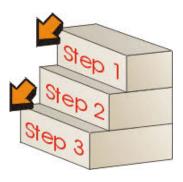




Information Storage and Management I

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Stored Procedures

So far...











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Creating Stored Procedures

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE NAME
BEGIN
SQL STATEMENT
END //
DELIMITER;
```

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE GetAllProducts()
BEGIN
SELECT * FROM products;
END //
DELIMITER;
```

Calling Stored Procedures

CALL GetAllProducts();

Variables

- A variable is a name that refers to a value
- Python:

```
name = "Alex"
age = 35
```

• MySQL

DECLARE name VARCHAR(225)
DECLARE age INT

Define parameters within a stored procedure

- Parameter list is empty
 - CREATE PROCEDURE proc1 ():
- Define input parameter with key word IN:
 - CREATE PROCEDURE proc1 (IN varname DATA-TYPE)
 - The word IN is optional because parameters are IN (input) by default.
- Define output parameter with OUT:
 - CREATE PROCEDURE proc1 (OUT varname DATA-TYPE)
- A procedure may have input and output paramters:
 - CREATE PROCEDURE proc1 (INOUT varname DATA-TYPE)

Three Types of Parameters

- IN
 - Default
- OUT

• INOUT

In Parameter

• Calling program has to pass an argument to the stored procedure.

Arguments and Parameters

```
DELIMITER //

CREATE PROCEDURE GetOfficeByCountry(IN countryName VARCHAR(255))

BEGIN

SELECT * FROM offices WHERE country = countryName;

END //

DELIMITER;

CALL GetOfficeByCountry('USA')

Calling
```

Three Types of Parameters

- IN
 - Default

OUT

• INOUT

Out Parameter

- OUT the value of an OUT parameter can be changed inside the stored procedure and its new value is passed back to the calling program
- **OUT** is a keyword

Out Parameter

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE CountOrderByStatus(IN orderStatus VARCHAR(25), OUT_total INT)
                                                                                Defining
BEGIN
SELECT count(orderNumber) INTO total FROM orders WHERE status = orderStatus;
END//
DELIMITER;
CALL CountOrderByStatus('Shipped',@total);
                          The out parameter is used outside
SELECT @total;
```

of the stored procedure.

User-Defined Temporary Variables

User variables are written as @var_name.

```
mysql> SET @t1=1, @t2=2, @t3:=4;
mysql> SELECT @t1, @t2, @t3, @t4 := @t1+@t2+@t3;
+----+----+
| @t1 | @t2 | @t3 | @t4 := @t1+@t2+@t3 |
+----+----+
| 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 |
+----+----+
```

Example of running the procedure from the command prompt

```
mysql> delimiter;
mysql> set @tax=0;
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> call caltax('S1',0.1,@tax);
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.00 sec)

mysql> select @tax;
+-----+
| @tax |
+-----+
| 650 |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.00 sec)
```

Three Types of Parameters

- IN
 - Default

• OUT

• INOUT

Examples of parameters

```
CREATE PROCEDURE proc_IN (IN var1 INT)

BEGIN

SELECT var1 + 2 AS result;

END

CREATE PROCEDURE proc_OUT(OUT var1 VARCHAR(100))

BEGIN

SET var1 = 'This is a test';

END

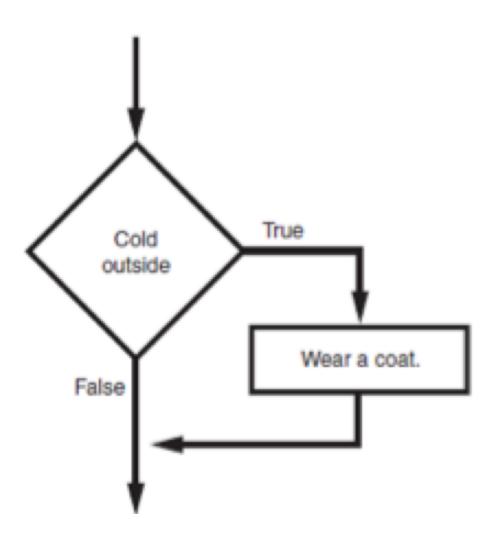
CREATE PROCEDURE proc_INOUT (IN var1 INT,OUT var2 INT)

BEGIN

SET var2 = var1 * 2;

END
```

Conditionals



The "If" Statement (MySQL Syntax)

