.



**Note:** OpenEdge adds each new record object with an OpenEdge-reserved String property named \_id, which uniquely identifies the record in CDO memory. Note that once you have saved the new record objects to the Cloud Data Server using saveChanges(), their \_id values can change with each invocation of the fill() method.

**Caution:** Do not change the value referenced by \_id. Otherwise, any Mobile App UI managed by OpenEdge can have unpredictable behavior.

A typical use for addRecords() is to merge additional data returned by an invocation method without having to re-load CDO memory with all the data from the fill() method.

#### Example

Given a CDO, dataset, that you fill with available records from the <code>eCustomer</code> and <code>eOrder</code> tables, you might retrieve a new <code>eOrder</code> record as the result of a <code>getNewOrder()</code> invocation method on the CDO and add the new record to CDO memory as follows:

```
var dataset = progress.data.CDO( "dsCustomerOrder" );
dataset.fill(); // Loads the ProDataSet with all available records

// Adds a new eOrder record restrieved from the service
var request = dataset.getNewOrder(null,false);
dataset.eOrder.addRecords( request.response, progress.data.CDO.MODE_APPEND,
```

This code fragment adds the <code>eOrder</code> record for an existing <code>eCustomer</code> record specified by the <code>CustNum</code> property and a new order number specified by the <code>Ordernum</code> property of the single record object returned in <code>result.dsCustomerOrder.eOrder[0]</code>.

# afterAddCatalog event

Fires when the addCatalog() method on the current Session object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

### **Syntax**

function ( login-session , result , error-object )

login-session

A reference to the Session object that fired the event.

result

A numeric constant that the addCatalog() method returns when called synchronously. Possible constants include:

- Session.SUCCESS The specified CDO catalog loaded successfully.
- Session.AUTHENTICATION\_FAILURE The catalog failed to load because of a user authentication error.

 Session.CATALOG\_ALREADY\_LOADED — The specified CDO catalog did not load because it is already loaded.

For all other errors, this event returns an Error object reference as error-object. For more detailed information about any response (successful or unsuccessful) returned from the Web server, you can also check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by the lastSessionXHR property.

If error-object is **not** null, result will be null.

error-object

A reference to any Error object that might have been thrown as login-session processed the addCatalog() method response. This value can be null. If it is not null, result will be null.

**Note:** These handler parameters provide the same information that is available after a synchronous invocation of addCatalog().

Application code can subscribe a handler to this event by invoking the subscribe ( ) method on a Session object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, <code>onAfterAddCatalog</code>, to handle the <code>afterAddCatalog</code> event fired on the session, <code>empSession</code>, after the <code>addCatalog()</code> method is called asynchronously. The event handler checks for either expected success and failure return values, or a thrown <code>Error</code> object with an unknown error, and assembles an appropriate message to display in an alert box for each case:

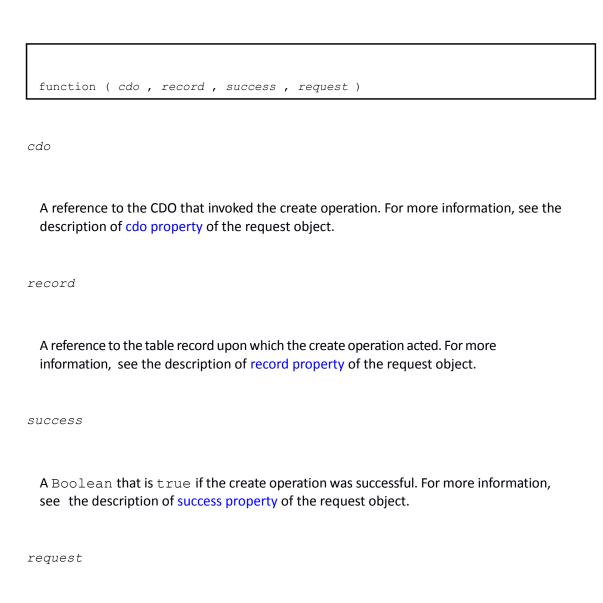
```
var retValue;
empSession.subscribe('afterAddCatalog', onAfterAddCatalog);
retValue = empSession.addCatalog( { catalogURI : myCatalogURI,
                                    async : true } );
/* ( retValue is progress.data.Session.ASYNC PENDING ) */
/* invoked by empSession when it processes the response from getting the
catalog
   from the Web application */
function onAfterAddCatalog( pdsession, addCatalogResult, errorObject ) {
var msq;
    if (addCatalogResult ===
progress.data.Session.LOGIN AUTHENTICATION FAILURE ) {
        alert("add Employee Catalog failed. Authentication error");
    }
    else if (addCatalogResult ) {
        alert("Catalogs loaded.");
    else {
           if (errorObject) {
               msg = '\n' + errorObject.message;
           }
        alert("unexpected addCatalog error." + msg);
    }
}
```

### afterCreate event

Fires after the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following an add ( ) call, sends a request to create a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:





A reference to the request object returned after the create operation completes. For more information, see the description of request object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onAfterCreate, to handle the afterCreate event fired on the single-table CDO, mycdo, where newDataObject is an object containing the field values to assign in the new record:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'afterCreate', onAfterCreate );

/* some code that would add a record and save it */
var record = mycdo.add( newDataObject );

...

mycdo.saveChanges();

function onAfterCreate ( cdo , record , success , request ) {
   if (success) {

        /* for example, get the values from the record for redisplay */
        var myField = record.data.myField;
        ...
   }
   else {
```

#### afterDelete event

Fires after the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following a remove ( ) call, sends a request to delete a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

**Syntax** 

function ( cdo , record , success , request )

cdo

A reference to the CDO that invoked the delete operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

record

A reference to the table record upon which the delete operation acted. For more information, see the description of record property of the request object.

success

A Boolean that is true if the delete operation was successful. For more information, see the description of success property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned after the delete operation completes. For more information, see the description of request object.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, on AfterDelete, to handle the afterDelete event fired on the CDO, mycdo, where myid is the known ID of a record to find and delete:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'afterDelete', onAfterDelete );

/* some code that would delete a record and send to the server */
var record = mycdo.findById(myid);
record.remove();
mycdo.saveChanges();

function onAfterDelete ( cdo , record , success , request ) {
   if (success) {

        /* for example, get the values from the record that was deleted to display a confirmation message */
        var myKeyField = record.data.myKeyField;
        . . .
   }
   else {
      if (request.response && request.response.errors &&
```

## afterFill event

Fires after the CDO, by means of a fill ( ) call, sends a request to read a table or ProDataSet into CDO memory and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

### **Syntax**

```
function ( cdo , success , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that invoked the fill operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

success

A Boolean that is true if the fill operation was successful. For more information, see the description of success property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned after the fill operation completes. For more information, see the description of request object.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onAfterFill, to handle the afterFill event fired on the CDO, mycdo:

## afterInvoke event

Fires after a non-built-in method is called asynchronously on a CDO and a response to the request is received from the Cloud Data Server.

Synchronous method calls do not cause this event to fire.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

### **Syntax**



cdo

A reference to the CDO that invoked the method. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

success

A Boolean that is true if the operation was successful. For more information, see the description of success property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned after the operation completes. For more information, see the description of request object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onAfterInvokeMyMethod, to handle the afterInvoke event fired on the CDO, mycdo, for an invocation of the myMethod() invocation method passed the parameters specified by paramObject:

```
mycdo.subscribe( 'afterInvoke', 'myMethod', onAfterInvokeMyMethod );
mycdo.myMethod( paramObject );

function onAfterInvokeMyMethod( cdo , success , request )
   if (success) {

     var response = request.result.response;
     var retval = response._retval;

     var myOutputParm = response.myOutParam;

}
else {

   if (request.response && request.response._errors &&
        request.response._errors.length > 0) {

     var lenErrors = request.response._errors.length;
}
```

# afterLogin event

Fires when the <code>login()</code> method on the current <code>Session</code> object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

#### **Syntax**

```
function ( login-session , result , error-object )
```

login-session

A reference to the Session object that fired the event.

result

A numeric constant that the login ( ) method returns when called synchronously. Possible constants include:

- Session.LOGIN\_SUCCESS User login session started successfully.
- Session.LOGIN\_AUTHENTICATION\_FAILURE User login failed because of invalid user credentials.
- Session.LOGIN\_GENERAL\_FAILURE User login failed because of a nonauthentication failure.

For all other errors, this event returns an <code>Error</code> object reference as error-object. You can also return the result for the most recent login attempt on login-session by reading its loginResult property. For a more specific status code returned in the HTTP response, you can check the value of its loginHttpStatus property. For more detailed information about any response (successful or unsuccessful) returned from the Web server, you can also check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by its lastSessionXHR property.

If error-object is **not** null, result will be null.

error-object

A reference to any Error object that might have been thrown as <code>login-session</code> processed the <code>login()</code> method response. This value can be <code>null</code>. If it is **not** <code>null</code>, <code>result</code> will be <code>null</code>.

**Note:** These handler parameters provide the same information that is available after a synchronous invocation of login ( ).

Application code can subscribe a handler to this event by invoking the subscribe ( ) method on a Session object.

Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onAfterLogin, to handle the afterLogin event fired on the session, empSession, after the login() method is called asynchronously. The event handler checks for either an expected return value, an invalid return value (as part of a test), or a thrown Error object with an unknown error (passed as errorObject to the handler), then assembles an appropriate message to display in an alert box:

```
var retValue;
empSession.subscribe('afterLogin', onAfterLogin);
retValue = empSession.login( { serviceURI : serviceURI,
                               userName : uname,
                               password: pw,
                               async : true } );
/* ( retValue is progress.data.Session.ASYNC_PENDING ) */
/* Invoked by empSession when it processes the login response from the Web
   application */
function onAfterLogin( pdsession, result, errorObject ) {
    var msg;
    var loginResult = pdsession.loginResult;
    if ( loginResult === null ) {
        msg = "Employee Login failed. Error attempting to call login";
    else if ( loginResult ===
progress.data.Session.LOGIN AUTHENTICATION FAILURE ) {
            msg = "Employee Login failed. Authentication error";
    else if ( loginResult === progress.data.Session.LOGIN GENERAL FAILURE )
```

# afterLogout event

Fires when the logout ( ) method on the current Session object completes execution after it was called asynchronously.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

#### **Syntax**

function ( login-session , error-object )

login-session

A reference to the Session object that fired the event.

error-object

A reference to any Error object that might have been thrown as login-session processed the logout() method response. This value can be null. For more detailed information about any response (successful or unsuccessful) returned from the Web server, you can also check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by its lastSessionXHR property.

**Note:** These handler parameters provide the same information that is available after a synchronous invocation of logout(). Also, the logout() method does not send a request to the Web application if it is using Anonymous authentication. In this case, logout() invoked asynchronously will nevertheless invoke any afterLogout event handler that has been subscribed when it is done executing.

Application code can subscribe a handler to this event by invoking the subscribe ( ) method on a Session object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, <code>onAfterLogout</code>, to handle the <code>afterLogout</code> event fired on the session, <code>empSession</code>, after the <code>logout()</code> method is called asynchronously. If an <code>Error</code> object is passed in, the event handler displays a message:

```
empSession.subscribe('afterLogout', onAfterLogout);
empSession.logout( { async : true } );

/* Invoked by empSession when it finishes executing the logout operation */
function onAfterLogout( pdsession, errorObject ) {
    var msg;

msg = errorObject ? '\n' + errorObject.message : '';
```

# afterSaveChanges event

Fires once for each call to the saveChanges ( ) method on a CDO, after responses to all create, update, and delete requests have been received from the Cloud Data Server.

the signature of the event handler function:

### **Syntax**

```
function ( cdo , success , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that invoked the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

success

A Boolean that is true if all operations initiated by saveChanges( ) were successful. For more information, see the description of success property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned after all requested operations complete. For more information, see the description of request object.

# Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onAfterSaveChanges, to handle the afterSaveChanges event fired on the CDO, mycdo:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'afterSaveChanges', onAfterSaveChanges );
/* some code that would do multiple CRUD operations and
   send them to the server */
var newrec = mycdo.add();
. . .
var record = mycdo.findById(myid);
record.remove(); mycdo.saveChanges();
function onAfterSaveChanges( cdo , success , request ) {
    /* number of operations on batch */
    var len = request.batch.operations.length;
    if (success) {
        /* all operations in batch succeeded */
        /* for example, redisplay records in list */
        cdo.foreach( function(record) {
            /* reference the record/field as record.data.fieldName */
        });
    else {
        /* one or more operations in batch failed */
        for(var idx = 0; idx < len; idx++) {
            var operationEntry = request.batch.operations[idx];
            console.log("Operation: " + operationEntry.fnName);
            console.log("Operation code: " + operationEntry.operation)
            if (!operationEntry.success) {
              /* handle error condition */
              if (operationEntry.response && operationEntry.response. errors
 & &
                    operationEntry.response. errors.length > 0) {
```

# afterUpdate event

Fires after the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following an assign ( ) call, sends a request to update a record and receives a response to this request from the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

#### **Syntax**

```
function ( cdo , record , success , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that invoked the update operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

record

A reference to the table record upon which the update operation acted. For more information, see the description of record property of the request object.

success

A Boolean that is true if the update operation was successful. For more information, see the description of success property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned after the update operation completes. For more information, see the description of request object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, on After Update, to handle the after Update event fired on the CDO, mycdo:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'afterUpdate', onAfterUpdate );

/* some code that would update a record and send to the server */
var record = mycdo.findById(myid);

record.assign( updatedDataObject );
mycdo.saveChanges();

function onAfterUpdate ( cdo , record , success , request ) {
    if (success) {

        /* for example, get the values updated by the server from the record to redisplay */
        var newValue = record.data.myField;
        . . . .
    }
    else {
        if (request.response && request.response._errors &&
```

# assign() method (CDO class)

Updates field values for the specified CloudDataRecord object in CDO memory.

The specified record object can be either the working record of a CDO table reference or any record provided by a CloudDataRecord object.

After execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records. To synchronize the change on the Cloud Data Server, call the saveChanges ( ) method.

Return type: Boolean

**Syntax** 

```
record-ref.assign ( update-object )
cdo-ref.assign ( update-object )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table record in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

update-object

Passes in the data to update the specified record object in CDO memory. Each property of the object has the name of a table field and the value to set for that field in the specified record. Any table fields without corresponding properties in update-object remain unchanged in the record.

