



# Database Systems

## Chapter 5

# T-SQL Programming

## Session 1:

Introduction, Variables, Control-Flow statements



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# Introduction to T-SQL Programming

## ❑ T-SQL

- Stands for Transact-SQL
- It is an extension to SQL
- It is a procedural language used on both Microsoft SQL Server and Sybase SQL Server systems.

❑ It is a full-featured programming language that dramatically extends the power of SQL.



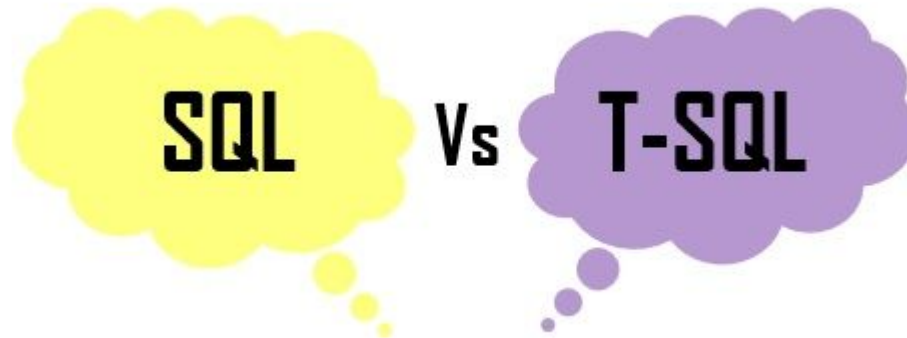
# Introduction to T-SQL Programming

- ❑ The language provides programmers with a broad range of features, including:
  - A rich set of data types, including specialized types for identifiers, timestamps, images, and long text fields
  - Local and global variables
  - Fully programmable server objects like views, triggers, stored procedures, and batch command files
  - Conditional processing
  - Exception and error handling
  - Full transaction control



# Introduction to T-SQL Programming

- ❑ SQL and T-SQL are the query languages used to manipulate the database and are an important part of the DBMS.



- ❑ What are the differences between SQL and T-SQL?



# Using Variables

- ❑ Variables are the object which acts as a placeholder to a memory location. Variable hold single data value.
- ❑ In MS SQL, there are 2 types of variables:
  - Local variable
    - A user declares the local variable.
    - **A local variable starts with @.**
    - Every local variable scope has the restriction to the **current batch** or **procedure** within any given session.
  - Global variable
    - The system maintains the global variable. A user cannot declare them.
    - **The global variable starts with @@**
    - It stores **session related information**.



# Using Variables

❑ Before using any variables, they must be declared variable using DECLARE statement.

❑ Syntax

```
DECLARE @variable_name [AS] datatype
```

❑ Example

```
DECLARE @Product_name NVARCHAR(30)  
DECLARE @Product_Id int = 7
```

❑ You can declare multiple variables in one statement, separated by commas

```
DECLARE @Product_name NVARCHAR(30), @Product_Id int
```



# Using Variables

- ❑ By default, variables are initially set to Null
- ❑ You can assign a value to a variable
  - DECLARE statement
  - Using SET
    - Must declare a variable first.
    - Each variable requires a separate SET statement.
  - Using SELECT
    - Must declare a variable first.
    - Can assign a value to multiple variables separated by the comma





# Using Variables

## ❑ Example to assign value to a variable

### ▪ By DECLARE

```
DECLARE @Product_name NVARCHAR(30) = N'Bút chì', @Product_Id int = 7
PRINT @Product_name
PRINT @Product_Id
```

### ▪ By SET/SELECT

```
DECLARE @Product_name NVARCHAR(30), @Product_Id int
SET @Product_name = N'Bút chì'
SET @Product_Id = 7
PRINT @Product_name + N' với id =' + CAST(@Product_Id AS
NVARCHAR(30))
```

SELECT @Product\_name = N'Bút  
chì', @Product\_Id = 7



# The contents of Products table

product_id	product_name	brand_id	category_id	model_year	list_price
1	Trek 820 - 2016	9	6	2016	379.99
2	Ritchey Timberwolf Frameset - 2019	5	6	2019	750.00
3	Surly Wednesday Frameset - 2016	8	6	2016	1000.00
4	Trek Fuel EX 8 29 - 2017	9	6	2017	2899.99
5	Heller Shagamaw Frame - 2017	3	6	2017	1320.00
6	Surly Ice Cream Truck Frameset - 2016	8	6	2016	469.99
7	Trek Slash 8 27.5 - 2018	9	6	2018	4000.00
8	Trek Remedy 29 Carbon Frameset - 2016	9	6	2016	1800.00
9	Trek Conduit+ - 2016	9	5	2016	3000.00
10	Surly Straggler - 2020	8	4	2020	1000.00
11	Surly Straggler 650b - 2016	8	4	2016	1700.00
12	Electra Townie Original 21D - 2016	1	3	2016	550.00
13	Electra Cruiser 1 (24-Inch) - 2019	1	3	2019	270.00
14	Electra Girl's Hawaii 1 (16-inch) - 2019	1	3	2019	270.00



