

# Module 10: Implementing Stored Procedures

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Database Design & Business Application  
Development



# Overview

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Introduction to Stored Procedures

Creating, Executing, Modifying, and  
Dropping Stored Procedures

Using Parameters in Stored Procedures

Executing Extended Stored Procedures

Handling Error Messages



# Introduction to Stored Procedures



Defining Stored Procedures



Initial Processing of Stored  
Procedures



Subsequent Processing of  
Stored Procedures



Advantages of Stored  
Procedures

# Defining Stored Procedures

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Named Collections of Transact-SQL  
Statements

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Encapsulate Repetitive Tasks

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Five Types (System, Local,  
Temporary, Remote, and Extended)

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Accept Input Parameters and Return  
Values

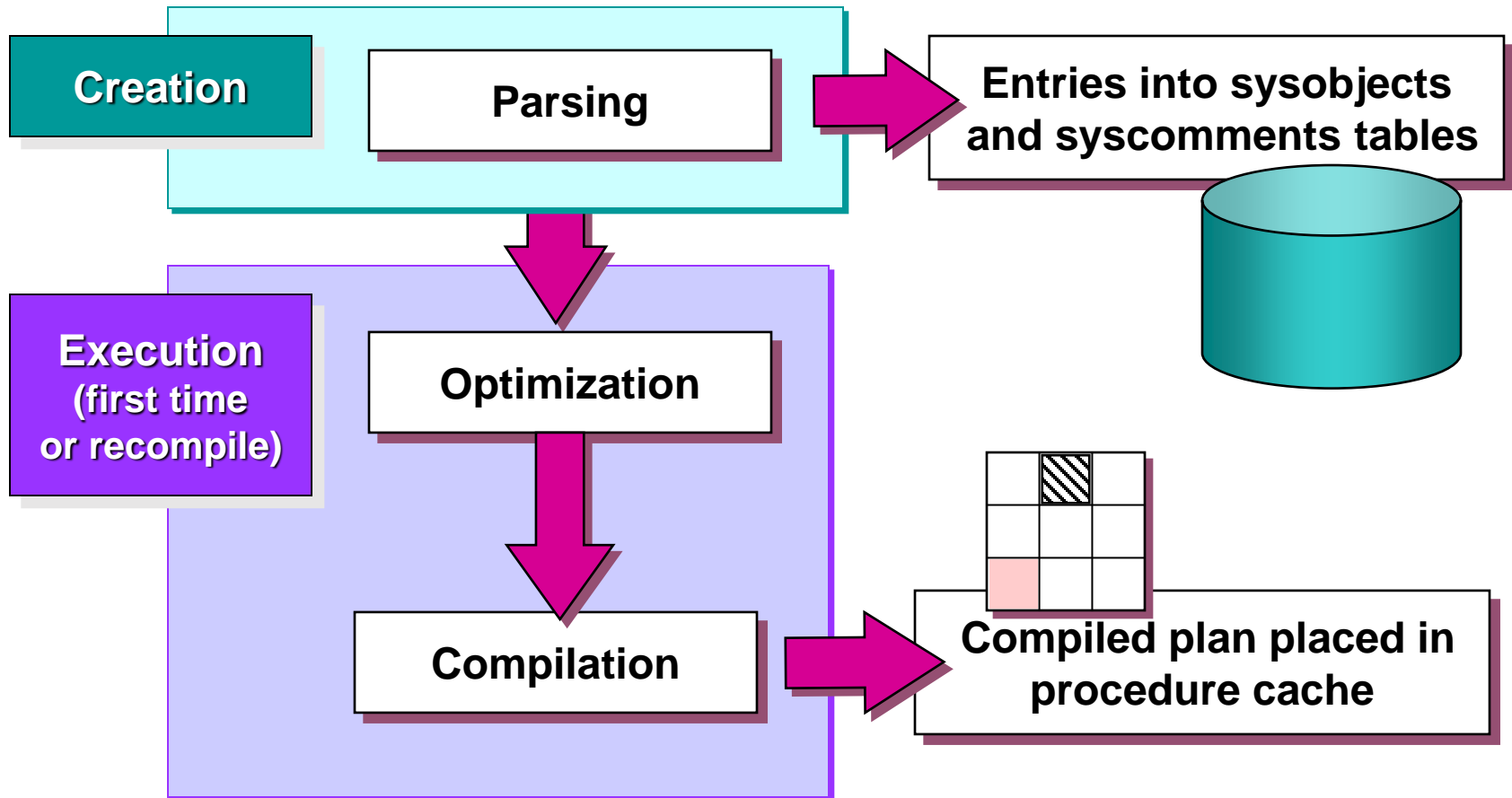
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Return Status Value to Indicate  
Success or Failure