**Note:** After this method updates the specified record object, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for the affected table reference are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a jQuery event defined on a save button to save the current field values for a customer detail form to the corresponding eCustomer record in CDO memory:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsCustomerOrder' );

$('#btnSave').bind('click', function(event) {
   var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
```

The form has been displayed with previous values of the same record. When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (record) and invokes the assign() method on record with an object parameter to update the fields in eCustomer with any new values entered into the form.

# async property

A Boolean that indicates, if set to true, that the Mobile operation was executed asynchronously on the Mobile App.

Data type: Boolean

Access: Read-only

The async property is available only for the following CDO events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterFill
- afterInvoke

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

# authenticationModel property

A string constant that specifies the type of authentication that the server requires from the Mobile App.

Data type: String

Access: Readable/Writable

Valid values are:

- Session.AUTH TYPE ANON No authentication is required. This is the default value.
- Session.AUTH\_TYPE\_BASIC The Mobile Web application requires a valid user ID and password, but does not provide a page containing a login form (credentials are typically entered in a generic login dialog provided by either the Mobile App, the browser, or the native device container in which the App is running). The Mobile Web application requires a valid user ID and password, but does not provide a page containing a login form (credentials are typically entered in a generic login dialog provided by either the Mobile App, the browser, or the native device container in which the App is running).

• Session.AUTH\_TYPE\_FORM — The Mobile Web application requires a valid user ID and password and provides a page containing a login form.

If the Mobile Web application requires authentication, you must set this value correctly to ensure that users can log in.

# autoApplyChanges property

A Boolean on a CDO that indicates if the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes to CDO memory when you call the saveChanges ( ) method.

When set to true, and after you have invoked the saveChanges ( ) method, the CDO accepts all changes to CDO memory that are successfully applied on the Cloud Data Server, and rejects all changes from CDO memory that are completed with an error.

The default setting is true (which matches the behavior of previous releases). You can set this property both during CDO instantiation and on an existing CDO. **Data type:** Boolean

Access: Readable/Writable

When set to false, you must invoke one of the following methods at the appropriate time to accept or reject the changes in CDO memory:

- acceptChanges()
- acceptRowChanges()
- rejectChanges()
- rejectRowChanges()

You typically invoke one of these methods in the appropriate event handler for a CDO event associated with execution of the saveChanges ( ) method.

#### Example

The following code fragment sets the property both when the CDO is instantiated and after it is instantiated:

```
var cdoCustomers = new progress.data.CDO( { autoApplyChanges : false } );
. . .
```

## autoSort property

A Boolean on a CDO and its table references that indicates if record objects are sorted automatically on the affected table references in CDO memory at the completion of a supported CDO operation.

When set to true, and after you have specified a sorting method for each affected table reference, record objects are sorted after the CDO operation completes its update of CDO memory. When set to false, or if no sorting method is specified for a given table reference, no automatic sorting occurs after the CDO operation completes. The default setting is true for all table references of a CDO.

Data type: Boolean

Access: Readable/Writable

When set on a CDO, the property setting affects the sorting of record objects for all table references in the CDO. When set on a single table reference, the property setting affects the sorting of record objects only for the specified table reference. For example, to set this property to true on only a single table reference in the CDO:

- 1. Set the value on the CDO to false, which sets false on all its table references.
- **2.** Set the value on the selected table reference to true, which sets true on only the this one table reference.

In order to activate automatic sorting for an affected table reference, you must invoke one of the following CDO methods to specify a sorting method for the table reference:

• setSortFields ( ) — Identifies the sort fields to use in the record objects and whether each field is sorted in ascending or descending order according to its data type. Any String fields specified for a table reference are sorted using letter case according to the setting of the caseSensitive property (false by default).

**Note:** Changing the value of the caseSensitive property triggers an automatic sort if the autoSort property is also set to true for the affected table reference.

• **setSortFn()** — Identifies a *sort function* that compares two record objects according to the criteria you specify and returns a value that indicates if one record sorts later than the other in the sort order, or if the two records sort at the same position in the sort order. The <code>caseSensitive</code> property setting has no effect on the operation of the specified sort function unless you choose to involve the setting of this property in your criteria for comparison.

If you specify both sort fields and a sort function to sort the record objects for a table reference, the sort function takes precedence. You can also call the setSortFields ( ) and setSortFn ( ) functions to clear one or both settings of the sort fields and sort function. However, at least one setting must be active for automatic sorting to occur on a table reference.

The following supported CDO operations trigger automatic sorting on any affected table references before they complete their updates to CDO memory:

Invoking the add() method — Sorts the record objects of the affected table reference.

- Invoking the addRecords ( ) method Sorts the record objects of either the single affected table reference or all affected table references in the CDO. (Unaffected table references do not participate in the sort, including those for which autoSort is false, those for which no sort fields or sort function are set, or those other than the single CDO table reference on which addRecords ( ) is called, if it is called only on a single table reference.)
- Invoking the assign() method (CDO class) Sorts the record objects of the affected table reference.
- Assigning a value to a field reference directly on the working record of a table reference
   (cdo-ref.table-ref.field-ref = value) Sorts the record objects of the affected
   table reference.

**Note:** Assignment to a field referenced on the data property **never** triggers automatic sorting (for example, cdo-ref.table-ref.data.field-ref = value)

- Changing the value of the caseSensitive property Sorts the record objects of the affected table reference, or of all affected table references if the property value is changed on the CDO.
- Invoking either the acceptRowChanges() or rejectRowChanges() method Sorts the record objects of the affected table reference.
- Invoking either the acceptChanges ( ) or rejectChanges ( ) method Sorts the record objects of all affected table references in the CDO. (Unaffected table references do not participate in the sort, including any table references for which autoSort is false, or for which no sort fields or sort function are set.)
- Invoking the fill ( ) method Sorts the record objects of all affected table references in the CDO. (Unaffected table references do not participate in the sort, including any table references for which autoSort is false, or for which no sort fields or sort function are set.)

**Note:** Invoking the remove ( ) method does not trigger an automatic sort and has no effect on any existing sort order established for the table reference. However, if there is a sort order that depends on the presence or absence of the record object you are removing, and you want to establish the appropriate sort order when this record object is absent, you must manually sort the remaining record objects using the sort ( ) method by passing it the same sort function that you used to establish the sort order when this record object was present.

**Caution:** Because automatic sorting executes in JavaScript on the client side, sorting a large set of record objects can take a significant amount of time and make the UI appear to be locked. You might set a wait or progress indicator just prior to any action that can sort a large record set to alert the user that the app is working.

### Example

In the following code fragment, automatic local sorting is turned off for all table references of the <code>dsCustOrds</code> CDO by setting its <code>autoSort</code> property to <code>false</code>. Automatic sorting is then turned on for the <code>eCustomer</code> table reference of the CDO by setting its <code>autoSort</code> value to <code>true</code> and using the <code>setSortFields()</code> method to set its <code>Name</code> field as the single, descending sort field:

```
dsCustOrds = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomerOrders' });

dsCustOrds.autoSort = false.
dsCustOrds.eCustomer.autoSort = true.
dsCustOrds.eCustomer.setSortFields( "Name:DESC" );
dsCustOrds.fill();
```

When the fill() method executes on the CDO, all the referenced tables are loaded from the Cloud Data Server into CDO memory with their record objects already sorted in case-insensitive, primary key order (by default). The record objects for eCustomer are then sorted locally in case-insensitive, descending order of the Name field.

## batch property

A reference to an object with a property named operations, which is an array containing the request objects for each of the one or more Mobile record-change operations performed in response to calling the CDO saveChanges ( ) method either with an empty parameter list or with the single parameter value of false.

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

The batch property is available only for the following CDO events, and only after calling

saveChanges ( ) with an empty parameter list, or with the single parameter value of false:

- afterSaveChanges
- beforeSaveChanges

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO.

### beforeCreate event

Fires before the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following an add ( ) call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to create a record.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

```
function ( cdo , record , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the create operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

record

A reference to the table record upon which the create operation is about to act. For more information, see the description of record property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the create operation begins. For more information, see the description of request object.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onBeforeCreate, to handle the beforeCreate event fired on the CDO, mycdo, by assigning data to the newly created record before sending it to the server:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeCreate', onBeforeCreate );

/* some code that would add a record and save it */
var record = mycdo.add();

. . .
```

### beforeDelete event

Fires before the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following a remove ( ) call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to delete a record.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

#### **Syntax**

function ( cdo , record , request )

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the delete operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

record

A reference to the table record upon which the delete operation is about to act. For more information, see the description of record property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the delete operation begins. For more information, see the description of request object.

### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onBeforeDelete, to handle the beforeDelete event fired on the CDO, mycdo, where myid is the known ID of a record to find and delete:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeDelete', onBeforeDelete );

/* some code that would delete a record and send to the server */
var record = mycdo.findById( myid );

record.remove();
mycdo.saveChanges();
```

## beforeFill event

Fires before the CDO, by means of a fill ( ) call, sends a request to the Cloud Data Server to read a table or ProDataSet into CDO memory.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function

**Syntax** 

```
function ( cdo , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the read operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the read operation begins. For more information, see the description of request object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onBeforeFill, to handle the beforeFill event fired on the CDO, mycdo:

```
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeFill', onBeforeFill );
mycdo.fill();

function onBeforeFill ( cdo , request ) {
```

### beforeInvoke event

Fires when a non-built-in method is called asynchronously on a CDO, before the request for the operation is sent to the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

```
function ( cdo , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the method. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the operation begins. For more information, see the description of request object.

### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, <code>onBeforeInvokeMyMethod</code>, to handle the <code>beforeInvoke</code> event fired on the CDO, <code>mycdo</code>, for an invocation of the <code>myMethod()</code> invocation method passed the parameters specified by <code>paramObject</code>:

```
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeInvoke', 'myMethod', onBeforeInvokeMyMethod);
mycdo.myMethod( paramObject );

function onBeforeInvokeMyMethod ( cdo , request ) {
```

# beforeSaveChanges event

Fires once for each call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method on a CDO, before any create, update, or delete requests are sent to the Cloud Data Server.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

```
function ( cdo , request )
```

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the saveChanges method. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the requested save operations begin. For more information, see the description of request object.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, <code>onBeforeSaveChanges</code>, to handle the <code>beforeSaveChanges</code> event fired on the CDO, <code>mycdo</code>, where <code>myid</code> is the known ID of a record to find and process for Mobile operations being sent to the server:

```
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeSaveChanges', onBeforeSaveChanges );

/* some code that would do multiple CUD operations and send them to the server */

var newrec = mycdo.add();

...

var record = mycdo.findById(myid);
record.remove(); mycdo.saveChanges();
```

# beforeUpdate event

Fires before the CDO, by means of a saveChanges ( ) call following an assign ( ) call, sends a request the Cloud Data Server to update a record.

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

function ( cdo , record , request )

cdo

A reference to the CDO that is invoking the update operation. For more information, see the description of cdo property of the request object.

record

A reference to the table record upon which the update operation is about to act. For more information, see the description of record property of the request object.

request

A reference to the request object returned before the update operation begins. For more information, see the description of request object.

#### Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, <code>onBeforeUpdate</code>, to handle the <code>beforeUpdate</code> event fired on the CDO, <code>mycdo</code>, where <code>myid</code> is the known ID of a record to find and <code>updateDataObject</code> is an object containing the field values to assign in the found record. In this case, the <code>onBeforeUpdate</code> event handler assigns additional data to the updated record before sending it to the server:

```
/* subscribe to event */
mycdo.subscribe( 'beforeUpdate', onBeforeUpdate );

/* some code that would update a record and send to the server */
var record = mycdo.findById(myid);
record.assign( updateDataObject );

. . .
```

## caseSensitive property

A Boolean on a CDO and its table references that indicates if String field comparisons performed by supported CDO operations are case sensitive or case-insensitive for the affected table references in CDO memory.

When set to true, all supported comparisons on String fields for an affected table reference are case sensitive. When set to false, all supported comparisons on String fields for an affected table reference are case insensitive. The default setting is false for all table references of a CDO. This default setting (case insensitive) matches the default setting for letter case comparison in OpenEdge.

Data type: Boolean

Access: Readable/Writable

When set on a CDO, the property setting affects all table references in the CDO. When set on a single table reference, the property setting affects only the specified table reference. For example, to set this property to true on only a single table reference in the CDO:

- 1. Set the value on the CDO to false, which sets false on all its table references.
- 2. Set the value on the selected table reference to true, which sets true on only the this one table reference.

The CDO operations that follow this property setting in String field comparisons include:

•	Sorting record objects in CDO memory, including automatic sorting using sort fields that you specify using the autoSort property and the setSortFields() method, and manual sorting using specified sort fields that you perform using the sort() method
	Note: Changing the value of this property triggers an automatic sort if the autoSort property is also set to true for the affected table reference.
•	Merging record objects into CDO memory for all merge modes that perform record field comparisons during execution of the addRecords ( ) method
•	String field comparisons that you might do in JavaScript within the callback functions that r CDO methods and events are always case sensitive according to JavaScript rules and ignore g.
	eter string comparisons in , all CDO-supported String field comparisons ces and <b>ignore</b> any OpenEdge-specified collation tables.
comparison and sor toLocaleUpper	O Unicode default letter case mapping, the CDO support for case-insensitive String-field rting relies on the toUpperCase() JavaScript function instead of the Case() JavaScript function. The latter function uses the locale letter case mapping, which
might be different f	rom the default letter case mapping in Unicode.

## Example

In the following code fragment, automatic local sorting is set up for the eCustomer table reference on the dsCustOrds CDO, with its Name field as the single descending sort field. All other table references on dsCustOrds have no automatic local sorting set up by default. Because OpenEdge sorting on String fields is case-insensitive by default, the fragment makes the local sort on the Name field case sensitive by setting caseSensitive on eCustomer to true:

```
dsCustOrds = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomerOrders' } );
dsCustOrds.autoSort = false.

dsCustOrds.eCustomer.autoSort = true.
dsCustOrds.eCustomer.setSortFields( "Name:descending" );
dsCustOrds.eCustomer.caseSensitive = true.dsCustOrds.fill();
```

When the fill ( ) method executes on the CDO, after all the referenced tables are loaded from the Cloud Data Server, with their record objects already sorted in case-insensitive, primary key order (by default), the record objects for eCustomer are then sorted locally in case-sensitive, descending order of the Name field.

## catalogURIs property

Returns the list of URIs used to load the CDO catalogs to access the Cloud Data Services provided by the Mobile Web application for which the current Session object manages a user login session.

Data type: String array

Access: Read-only

This list includes the URI for each CDO catalog loaded using the addCatalog() method. To return a corresponding list of Cloud Data Service names for which the CDO catalogs are loaded, read the serviceNames property.

# clientContextId property

The value of the most recent client context identifier (CCID) that the Session object has found in the X-CLIENT-CONTEXT-ID HTTP header of a server response message.

If none has yet been found, the value is null.

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

The Session object automatically detects, stores, and returns the CCID sent by any appropriately configured Mobile Web application for which it has started a login session. This CCID is the same as the value of the ClientContextId property on the Progress.Lang.OERequestInfo class-based object that is passed from an Cloud Data Server client (in this case, the Mobile Web application) to the Cloud Data Server that is executing a Mobile request.

Note: You can access this <code>OERequestInfo</code> object on the Cloud Data Server using the

CURRENT-REQUEST-INFO attribute of the Cloud Data Server SESSION system handle. This CCID value is also available as the SESSION-ID attribute of the single sign-on (SSO) client-principal handle returned by the GetClientPrincipal ( ) method of the same OERequestInfo class-based object.

## connected property

Returns a Boolean that indicates the most recent online status of the current Session object, when it last determined if the Mobile Web application it manages is available.

If the property value is true, the object most recently determined that the session is connected and logged in to its Mobile Web application. If its value is false, the session was last found to be disconnected. The default value is false.

#### Note:

Because of the dynamics of any network environment, the value of this property might not reflect the current status of the object's connection to its Mobile Web application. You can therefore invoke the object's ping() method (either explicitly or automatically by setting the value of its pingInterval property) to update the object's most recent online status.

Data type: Boolean

Access: Read-only

The most recent session online status determination might be identified from any of the following:

- A successful result of the Session object executing its login() method, which sets the property to true. Prior to calling login(), the value of this property is false.
- A successful result of the Session object executing its logout ( ) method, which sets the property to false.
- The Session object receiving an offline or online event from its window object.
- A CDO attempting to send a request to a Rollbase or OpenEdge Cloud Data Service that the Session object manages.
- The result of the Session object executing its ping ( ) method.

## data property

The data (field values) for a record associated with a CloudDataRecord object.

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

The returned object contains a field reference property (field-ref in syntax) for each field (column) in the table, where the property name is identical to a table field name and the property value for the corresponding JavaScript data type.

You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by invoking one of the CDO methods that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach()) or by accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.

**Note:** If a given CDO table has a working record, you can access each field-ref of the working record directly on the corresponding table reference property (table-ref) of the CDO. For the working record of a table reference, then, references to the CloudDataRecord object of the working record and its data property are both implied by the table reference alone.

