

Building An Application Using Procedures

Exercise Objectives

In this exercise, you will:

- Add a Procedure to the example application project
 - The Procedure returns either the aggregates timeseries sentiment data or specific sentences for a given sentiment
 - Build, deploy and run the Procedure
 - Retrieve results from the DataSets using the Procedure
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Exercise Steps

- Add imports
 - Modify the `ApplicationSpecification`
 - Add the Procedure
 - Build and deploy
 - Run the application and use the Dashboard to retrieve queries
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Application Specification

Change the ApplicationSpecification, replacing `.noProcedure()` with:

```
.withProcedures()  
  .add(new SentimentAnalysisProcedure())
```

Add these imports:

```
import com.continuity.api.procedure.ProcedureResponse;  
import com.continuity.api.procedure.ProcedureSpecification;  
import com.google.common.collect.Maps;  
import java.util.List;  
import java.util.concurrent.TimeUnit;  
import com.continuity.api.ResourceSpecification;
```

`ResourceSpecification` sets the minimum amount of memory (512MB) and cores (1) used by an instance

Add Procedure to `SentimentAnalysisApp`

```
public static class SentimentAnalysisProcedure extends AbstractProcedure {

    @UseDataSet("sentiments")
    private Table sentiments;

    @UseDataSet("text-sentiments")
    private SimpleTimeseriesTable textSentiments;

    @Handle("aggregates")

    @Handle("sentiments")

    @Override
    public ProcedureSpecification configure() {
        return ProcedureSpecification.Builder.with()
            .setName("sentiment-query")
            .setDescription("Sentiments Procedure")
            .withResources(ResourceSpecification.BASIC)
            .build();
    }
}
```

Implement `@Handle("aggregates")`

```
@Handle("aggregates")
public void sentimentAggregates(ProcedureRequest request, ProcedureResponder response)
    throws Exception {
    Row row = sentiments.get(new Get("aggregate"));
    Map<byte[], byte[]> result = row.getColumns();
    if (result == null) {
        response.error(ProcedureResponse.Code.FAILURE, "No sentiments processed.");
        return;
    }
    Map<String, Long> resp = Maps.newHashMap();
    for (Map.Entry<byte[], byte[]> entry : result.entrySet()) {
        resp.put(Bytes.toString(entry.getKey()), Bytes.toLong(entry.getValue()));
    }
    response.sendJson(ProcedureResponse.Code.SUCCESS, resp);
}
```

Implement `@Handle("sentiments")`

```
@Handle("sentiments")
public void getSentiments(ProcedureRequest request, ProcedureResponder response)
    throws Exception {
    String sentiment = request.getArgument("sentiment");
    if (sentiment == null) {
        response.error(ProcedureResponse.Code.CLIENT_ERROR, "No sentiment sent.");
        return;
    }

    long time = System.currentTimeMillis();
    List<SimpleTimeseriesTable.Entry> entries =
        textSentiments.read(sentiment.getBytes(Charsets.UTF_8),
                           time - TimeUnit.MILLISECONDS.convert(1, TimeUnit.DAYS),
                           time);

    Map<String, Long> textTimeMap = Maps.newHashMapWithExpectedSize(entries.size());
    for (SimpleTimeseriesTable.Entry entry : entries) {
        textTimeMap.put(Bytes.toString(entry.getValue()), entry.getTimestamp());
    }
    response.sendJson(ProcedureResponse.Code.SUCCESS, textTimeMap);
}
```

Build, Deploy and Run

- Build the App using `mvn clean package`
 - If Reactor is running, stop or reset it; otherwise start Reactor
 - Deploy the App by dragging and dropping
 - Use the Continuity Reactor Dashboard to start and query the Procedure
 - Test the Procedure `sentiments` by sending the parameters `{"sentiment":"positive"}` (or `neutral` or `negative`)
 - Test the Procedure `aggregates` (no parameters) to see how many results have been obtained
 - You may need to resend the sentences of earlier exercises if there is no data in the `DataSets`
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Exercise Summary

You should now be able to:

- Add a Procedure to an application project
 - Build, deploy and run the Procedure
 - Retrieve results from DataSets using Procedures
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Exercise Completed

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