
TiDB Contributor 学习之路

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与 TiDB 结缘

Codis

如何参与社区？

<https://github.com/pingcap/community>

参与方式

1. 使用 TiDB 后，修复自己发现的 bug;
2. 修复别人在 TiDB issue 中提出的 bug（可以直接搜索标签：help wanted 和 for new contributor）；
3. 参加 TiDB Contributor 系列活动:

【2017-03-14】十分钟成为 TiDB Contributor 系列 | 添加内建函数 <https://pingcap.com/blog-cn/add-a-built-in-function/>

【2017-06-22】十分钟成为 TiDB Contributor 系列 | 为 TiDB 重构 built-in 函数 <https://pingcap.com/blog-cn/reconstruct-built-in-function/>

...

【2018-03-23】萌新如何成为 TiDB Contributor | 工程师文化体现到极致 <https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s?biz=MzAwNTc3OTE5Mg==&mid=2657442826&idx=1&sn=ac5dd3c3d86d152c2540c08d5ba51932&chksm=8086879db7f10e8b2f8640c3e38d8347bf3e2d24859ecd7d192b2aba522d69af1c1ce5bf0665#rd>

4. 回答社区用户的疑问（安装，配置，架构设计，源码分析，问题答疑等等）
5. 参与文档编辑

【2017-03-27】《如何从零开始参与大型开源项目》文档编写 <https://pingcap.com/blog-cn/how-to-contribute/>

6. 参与渠道

微信群，GitHub issue 等。

行动起来

macOS

```
>make server
```

```
>bin/tidb-server
```

```
>mysql -h127.0.0.1 -P4000 -uroot test
```

```
>SELECT * FROM t1;
```

遇到了问题: zsh: command not found: mysql

```
>brew install mysql (mysql 8)
```

```
>mysql -h127.0.0.1 -P4000 -uroot test
```

ERROR 1105 (HY000): Unknown charset id 255

<https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/issues/6942>

<https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/6965>

对于一个开发者来说，TiDB 为我们的实践之路准备的非常好了

[https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/blob/master/
CONTRIBUTING.md#building-tidb-on-a-local-osshell-environment](https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/blob/master/CONTRIBUTING.md#building-tidb-on-a-local-osshell-environment)

PR & Issue

Bugfix

【2017-03-16】 fix UNIX_TIMESTAMP NULL <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/2852>

【2017-03-22】 fix DATE_FORMAT FUNC <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/2908>

【2017-04-19】 fix REPLACE FUNC <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/3082>

...


【2018-02-09】 ddl: check table charset option <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/5835>

【2018-02-23】 *:fix some golint && ineffassign && misspell to improve GoReport Result
<https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/pull/5867>

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fix UNIX_TIMESTAMP NULL #2852

Edit

 Merged zimulala merged 5 commits into pingcap:master from unknown repository on Mar 17, 2017 Conversation 6 Commits 5 Checks 0 Files changed 2+11 -0 

yangwenmai commented on Mar 16, 2017

Contributor




when a column is datetime type, set Allow NULL, use UNIX_TIMESTAMP FUNC.

Unkonwn args type for unix_timestamp 0

Then It will be OK.


Reviewers

 shenli Xu-luayu

Assignees

No one assigned

Labels

  fix UNIX_TIMESTAMP NULL 1bdf1b

Fix UNIX_TIMESTAMP NULL

这个bug怎么来的呢？

我在使用 MySQL 的 UNIX_TIMESTAMP 函数的时候，想到：TiDB 说基本上支持 MySQL 的所有函数，所以我就来试一下，说不定会有bug呢！！

结果真的有 bug。

测试如下：

```
>CREATE TABLE `t1` (`id` int(11) unsigned NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT, `mtime` datetime DEFAULT NULL COMMENT '时间',PRIMARY KEY (`id`))  
ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8mb4;  
>INSERT INTO `t1` (`id`, `mtime`) VALUES (NULL, NULL);  
>select UNIX_TIMESTAMP(mtime) from t1;
```

Unknown args type for unix_timestamp 0

修复代码就增加两行代码搞定：

```
case types.KindNull:  
return
```

但是现在这一块的代码已经被重构了。

fix DATE_FORMAT func error #2908

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yangwenmai commented on Mar 22, 2017

Contributor



when a column is datetime type, set Allow NULL, use DATE_FORMAT FUNC.

command: ERROR 2006 (HY000): MySQL server has gone away.

console: 2017/03/22 01:28:54 conn.go:336: [error] lastCmd SELECT DATE_FORMAT(null, '%Y-%M-%D'), interface conversion: interface {} is nil, not types.Time.