# Using Variables

- ❑ Get value from a subquery by SET/SELECT
  - A subquery must return one value
  - When subquery returns zero row as a result, the variable is assigned NULL value

```
DECLARE @Product_name NVARCHAR(30)
SET @Product_name = (SELECT product_name FROM products WHERE
                    product_id = 1)
PRINT @Product_name
```

You can replace SET by SELECT



# Using Variables

## ❑ Using variables in a query

```
DECLARE @Product_id INT
SET @Product_id = 1
SELECT product_name, model_year, list_price
FROM products
WHERE product_id = @Product_id
ORDER BY product_name
```

## ❑ Result

product_name	model_year	list_price
Trek 820 - 2016	2016	379.99



# Using Variables

- ❑ Using variables in a query
  - Storing query result in a variable

```
DECLARE @product_count int
SET @product_count = (
    SELECT
        COUNT(*)
    FROM
        products
)
SELECT @product_count AS 'Number of Products'
```

## ❑ Result

Number of Products
14



# Using Variables

- ❑ Using variables in a query
  - Selecting a record into variables

```
DECLARE @product_name VARCHAR(MAX), @list_price DECIMAL(10,2)
SELECT @product_name = product_name, @list_price = list_price
FROM products
WHERE product_id = 1
SELECT @product_name AS product_name,
       @list_price AS list_price
```

- Result

product_name	list_price
Trek 820 - 2016	379.99



# Using Global variables

- ❑ Global variables are pre-defined system functions. Their names begin with an @@ prefix
- ❑ Some common global variables
  - @@IDENTITY
  - @@ERROR
  - @@ROWCOUNT
  - @@TOTAL\_ERRORS
  - @@SERVERNAME



# Using Global variables example

## ❑ Example

- @@IDENTITY is used to get the last value inserted into an IDENTITY column by an insert statement.
- Example: get the last inserted product\_id which is the identity column in previous product table

```
INSERT INTO products  
VALUES('Electra - 2020', 1, 3, 2020, 2000)  
GO  
SELECT @@IDENTITY AS NewProductId
```

NewProductId
15

```
SELECT @@rowcount as 'Number of Rows  
affected'
```

Number of Rows affected
1





# Control-Flow statements

- ☐ IF/ IF...ELSE statement
- ☐ CASE statement
- ☐ WHILE statement



# IF/IF...ELSE statement

## ❑ IF statement

```
IF boolean_expression  
    BEGIN statement_block  
END
```

## ❑ IF...ELSE statement

```
IF Boolean_expression  
    BEGIN Statement block  
END  
  
ELSE  
    BEGIN Statement block  
END
```



# IF/IF...ELSE statement

## □ Example

```
DECLARE @product_count int
SET @product_count = (SELECT COUNT(*) FROM products
                      WHERE list_price >1000)
IF @product_count > 0
BEGIN
    PRINT 'The products have price are greater than 100'
    SELECT product_id, product_name, list_price
    FROM products
    WHERE list_price >1000
END
ELSE
BEGIN
    PRINT 'There is no product that has price is less than
          or equal to 1000'
END
```



# CASE statement

## □ Syntax

```
CASE
    WHEN condition1 THEN result1
    WHEN condition2 THEN result2
    WHEN conditionN THEN resultN
    ELSE result
END
```

- The CASE statement always goes in the SELECT clause
- CASE must include the following components: WHEN, THEN, and END. ELSE is an optional component.



# CASE statement

## □ Example

```
SELECT product_id, list_price,  
CASE  
    WHEN list_price > 1000 THEN 'The price is greater than 1000'  
    WHEN list_price = 1000 THEN 'The price is 1000'  
    ELSE 'The price is under 1000'  
END AS PriceText  
FROM products  
WHERE model_year = 2016
```

product_id	list_price	PriceText
1	379.99	The price is under 1000
3	1000.00	The price is 1000
6	469.99	The price is under 1000
8	1800.00	The price is greater than 1000
9	3000.00	The price is greater than 1000
11	1700.00	The price is greater than 1000
12	550.00	The price is under 1000



# WHILE statement

## □ Syntax

```
WHILE Boolean_expression  
BEGIN  
    statement_block  
END
```

## □ In WHILE, you can use

- BREAK statement to exit from the WHILE LOOP
- CONTINUE to restart the WHILE LOOP from the beginning



# WHILE statement

## □ Example

```
DECLARE @Counter INT , @MaxId INT,
        @ProductName NVARCHAR(100)
SELECT @Counter = min(product_id) , @MaxId = max(product_id)
FROM products
WHERE model_year= 2016
WHILE(@Counter IS NOT NULL
      AND @Counter <= @MaxId)
BEGIN
    SELECT @ProductName = product_name
    FROM products WHERE product_id = @Counter

    PRINT CONVERT(VARCHAR(MAX),@Counter) + '. product name is '
    + @ProductName
    SET @Counter = @Counter + 1
END
```



# WHILE statement

## □ Result

1. product name is Trek 820 - 2016
2. product name is Ritchey Timberwolf Frameset - 2019
3. product name is Surly Wednesday Frameset - 2016
4. product name is Trek Fuel EX 8 29 - 2017
5. product name is Heller Shagamaw Frame - 2017
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