Creating Stored Procedures and Using Parameters



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Creating a Simple Stored Procedure

Adding Parameters

Optional and Output Parameters

Returning Data and System Options in Stored Procedures



The First Stored Procedure



```
CREATE PROCEDURE
dbo.SelectAllContacts
AS
BEGIN;
SELECT * FROM dbo.Contacts;
END;
```



Insert Contact Procedure Requirements











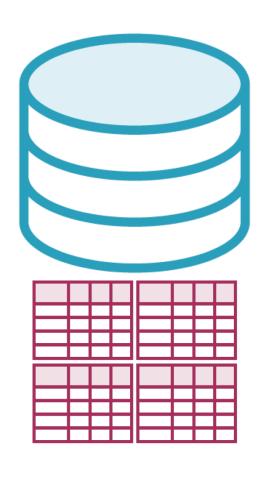
```
public int InsertContact(string name)
{
  string sql = $"INSERT INTO dbo.Contacts (Name) VALUES
  ('{name}');";
  return ExecuteSql(sql);
}
```

Embedding SQL in Program Code

A bad idea!

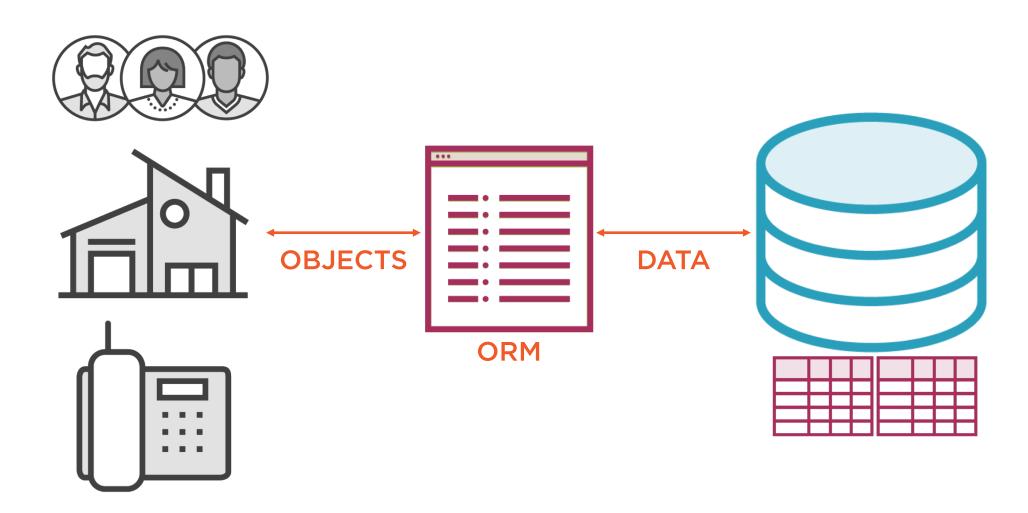


Embedded SQL Limitations

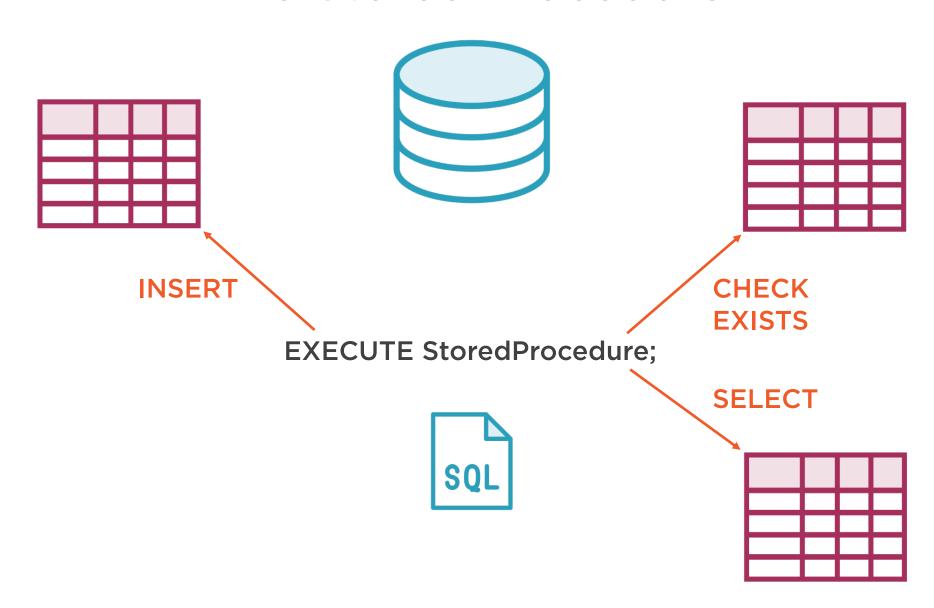


