

SQL: Data Manipulation Language

(Part 3)

Update Existing Row(s)

Single-table syntax:

```
UPDATE [LOW_PRIORITY] [IGNORE] table_reference
      SET col_name1={expr1|DEFAULT} [, col_name2={expr2|DEFAULT}] ...
      [WHERE where_condition]
      [ORDER BY ...]
      [LIMIT row_count]
```

Multiple-table syntax:

```
UPDATE [LOW_PRIORITY] [IGNORE] table_references
      SET col_name1={expr1|DEFAULT} [, col_name2={expr2|DEFAULT}] ...
      [WHERE where_condition]
```

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Single-table syntax:

- The **UPDATE** statement updates columns of existing rows in the named table with new values.
- The **SET** clause indicates which columns to modify and the values they should be given.
- Each value can be given as an expression, or the keyword **DEFAULT** to set a column explicitly to its default value.
- The **WHERE** clause, if given, specifies the conditions that identify which rows to update. With no **WHERE** clause, all rows are updated.
- If the **ORDER BY** clause is specified, the rows are updated in the order that is specified. The **LIMIT** clause places a limit on the number of rows that can be updated.

Update Existing Row(s)

Multiple-table syntax:

- `UPDATE` updates rows in each table named in *table_references* that satisfy the conditions.
- Each matching row is updated once, even if it matches the conditions multiple times.
- For multiple-table syntax, `ORDER BY` and `LIMIT` cannot be used.

Update Existing Row(s)

The `UPDATE` statement supports the following modifiers:

- With the `LOW_PRIORITY` keyword, execution of the `UPDATE` is delayed until no other clients are reading from the table. This affects only storage engines that use only table-level locking (such as `MyISAM`, `MEMORY`, and `MERGE`).
- With the `IGNORE` keyword, the update statement does not abort even if errors occur during the update. Rows for which duplicate-key conflicts occur on a unique key value are not updated. Rows updated to values that would cause data conversion errors are updated to the closest valid values instead.

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

```
+-----+  
| num   |  
+-----+  
|      1 |  
|      2 |  
|      3 |  
+-----+
```

```
3 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql> UPDATE demo
```

```
-> SET num = (num * 2)
```

```
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
1
2
3

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> UPDATE demo
```

```
-> SET num = (num * 2)
```

```
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```

Query OK, 2 rows affected (0.04 sec)

Rows matched: 2 Changed: 2 Warnings: 0

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

```
3 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

NOTE: demo2 has a
PRIMARY KEY
constraint on num.

```
mysql> UPDATE demo2  
-> SET num = (num * 2)  
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```


Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

```
3 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

NOTE: demo2 has a
PRIMARY KEY
constraint on num.

```
mysql> UPDATE demo2  
-> SET num = (num * 2)  
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```

```
ERROR 1062 (23000): Duplicate entry '2' for key 'PRIMARY'
```

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

```
3 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

NOTE: demo2 has a
PRIMARY KEY
constraint on num.

```
mysql> UPDATE IGNORE demo2  
-> SET num = (num * 2)  
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
6

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> UPDATE IGNORE demo2
```

```
-> SET num = (num * 2)
```

```
-> WHERE (num % 2) = 1;
```

Query OK, 1 row affected, 1 warning (0.24 sec)

Rows matched: 2 Changed: 1 Warnings: 1

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> UPDATE IGNORE demo2  
-> SET      num = (num * num)  
-> ORDER BY num DESC  
-> LIMIT 1;
```

Update Existing Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
3

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
36

3 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> UPDATE IGNORE demo2  
-> SET num = (num * num)  
-> ORDER BY num DESC  
-> LIMIT 1;
```

Query OK, 1 row affected (0.05 sec)

Rows matched: 1 Changed: 1 Warnings: 0

Insert Syntax (1)

```
INSERT [LOW_PRIORITY | DELAYED | HIGH_PRIORITY]
[IGNORE]
    [INTO] tbl_name
    [PARTITION (partition_name,...)]
    [(col_name,...)]
    {VALUES | VALUE} ({expr | DEFAULT},...), (...), ...
    [ ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
        col_name=expr
        [, col_name=expr] ... ]
```