**Note:** In addition to field reference properties, every data property object contains two OpenEdge-reserved properties named \_errorString and \_id. For more information, see the reference entry for each property.

Caution: Never write directly to a to a field-ref using this data property; in this case, use field-refonly to read the data. Writing field values using the data property does not mark the record for update when calling the saveChanges ( ) method, nor does it re-sort the record in CDO memory according to any order you have established using the autoSort property. To mark a record for update and automatically re-sort the record according to the autoSort property, you must assign a field value either by setting a cdo-ref. table-ref. field-ref for a working record or by calling the assign ( ) method on a valid table-ref or CloudDataRecord object reference. For information on table references (table-ref), see the reference entry for the table reference property (CDO).

## deleteLocal() method

Clears out all data and changes stored in a specified local storage area, and removes the cleared storage area.

Return type: undefined

## **Syntax**

```
deleteLocal ( [ storage-name ] )
```

storage-name

The name of the local storage area to be removed. If <code>storage-name</code> is not specified, blank, or null, the name of the default storage area is used. The name of this default area is <code>cdo\_serviceName\_resourceName</code>, where <code>serviceName</code> is the name of the Cloud Data Service that supports the CDO instance, and <code>resourceName</code> is the name of the resource (table, dataset, etc.) for which the CDO instance is created.

If this method encounters any errors, it leaves the specified storage area unchanged and throws an exception.

#### Example

The following code fragment clears out all the data currently stored in the default storage area and removes the storage area:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsStaticData' );
dataSet.fill();
dataSet.saveLocal();
.
```

# fill() method

Initializes CDO memory with record objects from the data records in a single table, or in one or more tables of a ProDataSet, as returned by the built-in read operation of the resource for which the CDO is created.

After completing execution, the working record for each referenced table is set to its first record, depending on any active parent-child relationships and automatic sort settings. So, for each child table, the first record object is determined by its table reference sort order (if any) and its relationship to the related working record in its parent table.

Return type: null

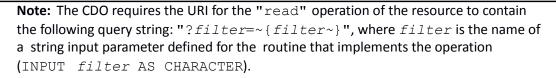
## **Syntax**

```
fill ( [ filter-string ] )
```

filter-string

A string that can be used on the Cloud Data Server to select records to be returned, much like the <code>WHERE</code> option of the record phrase. The actual format of this string and its affect on the records returned is determined by the routine on the Cloud Data Server that uses it. For example, you might pass:

- A single key value (e.g., "30")
- A relational expression (e.g., "CustNum > 10 AND CustNum < 30")
- An actual WHERE string (e.g., 'Item. CatDescription CONTAINS "ski & (gog\* ! pol\*)"')



**Caution:** Using an actual WHERE string for a dynamic query can create a potential security issue.

If you do not specify filter-string, the records returned, again, depend on the routine.

This method invokes the single resource operation that is annotated in the Mobile interface with the "read" operation type. The result of calling this method replaces any prior data in CDO memory with the record objects returned by the built-in read operation. These record objects are stored in CDO tables that correspond to the source temp-tables on the Cloud Data Server. If the CDO is accessing a ProDataSet and the writeDataSetBeforeImage annotation for the Mobile read operation is set to true, the CDO also updates the state of its CDO memory with any

before-image data sent with the loaded record objects.

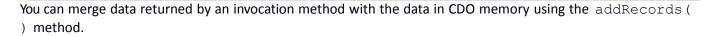
**Caution:** If the CDO has pending record changes from the client that you want to save on the Cloud Data Server, do not call this method before you call the CDO <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Otherwise, the pending changes will be lost when CDO memory is initialized with records from the Mobile read operation.

**Note:** After this method initializes CDO memory with record objects, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, the record objects of each affected table reference are sorted in CDO memory according to the sort order you have established. If sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property on a given table reference. If the autoSort property setting is false for a given table reference, its record objects are loaded in the order that they are serialized from the corresponding temp-table on the Cloud Data Server (by its primary key).

This method always executes asynchronously, and fires the following CDO named events, shown in operational order:

- 1. beforeFill event
- 2. afterFill event

After this method completes execution, you can read the record objects of CDO memory by using the find(), findById(), foreach(), and getData() methods of the CDO. You can return the schema for this data by using the getSchema() method. You can create a new record object in CDO memory using the CDO add() method, and you can update or delete a single record object in CDO memory by using the assign() or remove() method, respectively.



**Note:** OpenEdge initializes every record object with an OpenEdge-reserved String property named \_id, which uniquely identifies each record in CDO memory. This field has no relationship to the internal RECID and ROWID values maintained for the records of an OpenEdge database. Instead, it is used to map data to any OpenEdge-managed UI that you create in a Mobile App.

Note that the value assigned to \_id for any given record object can change with each invocation of the fill ( ) method.

**Caution:** Do not change the value referenced by \_id. Otherwise, any Mobile App UI managed by OpenEdge can have unpredictable behavior.

**Note:** If a ProDataSet returned from the Cloud Data Server contains before-image data, the state of CDO memory includes the changes to record objects recorded in the before-image data.

## Example

The following code fragment shows the fill() method invoked on a CDO for a ProDataSet resource (dsCustomerOrder):

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsCustomerOrder' );
dataSet.fill();
```

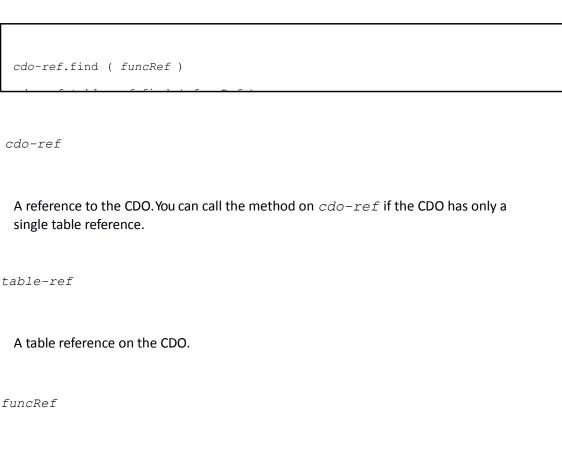
# find() method

Searches for a record in a table referenced in CDO memory and returns a reference to that record if found. If no record is found, it returns null.

After completing execution, any record found becomes the working record for the associated table. If the searched table has child tables, and the useRelationships property is true, the working record of the result set for each child is set to the first record as determined by the relationship to its respective parent. If a record is not found, the working record is not set, and the working records of any child tables are also not set.

Return type: CloudDataRecord object

#### **Syntax**



A reference to a JavaScript callback function that returns a Boolean value and has the following signature:

Syntax:

```
function [ func-name ] ( record-ref )
```

Where func-name is the name of a callback function that you define external to the find ( ) parameter list and record-ref is a CloudDataRecord reference to the next available record on the specified table reference. You can then pass func-name to the find ( ) method as the funcRef parameter. Alternatively, you can specify funcRef as the entire inline function definition without func-name.

The find() method executes your funcRef callback for each record of the table reference, until it returns true, indicating that the callback has found the record. You can then test the field values on the data property of record-ref to determine the result.

Otherwise, your callback returns false and the find() method executes the callback again on the next available record.

If your <code>funcRef</code> callback finds the record, <code>find()</code> completes execution with both its return value and the <code>record</code> property of the associated table reference set to the <code>CloudDataRecord</code> reference of the found working record. If <code>find()</code> reaches the end of the available records without <code>funcRef</code> returning <code>true</code>, <code>find()</code> completes execution with both its return value and the <code>record</code> property on the table reference set to <code>null</code>, indicating that the sought for record was not found.

If the associated table reference is for a child table in a ProDataSet, if the useRelationships property is true, find() uses the relationship to filter out all but the child records of the working record in the parent table. However, if the working record of the parent is not set, find() throws an error. If useRelationships is false, the search includes all records of the child table and no error is thrown.

#### Example

In following code fragment, cdo references a single customer table:

```
var cdo = new progress.data.CDO( 'customer' );
cdo.find(function(record) {
   return (record.data.CustNum == 10);
});
```

The inline function passed to find ( ) returns true or false based on the value of the CustNum property of the object returned by the data property for the currently available CloudDataRecord reference.

# findById() method

Locates and returns the record in CDO memory with the internal ID you specify.

If no record is found, it returns null. You can access the internal ID of the working record of a table reference, or any CloudDataRecord object, by calling the getId() method or using the \_id property directly on the object returned by the data property of the CloudDataRecord.

After completing execution, any record found becomes the working record for the associated table. If the searched table has child tables, and the useRelationships property is true, the working record of the result set for each child is set to the first record as determined by the relationship to its respective parent. If a record is not found, the working record is not set, and the working records of any child tables are also not set.

Return type: CloudDataRecord object

#### **Syntax**



cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

id

The internal record ID used to match a record of the table reference. This is the same value originally returned for the record using the getId() function. It is typically used to create a jQuery listview row to display the record or a detail form used to display the record in the current HTML document. Later, when a listview row or detail form is selected, the corresponding id attribute with this value can be used to return the record from the CDO, possibly to update the record with new data values input by the user.

If findById ( ) locates a record with the matching record ID, it completes execution with both its return value and the record property of the table reference set to the CloudDataRecord reference of the found working record. If the function does not locate the record, it completes execution with both its return value and the record property on the table reference set to null, indicating that no record of the table reference has a matching internal record ID.

If the table reference references a child table in a ProDataSet, when the useRelationships property is true, findById() uses the relationship to filter out all but the child records of the working record in the parent table; the remaining child records are excluded from the search. If useRelationships is false or the working record of the parent is not set, the search includes all records of the child table and no error is thrown.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a jQuery event defined on a save button to save the current field values for a customer detail form to the corresponding eCustomer record in CDO memory:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsCustomerOrder' );

$('#btnSave').bind('click', function(event) {
  var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
```

The form has been displayed with previous values of the same record. When the button is clicked, the event handler finds the original <code>eCustomer</code> record by calling <code>findById()</code> with the <code>id</code> attribute of the form (\$('#custdetail #id').val()), which is set to the internal ID of the record. The record.assign() method then updates the record from the values of the corresponding form fields and <code>saveChanges()</code> invokes the resource "update" operation on the Cloud Data Server to save the updated record to its data source.

# fnName property

For an invoke operation, the name of the CDO invocation method that called the operation.

The fnName property is null in the case of a request object returned by a built-in create, read, update, or delete operation.

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

Applies to: request object

The fnName property is available only for the following CDO event:

• afterInvoke

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

Note: The value of the fnName property is the same as that of the op-name parameter passed to the subscribe ( ) method that subscribed to the current invoke operation event.

# foreach() method

Loops through the records of a table referenced in CDO memory and invokes a user-defined callback function as a parameter on each iteration.

With each iteration, it also sets the current record as the working record and passes it as a parameter to the callback function. This function can then operate on the working record and return a value indicating whether the foreach ( ) terminates the loop or invokes the callback function on the next working record of the table.

If the referenced table has child tables, and the useRelationships property is true, with each iteration through the loop, the working record of the result set for each child is set to the first record as determined by the relationship to its respective parent.

After completing execution, the working records of the associated table, and any child tables, are the most recent working records established when the method terminates the loop.

Return type: null

**Syntax** 

cdo-ref.foreach ( funcRef )

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

funcRef

A reference to a JavaScript callback function that returns a Boolean value and has the following signature:

Syntax:

function [ func-name ] ( record-ref )

Where func-name is the name of a callback function that you define external to the foreach ( ) parameter list and record-ref is a <code>CloudDataRecord</code> object reference to the next working record on the table reference. You can then pass func-name to the foreach ( ) method as the funcRef parameter. Alternatively, you can specify funcRef as the entire inline function definition without func-name.

The foreach ( ) method executes your funcRef callback for each record of the table reference, making this record the working record and passing it in as record-ref. You can then access the field values of the working record using the data property on record-ref or any field references available from the table reference. You can also invoke other CDO methods, for example, to operate on the working record, including additional calls to foreach ( ) to operate on working records of any child tables.

Your funcRef callback can terminate the foreach ( ) loop by returning false. If the callback does not return false, the loop continues.

If the table reference references a child table in a ProDataSet, when the useRelationships property is true, foreach() uses the relationship to filter out all but the child records of the working record in the parent table. However, if the working record of the parent is not set, foreach() throws an error. If useRelationships is false, the loop includes all records of the child table and no error is thrown.

#### Example

After creating a CDO for a dsCustomer resource and loading it with record objects, the following code fragment shows the foreach ( ) method looping through eCustomer records in CDO memory and displaying the CustNum and Name fields from each record, one record per line, to the current HTML page, and also to the console log:

```
cdo = new progress.data.CDO({ name: 'dsCustomer' });
cdo.subscribe( 'AfterFill', onAfterFillCustomers, this );

cdo.fill();

function onAfterFillCustomers(cdo, success, request) {
```

# getData() method

Returns an array of record objects for a table referenced in CDO memory.

If this is a child table, and the useRelationships property is true, the specific record objects in the result set depends on the relationship to its parent.

After completing execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.

Return type: Object array

#### **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.getData ( )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

## getErrorString() method

Returns any before-image error string in the data of a record object referenced in CDO memory that was set as the result of a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation.

If there is no error string in the data of a record object, this method returns undefined.

The specified record object can be either the working record of a referenced table, or any record provided by a CloudDataRecord object.

After execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.

Return type: String

#### **Syntax**

```
record-ref.getErrorString ( )
cdo-ref.getErrorString ( )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table record in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.
- Accessing each record object provided by the records property on the request object returned to the callback of a CDO afterSaveChanges event on completion of a Mobile submit operation.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

The error string returned by this function contains error information associated with a temp-table buffer on the Cloud Data Server that results from a change to the record's before-image data. This error information is only returned for errors involving record updates associated with a ProDataSet that has before-image data and it can be returned for a Mobile create, update, delete, or submit operation (saveChanges(true)) that otherwise completes successfully. OpenEdge stores the error information in the associated record object data as a property with the reserved name,

errorString.

# getId() method

Returns the unique internal ID for the record object referenced in CDO memory.

The specified record object can be either the working record for a referenced table, or any record provided by a CloudDataRecord object.

After execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.