public int InsertContact
(string name)
DateTime dateOfBirth,
bool allowContact)

Object-relational Mapping



The Stored Procedure



Parameters











Insert Contact Parameters



First Name Last Name





@ParameterName



```
CREATE PROCEDURE <name of procedure>
  (Parameters (optional))
AS
BEGIN;
Statements here...
```

T-SQL Create Procedure Statement

Used to create new stored procedures



Optional Parameters

@ParameterName = default



Insert Contact Procedure Requirements



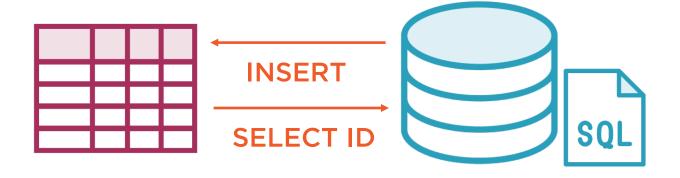








Returning Record ID



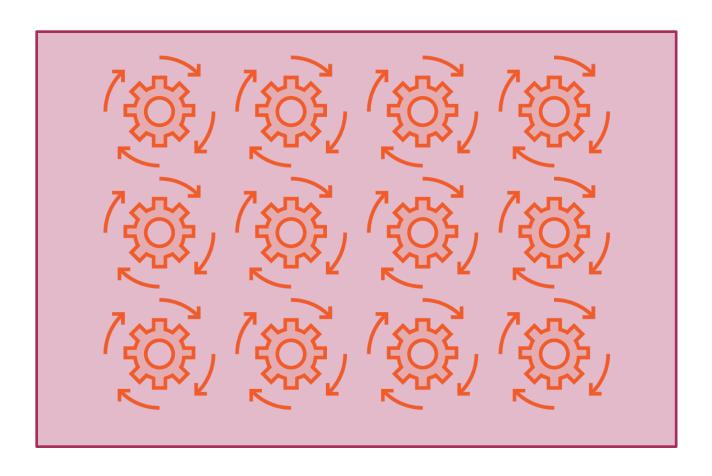


Stored Procedure Size





Stored Procedure Operations



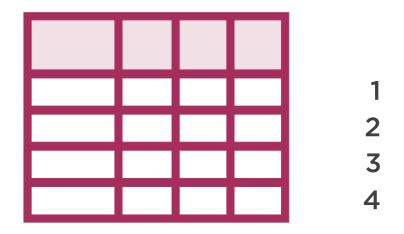


Obtaining Contact ID





Identity Columns



ContactId INT IDENTITY(1,1)

