A procedure is a group of PL/SQL statements that can be called by name. The call specification (sometimes called call spec) specifies a java method or a third-generation language routine so that it can be called from SQL and PL/SQL.

Understanding Stored Procedure Syntax in Oracle

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE UPDATE_SAL
  P_EMP IN NUMBER,
 P_AMOUNT IN NUMBER
)
IS
BEGIN
  UPDATE Employee
  SET Salary=SALARY + P_AMOUNT
  WHERE Id=P_EMP_ID;
  COMMIT;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLCODE);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLERRM);
END;
EXECUTE UPDATE_SAL(100,50);
BEGIN
UPDATE_SAL(100,50);
END;
//Using Anonymous Block in Oracle to Call Stored Procedures
BEGIN
UPDATE_SAL(&EMP_ID, &AMOUNT);
select * from employee;
SELECT * FROM DBA_OBJECTS WHERE OBJECT_NAME='UPDATE_SAL';
SELECT * FROM USER_SOURCE WHERE NAME='UPDATE_SAL' ORDER BY LINE;
```

Parameter

IN

An IN parameter is read-only. You can reference an IN parameter inside a procedure, but you cannot change its value. Oracle uses IN as the default mode. It means that if you don't specify the mode for a parameter explicitly, Oracle will use the IN mode.

OUT

An our parameter is writable. Typically, you set a returned value for the our parameter and return it to the calling program. Note that a procedure ignores the value that you supply for an our parameter.

```
INOUT
```

An **INOUT** parameter is both readable and writable. The procedure can read and modify it.

Note that **OR REPLACE** option allows you to overwrite the current procedure with the new code.

Create procedure

```
DROP Table Employee;

CREATE TABLE Employee (
   Id INT,
   Name VARCHAR(15),
   Salary NUMBER(8, 2)
);
```

```
create or replace procedure Insert_Employee
(Id INT,Name VARCHAR,Salary NUMBER)
is
begin
INSERT INTO Employee VALUES(Id, Name,Salary);
end;

begin
    Insert_Employee(1002, 'Smith', 45000);
end;

select * from Employee;

begin
    Insert_Employee(1003, 'STEVE', 45000);
```

```
end;
select * from Employee;
//-----
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE Update_Salary
   i INT, s NUMBER
)
IS
BEGIN
UPDATE Employee
 SET salary=s
 WHERE id=i;
 COMMIT;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
begin
  Update_Salary(1002,1300);
end;
select * from Employee;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE SHOW_EMP
    P_EMP_ID Employee.id%TYPE,
    P_F_NAME OUT Employee.name%TYPE,
    P_SAL OUT Employee.salary%TYPE
)
IS
BEGIN
   SELECT name, salary
  INTO P_F_NAME, P_SAL
  FROM
  Employee
  WHERE id=P_EMP_ID;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLCODE);
   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLERRM);
END;
//Calling
VARIABLE B_FIRST_NAME VARCHAR2(100)
VARIABLE B_SAL NUMBER
EXECUTE SHOW_EMP (1005,:B_FIRST_NAME, :B_SAL)
PRINT B_FIRST_NAME B_SAL;
//calling
DECLARE
```