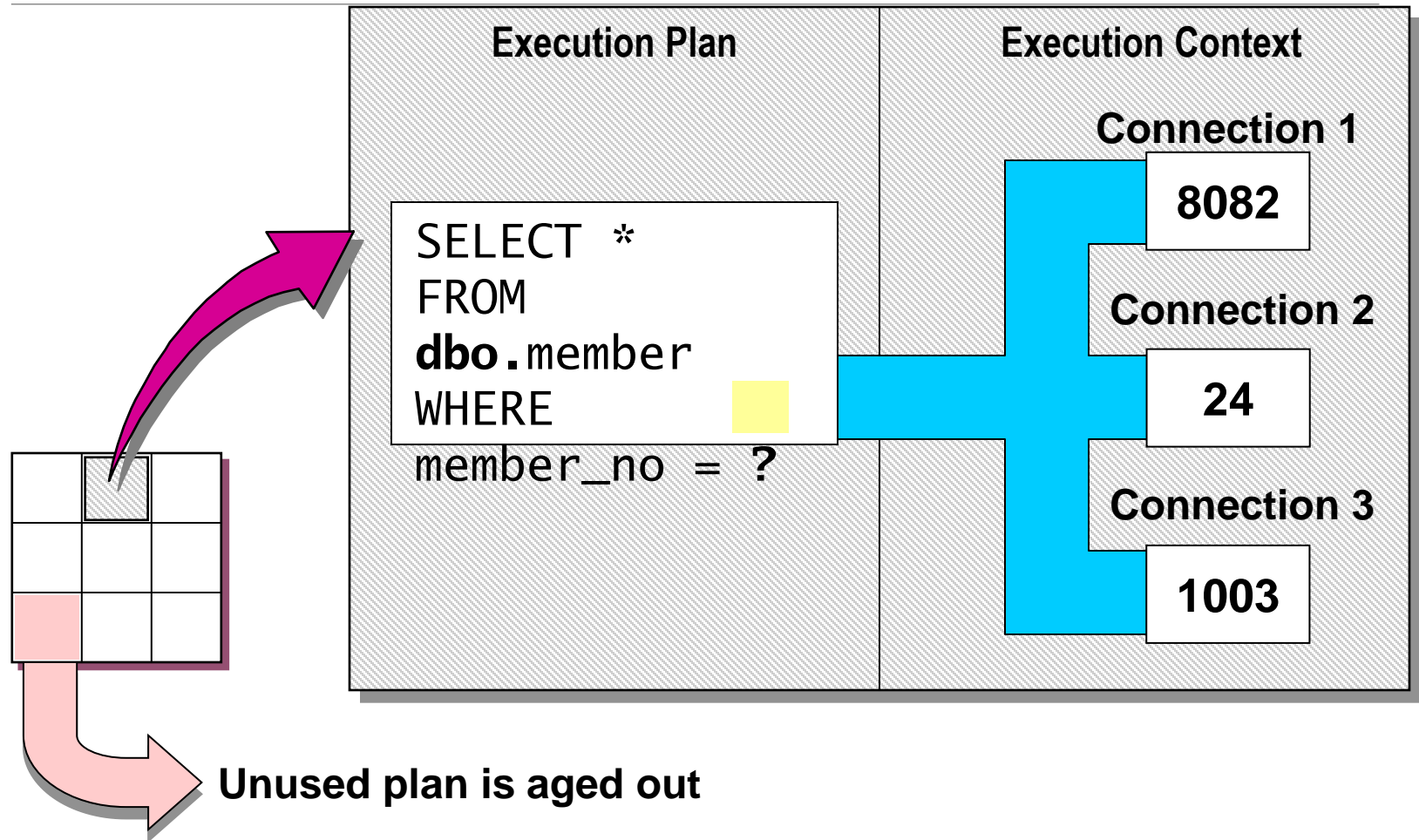
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# Initial Processing of Stored Procedures



