

Python Programming

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Chapter 11

MySQL - Database Connection

Topics Covering

- mysql-connector-python
- connection object
- cursor
- iterating cursor
- Exception handling - revisited

In []:

```
1 import mysql.connector
2
3
4 conn = mysql.connector.connect(user = 'naren',
5                                password = 'Python@7',
6                                host = '127.0.0.1',
7                                database = 'employees')
8
9 cursor = conn.cursor()
10
11 query = "select * from employees limit 10"
12 #query = "select count(*) from employees"
13 cursor.execute(query)
14
15
16 #print(cursor.fetchone())
17 #print(cursor.fetchall())
18 for t in cursor:
19     print(t)
20
21 cursor.close()
22 conn.close()
```

In []:

```

1  import datetime
2  import mysql.connector
3  from mysql.connector import errorcode
4
5  emp_list = []
6
7  class Employee(object):
8      def __init__(self, _id, _dob, _fname, _lname, _sex, _hdate):
9          self.empId = _id
10         self.dob = _dob
11         self.firstName = _fname
12         self.lastName = _lname
13         self.gender = _sex
14         self.hireDate = _hdate
15     def __str__(self):
16         return '{} {}, {}, {}, {}, {}'.format(self.empId, self.dob,
17                                                 self.firstName, self.lastName,
18                                                 self.gender, self.hireDate)
19     def __repr__(self):
20         return 'Employee({}, {}, {}, {}, {}, {})'.format(self.empId, self.dob,
21                                                         self.firstName, self.lastName,
22                                                         self.gender, self.hireDate)
23
24 def start():
25     try:
26         conn = mysql.connector.connect(user = 'naren',
27                                       password = 'Python@7',
28                                       host = '127.0.0.1',
29                                       database = 'employees')
30
31         query = "select * from employees limit 100"
32         cursor = conn.cursor()
33         cursor.execute(query)
34
35
36         for rec in cursor:
37             emp_list.append(Employee(*rec))
38
39     except mysql.connector.Error as err:
40
41         if err.errno == errorcode.ER_ACCESS_DENIED_ERROR:
42             print("Name or password error! :( ")
43         elif err.errno == errorcode.ER_BAD_DB_ERROR:
44             print("Database doesn't exist!")
45         else:
46             print(err)
47
48     else:
49         cursor.close()
50         conn.close()
51
52     finally:
53         print('Transaction backup has been taken successfully!')
54         print('Shutting down the system')
55         print("I dont leave you easily...")
56
57 if __name__ == '__main__':
58     start()

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In []:

```
1 emp_list
```

In []:

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1 max(emp_list, key=lambda x: x.dob)
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In []:

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1 sorted(emp_list, key=lambda x: x.hireDate)[:20]
```