

# Large Objects

MAD 202



# CLOB AND BLOB

- When the character column is going to be larger than can fit in the maximum `varchar (255)` a large-object character type is required
- CLOBS – Character Large Object – used to store large amounts of character data
  - \*\*\*MySQL implements TEXT instead of CLOB\*\*\*
- BLOB – Binary Large Object – used to store binary data such as images, sound and video