Now, I fix it.

Reviewers

[tianshiamao](#)



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No one assigned

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None yet

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[mai yang](#) and others added some commits on Mar 16, 2017

[fix UNIX_TIMESTAMP NULL](#)

1bdf71b

[optimizer 66](#) add an unit test

73a5d72

[Merge branch 'master' into master](#)

416abf3

[Merge branch 'master' into master](#)

666c92d

[Merge branch 'master' into master](#)

7f8787e

[Merge pull request #1 from pingcap/master](#)

eb2d409

[fix DATE_FORMAT NULL](#)

d149abc

[add issue id](#)

8d30b4c

[hanfei1991](#) added the [contribution](#) label on Mar 22, 2017



coocood commented on Mar 22, 2017

Member



Fix DATE_FORMAT error


```
SELECT DATE_FORMAT(dtime, '%Y-%M-%D') FROM t1;
```

修复代码只需要以下三行代码即可：

```
if date.IsNull() {  
    return d, nil  
}
```

fix REPLACE FUNC #3082

[Edit](#)

 Merged [hanfei1991](#) merged 11 commits into [pingcap/master](#) from [unknown repository](#) on Apr 19, 2017

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yangwenmai commented on Apr 19, 2017 • edited ↗

Contributor



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hanfei1991



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when the `from_str` is "", use REPLACE FUNC.

```
+-----+
| REPLACE('www.mysql.com', '', 'tidb') |
+-----+
| tidbwtidbwtidbwtidb.tidbwtidbytidbstidbqtidbtlidb.tidbctidbotidbntidb |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.01 sec)
```

But the correct result should be:

```
+-----+
| REPLACE('www.mysql.com', '', 'tidb') |
+-----+
| www.mysql.com |
+-----+
1 row in set (0.01 sec)
```

Fix REPLACE error

```
SELECT REPLACE('www.mysql.com', ", 'tidb') FROM t1;
```

修复它只需要以下四行代码：

```
if oldStr == "" {  
    d.SetString(str)  
    return d, nil  
}
```

ddl: check table charset option #5835

[Edit](#)**Merged**

coocood merged 10 commits into pingcap:master from unknown repository on Feb 9

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yangwenma commented on Feb 8

Contributor

+ @

I fixed #5743

Reviewers

jackysp

coocood

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fix #5743

cb9cs3f

sre-bot commented on Feb 8

+ @

Hi contributor, thanks for your PR.

This patch needs to be approved by someone of admins. They should reply with "/ok-to-test" to accept this PR for running test automatically.

Merge branch 'master' into master

Verified

af5a54a

coocood commented on Feb 8

Member

+ @

@yangwenma

The check should be done before the DDL Job is created, please take a look at the `CreateTable` method in `ddl_api.go`

coocood commented on Feb 8

Member

+ @

And this fix makes an old test case failed, we should update the test case.

winoros changed the title from fix #5743 to ddl: check table charset option on Feb 9

Table charset option need a valid check #5743

[New Issue](#)

jackysp opened this issue on Jan 29 · 0 comments



jackysp commented on Jan 29

Member



Please answer these questions before submitting your issue. Thanks!

1. What did you do?

If possible, provide a recipe for reproducing the error.

```
CREATE TABLE test4 (  
  id bigint(20) NOT NULL  
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=abcced;  
show create table test4;
```

2. What did you expect to see?

Raise an error, because no charset called "abcced".