# Subsequent Processing of Stored Procedures

## Execution Plan Retrieved



# Advantages of Stored Procedures



SHARE APPLICATION  
LOGIC



SHIELD DATABASE  
SCHEMA DETAILS



PROVIDE SECURITY  
MECHANISMS



IMPROVE  
PERFORMANCE



REDUCE NETWORK  
TRAFFIC

# ◆ Creating, Executing, Modifying, and Dropping Stored Procedures

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Creating Stored  
Procedures



Guidelines for  
Creating Stored  
Procedures



Executing Stored  
Procedures



Altering and  
Dropping Stored  
Procedures



# Creating Stored Procedures

Create in Current Database Using the CREATE PROCEDURE Statement

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```
USE Northwind
GO
CREATE PROC dbo.OverdueOrders
AS
    SELECT *
    FROM dbo.Orders
    WHERE RequiredDate < GETDATE() AND ShippedDate IS Null
GO
```

# Guidelines for Creating Stored Procedures

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dbo User Should Own All Stored Procedures

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One Stored Procedure for One Task

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Create, Test, and Troubleshoot

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Avoid sp\_ Prefix in Stored Procedure Names

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Use Same Connection Settings for All Stored Procedures

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Minimize Use of Temporary Stored Procedures

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Never Delete Entries Directly From Syscomments

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# Executing Stored Procedures

Executing a Stored Procedure by Itself

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```
EXEC OverdueOrders
```

Executing a Stored Procedure Within an INSERT Statement

```
INSERT INTO Customers  
EXEC EmployeeCustomer
```

# Altering and Dropping Stored Procedures

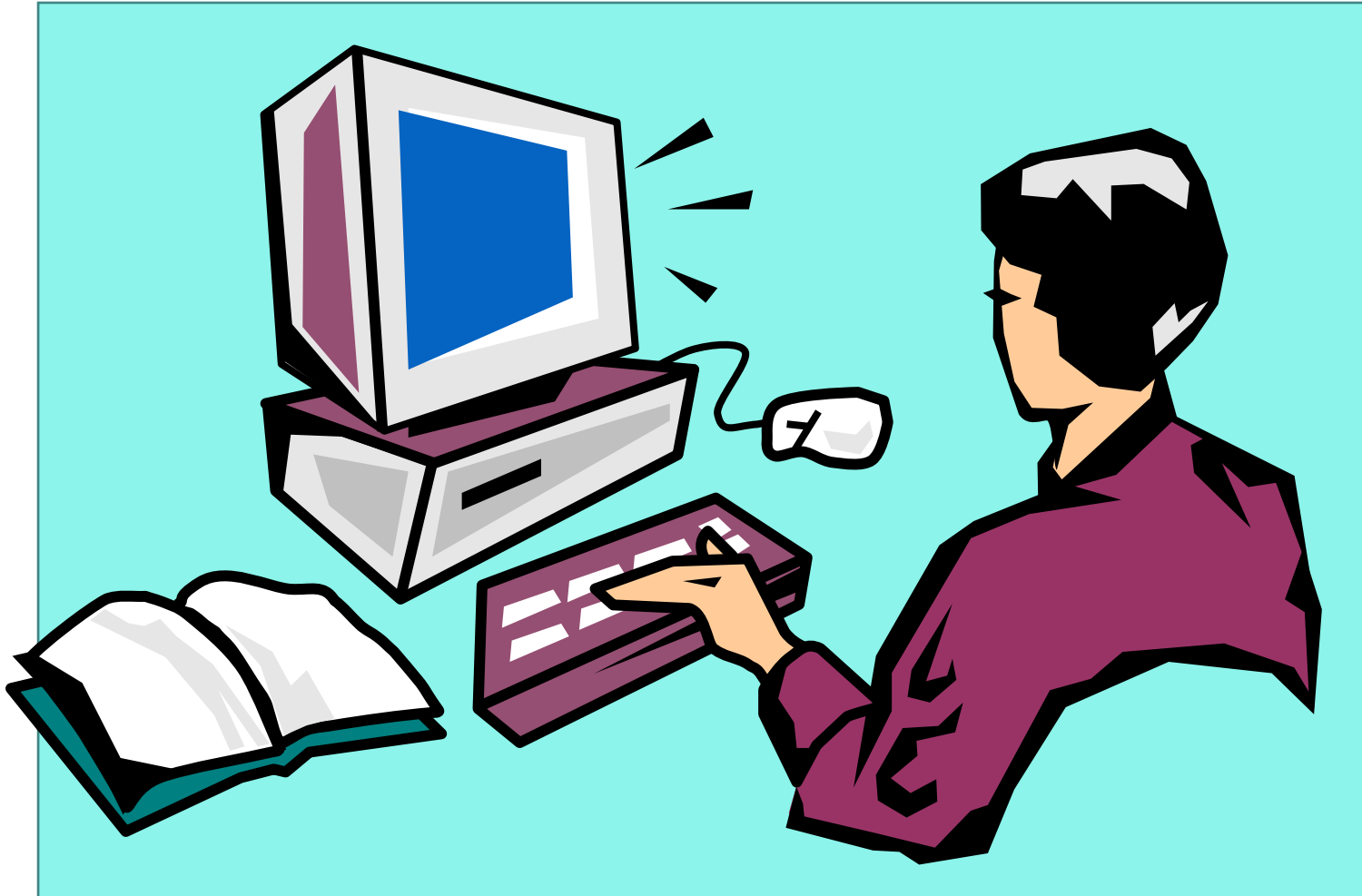
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## Altering Stored Procedures