Return type: String

### **Syntax**

```
record-ref.getId ( )
cdo-ref.getId ( )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table record in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

•	Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference
	<pre>(find(), findById(), or foreach())</pre>

- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

The internal record ID returned by this function is a unique value generated by OpenEdge for each record object loaded in CDO memory using the fill(), add(), or addRecords() methods. OpenEdge stores this value for each record object in a property referenced with the reserved name, \_id. OpenEdge uses this record ID in the client CDO Services built into the Mobile App Builder. To return and set the specified record as the working record, you can pass any \_id value returned by this method to the findById() method called on the associated table reference.

**Note:** The value assigned to \_id for any given record object can change with each invocation of the fill ( ) method.

**Caution:** Do not change the value referenced by \_id. Otherwise, any Mobile App UI managed by OpenEdge can have unpredictable behavior.

# getSchema() method

Returns an array of objects, one for each field that defines the schema of a table referenced in CDO memory. The properties of each object define the schema elements of the respective field.

After completing execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.

Return type: Object array

## **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.getSchema ( )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

## hasData() method

Returns true if record objects can be found in any of the tables referenced in CDO memory (with or without pending changes), or in only the single table referenced on the CDO, depending on how the method is called; and returns false if no record objects are found in either case.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.hasData ( )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, the method verifies if any data is available in the CDO, whether it is created for a single table or a ProDataSet with multiple tables.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, the method verifies if any data is available in the referenced table. If the useRelationships property is true, this includes related data in any other CDO table(s) with which the referenced table has a parent-child relationship.

This method always returns true immediately after the fill ( ) method successfully loads CDO memory with one or more record objects.

Three cases where this method returns false include when executing this method:

- After a CDO is instantiated but before fill ( ) or any other method (such as addRecords ( ) ) has been invoked to load its CDO memory with records
- **2.** After the fill ( ) method completes successfully, but returns no records because none match the specification of its filter parameter
- 3. After the saveChanges ( ) method completes successfully on a CDO, where its autoApplyChanges property set to true and all the records in the specified CDO, or its table reference, are marked for deletion

Two typical uses of this method include determining if there is any data in CDO memory that you might want to save in local storage using the CDO <code>saveLocal()</code> method, or that you might not want to lose by replacing CDO memory, using the CDO <code>readLocal()</code> method, with other data previously saved in local storage.

## Example

The following code fragment shows an example of how you might use hasData() to decide when to save CDO memory to local storage. It first invokes the fill() method on a CDO (dataSet) to load CDO memory, and after a certain amount of work is done with the CDO, decides to save all the data in CDO memory to the default local storage area when it finds that records exist in CDO memory to save:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsStaticData' );
dataSet.fill();

/* Work done with the dataSet CDO memory */
.
```

# hasChanges() method

Returns true if CDO memory contains any pending changes (with or without before-image data), and returns false if CDO memory has no pending changes.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
hasChanges ( )
```

This method always returns true if any change to CDO memory has marked a record object it contains as created, updated, or deleted.

This method always returns false if you execute it immediately after invoking any one of the following methods on the CDO:

- fill()
- saveChanges ( ), if the autoApplyChanges property is also set to true
- acceptChanges()
- rejectChanges()

A typical use of this method is to determine if there are any changes in CDO memory that you want to save to local storage using the CDO saveLocal ( ) method.

### Example

The following code fragment shows an example of how you might use hasChanges ( ) to decide how to save CDO memory to local storage. It first invokes the fill ( ) method on a CDO (dataSet) to load CDO memory, sets the autoApplyChanges property on the CDO to not automatically accept or reject changes saved to the server based on the success or failure of the save, and after a certain amount of work is done with the CDO, decides to save all the data in CDO memory to the default local storage area, or to save only the pending changes, based on whether any pending changes currently exist in CDO memory:

#### invocation method

Any method on the CDO that is defined by the resource to execute a corresponding routine on the Cloud Data Server as an invoke operation.

This can be any routine in the Mobile interface that is annotated with an "invoke" operation type. The invocation method name can be the same as the routine or an alias, as defined by the resource. The method passes any input parameters as properties of an object parameter. The method returns results from the routine, including any return value and output parameters, as properties of a request object that is returned by the method.

Note: The results of an invoke operation have no effect on CDO memory.

After completing execution, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.

Return type: request object

### **Syntax**

```
op-name ( [ input-object [ , async-flag ] ] )
```

op-name

The name (specified as an identifier) of the invocation method as defined by the resource.

input-object

An object whose properties and values match the case-sensitive names and data types of the input parameters specified for the routine. If the routine does not take input parameters, specify null or leave out the argument entirely.

async-flag

A Boolean that when true causes the method to execute asynchronously and when false causes the method to execute synchronously. The default value is true.

For a synchronous invocation, the method returns a request object that contains several properties depending on the status of the invoke operation. However, if there are any output parameters or return value, they are returned as properties of an object referenced by the response property of the request object. The response object properties for output parameters match the

case-sensitive names and data types of the output parameters specified for the routine. Any return type is returned by an OpenEdge-defined retVal property with a matching data type.

For an asynchronous invocation, the method returns a similar request object as input to any event handler function subscribed to the following named events that fire in the following operational order:

1. beforeInvoke event

#### 2. afterInvoke event

Note: If you are calling an invocation method that either sends a table or ProDataSet object as a property of <code>input-object</code> or returns a table or ProDataSet object as a property of the response property object, you need to apply a rule in order to access this table or ProDataSet object. The rule is that wherever you de-reference or reference a table or ProDataSet object, you must reference that value twice, separated by a period or a colon, depending on the context. The reason is that the table or ProDataSet name is both the name of the parameter defined for the routine and also the name of the JavaScript object containing the JSON data returned from the server. For example, to access a table object, <code>ttCust</code> returned by the response property in a request object, you must code the following de-reference: request.response.ttCust.ttCust.Similarly, if you pass <code>ttCust</code> to an invocation method, <code>InputTT()</code>, you must code the following reference: <code>cdo.InputTT()</code> {ttCust: <code>{ttCust:ttCust}})</code>;

**Note:** If the invocation method passes a ProDataSet as an input or output parameter, that ProDataSet can contain before-image data. However, the method does no processing of the before-image data in any way. You must therefore manage the object appropriately. For example, you can use an output ProDataSet containing before-image data as a merge-object parameter to the addRecords ( ) method as long as your CDO uses the same ProDataSet schema and the resource supports before-imaging.

## cdo property

An object reference to the CDO that performed the operation returning the request object.

Data type: CDO class

Access: Read-only

The cdo property is available for all CDO events. This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

## **CDOs property**

Returns an array of CDOs that use the current Session object to communicate with their mobile services.

**Data type:** CDO array **Access:** Read-only

## record property

An object reference to the record created, updated, or deleted by the current Mobile record-change operation.

Data type: CloudDataRecord object

Access: Read-only

The record property is available only for the following CDO events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterUpdate
- beforeCreate
- beforeDelete
- beforeUpdate

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO.

## records property

An array of object references to the records created, updated, or deleted on the server by a Mobile submit operation.

Data type: CloudDataRecord object array

Access: Read-only

Each CloudDataRecord object referenced in this array contains a property named "prods:rowState" that has one of the following String values indicating the Mobile record-change operation that is applied to the record:

- "deleted"
- "modified"
- "created"

The records property is available only for the following CDO events, and only after invoking

saveChanges(true) on a CDO enabled for before-image support:

- afterSaveChanges
- beforeSaveChanges

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO.

## lastSessionXHR property

Returns an object reference to the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) that was most recently used by the Session object to execute a Session object method.

The one exception is in the case of a successful invocation of the logout ( ) method, in which case lastSessionXHR is set to null.

**Note:** This does not include the XMLHttpRequest objects that a Session object helps to prepare for CDO Cloud Data Server requests (Mobile operations).

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

Applies to: Session class

It is possible for a Session object method to fail prior to sending a request to the Web server. This is especially true of the addCatalog() method. If a Session object method fails before sending the request, lastSessionXHR is the most recent XHR returned from a previous method call that did send a request to the Web server. For example, if login() fails with an authentication error on the Web server, and the application follows with a call to addCatalog(), addCatalog() throws an error. However, lastSessionXHR then returns the XHR used for the unsuccessful login() request instead of for the failed addCatalog() call, because addCatalog() never attempts to send its own request and therefore doesn't create an XHR.

In general, you can use the XHR returned by this property to find out more information about the results of a Web server request than you can identify from the error code returned, or the error object thrown, by a given Session object method. One possible scenario is that the request to the server can succeed, but the body of the response, which should contain the catalog, contains data that cannot be parsed successfully as a CDO catalog.

#### Example

The following code fragment might provide more information about what has gone wrong when a possibly invalid CDO catalog is loaded for a session:

```
// create Session
pdsession = new progress.data.Session();

// log in
pdsession.login('/SportsApp');

// load catalog
try {
   pdsession.addCatalog("/SportsApp/static/mobile/CustomerSvc.json");
}

catch(e) {
   var xhr = pdsession.lastSessionXHR;
   if (xhr) {
```

# login() method

Starts a user login session on the current Session object by sending an HTTP request with user credentials to a URI for a specified Mobile Web application.

This method can be called synchronously or asynchronously, depending on parameters that you pass.

On a successful login, the Session object sets its connected property to true. If the login fails, the object leaves its connected property set to false.

If the user credentials are authenticated, the login session is started and assigned a unique session ID for that session that is also passed to the Cloud Data Server that implements the Mobile Web application. If the Mobile Web application is so configured, along with the session ID, it also sends a single sign-on (SSO) client-principal with the user credentials to the application Cloud Data Server. The method also returns a code indicating the success of the login request.

**Note:** Before invoking this method, ensure that you set the authenticationModel property on the Session object correctly (see the notes on authentication models).

Note: This method does not support proxy servers (servers that function as a security service) in Release 11.2.

Return type: Number

#### **Syntax**

```
login ( service-uri [ , username , password [ , login-target ] ] )
login ( args )
```

**Note:** If you call login() passing service-uri, the method executes synchronously. If you call it passing args, the method executes synchronously or asynchronously, depending on the setting of args.

service-uri

A string expression containing the URI of the Mobile Web application for which to start the user login session. This Mobile Web application must support one or more OpenEdge Cloud Data Services in order to create CDOs for the service resources provided by the application. If HTTP Basic Authentication is in effect for the Mobile Web application (see the notes on authentication models), this URI is appended with a string that identifies a protected resource against which to authenticate the login session (see <code>login-target</code>).

If the Mobile App from which you are logging in is a Mobile Web App deployed to the same Apache Tomcat server as the Mobile Web application, you can specify service-uri as a relative URI, for example, /SportsMobileApp, which is relative to the deployment end point (Tomcat server domain or host and port).

If the Mobile App from which you are logging in is a Mobile Native App that will be installed to run directly in a native device container, or if it is a Mobile Web App deployed to a different Web server from the Mobile Web application, you must specify <code>service-uri</code> as an absolute URI to the Tomcat server domain or host and port, for example, <code>http://www.progress.com/SportsMobileApp</code>, or perhaps for testing, <code>http://testmach:8980/SportsMobileApp</code>.

**Note:** Once the login ( ) method executes, the value you pass for service-uri also sets the value of the sessionURI property on the current Session object, whether or not user login completes successfully.

username

A string expression containing a user ID for the method to send to the Web server for authentication.

**Note:** The userName property of the Session object returns the most recent value passed to this method for the current Session object.

password

A string expression containing a password for the method to send to the Web server to authenticate the specified user.

login-target

A string expression that when appended to service-uri specifies a Mobile Web application resource against which the specified user is authenticated. If you do not specify a value for login-target, the value is set to "/static/home.html" by default.

Note: The value returned by the loginTarget property of the Session object is either the value of the login-target parameter or the default ("/static/home.html").

args

An object that has one or more of the following properties:

serviceURI — (Required) Same value as the service-uri parameter.

- userName (Optional) Same value as the username parameter.
- password (Optional) Same value as the password parameter.
- loginTarget (Optional) Same value as the login-target parameter.
- **async** (Optional) A Boolean that, if true, tells login() to execute asynchronously. If false or absent, login() executes synchronously.

When the method completes, it returns one of the following numeric constants to indicate the result:

- Session.ASYNC\_PENDING The method is called asynchronously, or if there is an error preparing to send the request to the server, it throws an Error object. All asynchronous execution results (including any server errors) are returned in the afterLogin event that is fired on the Session object after the method completes. Before calling the method, you can subscribe one or more handlers to this event using the subscribe() method on the Session object.
- Session.SUCCESS User login session started successfully. After you have downloaded CDO catalogs using the addCatalog() method for supported Cloud Data Services, you can create CDOs for each resource provided by these services.
- Session.AUTHENTICATION\_FAILURE User login failed because of invalid user credentials (username or password).
- Session.GENERAL\_FAILURE User login failed because of a nonauthentication failure.

It is also possible for this method to throw an Error object, in which case it does not return a value at all. You can also return the result for the most recent login attempt on the current Session object by reading the loginResult property. For a more specific status code returned in the HTTP response, you can check the value of the loginHttpStatus property. For more detailed information about any response (successful or unsuccessful) returned from the Web server, you can also check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by the lastSessionXHR property.

Note: When called asynchronously, any handler for the afterLogin event is passed the same information that is available for the login() method when it is called synchronously, including the Session object that executed login() (with the same property settings) and any Error object that was thrown processing the server response.

#### objParam property

The general Web server interaction with and response to this method depends on the authentication model that the Web server uses and how resources are accessed and protected. You configure the authentication model for each Mobile Web application deployed to the Apache Tomcat.

OpenEdge Mobile supports the following authentication models:

- Anonymous Authentication No authentication is required. This is the default value.
- HTTP Basic Authentication The Mobile Web application requires a valid user ID and password, but does not provide a page containing a login form (credentials are typically entered in a generic login dialog provided by either the Mobile App, the browser, or the native device container in which the App is running).
- HTTP Forms Authentication The Mobile Web application requires a valid user ID and password and provides a page containing a login form.

**Caution:** To help ensure that HTTP Forms access to Mobile Web applications works in certain Web browsers, such as Firefox, when the Web application is configured for Cross-Origin Resource Sharing (CORS), always call the login ( ) method asynchronously.

For more information on these authentication models and how to configure them for a Mobile Web application, see the sections on Web server authentication models in Deploying Mobile Applications. For more information on the interaction between this method and the Web server, see the sections on managing login session in Creating Mobile Apps using CDOs.

**Caution:** You must be sure that security is configured to complete authentication before the application requests resources in the CDO catalog. Although it is possible to configure application security so that only the resources in the catalog require authentication, Progress Software does not recommend this approach. Instead, Progress Software recommends that you require authentication for application resources in addition to those defined in the catalog, and require that the authentication occur prior to accessing any resources in the catalog. (Note: This is the purpose of the login-target parameter, either one you pass to the login ( ) method or its default.) Once the user is authenticated, the Web server provides access to all other resources, including catalog resources, according to the user's authorization settings.

Note: Unless the application design guarantees that the user will be prompted by the Web browser or native device container to provide credentials before a login() call occurs, Progress Software recommends (in some cases requires) that the Mobile App pass the credentials as parameters to the login() method. In addition, you must correctly set the value of the Session object's authenticationModel property. Coding the Mobile App in this way ensures that the proper credentials are submitted to the server and promotes a favorable user experience.

#### Example

The following code fragment calls the <code>login()</code> method synchronously on the session, <code>empSession</code> by omitting the <code>async</code> property from its object parameter. For a similar example with the method called asynchronously, see the reference entry for the <code>afterLogin</code> event. This synchronous example uses <code>try</code> and <code>catch</code> blocks to check for either an expected return value, an invalid return value (as part of a test), or a thrown <code>Error</code> object with an unknown error, then assembles an appropriate message to display in an alert box:

```
var retValue;
var msq;
try {
    retValue = empSession.login( { serviceURI : serviceURI,
                                   userName : uname,
                                   password : pw } );
   if ( retValue === progress.data.Session.LOGIN AUTHENTICATION FAILURE ) {
        msg = "Employee Login failed. Authentication error";
    else if ( retValue === progress.data.Session.LOGIN_GENERAL FAILURE ) {
       msg = "Employee Login failed. Unspecified error";
                                                                  if
        ( retValue === progress.data.Session.LOGIN SUCCESS
                                                                  ) {
       msg = "Logged in successfully";
    else {
        msg = "TEST ERROR! UNEXPECTED loginResult" + msg;
```

# loginHttpStatus property

Returns the specific HTTP status code returned in the response from the most recent login attempt on the current Session object.

Data type: Number

Access: Read-only

## loginResult property

Returns the return value of the login ( ) method, which is the basic result code for the most recent login attempt on the current Session object.

Data type: Number

Access: Read-only

Possible login return values include the following numeric constant values:

- Session.LOGIN\_SUCCESS User login session started successfully.
- Session.LOGIN\_AUTHENTICATION\_FAILURE User login failed because of invalid user credentials.
- Session.LOGIN\_GENERAL\_FAILURE User login failed because of a nonauthentication failure.

For a more specific status code returned in the HTTP response, you can check the value of the

loginHttpStatus property.

# loginTarget property

Returns the string appended to the Mobile Web application URI passed to the login() method to form the URI of an application resource against which the user has been authenticated for the current login session.

By default, this appended string is "/static/home.html".

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

You initially provide the Mobile Web application URI as a parameter to the login ( ) method. You can also pass a parameter to this method to specify a non-default value for the string appended to this URI.

# logout() method

Terminates the login session on the Mobile Web application managed by the current Session object, and invalidates any session currently maintained by the server and the browser or hybrid native wrapper.

#### objParam property

This method can be called synchronously or asynchronously, depending on parameters that you pass.

On a successful logout, the Session object sets its connected property to false. If the logout fails, the object leaves its connected property set to true, unless the failure happened because the App cannot access the server.

Once logout ( ) is executed, no further communication (other than a login ( ) call) can occur between the Mobile App and the server until a new login session is established.

Return type: undefined

#### **Syntax**