```
V_FIRST_NAME Employee.Name%TYPE;
V_SAL Employee.Salary%TYPE;
BEGIN
  SHOW_EMP(1005, V_FIRST_NAME, V_SAL );
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_FIRST_NAME);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_SAL);
END;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE SHOW EMP
    P_EMP_ID Employee.id%TYPE,
    P_F_NAME OUT Employee.name%TYPE,
    P_SAL OUT Employee.salary%TYPE
)
IS
BEGIN
  SELECT name, salary
  INTO P_F_NAME, P_SAL
  FROM
  Employee
  WHERE id=P_EMP_ID;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLCODE);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLERRM);
END;
DECLARE
V_FIRST_NAME Employee.id%TYPE;
V_SAL Employee.salary%TYPE;
BEGIN
 SHOW_EMP(105, V_FIRST_NAME, V_SAL );
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_FIRST_NAME);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_SAL);
END;
DROP TABLE PRODUCTS;
CREATE TABLE PRODUCTS
 PROD_ID NUMBER,
  PROD_NAME VARCHAR2(20),
  PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2(20),
  CONSTRAINT PRODUCTS_PK PRIMARY KEY (PROD_ID)
);
```

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS
   P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
   P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='UNKNOWN',
  P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'Unknown'
)
IS
BEGIN
 INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME ,
P_PROD_TYPE);
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||
' INSERTED ' );
 COMMIT;
 EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('ERROR IN INSERT '||P_PROD_ID||' '
||P_PROD_NAME);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
BEGIN
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Bajaj');
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Laptop');
ADD_PRODUCTS (20, 'Samsung');
END;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
```

```
)
IS
BEGIN
 UPDATE Employee
 SET salary=s
 WHERE id=i;
 COMMIT;
 EXCEPTION
 WHEN OTHERS THEN
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
begin
  Update_Salary(1002,1300);
end;
select * from Employee;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE SHOW_EMP
   P_EMP_ID Employee.id%TYPE,
   P_F_NAME OUT Employee.name%TYPE,
   P_SAL OUT Employee.salary%TYPE
)
IS
BEGIN
   SELECT name, salary
  INTO P_F_NAME, P_SAL
  FROM
   Employee
  WHERE id=P_EMP_ID;
   EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLCODE);
   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLERRM);
END;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE SHOW_EMP
   P_EMP_ID Employee.id%TYPE,
   P_F_NAME OUT Employee.name%TYPE,
   P_SAL OUT Employee.salary%TYPE
)
IS
BEGIN
   SELECT name, salary
  INTO P_F_NAME, P_SAL
   FROM
   Employee
  WHERE id=P_EMP_ID;
   EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLCODE);
```

```
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(SQLERRM);
END;
DECLARE
V_FIRST_NAME Employee.id%TYPE;
V_SAL Employee.salary%TYPE;
  SHOW_EMP(105, V_FIRST_NAME, V_SAL );
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_FIRST_NAME);
 DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_SAL);
END;
DROP TABLE PRODUCTS;
CREATE TABLE PRODUCTS
  PROD_ID NUMBER,
  PROD_NAME VARCHAR2(20),
  PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2(20),
 CONSTRAINT PRODUCTS_PK PRIMARY KEY (PROD_ID)
);
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS
  P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
  P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='UNKNOWN',
  P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'Unknown'
)
IS
BEGIN
  INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME , P_PROD_TYPE);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||' INSERTED ' );
  COMMIT;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('ERROR IN INSERT '||P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
BEGIN
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Bajaj');
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Laptop');
ADD_PRODUCTS (20, 'Samsung');
END;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
```

Drop Procedore

DROP PROCEDURE Insert_Employee;

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE FORMATE_TEL
(
  P_TEL IN OUT VARCHAR2
)
IS
  P_TEL:=SUBSTR(P_TEL,1,3)||'('||SUBSTR(P_TEL,4,2)||')'||SUBSTR(P_TEL,7);
END;
VARIABLE B_TELEPHONE VARCHAR2(20);
EXECUTE :B_TELEPHONE:='1234567890';
EXECUTE FORMATE_TEL(:B_TELEPHONE);
PRINT B_TELEPHONE;
DECLARE
V_TEL VARCHAR2(100):='1234567890';
BEGIN
  FORMATE_TEL(V_TEL);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE(V_TEL);
END;
```

Errors

```
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;

SELECT * FROM USER_ERRORS WHERE NAME = 'UPDATE_SALARY';
```

Comparison of Parameter Modes in Oracle

We have three parameter modes IN, OUT, IN/OUT parameter modes. We will be distinguishing each parameter mode from other modes.

| IN | ОПТ | IN/OUT |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| Default Mode | Must be Specified | Must be Specified |
| Values are passed into a subprogram | Returned to the calling environment | Passed into subprogram returned to calling environment |
| The formal parameter acts as a constant | Uninitialized variable | Initialized variable |
| The actual parameter can be a literal expression, constant, or initialized variable | Must be a variable | Must be a variable |
| Can be assigned a default value | Cannot be assigned a default value | Cannot be assigned a default value |