- Include any options in ALTER PROCEDURE
- Does not affect nested stored procedures

```
USE Northwind
GO
ALTER PROC dbo.OverdueOrders
AS
SELECT CONVERT(char(8), RequiredDate, 1) RequiredDate,
       CONVERT(char(8), OrderDate, 1) OrderDate,
       OrderID, CustomerID, EmployeeID
FROM Orders
WHERE RequiredDate < GETDATE() AND ShippedDate IS Null
ORDER BY RequiredDate
GO
```

# Lab: Creating Stored Procedures



# ◆ Using Parameters in Stored Procedures



Using Input Parameters



Executing Stored Procedures Using Input Parameters



Returning Values Using Output Parameters



Explicitly Recompiling Stored Procedures

# Using Input Parameters

Validate All Incoming Parameter Values First

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Provide Appropriate Default Values and Include Null Checks

```
CREATE PROCEDURE dbo.[Year to Year Sales]
    @BeginningDate DateTime, @EndingDate DateTime
AS
IF @BeginningDate IS NULL OR @EndingDate IS NULL
BEGIN
    RAISERROR('NULL values are not allowed', 14, 1)
    RETURN
END
SELECT O.ShippedDate,
       O.OrderID,
       OS.Subtotal,
       DATENAME(yy,ShippedDate) AS Year
FROM ORDERS O INNER JOIN [Order Subtotals] OS
    ON O.OrderID = OS.OrderID
WHERE O.ShippedDate BETWEEN @BeginningDate AND @EndingDate
GO
```

# Executing Stored Procedures Using Input Parameters

## Passing Values by Parameter Name

```
EXEC AddCustomer
  @CustomerID = 'ALFKI',
  @ContactName = 'Maria Anders',
  @CompanyName = 'Alfreds Futterkiste',
  @ContactTitle = 'Sales Representative',
  @Address = 'Obere Str. 57',
  @City = 'Berlin',
  @PostalCode = '12209',
  @Country = 'Germany',
  @Phone = '030-0074321'
```

## Passing Values by Position

```
EXEC AddCustomer 'ALFKI2', 'Alfreds Futterkiste',
'Maria Anders', 'Sales Representative', 'Obere Str.
57', 'Berlin', NULL, '12209', 'Germany', '030-
0074321'
```



# Returning Values Using Output Parameters

**Creating Stored Procedure**

```
CREATE PROCEDURE dbo.MathTutor  
    @m1 smallint,  
    @m2 smallint,  
    @result smallint OUTPUT
```

```
AS
```

```
    SET @result = @m1* @m2
```

```
GO
```

**Executing Stored Procedure**

```
DECLARE @answer smallint
```

```
EXECUTE MathTutor 5,6, @answer OUTPUT
```

```
SELECT 'The result is: ', @answer
```

**Results of Stored Procedure**

```
The result is: 30
```

# Explicitly Recompiling Stored Procedures

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## Recompile When

- Stored procedure returns widely varying result sets
- A new index is added to an underlying table
- The parameter value is atypical

## Recompile by Using

- CREATE PROCEDURE [WITH RECOMPILE]
- EXECUTE [WITH RECOMPILE]
- **sp\_recompile**

# Executing Extended Stored Procedures

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Are Programmed Using Open Data Services API

Can Include C and C++ Features

Can Contain Multiple Functions

Can Be Called from a Client or SQL Server

Can Be Added to the master Database Only

```
EXEC master..xp_cmdshell 'dir c:\'
```