```
logout ( )
login ( args )
```

**Note:** If you call logout() with no parameters, the method executes synchronously. If you call it passing args, the method executes synchronously or asynchronously, depending on the setting of args.

args

An object that has one property:

• async — (Optional) A Boolean that, if true, tells logout() to execute asynchronously. If false or absent, logout() executes synchronously. For an asynchronous call, the method results are returned in the afterLogout event that is fired on the Session object after the method completes. Before calling the method, you can subscribe one or more handlers to this event using the subscribe() method on the Session object.

**Note:** If you include any other properties in args, logout ( ) ignores them.

When this method terminates the associated login session, the Session object can be re-used to start a new session. The Session object's properties retain their values, with the following exceptions:

- clientContextId is reset to null.
- loginHttpStatus is reset to null.
- loginResult is reset to null.
- userName is reset to null.

Existing CDOs and catalog information are not affected by logout(). However, any attempt to call addCatalog() or a CDO method that requires contacting the server results in an Error object being thrown.

For all errors encountered by <code>logout()</code>, the method also throws an <code>Error</code> object. For detailed information about any unsuccessful <code>logout()</code> response returned from the Web server, you can check the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) returned by the <code>lastSessionXHR</code> property. However, note that if the <code>logout()</code> call is successful, <code>lastSessionXHR</code> is set to <code>null</code>.

Note: When called asynchronously, any handler for the afterLogout event is passed the same information that is available for the logout ( ) method when it is called synchronously, including the Session object that executed logout ( ) (with the same property settings) and any Error object that was thrown processing the server response.

**Caution:** To help ensure that HTTP Forms access to Mobile Web applications works in certain Web browsers, such as Firefox, when the Web application is configured for Cross-Origin Resource Sharing (CORS), always call the logout ( ) method asynchronously.

#### Example

The following code fragment calls the <code>logout()</code> method without parameters synchronously on the session, <code>empSession</code>. For a similar example with the method called asynchronously, see the reference entry for the <code>afterLogout</code> event. This synchronous example uses <code>try</code> and <code>catch</code> blocks in case <code>logout()</code> throws an <code>Error</code> object, and displays a message if it does:

```
try {
    empSession.logout();
}
catch(errObj) {
    var msg;

msg = errObj ? '\n' + errObj.message : '';
```

## name property

The name of the resource for which the current CDO is created.

This value must match the name of a resource provided by the Cloud Data Service for which a login session has already been started.

**Note:** To set this property, you must pass its value to the CDO constructor.

Data type: String

Access: Readable/Writable

## objParam property

A reference to the object, if any, that was passed as an input parameter to the CDO method that has returned the current request object.

If no object parameter was passed to the method, the objParam property is undefined.

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

The objParam property is available for all CDO events where an object parameter is passed to the CDO method, including <code>saveChanges(true)</code>, where such object parameters are passed using a single submit operation. However, this property does not apply to the following events:

- afterSaveChanges, when saveChanges() or saveChanges(false) is called
- beforeCreate
- beforeDelete
- beforeUpdate
- beforeSaveChanges

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that

# manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

## offline event

Fires when the current Session object detects that the device on which it is running has gone offline, or that the Mobile Web application to which it has been connected is no longer available.

This event always fires when the device on which the Session object is created goes offline (that is, the device is disconnected from the network). For this event to fire when the Mobile Web application to which it has been connected is no longer available, the Session object must have previously:

- Been connected to the Web application using the object's login ( ) method
- 2. Not been disconnected from the Web application using the object's logout ( ) method

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

#### **Syntax**

```
function ( session , off-line-reason , request )
```

session

A reference to the Session object that has detected the offline condition.

off-line-reason

A string constant indicating the reason that the offline event has been fired. Possible constants include:

- Session.APPSERVER\_OFFLINE (OpenEdge Cloud Data Services only) The
  other components necessary to run the service are available, but the Cloud Data
  Server is offline
- Session.DEVICE\_OFFLINE The device itself is offline. For example, it might be in airplane mode, or it might be unable to pick up a wi-fi or cell signal.

**Note:** This condition will fire the offline event on a Session object even if the object has not yet invoked its login ( ) method.

- Session.SERVER\_OFFLINE The Web server is not available. For a Rollbase Cloud Data Service, this is the Web server for the public or private cloud. For an OpenEdge Cloud Data Service, this is the Tomcat Java servlet container.
- Session. WEB\_APPLICATION\_OFFLINE The server is running, but the Java Web application that implements the Cloud Data Service is not deployed.

You can use the string values of these constants directly to display or log messages, or test the values only and respond to the result in some other way.

request

If the offline condition was detected as a result of a request sent on behalf of a CDO, this is a reference to the request object used to make the request. For more information, see the description of the request object. If the offline event is the result of the device going offline or because of a call to the ping ( ) method (either directly or because the pingInterval property is set greater than 0), this parameter is null.

**Note:** If the underlying database accessed by the Rollbase cloud or the OpenEdge Cloud Data Server is unavailable, this will **not** cause the offline event to fire, nor will the fact that a particular Cloud Data Service contained by the hosting Web application was not loaded when the application started.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onSessionOffline, to handle the offline event fired on the session, mySession:

```
/* subscribe to the offline event */
var mySession = new progress.data.Session;
mySession.subscribe('offline', onSessionOffline );

/* some code that might cause mySession to detect that the application is offline */

...

function onSessionOffline( session , offlineReason , request ) {
    switch( offlineReason ) {
    case progress.data.Session.APPSERVER_OFFLINE:
        document.write(progress.data.Session.APPSERVER_OFFLINE);
        ...
        break;

case progress.data.Session.DEVICE_OFFLINE:
        document.write(progress.data.Session.DEVICE_OFFLINE);
        ...
        break;
```

## online event

Fires when the current Session object detects that the device on which it is running has gone online after it was previously offline, or that the Mobile Web application to which it is connected is now available after it was previously unavailable.

This event always fires when the device on which the Session object is created goes online after having been offline (that is, the device is reconnected to the network). For this event to fire when the Mobile Web application to which it has been connected is now available after having been unavailable, the Session object must have previously:

- 1. Been connected to the Web application using the object's login ( ) method
- 2. Not been disconnected from the Web application using the object's logout ( ) method
- **3.** Detected an offline event as a result of sending a Cloud Data Service request to the Web application or executing the ping ( ) method

The following parameters appear in the signature of the event handler function:

## **Syntax**

```
function ( session , request )
```

session

A reference to the Session object that has detected the online condition.

request

If the online condition was detected as a result of a request sent on behalf of a CDO, this is a reference to the request object used to make the request. For more information, see the description of the request object. If the online event is the result of the device itself coming back online or because of a call to the ping ( ) method (either directly or because the pingInterval property is set greater than 0), this parameter is null.

#### This event can fire because:

• The device on which the App is running was previously offline (in airplane mode or could not connect to a wi-fi network), but is now online again.

**Note:** This condition will fire the online event on a Session object even if the object has not yet invoked its login() method or has already invoked its logout() method.

 A Session object that previously fired its offline event because of a failed attempt to contact a Cloud Data Service has now been used successfully to contact that same Cloud Data Service.

## Example

The following code fragment subscribes the function, onSessionOnline, to handle the online event fired on the session, mySession:

```
/* subscribe to the online event */
var mySession = new progress.data.Session;
mySession.subscribe('online', onSessionOnline);

/* some code that might cause mySession to detect that the application is online */
...
```

# onOpenRequest property

Returns the reference to a user-defined callback function that the Session object executes to modify a request object before sending the request object to the server.

For example, this function might add a message header by modifying the XMLHttpRequest object used to send the request.

You do not typically use this property, because OpenEdge Mobile properly handles preparation of the request object for normal circumstances.

Data type: function

Access: Readable/Writable

By default, the value of the <code>onOpenRequest</code> property is <code>null</code>, meaning that the request object is sent without modification. If the value is set to a callback function, the function takes a single object parameter.

## **Syntax**

This is the syntax for setting this property to a function reference:

```
mySession.onOpenRequest = funcRef
```

mySession

A reference to the Session object for which the request object is to be modified before sending a request to the server.

funcRef

A reference to a JavaScript callback function that has the following signature:

Syntax:

```
function [ func-name ] ( param )
```

func-name

The optional name of a function you have defined external to the property assignment. Alternatively, you can specify funcRef as the entire inline function definition without func-name.

param

An Object that has the following properties:

- xhr An object reference to the XMLHttpRequest object (XHR) used to send the request. The current request object can be modified by the function. When the callback is called, XMLHttpRequest.open() will already have been called on the XHR, but the callback can call open() again, overriding the effects of the first open(). When the callback function is used for a login(), addCatalog(), or logout() call, although it should not be necessary and is not recommended, it is possible to replace the XHR entirely by creating a new object and assigning it as the value of the xhr property.
- verb The HTTP operation (GET, PUT, etc.) to be performed by the request.
- **uri** The URI to which the request is addressed.

- **session** A reference to the Session object that invoked the callback.
- **formPreTest** A Boolean specifying whether the current login() request is a preliminary request, used in cases of Form authentication, to determine whether the user is already logged in (true) or an actual login request (false).
- **async** A Boolean specifying whether the request is asynchronous (true) or synchronous (false).

Note: If the callback function is used for a login(), addCatalog(), or logout() call, and if it calls XMLHttpRequest.open(), the request must be sent synchronously.

If you assign a callback function as the value of onOpenRequest, it remains in effect for all requests for the duration of the session unless it is replaced by another function or is set to null.

#### Example

Be sure to reset the value of the property as necessary, as in the following example:

```
mysession.onOpenRequest = function( params ) {
    params.xhr.setRequestHeader('Authorization', auth);
};
```

# ping() method

Determines the online status of the current Session object from its ability to access the Mobile Web application that it manages.

You can call this method either synchronously or asynchronously.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
ping ( [ parameter-object ] ) )
```

parameter-object

An object with any or all of the following properties:

- async A Boolean. If set to true, ping() executes asynchronously. If set to false, ping() executes synchronously. If you do not pass this property setting, ping() executes asynchronously.
- onCompleteFn A callback function that is called only if ping ( ) executes asynchronously. This function is called after the ping ( ) method receives a response from the server (or times out), regardless of the online status returned:

Syntax:

function [ func-name ] ( completion-object )

Where func-name is the name of a callback function that you define external to parameter-object, and completion-object is an object parameter that ping() passes to the function with these properties:

pingResult — A Boolean that indicates the session online status that ping() returns. If set to true,
ping() determined that the current Session object is connected and logged in to a Mobile Web application
(and its Cloud Data Server, for an OpenEdge mobile service), or if set to false, the session is disconnected from any
Mobile Web application (or its Cloud Data Server, for an OpenEdge mobile service).

- **xhr** The XMLHttpRequest object that ping ( ) used to make the request.
- offlineReason A string constant that ping ( ) sets only if it determines that the session is disconnected from any Mobile Web application. The constant value indicates the reason for its offline status. Possible values are the same as those that can be passed to the offline event handler function as the value of its

off-line-reason parameter.

- **xhr** If you call ping ( ) synchronously, this is a property that you can initially set to any value (including null or undefined), but which ping ( ) resets to a reference to the XMLHttpRequest object that ping ( ) used to make the request. If you do not include an initial setting for this property in parameter-object, you cannot access this XMLHttpRequest object for synchronous ping ( ) call.
- offlineReason If you call ping() synchronously, this is a property that you can initially set to any value (including null or undefined), but which ping() resets to a string constant value if it determines that the session is disconnected from any Mobile Web application. This constant value indicates the reason for its offline status. Possible values are the same as those that can be passed to the offline event handler function as the value of its off-line-reason parameter.

**Caution:** If you do not include an initial setting for this property in <code>parameter-object</code>, any <code>offlineReason</code> value returned by <code>ping()</code> is unavailable for synchronous call.

The ping ( ) method always returns the overall session online status as a Boolean value: true if the session's Mobile Web application is fully available (online and with accessible mobile services) and false if the Web application is not available (offline or with inaccessible mobile services). If you call ping ( ) synchronously, it returns this online status as its method return value. If you call ping ( ) asynchronously, the method always returns with a value of false, but passes its online status as the value of the pingResult property it passes to its onCompleteFn callback.

#### ping() method

The ping ( ) method also fires an online or offline event on its Session object if the method detects that the online status of its Mobile Web application has changed. A Mobile Web application is considered to be online if all of the following are true:

- The Session object can communicate with the Web application. That is, the Web server is running, the Web application was started, and it has accessible mobile services.
- For OpenEdge mobile services only, the Cloud Data Server that the Web application accesses is running and accessible.

The ping ( ) method throws an error if the Session object is not logged into a Mobile Web application that runs a Cloud Data Service.

For OpenEdge Cloud Data Services, the Cloud Data Server supports ping() using an OpenEdge-defined class, OpenEdge.Rest.Admin.Cloud Data ServerStatus.This class responds to a REST ping service call to its ServerStatus() method, which indicates that the Cloud Data Server is available when the method returns successfully. You can also define a version of this method in your own user-defined class that returns a custom string value when ping() returns successfully, and you can retrieve this value from the xhr object reference set by ping(). For more information, see the sections on constructing and debugging REST requests in OpenEdge Application Server: Administration.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows how you can use ping() to check the online status of a given Session object after logging in. It also demonstrates that the session online and offline events can fire both using ping() if the Session object's online status has changed, and without using ping() (prior to logging in a given Session object) when the device online status has changed:

```
var mySession = new progress.data.Session;

/* These session events can fire on device status changes even before logging in */
mySession.subscribe('offline', onSessionOffline);
mySession.subscribe('online', onSessionOnline);

...

/* Code to set webapplURI, username, and password variables and log in ...
*/
mySession.authenticationModel = progress.data.Session.AUTH_TYPE_FORM;
var username = . . .;
var password = . . .;
var webApplicationURI = . . .;
mySession.login( webApplicationURI, username, password );

...

var pingParm = { async : false, offlineReason : null };
```

## pingInterval property

A Number that specifies the duration, in milliseconds, between one automatic execution of the current Session object's ping ( ) method and the next.

Setting this property to a value greater than zero (0) causes the Session object to begin executing its ping ( ) method, and when execution completes, to repeatedly execute the method after the specified delay. If you set its value to zero (0), no further execution of ping ( ) occurs after any current execution completes. The default value is zero (0).

Data type: Number

Access: Readable/Writable

You can set pingInterval to start the automatic execution of ping ( ) any time after you create the Session object. However, ping ( ) does not begin executing until and unless you have successfully invoked the object's login() method to start a user login session.

Note that when you call the ping ( ) method directly, you have several options for how to call it to get the results. You do not have these options and you cannot get results directly from each automatic execution of ping() that begins from a setting of pingInterval. The effects from this automatic execution are limited to causing the Session object to fire its offline or online event, and to change the value of its connected property, when a given ping() execution detects a change in the object's online status.

# readLocal() method

Clears out the data in CDO memory and replaces it with all the data stored in a specified local storage area, including any pending changes and before-image data, if they exist.

Return type: Boolean

**Syntax** 

readLocal ( [ storage-name ] )

storage-name

The name of the local storage area whose data is to replace the data in CDO memory. If storage-name is not specified, blank, or null, the name of the default storage area is used. The name of this default area is  $cdo\_serviceName\_resourceName$ , where serviceName is the name of the Cloud Data Service that supports the CDO instance, and

resourceName is the name of the resource (table, dataset, etc.) for which the CDO instance is created.

