Lecture 9: Advance SQL II (Stored Procedure)

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Procedure:
```
01. delimiter $$
02. create procedure p2()
03. begin
04. select 'Testing Procedure' as Title;
05. end$$
06. delimiter ;
```

Detail: A simple procedure by name of p2 has been created. On execution, it shows **Title** as Field Name and **Testing Procedure** as its instance value. Initially delimiter has been changed to $$, once procedure definition is complete, it has been reset to default delimiter. This setting and resetting of delimiter is always practiced whenever new procedure is defined.

Procedure:
```
01. set @Name = 'Ali';
02. select @Name;
03.
04. delimiter $$
05. create procedure usp_in(in p varchar(10))
06. begin
07. set @Name = p;
08. end $$
09. delimiter ;
10.
11. call usp_in('Zahid');
12. select @Name;
```

Detail: This example shows how a procedure can be used to set the global variables. Initially, a global variable @Name is set to some value (e.g. Ali here) and its contents are displayed. Then a procedure **usp_in** taking one IN-type varchar argument 'p' is defined. Inside this procedure, global variable is set to p. Last couple of lines shows calling this procedure and displaying global variable contents.

Procedure:
```
01. set @Name = 'Ali';
02. select @Name;
03.
04. delimiter $$
05. create procedure usp_out(out p varchar(100))
06. begin
```

```
07. set p = 'Zahid';
08. end$$
09. delimiter ;
10.
11. call usp_out(@Name);
12. select @Name;
```

Detail: This example shows how a procedure can be used to retrieve output value. Initially, a global variable @Name is set to some value (e.g. Ali here) and its contents are displayed. Then a procedure **usp_out** taking one OUT-type varchar argument 'p' is defined. Inside this procedure, p is set to some value (e.g. Zahid here). To call procedure having OUT type argument, it is compulsory to provide variable name instead of value otherwise error will be generated. So, @Name is provided as input argument during function call and results are displayed.

Procedure:
```
01. delimiter $$
02. create procedure usp_inout(inout p int)
03. begin
04. set p = p+2;
05. end$$
06. delimiter ;
07.
08. set @param_1 = 5;
09. call usp_inout(@param_1);
10. select @param_1;
```

Detail: This example shows how a procedure can be used to both set and retrieve a value. Procedure **usp_inout** taking one INOUT-type int argument 'p' is defined. Inside this procedure, p is incremented by 2. To call procedure having INOUT type argument, it is compulsory to provide variable name instead of value otherwise error will be generated. So, global variable @param_1 is created, assigned value, and provided as input argument during function call and result is displayed.

Procedure:
```
01. delimiter $$
02. create procedure GetAllProducts()
03. begin
04. select * from products;
05. end$$
06. delimiter ;
```

Detail: Any valid SQL query can be specified inside the procedure. This example shows a procedure that retrieves and displays all the products from product table using simple select statement.

Procedure:
```
01. delimiter $$
02. create procedure getdata()
03. begin
04. declare a varchar(20);
05. declare b tinytext;
06. select user_name, user_password into a,b from user_data limit 1;
07. select a,b;
08. end$$
09. delimiter ;
```

Detail: This procedure demonstrates three things: 1) how local variable can be declared, 2) how data is retrieved and stored in locally defined variable, and 3) how to display content of a local variable.

Procedure:
```
01. create table tmptest(id int, txt varchar(10), primary key(id));
02. select * from tmptest;
03.
04. delimiter $$
05. create procedure usp_variable(in p int)
06. begin
07. declare a int;
08. declare b int default 10;
09. set a = p*b;
10. insert into tmptest(id, txt)  values (a,hex(DEF));
11. end$$
12. delimiter ;
13.
14. call usp_variable(4);
15. select * from tmptest;
```

Detail: This example defines a procedure that takes data from user and stores it in its respective table. A new table **tmptest** is created and its content is displayed. Next, procedure is called and provided value on run-time. Then, contents of updated table are displayed.