3. What did you see instead?

No error occur, and it shows the following

```
+-----+  
| table | Create table  
+-----+  
| test4 | CREATE TABLE 'test4' (  
  'id' bigint(20) NOT NULL  
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=abcced COLLATE=utf8_bin |  
+-----+
```

4. What version of TiDB are you using (`tidb-server -V` or run `select tidb_version();` on TiDB)?

```
Release Version: v1.1.0-alpha.1-26-g0496d4f  
Git Commit Hash: 0496d4fe999abb1c222c5i28ffdfc159b6cd87  
Git Commit Branch: master  
UTC Build Time: 2018-01-29 07:49:41  
GoVersion: go version go1.9.2 darwin/amd64
```

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```
788     handleTableOptions(options, tbInfo)
789 +   err = checkCharsetAndCollation(tbInfo.Charset, tbInfo.Collate)
790 +   if err != nil {
791 +       return errors.Trace(err)
792 +   }
793     err = d.doDDLJob(ctx, job)
794     if err == nil {
795         if tbInfo.AutoIncID > 1 {
796
797
798
799
800
801
802         return errors.Trace(err)
803     }
804
805 +func checkCharsetAndCollation(cs string, co string) error {
806 +   if !charset.ValidCharsetAndCollation(cs, co) {
807 +       return errUnsupportedCharset.GenByArgs(cs, co)
808 +   }
809 +   return nil
810 +}
811 +
```

接下来：可能看起来是很简单的fix，实际上还是挺麻烦的...

Report for github.com/pingcap/tidb[go report](#) **A+** [Tweet](#)**A+** Excellent! Found **119** issues across **635** files

Results

gofmt 100%

go_vet 100%

gocyclo 87%

golint 100%

ineffassign 93%

license 100%

misspell 99%

gofmt

100%

Gofmt formats Go programs. We run `gofmt -s` on your code, where `-s` is for the "simplify" command

No problems detected. Good job!

go_vet

100%

`go vet` examines Go source code and reports suspicious constructs, such as Printf calls whose arguments do not align with the format string.

No problems detected. Good job!

*:fix some golint && ineffassign && misspell to improve GoReport Result #5867

Edit

Merged zz-jason merged 31 commits into pingcap:master from unknown:repository on Feb 23

Conversation 28

Commits 31

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yangwenmai commented on Feb 11

Contributor



No description provided.



yangwenmai and others added some commits on Feb 8

Reviewers

tiancaimao



XuHuaiyu



zz-jason





zz-jason commented on Feb 22 • edited •

Member + (1)

@yangwenmai after pr #5390, package "context" is moved to "sessionctx", plz take a look and resolve conflicts.

Sorry for the inconvenience.

zz-jason added **conflicting** **contributor** labels on Feb 22

PR #5890, package context is moved to sessionctx

✓ b446fca



yangwenmai commented on Feb 23

Contributor + (1) ✎ ✕

@zz-jason PTAL



zz-jason reviewed on Feb 23

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tidb.go

Show outdated

<https://golang.org/pkg/context/> => "Do not pass a nil Context, even if...

cc:Seidob



tiancalamao commented on Feb 23

Contributor + (1)

Hi, @yangwenmai

What's the check rule for GoReport?

1. If it just check the variable name `ctx`, we can change the name `ctx` `sessionctx.Context` to `sctx` `sessionctx.Context` and avoid too much changes.
2. If it check type `ctx context.Context` or `ctx golang.org/x/context.Context`, we can do very small changes.

Replace `'golang.org/x/net/context'` with standard `"context"` is another thing, we can leave it to another PR.

Merge branch 'master' of <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb>

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More...

Clear current search query, filters, and sorts

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- types: fix unsigned decimal** ✓ **contribution** **status/LGT2** **status/all tests passed** 12
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#5998 by yangwenmai was merged on Mar 14 • Approved	
✚ executor: remove Next function for executor/write.go ✓ contribution status/LGT2 status/all tests passed	12
#5995 by yangwenmai was merged on Mar 15 • Approved	
✚ *:fix some ineffassign to improve GoReport Result ✓ contribution status/LGT1	5
#5901 by yangwenmai was merged on Feb 25 • Approved	
✚ *: don't import golang.org/x/net/context as goctx alias ✓ status/LGT2	10
#5895 by tiancalamao was merged on Feb 24 • Approved	
✚ *:fix some golint && ineffassign && misspell to improve GoReport Result ✓ contribution status/LGT1	28
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#5835 by yangwenmai was merged on Feb 9 • Approved	
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Clear current search query, filters, and sorts

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Improve the aesthetics of code review

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#6129 by yangwenmai was closed on Apr 1 20 of 20

remove Next() function of all the Executors

for new contributors

help wanted



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#5935 by Xuliuiyu was closed on Mar 30 41 of 41

conv bit error

component/expression

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type/bug

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#5817 opened on Feb 8 by yangwenmai

Better Compatibility With Using Navicat for MySQL As TIDB Client

help wanted



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type/compatibility

#5656 by wsabc01 was closed on Mar 6

Specified key was too long; max key length is xxxx bytes

help wanted

type/compatibility

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#4121 opened on Aug 10, 2017 by yangwenmai

咱们能不能把参与度升华一点呢？

萌新如何成为 TiDB Contributor ?

这个来源于 PingCAP CEO 刘奇在微信群里面提的一个想法。

<https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/issues/6129>

Improve the aesthetics of code review #6129

[Edit](#)[New issue](#)

yangwenmai opened this issue on Mar 23 · 7 comments



yangwenmai commented on Mar 23 · edited

Contributor



Overview of the problem

Some of the % in TiDB's test cases enclose the statement with double quotes "", but Github escaping it when displayed, so it will be marked with % red, and we are doing a review of it doesn't look beautiful at the moment, so we need to change this and recommend replacing it with the Go language.

For examples: [PR #6097](#)

How to decide?

I can give you a reference note. If you use the Go syntax highlighting plug-in, then you can see that the unhighlighted part is escaping. It may be problematic. Then we need to make changes. (eg, 100%800, %W %r).

