MySQL Stored Procedure and User-Defined Function

Stored Procedure

- A stored procedure is a program with SQL code which is stored in the database catalog and can be invoked later by a program, a trigger or even a stored procedure.
- MySQL supports stored procedure since version 5.0 to allow MySQL more flexible and powerful.

Three Ways to Create A Procedure

- 1. Save the procedure commands in a text file.
- 2. Use the phpMyAdmin utility to enter commands
 - Routine/Add routine
- 3. Enter the commands using the MySQL command prompt.

Example of a command file

DELIMITER //

```
CREATE PROCEDURE Hello()
LANGUAGE SQL
DETERMINISTIC
SQL SECURITY DEFINER
COMMENT 'A procedure'
BEGIN
SELECT 'Hello World!';
END
//
```

Optional characteristics

- Type: Procedure/Function
- Language :the default value is SQL.
- Deterministic: If the procedure always returns the same results, given the same input. The default value is NOT DETERMINISTIC.
- SQL Security: At call time, check privileges of the user. INVOKER is the user who calls the procedure. DEFINER is the creator of the procedure. The default value is DEFINER.
- Comment : For documentation purposes; the default value is ""

Run a procedure

CREATE PROCEDURE ProcName()

- Stored procedure names are case insensitive
- A procedure may have parameters

Define parameters within a stored procedure

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

Executable Section

• BEGIN Statements

• END

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
```

Variable Declaration

- DECLARE variable_name datatype(size) DEFAULT default_value;
- Variable naming rules: Identifiers can consist of any alphanumeric characters, plus the characters '_' and '\$'.
 Identifiers can start with any character that is legal in an identifier, including a digit. However, an identifier cannot consist entirely of digits.
- Data types: A variable can have any MySQL data types. For example:
 - Character: CHAR(n), VARCHAR(n)
 - Number: INT, SMALLINT, DECIMAL(i,j), DOUBLE
 - Date: DATE, TIME, DATETIME
 - BOOLEAN
- http://www.mysqltutorial.org/mysql-data-types.aspx

Examples

DECLARE x, y INT DEFAULT 0;

DECLARE today TIMESTAMP DEFAULT CURRENT_DATE;

DECLARE ename VARCHAR(50);

DECLARE no_more_rows BOOLEAN; SET no_more_rows = TRUE;

Assigning variables

Using the SET command:

DECLARE total_count INT DEFAULT 0; SET total_count = 10;

Using the SELECT INTO command:

DECLARE total_products INT DEFAULT 0; SELECT COUNT(*) INTO total_products

FROM products;

SELECT ... INTO

- SELECT columns separated by commas
- INTO variables separated by commas
- FROM tablename
- WHERE condition;
- Ex:
 - SELECT cid, cname INTO custID, customername
 - FROM customer
 - WHERE cid = C01;

Arithmetic and string operators

Arithmetic operators:

- Modulo operator:
 - -% or mod
- Other math calculations use math functions:
 - -Pow(x,y)
- Concatenation uses CONCAT function:
 - -SELECT CONCAT('New', 'York', 'City');

MySQL Comparison Operators

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

Logical Operators

- Logical AND:
 - AND, &&
 - UnitsInStock < ReorderLevel AND CategoryID=1
 - UnitsInStock < ReorderLevel && CategoryID=1
- Negates value:
 - NOT, !
- Logical OR:
 - $-\parallel$, OR
 - CategoryID=1 OR CategoryID=8
 - CategoryID=1 || CategoryID=8

IF statement: The IF statement can have THEN, ELSE, and ELSEIF clauses, and it is terminated with END IF.

```
IF param1 = 0 THEN
    SELECT 'Parameter value = 0';
ELSE
    SELECT 'Parameter value <> 0';
END IF;
```

CASE Statement

```
CREATE PROCEDURE proc_CASE(IN param1 INT)
BEGIN
  DECLARE variable 1 INT;
  SET variable1 = param1 + 1;
 CASE variable1
    WHEN 0 THEN
      INSERT INTO table 1 VALUES (param1);
    WHEN 1 THEN
     INSERT INTO table 1 VALUES (variable 1);
    FLSE
      INSERT INTO table 1 VALUES (99);
 END CASE;
END
```

WHILE *cond* DO statement

```
CREATE PROCEDURE proc_WHILE (IN param1 INT)
BEGIN
 DECLARE variable1, variable2 INT;
  SET variable 1 = 0;
  WHILE variable1 < param1 DO
      INSERT INTO table 1 VALUES (param 1);
      SELECT COUNT(*) INTO variable FROM table 1;
      SET variable1 = variable2;
 END WHILE;
END
```

Comment Syntax

- From a /* sequence to the following */ sequence.
- From a "#" character to the end of the line.
- From a "-- " sequence to the end of the line. In MySQL, the "-- " (double-dash) comment style requires the second dash to be followed by at least one whitespace
 - -- Programmer: John Smith

A Procedure to compute tax that takes sidIN and taxRate as inputs and return taxOut as output

```
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE Caltax(sidIN char(5), taxRate double, out taxOut double)
BEGIN
   DECLARE tax DOUBLE;
   DECLARE empSalary DOUBLE;
    select Salary into empSalary from salesreps where sid = sidIN;
    set taxOut=taxRate*empSalary;
END
```

- Note 1: No need to surround the sidIN with quotation mark:
 - select Salary into empSalary from salesreps where sid = sidIN;
- Note 2: The delimiter is changed to // to enable the entire definition to be passed to the server as a single statement. It can be restored to ";"
- mysql>delimiter;

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 \text{ sec})
```

```
First, check if the customer exist before adding a new order
DELIMITER //
CREATE PROCEDURE addOrder(oidIN char(5), cidIN char(5), sidIN char(5),
odateIN date)
BEGIN
    DECLARE cidTemp char(5) default "x";
    select cid into cidTemp from customers where cid = cidIN;
    IF cidTemp=cidIN THEN
        insert into orders values(oidIN,cidIN,sidIN,odateIN);
    END IF;
END
//
mysql> call addOrder('08','C12','S1','2013-06-10');
```

Query OK, 0 rows affected, 1 warning (0.00 sec) because C12 not exist!

Example:Procedure showCustomers

```
DELIMITER //
DROP PROCEDURE IF EXISTS showCustomers;
CREATE PROCEDURE showCustomers ()
BEGIN
  Select * from Customers;
END
DELIMITER;
```

User Defined Functions

- Stored functions differ from stored procedures in that stored functions actually return a value.
- Stored functions have only input parameters (if any parameters at all), so the IN, OUT, and INOUT keywords aren't used.
- Stored functions have no output parameters; instead, you use a RETURN statement to return a value whose type is determined by the RETURNS type statement, which precedes the body of the function.

Example

```
DELIMITER //
DROP FUNCTION IF EXISTS empTax;
CREATE FUNCTION empTax(Salary Decimal(10,2)) RETURNS
   Decimal(10,2)
BEGIN
Declare tax decimal(10,2);
if salary < 3000.00 then
    set tax=salary*0.1;
elseif Salary <5000.00 then
    set tax=Salary*0.2;
else
    set tax=Salary*0.3;
end if;
return tax;
END
//
```

Invoking a Stored Function

- No CALL like stored procedure
- Just as a regular function

mysql> SELECT get_store_id(1);

Using the User-defined Function with SQL

```
mysql> delimiter;
mysql> select sname, emptax(Salary) as tax from salesreps;
+----+
sname tax
+----+
| PETER | 1950.00 |
| PAUL | 2160.00 |
| MARY | 2250.00 |
+----+
3 \text{ rows in set } (0.00 \text{ sec})
```