This method returns true if it successfully reads the data from the local storage area; it then replaces CDO memory with this data. If the storage area has no data (is empty), this clears CDO memory instead of replacing it with any data, and the method also returns true. If storage-name does not exist, but otherwise encounters no errors, the method ignores (does not clear) CDO memory and returns false. If the method does encounter errors (for example, with the data in the specified storage area), it also leaves CDO memory unchanged and throws an exception.

You can call the CDO saveChanges ( ), acceptChanges ( ), or rejectChanges ( ) method after calling this method, and any changes read into CDO memory from local storage are handled appropriately.

#### Example

The following code fragment replaces the data in CDO memory with all the data currently stored in the default storage area:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsStaticData' );
dataSet.fill();
dataSet.saveLocal();
.
```

# record property

A property on a CDO table reference that references a CloudDataRecord object with the data for the working record of a table referenced in CDO memory.

If no working record is set for the referenced table, this property is undefined.

Data type: CloudDataRecord object

Access: Read-only

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#### rejectChanges() method

The table reference that provides this property can either be the value of a property on the CDO with the name of a referenced table in CDO memory or a reference to the CDO itself if the CDO references only a single table.

The field values and additional OpenEdge properties for the working record are provided by the

data property of the CloudDataRecord object returned by the record property.

## rejectChanges() method

Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for the specified table reference or for all table references of the specified CDO.

If the method succeeds, it returns true. Otherwise, it returns false.

Note: This method applies only when the CDO <code>autoApplyChanges</code> property is set to false. In this case, you typically invoke this method after calling the <code>saveChanges()</code> method in order to cancel a series of changes that have failed on the Cloud Data Server. If the <code>autoApplyChanges</code> property is <code>true</code>, the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes for the specified table reference, or for all table references of the specified CDO, based on the success of the corresponding Mobile record-change operations.

**Note:** Rejecting all pending changes in CDO memory—or even pending changes for a single table reference—because only some were unsuccessful on the Cloud Data Server might be too broad an action for your application. If so, consider using rejectRowChanges ( ) to reject changes a single table record at a time. For more information, see the description of rejectRowChanges ( ) method.

Return type: Boolean

**Syntax** 

cdo-ref.rejectChanges ( )

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, the method rejects changes for all table references in the CDO.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, the method rejects changes for the specified table reference.

When you reject changes on a table reference, this method backs out all pending changes to the record objects for the specified table in CDO memory, and uses the before-image data to return each record to its original data values before the pending changes were made. When you reject changes on the CDO reference, the method backs out all pending changes to the record objects for all table references in CDO memory, and uses the before-image data to return each record to its original data values before the pending changes were made. As the specified changes are rejected, the method also empties any associated before-image data, clears all associated settings of the \_errorString property, and removes the associated pending record change indications from CDO memory.

**Note:** After this method rejects changes, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for affected table references are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

**Caution:** If you have already successfully applied these changes on the Cloud Data Server using the saveChanges ( ) method, **do not** invoke this method if you want the affected client data to be consistent with the corresponding data on the Cloud Data Server.

## Example

The following code fragment shows a CDO created so it **does not** automatically accept or reject changes to data in CDO memory after a call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Instead, it subscribes a handler for the CDO <code>afterSaveChanges</code> event to determine if all changes to the <code>eCustomer</code> table in CDO memory should be accepted or rejected based on the success of all Mobile create, update, and delete operations on the Cloud Data Server. To change the data for a record, a jQuery event is also defined on an update button to update the corresponding <code>eCustomer</code> record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (<code>#custdetail</code>):

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomerOrder',
                                                 autoApplyChanges : false }
);
dataSet.eCustomer.subscribe('afterSaveChanges', onAfterSaveCustomers, this);
$('#btnUpdate').bind('click', function(event) {
  var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
 record.assign();
});
// Similar controls might be defined to delete and create eCustomer records...
$('#btnSave').bind('click', function(event) {
  dataSet.saveChanges();
});
function onAfterSaveCustomers(cdo, success, request) {
  if (success) {
    var errorFound = false;
    cdo.eCustomer.foreach( function ( pCustomer ) {
        if (pCustomer.getErrorString()) {
          errorFound = true;
```

When the update button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record (record) with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the assign() method on record with an empty parameter list to update its fields in eCustomer with any new values entered into the form. You might define similar events and controls to delete eCustomer records and add new eCustomer records.

An additional jQuery event also defines a save button that when clicked invokes the <code>saveChanges()</code> method to apply all pending changes in CDO memory to the Cloud Data Server. After the method completes, and all results have been returned to the client from the Cloud Data Server, the CDO <code>afterSaveChanges</code> event fires, and if any Mobile operations on the Cloud Data Server were <code>not</code> successful, the handler calls <code>rejectChanges()</code> to reject all <code>pendingeCustomer</code> changes in CDO memory.

Note that if before-imaging is used with the ProDataSet mapped to the CDO, the \_errorString property can be set for one or more records, even when the afterSaveChanges event handler returns true for its success parameter. In this example, the handler uses getErrorString() to check this property setting and it rejects all pending eCustomer changes if at least one record has its errorString property set.

**Note:** This example shows the default invocation of <code>saveChanges()</code>, which invokes each Mobile record-change operation, one record at a time, across the network. You can also have <code>saveChanges()</code> send all pending record change operations across the network in a single Mobile submit operation. For more information and an example, see the description of the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.

# rejectRowChanges() method

Rejects changes to the data in CDO memory for a specified record object.

This can be the working record of a table reference or the record specified by a CloudDataRecord object reference. If the method succeeds, it returns true. Otherwise, it returns false.

Note: This method applies only when the CDO autoApplyChanges property is set to false. In this case, you typically invoke this method for an unsuccessful Mobile record-change operation in the handler for the corresponding CDO event fired in response to executing the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. If the <code>autoApplyChanges</code> property is <code>true</code>, the CDO automatically accepts or rejects changes to the record object based on the success of the corresponding Mobile operation on the Cloud Data Server.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
record-ref.rejectRowChanges ( )
cdo-ref.rejectRowChanges ( )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table reference in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

When you reject changes on a specified record object, this method makes the record reflect all pending changes in CDO memory. As the specified changes are rejected, the method also empties any associated before-image data, clears any associated \_errorString property setting, and removes the associated pending change indications from CDO memory.

**Note:** After this method rejects changes on a record, and if you have set up automatic sorting using the autoSort property, all the record objects for the affected table reference are sorted accordingly. If the sorting is done using sort fields, any String fields are compared according to the value of the caseSensitive property.

**Caution:** If you have successfully applied these CDO changes to the Cloud Data Server using the saveChanges ( ) method, **do not** invoke this method if you want the affected client data to be consistent with the corresponding data on the Cloud Data Server.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a CDO created so it **does not** automatically accept or reject changes to data in CDO memory after a call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Instead, it subscribes a single handler for each of the <code>afterDelete</code>, <code>afterCreate</code>, and <code>afterUpdate</code>, events to determine if changes to any <code>eCustomer</code> table record in CDO memory should be accepted or rejected based on the success of the corresponding Mobile operation on the Cloud Data Server. To change the data for a record, a jQuery event is also defined on a save button to update the corresponding <code>eCustomer</code> record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (<code>#custdetail</code>):

When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the <code>findById()</code> method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the <code>assign()</code> method on <code>record</code> with an empty parameter list to update its fields in <code>eCustomer</code> with any new values entered into the form. It then calls the <code>saveChanges()</code> method to invoke the Mobile update operation to apply these record changes to the Cloud <code>Data Server</code>. You might define similar events and controls to delete the <code>eCustomer</code> record or add a new <code>eCustomer</code> record.

After each Mobile operation for a changed eCustomer record completes, results of the operation are returned to the client from the Cloud Data Server, and the appropriate event fires. If the operation was **not** successful, the handler calls rejectRowChanges ( ) to reject the record change associated with the event in CDO memory. An advantage of using an event to manually reject a record change is that you can perform other actions associated with rejecting this particular change, such as displaying an alert to the user that identifies the error that caused the rejection.

**Note:** This example shows the default invocation of <code>saveChanges()</code>, which invokes each Mobile operation, one record at a time, across the network. You can also have <code>saveChanges()</code> send all pending record change operations across the network in a single Mobile submit operation. For an example, see the description of the <code>saveChanges()</code> method.

## remove() method

Deletes the specified table record referenced in CDO memory.

The specified record can either be the working record of a referenced table or any record provided by a CloudDataRecord object.

After execution, any working record for an associated table, and for any child tables is not set. To synchronize the change on the Cloud Data Server, call the saveChanges ( ) method.

Return type: Boolean

#### **Syntax**

```
record-ref.remove ( )

cdo-ref.remove ( )
```

record-ref

A reference to a CloudDataRecord object for a table record in CDO memory. You can obtain a CloudDataRecord object by:

- Invoking a CDO method that returns record objects from a CDO table reference (find(), findById(), or foreach())
- Accessing the record property on a CDO table reference that already has a working record.
- Accessing the record parameter passed to the callback of a CDO afterCreate, afterDelete, or afterDelete event.

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference, and that table reference has a working record.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO that has a working record.

**Note:** This method does not trigger an automatic sort and has no effect on any existing sort order established for the table reference. However, if there is a sort order that depends on the presence or absence of the record object you are removing, and you want to establish a new sort order with this record object absent, you must manually sort the remaining record objects using the sort ( ) method by passing it the same sort function that you used to establish the previous sort order.

#### Example

The following code fragment shows a jQuery event defined on a delete button to delete the record displayed in a customer detail form from the eCustomer table referenced in CDO memory:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsCustomerOrder' );

$('#btnDelete').bind('click', function(event) {
  var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
```

The form has been previously displayed with values from the same record. When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (record) and invokes the remove() method on record to delete the record from eCustomer.

## response property

Returns an object whose properties contain data from a Mobile built-in or invoke operation executed on the Cloud Data Server.

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

If a built-in Mobile operation (create, read, update, or delete) returns successfully and the response is valid JSON that can be converted to a JavaScript object, the response property is a reference to the table or ProDataSet object that is returned from the Cloud Data Server. If the server response is not valid JSON, the response property is undefined.

If an invoke operation returns successfully and has no return value or output parameters, the property is null. If the invoke operation has a return value, you can read it as the value of the object <code>\_retVal</code> property. If the operation has output parameters, you can read these parameters as the values of object properties whose casesensitive names and data types match the names and data types of the output parameters specified for the operation on the Cloud Data Server.

If the operation returns an error, the object contains the following properties:

- \_retVal A String with the value of any RETURN ERROR string or ReturnValue property for a thrown AppError object
- \_errors An array of JavaScript objects, each of which contains two properties:
   \_errorMsg with the error message string and \_errorNum with the error number, for
   one of possibly many -returned errors

**Note:** In the current OpenEdge release, this array always returns one object only for the first error (the equivalent of ERROR-STATUS:GET-MESSAGE (1) in).

The response property is available only for the following CDO events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterFill
- afterInvoke
- afterUpdate

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

## saveChanges() method

Synchronizes to the Cloud Data Server all changes pending in CDO memory since the last call to the fill() or saveChanges() methods, or since any prior changes have been otherwise accepted or rejected.

This method always executes asynchronously and returns all results in appropriate CDO named events.

After execution of this method, no working record is set for any tables referenced by the CDO.

Return type: null

### **Syntax**

```
saveChanges ( [ use-submit ] )
```

use-submit

An optional Boolean parameter that when false (or not specified), tells saveChanges() to individually invoke all pending Mobile delete, create, and update operations one record at a time across the network. You can use this option with a CDO that accesses either a table or a ProDataSet to pass the changed record for the operation. Results are returned to the CDO from the same table or ProDataSet after each operation completes.

When true, this parameter tells <code>saveChanges()</code> to invoke a single Mobile submit operation that handles all pending Mobile delete, create, and update operations in a single network and server transaction. You can use this option only with a CDO that accesses a ProDataSet whose temp-tables all have before-tables defined for them. In this case, all changed records and their before-image data are passed in the ProDataSet. All results of the submit operation are then returned to the CDO from the same ProDataSet for all record-change operations after they complete, also in a single network transmission.

#### Default execution: one changed record at a time

Without use-submit, the saveChanges ( ) method invokes the appropriate built-in resource operation one record at a time across the network, and in the following general order of Mobile operation type:

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- 1. "delete" All record deletions are applied.
- 2. "create" The creation of all new records is applied.
- 3. "update" Updates are applied to all modified records.

The sending of changes for multiple operations on the **same** record is optimized so the fewest possible changes are sent to the Cloud Data Server. For example, if a record is first updated, then deleted in CDO memory, only the deletion is sent to the Cloud Data Server. However, note that all the changes to the record are applied to CDO memory in a pending manner in case the deletion fails on the Cloud Data Server.

If the CDO is accessing a ProDataSet and the writeDataSetBeforeImage annotations for the resource operations are set to true, the CDO also sends before-image data, along with each changed record, across the network to the Cloud Data Server.

**Note:** Without use-submit, this method performs no batching of built-in record-change operations. That is, the built-in delete operation is invoked over the network for each deleted record, followed by the built-in create operation for each created record, and finally by the built-in update operation for each updated record. So, even for a ProDataSet, each built-in record operation executes over the network only one record at a time and cannot be part of a multi-record transaction.

### Executing with a Mobile submit: multiple changed records at a time

If the CDO is accessing a ProDataSet with use-submit specified as true, this method sends all pending delete, create, and update changes to the Cloud Data Server in a single Mobile submit operation. This submit operation can thus manage a single, multi-record Cloud Data Server transaction.

In this case, all the record changes, along with the before-image data, are sent in the ProDataSet to the Cloud Data Server, to be processed by a single routine that implements this submit operation. This allows all other associated Mobile delete, create, and update operations to be part of a single Cloud Data Server transaction in which all the record-change operations are executed, with all results returned in the ProDataSet in a single network response, including any error information for each record-change operation.

To specify use-submit as true, you must create the resource with operation annotations that both access a ProDataSet with before-image data and support invocation of the Mobile submit operation on that ProDataSet. Otherwise, this method invokes each record-change operation one record at a time across the network, regardless of how you specify use-submit.

**Note:** A resource created to access only a single table cannot support the Mobile submit operation. If you invoke saveChanges (true) for a CDO that maps only to a single table resource, OpenEdge throws an exception.

### Asynchronous execution

Regardless if you invoke Mobile record-change operations one at a time, or in a single Mobile submit operation, this method always executes asynchronously, and fires the following CDO named events, as required by the pending CDO changes (shown in operational order):

- beforeSaveChanges event
- 2. beforeDelete event
- 3. afterDelete event
- 4. beforeCreate event
- **5.** afterCreate event
- 6. beforeUpdate event
- 7. afterUpdate event
- 8. afterSaveChanges event

The behavior of the afterCreate, afterUpdate, afterDelete, and afterSaveChanges events depends on the setting of the CDO autoApplyChanges property.

### Behavior of events when autoApplyChanges is true

If the  $\mathtt{autoApplyChanges}$  property is true at the point you invoke  $\mathtt{saveChanges}$  ( ), and the respective create, update, or delete operation succeeds on the Cloud Data Server, the CDO then accepts and synchronizes the change in CDO memory. When the CDO synchronizes CDO memory, it uses any before-image data (if available) in each response from invoking the  $\mathtt{saveChanges}$  ( ) method.

If any create, update, or delete operation fails, the operation is automatically undone on the Cloud Data Server and the CDO rejects the change by reverting the applicable record in CDO memory to its last-saved state in the database. Specifically:

- If a create operation fails, the record is removed from CDO memory.
- If an update operation fails, the record reverts to the state it was in immediately preceding the assign ( ) method invocation that led to the failure.
- If a delete operation fails, the record is restored to CDO memory in its last-saved state. This state does not reflect any unsaved assign ( ) method invocations that may have

occurred before the remove ( ) call.

You can also use the request object returned by the event-handler function to retrieve information about the failure and any changes that were discarded as a result:

- To determine if a failure occurred, inspect the success property and (for a non-before-image response) inspect the batch property of the request object.
- To retrieve discarded changes and error information returned as part of a before-image response (submit operation), inspect the record or records property of the request object to view the record object or objects returned. Also, regardless of the value of the success property, check the value returned by the getErrorString() method on each record object (a value other than null or undefined is an error response).

## Behavior of events when autoApplyChanges is false

If the setting of the autoApplyChanges property is false at the point you invoke saveChanges ( ), you must manually accept or reject any changes in order to synchronize CDO memory with the method results using one of the following methods appropriate for the Mobile operation and CDO event:

- acceptChanges()
- acceptRowChanges()
- rejectChanges()
- rejectRowChanges()

Depending on the CDO after\* event to which you respond, might want to check returned request object properties to determine what accept\*( ) or reject\*( ) method to call. To retrieve discarded changes and error information returned as part of a before-image response (submit operation), inspect the record or records property of the request object to view the record object or objects returned. Also, regardless of the value of the success property, check the value returned by the getErrorString( ) method on each record object (a value other than null or undefined is an error response).

Note that the acceptChanges ( ) and rejectChanges ( ) methods might not be as useful to synchronize CDO memory with the Cloud Data Server as the corresponding acceptRowChanges ( ) and rejectRowChanges ( ) methods, which you can apply selectively in response to the results of individual record-change operations. For more information, see the reference description of each method.

#### **Examples**

The following code fragment shows a CDO created so it **does not** automatically accept or reject changes to data in CDO memory after a call to the <code>saveChanges()</code> method. Instead, it subscribes a single handler for each of the <code>afterDelete</code>, <code>afterCreate</code>, and <code>afterUpdate</code>, events to determine if changes to any <code>eCustomer</code> table record in CDO memory should be accepted or rejected based on the success of the corresponding Mobile operation on the Cloud Data Server. To change the data for a record, a jQuery event is defined on an update button to update the corresponding <code>eCustomer</code> record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (<code>#custdetail</code>):

When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the assign() method on record with an empty parameter list to update its fields in eCustomer with any new values entered into the form. You might define similar events and controls to delete the eCustomer record or add a new eCustomer record.

A jQuery event also defines a commit button that when clicked invokes the <code>saveChanges()</code> method, passing <code>true</code> as the <code>use-submit</code> parameter value, to apply all pending changes in CDO memory on the Cloud Data Server in a single network request. Using this parameter, all pending record deletes, creates, and updates, including before-image data, are sent to the Cloud Data Server in a single ProDataSet as input to a Mobile submit operation. This operation processes all the changes for each Mobile delete, create, or update on the Cloud Data Server, storing the results in the same ProDataSet, including any errors, for output to the client in a single network response.

After the method completes, and all results have been returned to the client from the Cloud Data Server, the appropriate event for each Mobile delete, create, or update fires. If the operation wasnot successful (the returned record has an error string), the event handler calls rejectRowChanges() to reject the eCustomer record change. If the operation was successful, the event handler calls acceptRowChanges() to accept the eCustomer record change associated with the event in CDO memory. An advantage of using an event to manually accept or reject a record change is that you can perform other actions associated with this particular change, such as creating a local log that describes the change or reports the error.

The following code fragment shows a jQuery event defined on a save button to update the corresponding eCustomer record in CDO memory with the current field values entered in a customer detail form (#custdetail):

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsCustomerOrder' );

$('#btnSave').bind('click', function(event) {
  var record = dataSet.eCustomer.findById($('#custdetail #id').val());
```