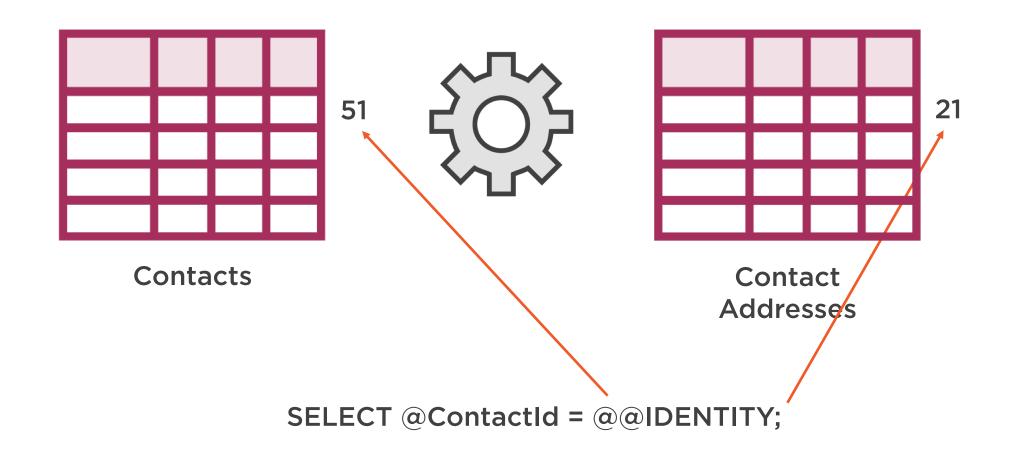


SQL Server System Functions

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/ t-sql/functions/system-functions-transactsql?view=sql-server-2017



Identity Processing





@@IDENTITY

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```
DECLARE @ContactIdOut INT;
EXEC dbo.SelectContactId
@ContactId = @ContactIdOut OUTPUT;
SELECT @ContactIdOut;
```

Output Parameters

Assign output to holding variable



SET Options

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/ t-sql/statements/set-statements-transactsql?view=sql-server-2017



Less Network Traffic

EXECUTE

RESULT

METADATA





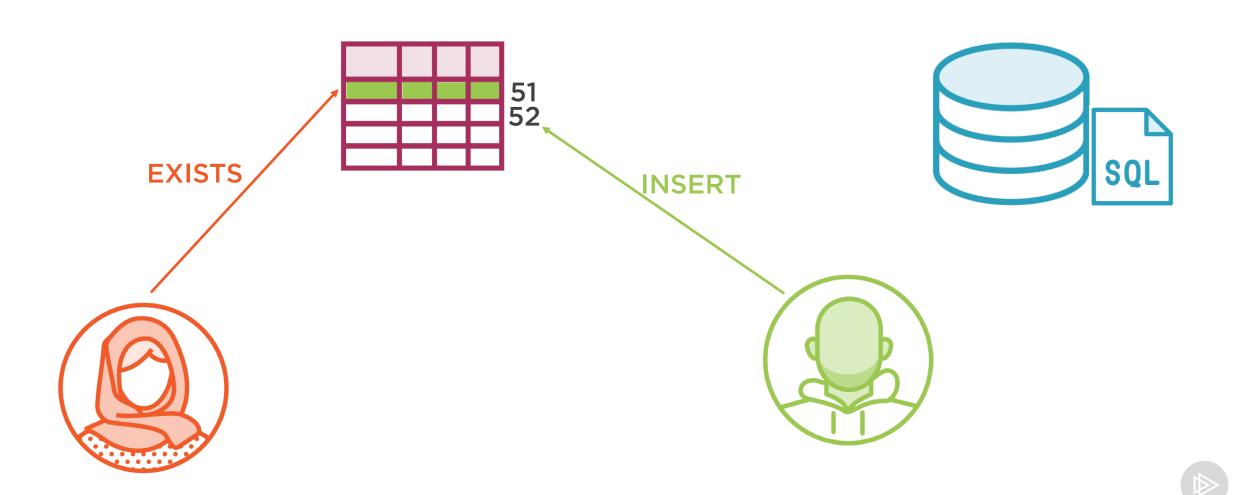
Control Flow

(IF statement

WHILE loop



Contact Exists Business Logic



Summary



Implementation options

Parameter-less stored procedures

Mandatory and optional parameters

Retrieving identity values

Nesting stored procedures