```
IF if_expression THEN commands
  [ELSEIF elseif_expression THEN commands]
  [ELSE commands]
END IF;
```

MySQL Comparison Operators

- EQUAL(=)
- LESS THAN(<)
- LESS THAN OR EQUAL(<=)
- GREATER THAN(>)
- GREATER THAN OR EQUAL(>=)
- NOT EQUAL(<>,!=)

IF Statement

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE GetProductsInStockBasedOnQuantitityLevel(IN
p_operator VARCHAR(255), IN p_quantityInStock INT)
BEGIN
 IF p operator = "<" THEN
      select * from products WHERE quantityInStock < p quantityInStock;
 ELSEIF p_operator = ">" THEN
      select * from products WHERE quantityInStock > p_quantityInStock;
 END IF;
END //
DELIMITER;
```

IF Statement

CREATE PROCEDURE GetProductsInStockBasedOnQuantitityLevel (IN p_operator VARCHAR(255), IN p_quantityInStock INT)

The operator > or <

The number in stock

The IF Statement

Loops

- While
- Repeat
- Loop

Repeats a set of commands until some conditions is met Iteration: one execution of the body of a loop If a condition is never met, we will have a infinite loop

WHILE expression DO

Statements

END WHILE

The expression must evaluate to true or false

while loop is known as a *pretest* loop

Tests condition before performing an iteration

Will never execute if condition is false to start with

Requires performing some steps prior to the loop

Infinite Loops

- Loops must contain within themselves a way to terminate
 - Something inside a while loop must eventually make the condition false
- Infinite loop: loop that does not have a way of stopping
 - Repeats until program is interrupted
 - Occurs when programmer forgets to include stopping code in the loop

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE WhileLoopProc()
   BEGIN
       DECLARE x INT;
       DECLARE str VARCHAR(255);
       SET x = 1;
       SET str = ";
       WHILE x \le 5 DO
             SET str = CONCAT(str,x,',');
             SET x = x + 1;
       END WHILE;
       SELECT str;
   END//
 DELIMITER;
```

Creating Variables

```
DECLARE x INT;
DECLARE str VARCHAR(255);
SET x = 1;
SET str = ";
```

```
WHILE x \le 5 DO
SET str = CONCAT(str,x,',');
SET x = x + 1;
END WHILE;
```

Cursors

- A cursor is a pointer to a set of records returned by a SQL statement.
 It enables you to take a set of records and deal with it on a row-by-row basis.
- To handle a result set inside a stored procedure, you use a cursor. A
 cursor allows you to iterate a set of rows returned by a query and
 process each row individually.

Cursor has three important properties

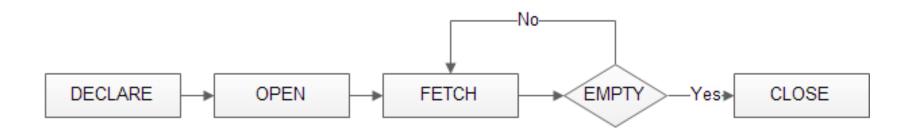
- The cursor will not reflect changes in its source tables.
- Read Only: Cursors are not updatable.
- Not Scrollable: Cursors can be traversed only in one direction, forward, and you can't skip records from fetching.

Defining and Using Cursors

- Declare cursor:
 - DECLARE cursor-name CURSOR FOR SELECT ...;
- DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND: Specify what to do when no more records found
 - DECLARE b INT;
 - DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET b = 1;
- Open cursor:
 - OPEN cursor-name;
- Fetch data into variables:
 - FETCH cursor-name INTO variable [, variable];
- CLOSE cursor:
 - CLOSE cursor-name;

Use the FETCH statement to retrieve the next row pointed by the cursor and move the cursor to the next row in the result set.

MySQL Cursor



A procedure to create email list using cursor

Concatenate all emails where each email is separated by a semicolon(;):

Employee

| | 123 empNo | T: | ABC name | T‡ | asc email 📆 |
|---|-----------|----|----------|----|--------------|
| 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| _ | | | | | |



E1@gmail.com; E2@gmail.com; E3@gmail.com; E3@gmail.com;

Source:

http://www.mysqltutorial.org/mysql-cursor/

A procedure to create email list using cursor

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList:
```