When the button is clicked, the event handler uses the findById() method to find the original record with the matching internal record ID (#id) and invokes the assign() method on record with an empty parameter list to update its fields in eCustomer with any new values entered into the form. It then invokes the saveChanges() method to update the corresponding record on the Cloud Data Server, which it does by invoking the Mobile update operation for the record over the network. Note that autoApplyChanges is true by default. So, the eCustomer record changes are accepted or rejected in CDO memory automatically, depending on the success of the update on the Cloud Data Server.

# saveLocal() method

Saves CDO memory to a specified local storage area, including pending changes and any before-image data, according to a specified data mode.

Return type: undefined

#### **Syntax**

```
saveLocal ( [ storage-name [ , data-mode ] ] )
saveLocal ( data-mode )
```

storage-name

The name of the local storage area in which to save the specified data from CDO memory. If storage-name is not specified, blank, or null, the name of the default storage area is used. The name of this default area is  $cdo\_serviceName\_resourceName$ , where serviceName is the name of the Cloud Data Service that supports the CDO instance, and resourceName is the name of the resource (table, dataset, etc.) for which the CDO instance is created.

data-mode

A CDO class constant that specifies the data in CDO memory to be saved to local storage. Each data mode initially clears the specified local storage area of all its data, then replaces it with the data from CDO memory as specified. The possible values include:

- CDO.ALL\_DATA Replaces the data in the storage area with all the data from CDO memory, including pending changes and any before-image data. This is the default data mode.
- CDO.CHANGES\_ONLY Replaces the data in the storage area with only the pending changes from CDO memory, including any before-image data.

If this method encounters any errors, it leaves the specified storage area unchanged and throws an exception.

This method supports any schema that the CDO supports.

If you want to save CDO memory to local storage after the CDO <code>saveChanges()</code> method fails in response to an offline condition, be sure to set the <code>autoApplyChanges</code> property on the CDO to <code>false</code> before calling this method for the first time. You can then continue to save CDO memory to protect against a local session failure as it accumulates further offline changes until the Mobile App goes back online and <code>saveChanges()</code> succeeds in saving the changes to the server.

You can also use this method to routinely cache static data, such as state and rate tables, that might not change often, allowing for faster startup of the Mobile App. One way to do this is to define a CDO for a resource that accesses only static data, and invoke this method after refreshing CDO memory using the fill() method. When caching data in general, be sure to save CDO memory when it is in a consistent state, such as immediately after successful invocation of the CDO fill() or saveChanges() method (in the relatively rare case where routinely static data is being updated).

### Example

The following code fragment caches CDO memory for a CDO defined with static data immediately after it is loaded into CDO memory:

```
dataSet = new progress.data.CDO( 'dsStaticData');
dataSet.fill();
```

In this case, all the data in CDO memory is cached to the default storage area.

## services property

Returns an array of objects that identifies the Cloud Data Services that have been loaded for the current Session object and its Mobile Web application.

Data type: Object array

Access: Read-only

You load Cloud Data Services for a Session object by loading the corresponding CDO catalogs using the addCatalog() method after you login using the login() method.

Each object in the array contains two properties:

- name The name of a Cloud Data Service
- uri The URI for the service. If the address of the service in the catalog is an absolute URI, this value is that URI. If the service address is relative, this value is the relative address concatenated to the value of the Session object's serviceURI property, which contains the Mobile Web application URI passed to the login() method.

**Note:** To return a corresponding list of URIs for the loaded CDO catalogs, read the catalogURIs property.

### Example

Given the following service names and URIs loaded for a Session object:

- "CustomerSvc" service with this URI: "/rest/CustomerSvc"
- "ItemSvc" Service with this URI: "http://itemhost:8080/SportsApp/rest/ItemSvc"

The following code fragment produces the output that follows:

```
// create Session

pdsession = new progress.data.Session();

// log in
pdsession.login('/SportsApp');

// load 2 catalogs

pdsession.addCatalog ("/SportsApp/static/mobile/CustomerSvc.json");
pdsession.addCatalog ("/SportsApp/static/mobile/ItemSvc.json");
```

Output from the preceding code fragment:

```
CustomerSvc /SportsApp/rest/CustomerSvc
```

## serviceURI property

Returns the URI to the Mobile Web application passed as a parameter to the most recent call to the login() method on the current Session object, whether or not the most recent call to login() succeeded.

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

# setSortFields() method

Specifies or clears the record fields on which to automatically sort the record objects for a table reference after you have set its autoSort property to true (the default).

This method enables or disables automatic sorting based on record fields only for supported CDO operations. See the description of the autoSort property for more information.

After completing execution, this method has no effect on the working record for the affected table reference.

Return type: null

## **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.setSortFields ( sort-fields )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

```
sort-fields
```

An array of String values set to the names of record fields on which to sort the record objects, with an optional indication of the sort order for each field. This array can have the following syntax:

#### Syntax:

```
[ "field-name [:sort-order] " [ , "field-name [:sort-order] " ] ...
```

field-name

The name of a field in the record objects of the specified table reference. A field-name can have the OpenEdge-reserved name, "\_id". Otherwise, any field-name must already exist in the CDO schema and must have a scalar value (cannot be an array field).

```
sort-order
```

An indication of the sort order for the field, which can have one of the following case-insensitive values:

- ASC Sorts ascending.
- ASCENDING Sorts ascending.
- DESC Sorts descending.
- DESCENDING Sorts

descending. The default sort order is ascending.

When the automatic sort occurs, the record objects are sorted and grouped by each successive field-name in the array, according to its JavaScript data type and specified sort-order. Fields are compared using the >, <, and = JavaScript operators. String fields can be compared with or without case sensitivity depending on the caseSensitive property setting. However, note that date fields are compared as dates, even though they are represented as strings in JavaScript.

If you set the sort-fields parameter to null, or you specify an empty array, the method clears all sort fields. Automatic sorting for the table reference can then occur only if there is an existing sort function setting using the setSortFn ( ) method.

**Note:** If you set a sort function for the table reference using setSortFn ( ) in addition to using this method to set sort fields, the sort function takes precedence.

#### Example

In the following code fragment, assuming the <code>autoSort</code> property is set to <code>true</code> on <code>dsCustomer.eCustomer</code> (the default), after the <code>fill()</code> method initializes CDO memory, the record objects for <code>eCustomer</code> are sorted by the <code>Country</code> field ascending, then by the <code>State</code> field within <code>Country</code> ascending, then by the <code>Balance</code> field within <code>State</code> descending. At a later point, the <code>foreach()</code> method then loops through these record objects, starting with the first record in <code>eCustomer</code> sort order:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.eCustomer.setSortFields( [ "Country", "State", "Balance:DESC" ]
);
dsCustomer.fill();
```

# setSortFn() method

Specifies or clears a user-defined sort function with which to automatically sort the record objects for a table reference after you have set its autoSort property to true (the default).

This method enables or disables automatic sorting based on a sort function only for supported CDO operations. See the description of the autoSort property for more information.

After completing execution, this method has no effect on the working record for the affected table reference.

Return type: null

#### **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.setSortFn ( funcRef )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

funcRef

A reference to a JavaScript sort function that compares two record objects for the sort and returns a Number value. This function must have following signature:

Syntax:

```
function [ func-name ] ( record-ref1 , record-ref2 )
```

Where func-name is the name of a function that you define external to the setSortFn() method parameter list, and record-ref1 and record-ref2 are two CloudDataRecord objects that the function compares from the specified table reference. You can then pass func-name to the setSortFn() method as the funcRef parameter. Alternatively, you can specify funcRef as the entire inline function definition without func-name.

Your funcRef code determines the criteria by which one of the two input record objects follows the other in the sort order, and returns one of the following values depending on the result:

- 1 The record-ref1 object follows (is "greater than") the record-ref2 object in the sort order.
- -1 The record-ref1 object precedes (is "less than") the record-ref2 object in the sort order.
- 0 The two record objects occupy the same position (are "equal") in the sort order.

When OpenEdge calls an automatic sort, and a sort function is set using this method, the sort uses this function to determine the sort order for every pair of records that it tests as it iterates through the record objects of the specified table reference.

If you set the <code>funcRef</code> parameter to <code>null</code>, the method clears any sort function definition. Automatic sorting for the table reference can then occur only if there are one or more existing sort fields set using the <code>setSortFields()</code> method.

**Note:** Any default JavaScript comparisons that you make with String fields in funcRef are case sensitive according to JavaScript rules and ignore the setting of the caseSensitive property.

**Note:** If you set sort fields for the table reference using setSortFields ( ) in addition to using this method to set a sort function, the sort function takes precedence.

#### **Examples**

In the following code fragment, assuming the <code>autoSort</code> property is set to <code>true</code> on <code>dsCustomer.eCustomer</code> (the default), after the <code>fill()</code> method initializes CDO memory, the record objects for <code>eCustomer</code> are automatically sorted using the results of the external user-defined function, <code>sortOnNameCSensitive()</code>, whose reference is passed to the <code>setSortFn()</code> method. In this case, the function compares the case-sensitive values of the <code>Name</code> fields from each pair of <code>eCustomer</code> record objects selected by the sort. At a later point, the <code>foreach()</code> method then loops through these record objects, starting with the first record in <code>eCustomer</code> sort order:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.setSortFn ( sortOnNameCSensitive );
dsCustomer.fill();
...
dsCustomer.eCustomer.foreach( function( customer ) { . . . } );
function sortOnNameCSensitive ( rec1 , rec2 ) {
  if (rec1.data.Name > rec2.data.Name)
```

If you want to compare the Name field in this function using a case-insensitive test, you can use the JavaScript toUpperCase() function in the user-defined function. For example, in <code>sortOnNameCInsensitive()</code>, as follows:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.setSortFn ( sortOnNameCInsensitive );
dsCustomer.fill();
...
dsCustomer.eCustomer.foreach( function( customer ) { . . . . } );
function sortOnNameCInsensitive ( rec1 , rec2 ) {
   if (rec1.data.Name.toUpperCase() > rec2.data.Name.toUpperCase())
      return 1;
```

## sort() method

Sorts the existing record objects for a table reference in CDO memory using either specified sort fields or a specified user-defined sort function.

After completing execution, this method has no effect on the working record for the affected table reference.

Return type: null

### **Syntax**

```
cdo-ref.sort ( { sort-fields | funcRef } )
cdo-ref.table-ref.sort ( { sort-fields | funcRef } )
```

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. You can call the method on cdo-ref if the CDO has only a single table reference.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO.

