

CRUD WITH SQL

CRUD

- **Create**
- **Read**
- **Update**
- **Delete**

OUR EXAMPLE : A DOCTORS TABLE

TABLE SCHEMA

```
CREATE TABLE `doctors` (  
  `id`  INTEGER PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT,  
  `name` TEXT,  
  `age` INTEGER,  
  `specialty` TEXT  
);
```

SAMPLE DATA

```
sqlite> .mode column
sqlite> .headers on
sqlite> SELECT * FROM doctors;
```

id	name	age	specialty
1	John Smith	39	Anesthesiologist
2	Emma Reale	31	Cardiologist

You can download [02_sql_crud_doctors.db](#)

READ

SQL keyword: **SELECT**

SELECT keyword to **fetch records** from the DB.

SELECTING ALL THE ROWS

```
SELECT * FROM doctors
```


SELECTING A SPECIFIC ROW

```
SELECT * FROM doctors WHERE id = 2
```

No quotes around 2 as it's a number.

CREATE

SQL keyword: **INSERT**

INSERT keyword to **add records** to a table.

```
INSERT INTO doctors (name, age, specialty)
VALUES ('Dr. Dolladille', 45, 'Dentist')
```

inserts a new record:

```
sqlite> SELECT * FROM doctors;
```

id	name	age	specialty
1	John Smith	39	Anesthesiologist
2	Emma Reale	31	Cardiologist
3	Dr. Dollad	45	Dentist

AUTOINCREMENT

Remember the schema definition:

```
CREATE TABLE `doctors` (  
  `id`  INTEGER PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT,  
  `name` TEXT,  
  `age` INTEGER,  
  `specialty` TEXT  
);
```

LET THE DB HANDLE ID

Ensure that all records have a different id.

UPDATE

SQL keyword: **UPDATE**

UPDATE keyword to **update records** in a table.

UPDATE ONE RECORD

```
UPDATE doctors SET age = 40, name = 'John Smith' WHERE id = 1
```

DELETE

SQL keyword: **DELETE**

DELETE keyword to **delete records** from a table.

DELETE A SINGLE RECORD

The most used

```
DELETE FROM doctors WHERE id = 32
```

DELETE EVERY RECORD

```
DELETE FROM doctors
```

Deletes every record in the doctors table.

SQLITE AND RUBY

Some tips for the exercise

MODEL

We will use a model class (the M in MVC).

```
# app/models/doctor.rb
class Doctor
  attr_reader :id

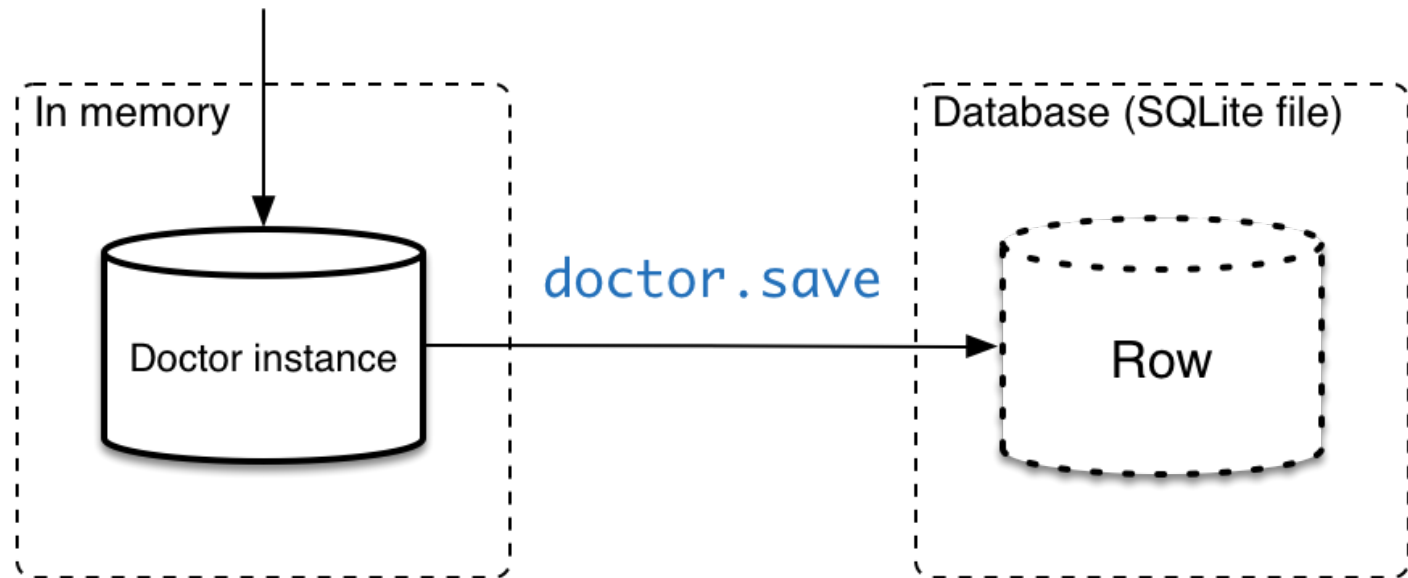
  def initialize(attributes = {})
    @id = attributes[:id]
    # TODO: store other attributes as instanced variable (example)
  end
end
```

Example

```
doctor = Doctor.new(name: 'John', age: 42)
doctor.id
# => nil
```

IN-MEMORY VS STORED IN DATABASE

```
doctor = Doctor.new(name: "John")
```



You'll have to write the `save` method in your model.

DB CONNECTION

For today, we'll provide a global variable named DB

```
require 'sqlite3'  
DB = SQLite3::Database.new("db/doctors.db")
```

Then you can use it in the model to run queries:

```
rows = DB.execute('SELECT * FROM doctors')
```

WHAT ABOUT THE ID?

Not your job to set it. Your job is to retrieve it and update the `@id` accordingly upon first save.

```
DB.execute("INSERT INTO doctors (name, age) VALUES ('John', 40)")
DB.last_insert_row_id
```

SOMETHING USEFUL...

```
doctors = DB.execute("SELECT name, age FROM doctors")
# => [
#      [ "John Smith", 39 ],
#      [ "Emma Reale", 31 ]
#      ]
```

```
DB.results_as_hash = true
doctors = DB.execute("SELECT name, age FROM doctors")
# => [
#      { "name" => "John Smith", "age" => 39 , 0 => "John Smith" },
#      { "name" => "Emma Reale", "age" => 31 , 0 => "Emma Reale" }
#      ]
```

```
doctor = doctors.first
name = doctor["name"]
age = doctor["age"]
puts "Doctor #{name} is #{age} years old"
```