```
result = tk.MustQuery("SELECT DATE_FORMAT('0000-00-00', '%M %M %e %Y %r %y')");
```

How to test and verify?

1. First you have to fork TiDB (so that you can edit the file on GitHub).
2. Open a suspicious file (For examples: [util/stringutil/string_util_test.go](#)).
3. Find the code statement for the problem overview description.
4. Modify the 3 corresponding code statement.
5. Click [Preview changes](#).
6. Check and verify that your changes are correct.

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- ✓ executor/grant_test.go @kangxiaoning #6137
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- ✓ util/prefix_helper_test.go @kangxiaoning #6137
- ✓ util/stringutil/string_util_test.go @yangwenmai #6177
- ✓ util/ranger/ranger_test.go @hechen0 #6144

Reference

https://golang.org/ref/spec#String_literals



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yangwenmai referenced this issue on Mar 23

executor: improve the aesthetics of code review #6130

Merged

What did I learn?

Learn CLA (Contributor License Agreement) (<https://github.com/phodal/articles/issues/3>);

Practice GitHub open source collaboration

Unit test is very important

Github issue label

What is LGTM ? (more: <https://maiyang.me/2017/04/01/practice19-github-keywords/>) [LGTM, PTAL, WIP, IMO, LGT1, LGT2, DNM...]

注意!!!

你在本地开分支做某个特性或者修复某个问题时，一定要在 issue 中标注出来，并且提一个 [WIP]xxx 的 PR

TiDB 是一个生态系统，它的周边工具链非常完备，是一个很好的实践工程。

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【2017-06-20】如何在 Github Readme 里面添加徽章? https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s?__biz=MzAwNTc3OTE5Mg==&mid=2657442748&idx=1&sn=a40d2e81da40bd0554aa429ae4086c5d&chksm=8086802bb7f1093d1751483cb3cedc374e7af71fa20ad445e54edadca0cdd0ca894eafe60eac#rd

【2017-09-16】TiDB 集群的入门与实践 https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s?__biz=MzAwNTc3OTE5Mg==&mid=2657442760&idx=1&sn=08bf6d7498bfadb4628ae1601ea22abb&chksm=8086805fb7f10949cdeb6f35edb612357568141e7aa4bd081ead638d53df38c7fb62e6edcafd#rd

【2018-01-06】TiDB 和 MySQL 的索引实践 <https://maiyang.me/2018/01/06/index-in-mysql-and-tidb/>

【2018-03-09】透彻理解 git <https://maiyang.me/2018/03/09/learning-git/> 参考: <https://github.com/pingcap/tidb/blob/master/CONTRIBUTING.md#workflow>

【2018-03-14】小白是怎么对 TiDB 进行源码分析的? https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s?__biz=MzAwNTc3OTE5Mg==&mid=2657442815&idx=1&sn=0e35c6558988517f01e58859c14e950b&chksm=80868068b7f1097e49f1a8ee3f0b9e1eae4e89226fb728b6db9bb08b6982d86813896daaf3a#rd

Thanks!

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