```
sort-fields
```

An array of String values set to the names of record fields on which to sort the record objects, with an optional indication of the sort order for each field. This array can have the following syntax:

#### Syntax:

```
[ "field-name [:sort-order] " [ , "field-name [:sort-order] " ] . . .
```

field-name

The name of a field in the record objects of the specified table reference. A field-name can have the OpenEdge-reserved name, "\_id". Otherwise, any field-name
must already exist in the CDO schema and must have a scalar value (cannot be an array field).

sort-order

An indication of the sort order for the field, which can have one of the following case-insensitive values:

- ASC Sorts ascending.
- ASCENDING Sorts ascending.
- DESC Sorts descending.
- DESCENDING Sorts

descending. The default sort order is

ascending.

When the sort occurs, the record objects are sorted and grouped by each successive field-name in the array, according to its JavaScript data type and specified sort-order. Fields are compared using the >, <, and = JavaScript operators. String fields can be compared with or without case sensitivity depending on the caseSensitive property setting. However, note that date fields are compared as dates, even though they are represented as strings in JavaScript.

funcRef

A reference to a JavaScript sort function that compares two record objects for the sort and returns a Number value. This function must have following signature:

#### Syntax:

```
function [ func-name ] ( record-ref1 , record-ref2 )
```

Where func-name is the name of a function that you define external to the <code>sort()</code> method parameter list, and record-ref1 and record-ref2 are two <code>CloudDataRecord</code> objects that the function compares from the specified table reference. You can then pass func-name to the <code>sort()</code> method as the funcRef parameter. Alternatively, you can specify funcRef as the entire inline function definition without func-name.

Your funcRef code determines the criteria by which one of the two input record objects follows the other in the sort order, and returns one of the following values depending on the result:

- 1 The record-ref1 object follows (is "greater than") the record-ref2 object in the sort order.
- -1 The record-ref1 object precedes (is "less than") the record-ref2 object in the sort order.
- 0 The two record objects occupy the same position (are "equal") in the sort order.

When you invoke the  $\mathtt{sort}$  ( ) method with a sort function, the sort uses this function to determine the sort order for every pair of records that it tests as it iterates through the record objects of the specified table reference.

**Note:** Any default JavaScript comparisons that you make with String fields in funcRef are case sensitive according to JavaScript rules and ignore the setting of the caseSensitive property.

**Caution:** Because the sort ( ) method executes in JavaScript on the client side, sorting a large set of record objects can take a significant amount of time and make the UI appear to be locked. You might set a wait or progress indicator just prior to invoking the sort to alert the user that the app is working.

### **Examples**

In the following code fragment, the fill() method initializes CDO memory with eCustomer record objects from the Cloud Data Server in order of the table primary key (the default). The sort() method later sorts the record objects for eCustomer by the Country field ascending, then by the State field within Country ascending, then by the Balance field within State descending. The foreach() function then loops through these record objects in the new eCustomer sort order:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.fill();
...
```

In the following code fragment, the fill() method initializes CDO memory with eCustomer record objects from the Cloud Data Server in order of the table primary key (the default). The sort() method later sorts the record objects for eCustomer using the results of an inline function definition, which in this case compares the case-sensitive values of the Name fields from each pair of eCustomer record objects selected by the sort. The foreach() method then loops through these record objects in the new eCustomer sort order:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.fill();

. . .

dsCustomer.sort( function( rec1 , rec2 ) {
  if (rec1.data.Name > rec2.data.Name)

    return 1;

else if (rec1.data.Name < rec2.data.Name)
    return -1;</pre>
```

If you want to compare the Name fields using a case-insensitive test, you can use the JavaScript

toUpperCase() function in the inline function definition, as follows:

```
dsCustomer = new progress.data.CDO( { name: 'dsCustomer' });
dsCustomer.fill();

. . .

dsCustomer.sort( function
  ( rec1 , rec2 ) {

  if (rec1.data.Name.toUpperCase() > rec2.data.Name.toUpperCase())
    return 1;

  else if (rec1.data.Name.toUpperCase() < rec2.data.Name.toUpperCase())
    return -1;</pre>
```

# subscribe() method (CDO class)

Subscribes a given event handler function to a named event of the current CDO or table reference.

For more information on these events, see the reference entry for CDO class.

After execution, the working record for any associated table reference remains unchanged.

Return type: null

#### **Syntax**

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, you can subscribe the event handler to any event that fires on the CDO and all its table references.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, you can subscribe the event handler to an event that fires only on the table reference.

event-name

The name of an event to which you subscribe an event handler. See the reference entry for CDO class for a list of available CDO events.

If you call the subscribe() method on table-ref, you can subscribe the event handler only to the following events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterUpdate
- beforeCreate
- beforeDelete
- beforeUpdate

op-name

The name of a CDO invocation method, a call to which causes the event to fire. This parameter is required in cases where event-name is beforeInvoke or afterInvoke. Use it **only** with these event names, and only when subscribing on the CDO (not on a table-ref). The value of op-name is the same as the fnName property on the request object.

event-handler

A reference to an event handler function that is called when the specified event fires.

scope

An optional object reference that defines the execution scope of the event handler function called when the event fires. If the scope property is omitted, the execution scope is the global object (usually the browser or device window).

## subscribe() method (Session class)

Subscribes a given event handler function to a named event of the current Session object.

Return type: null

### **Syntax**

```
subscribe ( event-name , event-handler [ , scope ] )
```

event-name

The name of an event on a Session object to which you subscribe an event handler. See the reference entry for the Session class for a list of available events.

event-handler

A reference to an event handler function that is called when the specified event fires.

scope

An optional object reference that defines the execution scope of the event handler function called when the event fires. If the scope property is omitted, the execution scope is the global object (usually the browser or device window).

The subscribe ( ) method throws an error object if event-name does not identify an event supported by the Session object (the lookup is case insensitive), or if an argument is not of the correct type.

## success property

A Boolean that when set to true indicates that the Mobile operation was successfully executed.

This property is set from the HTTP status code returned from the server. A successful Mobile operation returns an HTTP status code in the range of 200 - 299. An unsuccessful Mobile operation causes a value outside this range to be returned for the HTTP status code and sets this property to false.

Note: If this property is true after a Mobile submit operation (invoking saveChanges (true) on a CDO), each Mobile record-change operation can still return with an error that you can identify by accessing the getErrorString() method on the associated CloudDataRecord object. For more information, see the description of the saveChanges() and getErrorString() methods.

Data type: Boolean

Access: Read-only

The success property is available only for the following CDO events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterFill
- afterInvoke
- afterSaveChanges
- afterUpdate

In the case of an afterSaveChanges event, the success property is true only if all

record-change operations that are invoked by the saveChanges ( ) method were successfully executed.

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

**Note:** When the Cloud Data Server routine that implements a Mobile operation raises an unhandled error, this causes an HTTP status code of 500 and any included error information to be returned from the server. This can occur when either an routine raises an application error or the virtual machine (AVM) raises a system error, and the error is thrown out of the top-level Cloud Data Server routine.

# table reference property (CDO class)

An object reference property on a CDO that has the name of a table mapped by the resource to a table for which the current CDO is created.

Its value is a reference (*table reference*) to the table object in CDO memory. This table object provides access to a working record, if defined. If a resource maps a ProDataSet, its CDO provides one table reference for every table in the ProDataSet.

Data type: Table object reference in CDO memory

Access: Read-only

In syntax wherever a table reference can be used, table-ref represents the name of the property containing the table reference. A referenced table object provides the following properties:

- record property— A reference to a CloudDataRecord object, which provides the
  data for the working record of the table in its data property. This data property provides
  access to the field values of the working record as corresponding field reference properties
  (see the following bullet). If no working record is defined for the table, the record
  property is null.
- **field reference property** Also referred to as a *field reference*, a property on the table object that has the name of a field (as defined in the mapped table schema) and the value for that field in the working record. In syntax wherever a field reference appears, field-ref represents the name of the property containing the field reference. A table object provides one field reference for each field defined in the mapped table. If no working record is defined, all field references are null, **except** when fields are referenced on the data property of a CloudDataRecord object reference.

Caution: Never write directly to a field-ref using this record property or any CloudDataRecord object reference; in this case, use field-ref only to read the data. Writing field values using a CloudDataRecord object reference does not mark the record for update when calling the saveChanges ( ) method, nor does it re-sort the record in CDO memory according to any order you have established using the autoSort property. To mark a record for update and automatically re-sort the record according to the autoSort property, you must assign a field value either by setting a

cdo-ref.table-ref.field-ref for a working record or by calling the <code>assign()</code> method on a valid table-ref or <code>CloudDataRecord</code> object reference.

You can therefore reference the field values in the working record of a given table reference using corresponding field references either on the data property of the CloudDataRecord object returned by the record property of the table reference or directly on the table reference itself. Accessing field references directly on a table reference provides a convenient way to access table fields that is similar to how you reference table fields in . The record property provides an alternative way to access table fields, especially for a table field that has the same name as a CDO property (or method) that you can access (or invoke) directly on a table reference.

#### Example

For example, the following code fragment shows two different ways to access the <code>CustNum</code> field of a record added for a <code>customer</code> table object mapped by a Mobile ProDataSet resource:

```
var dataSet = new Progress.data.CDO( 'CustomerOrderDS' );
dataSet.customer.add();
alert(dataSet.customer.record.data.CustNum);
alert(dataSet.customer.CustNum);
```

Both calls to the alert() function access the same CustNum field in the working record of the customer table created by the add() method.

For more information on accessing the working record of a table reference, see the notes in the section on CDO class.

# unsubscribe() method (CDO class)

Unsubscribes a given event handler function from a named event of the current CDO or table reference.

For more information on these events, see the refernce entry for CDO class.

After execution, the working record for any associated table reference remains unchanged.

Return type: null

### **Syntax**

cdo-ref

A reference to the CDO. If you call the method on cdo-ref, you can unsubscribe the event handler from any event that fires on the CDO and all its table references.

table-ref

A table reference on the CDO. If you call the method on table-ref, you can unsubscribe the event handler from an event that fires only on the table reference.

event-name

The name of an event to which you unsubscribe an event handler. See the refernce entry for CDO class for a list of available CDO events.

If you call the unsubscribe() method on table-ref, you can unsubscribe the event handler only from the following events:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterUpdate
- beforeCreate
- beforeDelete
- beforeUpdate

op-name

The name of a CDO invocation method, a call to which causes the event to fire. This parameter is required in cases where event-name is beforeInvoke or afterInvoke. Use it only with these event names, and only when unsubscribing on the CDO (not on a table-ref). To be meaningful, the op-name value must match the corresponding

op-name parameter in a preceding subscribe ( ) method call.

event-handler

A reference to an event handler function that is called when the specified event fires.

scope

An optional object reference that defines the execution scope of the event handler function called when the event fires. Specifying the scope is optional in the event subscription. If the event subscription **does** specify an execution scope, you must specify a matching scope parameter when you call the unsubscribe ( ) method to cancel the event subscription.

# unsubscribe() method (Session class)

Unsubscribes a given event handler function from a named event of the current Session object.

Return type: null

**Syntax** 

```
unsubscribe ( event-name , event-handler [ , scope ] )
```

event-name

The name of a Session object event to which you unsubscribe an event handler. See the refernce entry for Session classfor a list of available events.

event-handler

A reference to an event handler function that is called when the specified event fires.

scope

An optional object reference that defines the execution scope of the event handler function called when the event fires. Specifying the scope is optional in the event subscription. If the event subscription **does** specify an execution scope, you must specify a matching scope parameter when you call the unsubscribe ( ) method to cancel the event subscription.

The unsubscribe ( ) method throws an error object if <code>event-name</code> does not identify an event supported by the <code>Session</code> object (the lookup is case insensitive), if an argument is not of the correct type, or if there is a mismatch between the value of the <code>scope</code> argument and the scope specified in the corresponding <code>subscribe()</code> method call.

# unsubscribeAll() method

Unsubscribes all event handler functions from a named event of the current CDO or Session object, or unsubscribes all handlers from all events of the current CDO or Session object.

Return type: null

Syntax

unsubscribeAll ( [ event-name ] )

event-name

A String that if specified, is the name of an event on the current object from which to unsubscribe all event handlers. If not specified, the method unsubscribes all event handlers from all events of the current object. See the reference entry for the CDO class or the Session class for a list of available events.

For a Session object, the unsubscribeAll() method throws an error object if <code>event-name</code> does not identify an event supported by the Session class (the lookup is case insensitive), or if <code>event-name</code> is not a <code>String</code>. For a CDO, the method ignores these conditions.

## useRelationships property

A Boolean that specifies whether CDO methods that operate on table references in CDO memory work with the table relationships defined in the schema (that is, work only on the records of a child table that are related to the parent).

Data type: Boolean

Access: Readable/Writable

When set to true, methods, such as add(), find(), and foreach(), that have default behavior for related table references respect these relationships when operating on related tables. When set to false, these methods operate on all table references as if they have no relationships. The default value is true.

## userName property

Returns the user ID passed as a parameter to the most recent call to the login ( ) method on the current Session object.

Data type: String

Access: Read-only

This value is returned, whether or not the most recent call to login ( ) succeeded.

**Note:** This property does not always specify the name of the user logged in for the current session. The logged-in user can be different from this property setting if the authentication was done by the browser or hybrid native wrapper prior to the login() method being called, or if the login() method was passed incorrect user credentials and the browser or native wrapper took over and completed the user authentication.

# xhr property

A reference to the XMLHttpRequest object used to perform a Mobile operation request.

In the case of an asynchronous call, this property may not be available until after the XMLHttpRequest object is created.

Data type: Object

Access: Read-only

The  ${\tt xhr}$  property is available only for the following events after calling the CDO  ${\tt saveChanges}$  ( )

method either with an empty parameter list or with the single parameter value of false:

- afterCreate
- afterDelete
- afterFill
- afterInvoke
- afterUpdate

The xhr property is available only for the following event after calling saveChanges (true) on a CDO enabled for before-image support:

• afterSaveChanges

This request object property is also available for any session online and offline events that are fired in response to the associated Mobile operation when it encounters a change in the online status of the CDO's login session (Session object). The request object is itself passed as a parameter to any event handler functions that you subscribe both to CDO events and to the online and offline

events of the Session object that manages Cloud Data Services for the CDO. The object is also returned as the value of any CDO invocation method that you execute synchronously.

## Which methods access the server

The following chart identifies the CDO operations and whether the operation communicates with the server.

JSDO Operation	Local	Remote	Description
acceptChanges	V		Accept all changed records and mark each record as not-edited. Remove the before-image for each record.
acceptRowChanges	V		Accept the changes to the selected record and mark the record as not-edited. Remove the before-image for the record.
add	*		To create a new record in local storage on the client, you call the add() method on a table reference on the JSDO. The fields of the new record are initialized with the values specified in an object passed to the method. For any fields whose values are not provided in this object, default values are taken from schema in the JSDO catalog. When the operation is complete, the new record becomes the working record for the associated temptable. If the temp-table has child temp-tables, the working record for these child tables is not set.
addRecords	<b>*</b>		Reads a json object and updates the local storage of the JSDO. The data is merged into JSDO local storage and affects existing data according to a specified merge mode and optional key fields.
assign	<b>V</b>		To modify an existing record in local storage on the client, you call the assign() method. The values of fields to be updated are specified in an object passed to the method. When the operation is complete, any working records previously set before the method executed remain as the working records.
fill		*	To load data into local storage on the client, you call the fill() method on the JSDO. Each time fill() is called, all records currently in local storage are cleared and replaced by the records returned by the method. When the operation is complete, the working record for each referenced temp-table is set to its first record, depending on any active parent-child relationships. So, for each child temp-table, the first record is determined by its relationship to the related working record in its parent temp-table. When the operation is complete, the working record for each referenced temp-table is set to its first record, depending on any active parent-child relationships. So, for each child temp-table, the first record is determined by its relationship to the related workingrecord in its parent temp-table.
remove	~		To delete an existing record from local storage on the client, you call the remove() method. When the operation is complete, any working record for an associated temp-table and for any child temp-tables is not set.
rejectChanges	*		Revert all changed records back to their original values before any changes were made since the last fill (), acceptRowChanges() or acceptChanges() method.
rejectRowChanges	V		Revert a record back to its original values before any changes were made since the last fill (), acceptRowChanges() or acceptChanges() method.
saveChanges		•	Synchronizes to the data source all changes made to JSDO local storage since the last call to the fill() or saveChanges() method. The saveChanges() method completes this data synchronization by invoking appropriate built-in resource operations on each changed record, one at a time, and in the following general order of operation type:  1. "delete" — All record deletions are applied, one at a time across the network.  2. "create" — The creation of all new records is applied, one at a time across the network.  3. "update" — Updates are applied to all modified records, one at a time across the network.  The sending of changes for multiple operations on the same record is optimized, so the fewest possible changes are sent to the AppServer. For example, if a record is updated, then deleted in local storage, only the deletion is sent to the data source. After execution, the working record for each temp-table referenced by the JSDO is not set.  autoApplyChanges is a flag set at the JSDO level. When set to true (the default) acceptChanges or rejectChanges are automatically called based on whether the change succeeded or returned an error. You can still access the error returned. To override this behavior, set this flag to false.  In the future, it will be possible to send all records to the data source as a single request. In this case the data source would handle the ordering of applying the change set sent.