Insert Syntax (2)

```
INSERT [LOW_PRIORITY | DELAYED | HIGH_PRIORITY]  
[IGNORE]
```

```
    [INTO] tbl_name
```

```
    [PARTITION (partition_name,...)]
```

```
SET col_name={expr | DEFAULT}, ...
```

```
[ ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
```

```
    col_name=expr
```

```
    [, col_name=expr] ... ]
```

Insert Syntax (3)

```
INSERT [LOW_PRIORITY | HIGH_PRIORITY] [IGNORE]
      [INTO] tbl_name
      [PARTITION (partition_name,...)]
      [(col_name,...)]
SELECT ...
      [ ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
        col_name=expr
        [, col_name=expr] ... ]
```


Insert Syntax

- `INSERT` inserts new rows into an existing table.
- The `INSERT . . . VALUES` and `INSERT . . . SET` forms of the statement insert rows based on explicitly specified values.
- The `INSERT . . . SELECT` form inserts rows selected from another table or tables.

Insert New Row

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6
3
4
5

```
mysql> INSERT INTO demo  
-> VALUES (3), (4), (5);
```



Insert New Row

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
1
2
36

```
mysql> INSERT INTO demo2  
-> SET num = 0;
```



```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
0
1
2
36

Insert New Row

```
mysql> INSERT INTO demo  
-> SELECT SUM(NUM)  
-> FROM demo;
```



```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6
3
4
5
22

Insert New Row

```
mysql> INSERT INTO demo2
-> SELECT *
-> FROM demo
-> WHERE demo.num > (
->     SELECT AVG(demo2.num)
->     FROM demo2
-> );
```



```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
0
1
2
22
36

Delete Row

DELETE [LOW_PRIORITY] [QUICK] [IGNORE]

FROM *tbl_name*

[PARTITION (*partition_name*,...)]

[WHERE *where_condition*]

[ORDER BY ...]

[LIMIT *row_count*]

Delete Row(s)

The `DELETE` statement deletes rows from *tbl_name* and returns the number of deleted rows.

Delete Row(s)

Main Clauses

- The conditions in the optional `WHERE` clause identify which rows to delete.
- With no `WHERE` clause, all rows are deleted.
- *`where_condition`* is an expression that evaluates to true for each row to be deleted.

Delete Row(s)

Main Clauses

- If the `ORDER BY` clause is specified, the rows are deleted in the order that is specified. `ORDER BY` also helps to delete rows in an order required to avoid referential integrity violations.
- The `LIMIT` clause places a limit on the number of rows that can be deleted.

Delete Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6
3
4
5
22

```
mysql> DELETE FROM demo  
-> WHERE num < (  
->   SELECT AVG(num)  
->   FROM demo  
-> );
```

Delete Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6
3
4
5
22

```
mysql> DELETE FROM demo
-> WHERE num < (
->   SELECT AVG(num)
->   FROM demo
-> );
```

```
ERROR 1093 (HY000): You can't specify target
table 'demo' for update in FROM clause
```

Delete Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
2
6
3
4
5
22

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
22

1 row in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> DELETE FROM demo
-> WHERE num < (
-> SELECT AVG(num)
-> FROM demo2
-> );
```

Query OK, 6 rows affected (0.05 sec)

Delete Row(s)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo2;
```

num
0
1
2
22
36

5 rows in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> SELECT * FROM demo;
```

num
2
22
36

1 row in set (0.00 sec)

```
mysql> DELETE FROM demo2
```

```
-> ORDER BY num
```

```
-> LIMIT 2;
```

Query OK, 2 rows affected (0.07 sec)

Truncate

```
TRUNCATE TABLE table;
```

Logical equivalent of `DELETE FROM table;`

But typically doesn't generate journal entries
for each row being deleted; very efficient;
can't be rolled back