Employee Management System SQL Exercises

Exercise 5: Return Data from a Stored Procedure

Goal: Create a stored procedure that returns the total number of employees in a department.

- 1. Define the stored procedure with a parameter for DepartmentID.
- 2. Write the SQL query to count the number of employees in the specified department.

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-- Drop if it already exists to avoid errors
IF OBJECT_ID('sp_CountEmployeesByDepartment', 'P') IS NOT NULL
    DROP PROCEDURE sp_CountEmployeesByDepartment;
-- Create the stored procedure
CREATE PROCEDURE sp_CountEmployeesByDepartment
    @DepartmentID INT
AS
BEGIN
    SELECT COUNT(*) AS TotalEmployees
    FROM Employees
    WHERE DepartmentID = @DepartmentID;
END;
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EXEC sp_CountEmployeesByDepartment @DepartmentID = 2;

3. Save the stored procedure by executing the Stored procedure content.