# Handling Error Messages

RETURN Statement Exits Query or Procedure Unconditionally

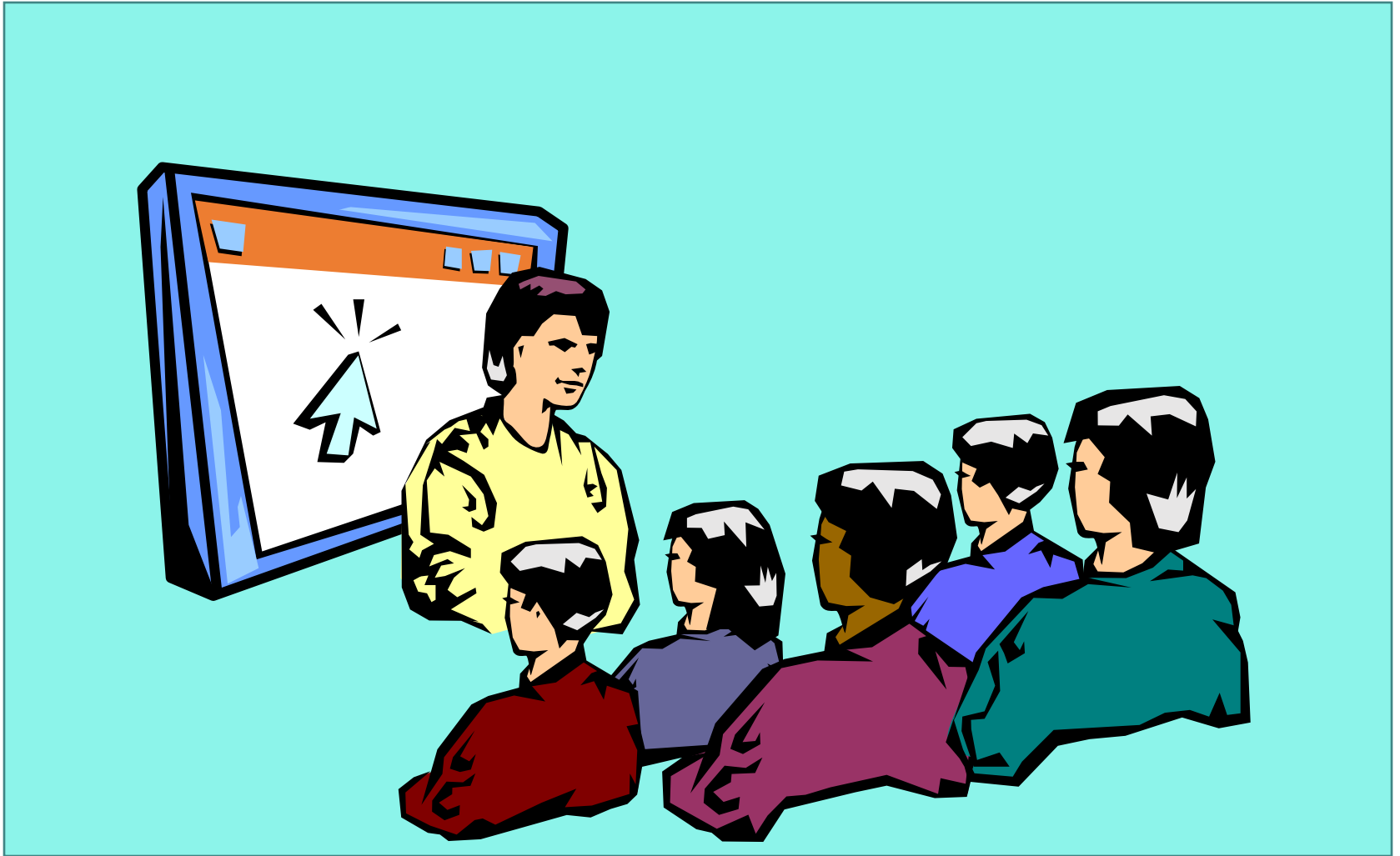
sp\_addmessage Creates Custom Error Messages

@@error Contains Error Number for Last Executed Statement

RAISERROR Statement

- Returns user-defined or system error message
- Sets system flag to record error

