## Metadaten aus der Datenbank auslesen (Primary Keys):

```
DatabaseMetaData meta = conn.getMetaData();
// The Oracle database stores its table names as Upper-Case,
// if you pass a table name in lowercase characters, it will not work.
// MySQL database does not care if table name is uppercase/lowercase.
//
rs = meta.getPrimaryKeys(null, null, "survey");
java.util.List list = new java.util.ArrayList();
while (rs.next()) {
   String columnName = rs.getString("COLUMN_NAME");
   System.out.println("getPrimaryKeys(): columnName=" + columnName);
}
```

Link: <a href="http://www.java2s.com/Code/Java/Database-SQL-JDBC/GetPrimaryKeyColumnFromATable.htm">http://www.java2s.com/Code/Java/Database-SQL-JDBC/GetPrimaryKeyColumnFromATable.htm</a>

Von der Methode meta.getPrimaryKeys(...) bekommt man ein ResultSet zurück, welches man wieder mit der next()-Methode bearbeitet. Rs.getString(4) oder rs.getString("COLUMN\_NAME") liefert den Spaltennamen des Primary-Keys.