```
CREATE TABLE PRODUCTS
(

PROD_ID NUMBER,

PROD_NAME VARCHAR2(20),

PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2(20),

CONSTRAINT PRODUCTS_PK PRIMARY KEY (PROD_ID)
);
```

```
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('ERROR IN INSERT ');
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;

EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS(1,'Bajaj','Bike');
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS(2, 'SAMSUNG');
EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS(1,'Bajaj','Bike');
```

Notations of Passing Parameters in Oracle Procedure

Now, we will discuss the available notations in oracle while passing parameters to stored procedures in oracle. When calling a subprogram, you can write the actual parameters using the following notations:

- 1. Positional
- 2. Named
- 3. Mixed

Named Notation for Passing Parameters in Oracle Stored Procedure:

This is very simple and, in this case, while calling the procedure we need to mention the parameter name. So, to execute the ADD_PRODUCTS procedure we need to call the procedure and pass the parameters as follows.

```
EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS (P_PROD_ID=>2, P_PROD_NAME=>'SAMSUNG', P_PROD_TYPE=>'MOBILE');

EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS (P_PROD_NAME=>'Pen', P_PROD_ID=>3, P_PROD_TYPE=>'Stationary');
```

Mixed Notation for Passing Parameters in Oracle Stored Procedure:

This is very simple. We can mix both positional and named notations and use them here. Let us try to understand Mixed Notation with an example. Please call the stored procedure as follows which uses Mixed Notation for Passing the Stored Procedure Parameters.

```
EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS (4, PROD_TYPE=>'Software', PROD_NAME=>'Windows 10');
```

Default Values for Parameters in Oracle Stored Procedure

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS

(
    P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
    P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='UNKNOWN',
    P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'UNKNOWN'
)

IS

BEGIN
    INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME, P_PROD_TYPE);
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||' INSERTED ');
    COMMIT;
    EXCEPTION
    WHEN OTHERS THEN
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('ERROR IN INSERT '||P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME);
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
```

EXECUTE ADD_PRODUCTS (10);

Exception Handing in Oracle Stored Procedure

```
CREATE TABLE PRODUCTS

(
    PROD_ID NUMBER,
    PROD_NAME VARCHAR2(20),
    PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2(20),
    CONSTRAINT PRODUCTS_PK PRIMARY KEY (PROD_ID)
);

DELETE PRODUCTS;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
```

```
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS

(
    P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
    P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='UNKNOWN',
    P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'Unknown'
)
IS
BEGIN
INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME, P_PROD_TYPE);
DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||' INSERTED ');
```

```
COMMIT;
  EXCEPTION
  WHEN OTHERS THEN
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE ('ERROR IN INSERT '||P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLCODE);
  DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (SQLERRM);
END;
BEGIN
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Bajaj');
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Laptop');
ADD_PRODUCTS (20, 'Samsung');
END;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
DELETE PRODUCTS;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS
  P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
  P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='Unknown',
  P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'Unknown'
)
IS
BEGIN
   INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME, P_PROD_TYPE);
   DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||' INSERTED ' );
  COMMIT;
END;
BEGIN
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Bajaj');
ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Laptop');
ADD_PRODUCTS (20, 'Samsung');
END;
SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
DELETE PRODUCTS;
CREATE OR REPLACE PROCEDURE ADD_PRODUCTS
  P_PROD_ID NUMBER,
   P_PROD_NAME VARCHAR2:='Unknown',
  P_PROD_TYPE VARCHAR2 DEFAULT 'Unknown'
)
IS
    INSERT INTO PRODUCTS VALUES (P_PROD_ID, P_PROD_NAME, P_PROD_TYPE);
    DBMS_OUTPUT.PUT_LINE (P_PROD_ID||' '||P_PROD_NAME||' INSERTED ' );
```

```
BEGIN

ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Bajaj');

ADD_PRODUCTS (10, 'Laptop');

ADD_PRODUCTS (20, 'Samsung');

COMMIT;

END;

SELECT * FROM PRODUCTS;
```

Boolean Parameters