1. Show how you can log in to a single account without knowing any id numbers ahead of time. Username:
2 OR 1=1 LIMIT 1;
Password:
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The query that is generated is:
SELECT * FROM accounts WHERE id = 2 OR 1=1 LIMIT 1;" //password became a comment
Is now possible to access the first account without knowing the username or the password
2. Show how you can log into every account (one at a time) without knowing any id numbers ahead of time. Username:

2 OR 1=1 LIMIT n,1;--

Password:

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The query that is generated is:

SELECT * FROM accounts WHERE id = 2 OR 1=1 LIMIT n,1;" //password became a comment

Changing n is possible to access to whichever account is saved in the database.

3. Make some account (your choice) wire its total balance to the bank with routing number: 314159265 and account number: 271828182845

Let's assume we want to empty the account with id=111 (to get the id you can use the previous set of instructions).

Fist to access the user profile let's use this credential:

Username:

2 OR id=111;--

Password:

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Now we can empty the account with the dedicated form setting the routing and the account number to the desired ones.

4. Explain why you can't create a new account or arbitrarily update account balances (or show that you can).

I was not able to create a new account or update the balances because the query() function used in the application perform just one single query per time, a possible SQL Injection for performing the update may have been:

username: 2; UPDATE accounts SET bal = n WHERE id=n;--

This will have updated the balalance of an employee with id n. The problem is that this will result to 2 queries but only the first one would have been executed.