The cursor declaration must be after any <u>variable</u> declaration

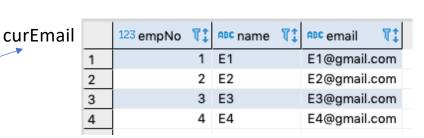
Source:

http://www.mysqltutorial.org/mysql-cursor/

A procedure to create email list using cursor

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DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT:
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
                                                                            The cursor declaration must be after
                                                                            any variable declaration
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
                                                                            Cursor for employee email
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
                                                                             NOT FOUND handler
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
                                                                               Iterate the email list, and concatenate all
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
                                                                               emails where each email is separated by a
        END IF:
                                                                               semicolon(;)
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail:
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
                                                                             Source:
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
                                                                             http://www.mysqltutorial.org/mysql-cursor/
SELECT @emailList:
```

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
BEGIN
    DECLARE finish INT:
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20):
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
        END IF:
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList;
```





emailList = ""
finish = 0

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
   getEmail: LOOP
       FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList;
```

curEmail

| | 123 empNo | T‡ | ABC name | T: | ^{ABC} email |
|---|-----------|----|----------|----|----------------------|
| 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |



emailList = ""
finish = 0
emailAddress = E1@gmail.com

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20):
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
       SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList;
```

curEmail

| | 123 empNo | T‡ | ABC name | T: | ^{ABC} email |
|---|-----------|----|----------|----|----------------------|
| 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| | 1 | | | | |



finish = 0 emailAddress = <u>E1@gmail.com</u> emailList = "E1@gmail.com;"

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
       FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList;
```

curEmail

| | 123 empNo | T: | ABC name | T: | ^{ABC} email |
|---|-----------|----|----------|----|----------------------|
| 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| | | | | | |



finish = 0 emailAddress = <u>E2@gmail.com</u> emailList = "E1@gmail.com;"

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
       SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList:
```

curEmail

| | 123 empNo | T‡ | ABC name | T: | ^{ABC} email |
|---|-----------|----|----------|----|----------------------|
| 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| | | | | | |



finish = 0
emailAddress = <u>E2@gmail.com</u>
emailList = "E1@gmail.com; E2@gmail.com"

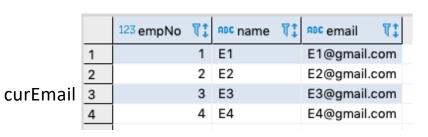
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    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList;
```

| | | 123 empNo | T: | ABC name | T: | asc email ₹‡ |
|----------|---|-----------|----|----------|----|--------------|
| | 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| | 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| curEmail | 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| | 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |



finish = 0
emailAddress = <u>E3@gmail.com</u>
emailList = "E1@gmail.com; E2@gmail.com"

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
BEGIN
    DECLARE finish INT:
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
       SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList:
```





curE

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
    DECLARE finish INT;
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
    #declare cursor for employee email
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
       FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList:
```

| | | 123 empNo | T‡ | ABC name | T‡ | ^{ABC} email ₹ ‡ |
|------|---|-----------|----|----------|----|---------------------------------|
| | 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| | 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| | 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| mail | 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| | | | | | | |



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    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
       SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
    CLOSE curEmail;
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
CALL createEmailList(@emailList);
SELECT @emailList:
```

| | _ | | | | | |
|----------|---|-----------|----|----------|----|--------------|
| | | 123 empNo | T: | ABC name | T: | email ₹‡ |
| | 1 | | 1 | E1 | | E1@gmail.com |
| | 2 | | 2 | E2 | | E2@gmail.com |
| | 3 | | 3 | E3 | | E3@gmail.com |
| curEmail | 4 | | 4 | E4 | | E4@gmail.com |
| | | I | | | | |



finish = 0
emailAddress = <u>E4@gmail.com</u>
emailList = "<u>E1@gmail.com</u>; <u>E2@gmail.com</u>;

<u>E3@gmail.com</u>; <u>E4@gmail.com</u>

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
                                                                                    123 empNo 🏋‡ ABC name 🯋‡ ABC email
BEGIN
    DECLARE finish INT:
                                                                                              1 E1
                                                                                                           E1@gmail.com
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20);
                                                                                                           E2@gmail.com
                                                                                              2 E2
    #declare cursor for employee email
                                                                                              3 E3
                                                                                                           E3@gmail.com
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
                                                                                              4 E4
                                                                                                           E4@gmail.com
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
                                                                      curEmail
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
       FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail;
                                                                         finish = 1
        END IF:
                                                                         emailAddress = E4@gmail.com
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
                                                                         emailList = "E1@gmail.com; E2@gmail.com;
                                                                                   E3@gmail.com; E4@gmail.com
    CLOSE curEmail:
END //
DELIMITER ;
SET @emailList = "";
```

CALL createEmailList(@emailList);

SELECT @emailList:

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE createEmailList (INOUT emailList VARCHAR(5000))
                                                                                    123 empNo 🏋‡ ABC name 🯋‡ ABC email
BEGIN
    DECLARE finish INT:
                                                                                              1 E1
                                                                                                           E1@gmail.com
    DECLARE emailAddress VARCHAR(20):
                                                                                                           E2@gmail.com
                                                                                              2 E2
    #declare cursor for employee email
                                                                                              3 E3
                                                                                                           E3@gmail.com
    DECLARE curEmail CURSOR FOR SELECT email from EMPLOYEES;
                                                                                              4 E4
                                                                                                           E4@gmail.com
    #declare NOT FOUND handler
                                                                      curEmail
    DECLARE CONTINUE HANDLER FOR NOT FOUND SET finish = 1;
    OPEN curEmail;
    getEmail: LOOP
        FETCH curEmail INTO emailAddress;
        IF finish = 1 THEN
            LEAVE getEmail; Finish this loop
                                                                         finish = 1
        END IF:
                                                                         emailAddress = E4@gmail.com
        SET emailList = CONCAT(emailAddress, ";", emailList);
    END LOOP getEmail;
                                                                         emailList = "E1@gmail.com; E2@gmail.com;
                                                                                   E3@gmail.com; E4@gmail.com
    CLOSE curEmail:
END //
DELIMITER ;
```