# Demonstration: Handling Error Messages



# Recommended Practices



**Verify Input Parameters**



**Design Each Stored Procedure to Accomplish a Single Task**



**Validate Data Before You Begin Transactions**

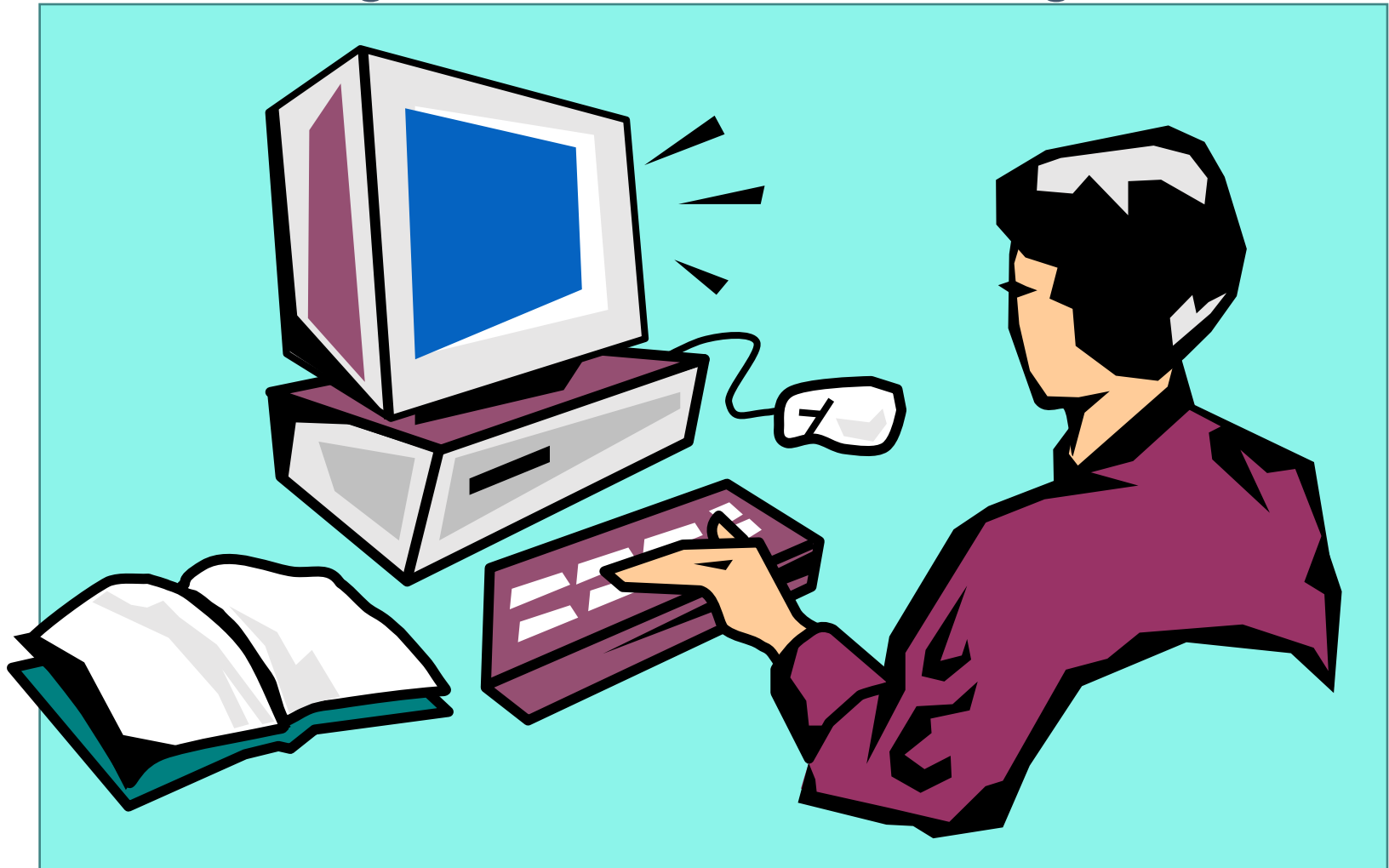


**Use the Same Connection Settings for All Stored Procedures**



**Use WITH ENCRYPTION to Hide Text of Stored Procedures**

# Lab: Creating Stored Procedures Using Parameters



# Review

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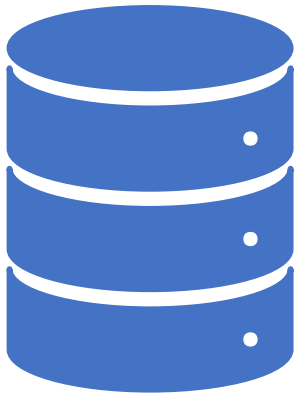
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