SET @emailList = "";

SELECT @emailList:

CALL createEmailList(@emailList);

Integrity Constraints

- An Integrity Constraint (IC) describes conditions that every legal instance of a relation must satisfy
- To disallow inserts/deletes/updates that violate IC's
- Types of IC's: Domain constraints, primary key constraints, foreign key constraints, non-null, general constraints

An Example via CHECK Clause

```
CREATE TABLE Students (

sid INT,

sname VARCHAR(10),

rating INT,

age INT,

PRIMARY KEY (sid),

CONSTRAINT checkRating

CHECK (rating >= 1 AND rating <= 10)
```

```
INSERT INTO Students VALUES(1, 'Jones', 9, 19);
INSERT INTO Students VALUES(2, 'Smith', 7, 19);
INSERT INTO Students VALUES(2, 'Peter', 19, 19);
```

ASSERTION Example Constraints Over Multiple Relations

- Consider a very small school: the count of students and professors should be less than 500
- The following is a poor integrity test as it is associated with one relation (the Students table could be empty and thus the integrity rule is never checked!
- Disassociate from the Students table

```
CREATE TABLE Students (
    sid INTEGER,
    sname VARCHAR(10),
    rating INT,
    age INT,
    PRIMARY KEY (sid),
    CHECK (
    (SELECT COUNT (S.sid) FROM Students S) +
    (SELECT COUNT (P.pid) FROM Profesor P) < 500 )
)
```

ASSERTION Example Constraints Over Multiple Relations

```
CREATE ASSERTION smallSchool

CHECK (

(SELECT COUNT (S.sid) FROM Stu S) +

(SELECT COUNT (P.pid) FROM Prof P) < 500
)
```

ASSERTION Example The KEY Constraint

```
CREATE ASSERTION Key

CHECK (

(SELECT COUNT (DISTINCT sid) FROM Stu) =

(SELECT COUNT (*) FROM Stu)

);
```

- Note: ASSERTION is in standard SQL but not implemented
- Unfortunately, MySQL does not support ASSERTIONS, but we can uses triggers to implement this functionality

Triggers

- A trigger is a stored procedure in database which automatically invokes whenever a special event in the database occurs
- A trigger can be invoked when a row is inserted into a specified table or when certain table columns are being updated

When **event** occurs, check **condition**; if true do **action**

Advantages

- To move application logic and business rules into database
- Allows more functionality for DBAs to establish vital constraints/rules of applications
- Rules managed in some central "place"
- Rules automatically enforced by DBMS, no matter which applications later come on line

The Event-Condition-Action Model

- Actions may apply before or after the triggering event is executed
- An SQL statement may change several rows
 - Apply action once per SQL statement
 - Apply action for each row changed by SQL statement

The Company Database

EMPLOYEE (Name, <u>SSN</u>, Salary, DNO, SupervisorSSN, JobCode)
DEPARTMENT (<u>DNO</u>, TotalSalary, ManagerSSN)
STARTING PAY (JobCode, StartPay)

- 1. Limit all salary increases to 50%.
- 2. Enforce policy that salaries may never decrease.
- 3. Maintain TotalSalary in DEPARTMENT relation as employees and their salaries change.
- 4. Inform a supervisor whenever a supervisee's salary becomes larger than the supervisor's.
- 5. All new hires for a given job code get the same starting salary, which is available in the STARTING_PAY table.

Limit all salary increases to 50%

```
CREATE TRIGGER emp_salary_limit
BEFORE UPDATE ON emp
FOR EACH ROW
BEGIN

IF (new.sal > 1.5 * old.sal) THEN
SET new.sal = 1.5 * old.sal;
END IF;
END; //
DELIMITER;

"new" refers to the new tuple.
```