### Working with BLOB and CLOB



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#### What is CLOB

- •A CLOB(Character Large Object) is a collection of character data stored as a single entity in a database
- •CLOBs are typically used to store large text documents(Plain text or XML)

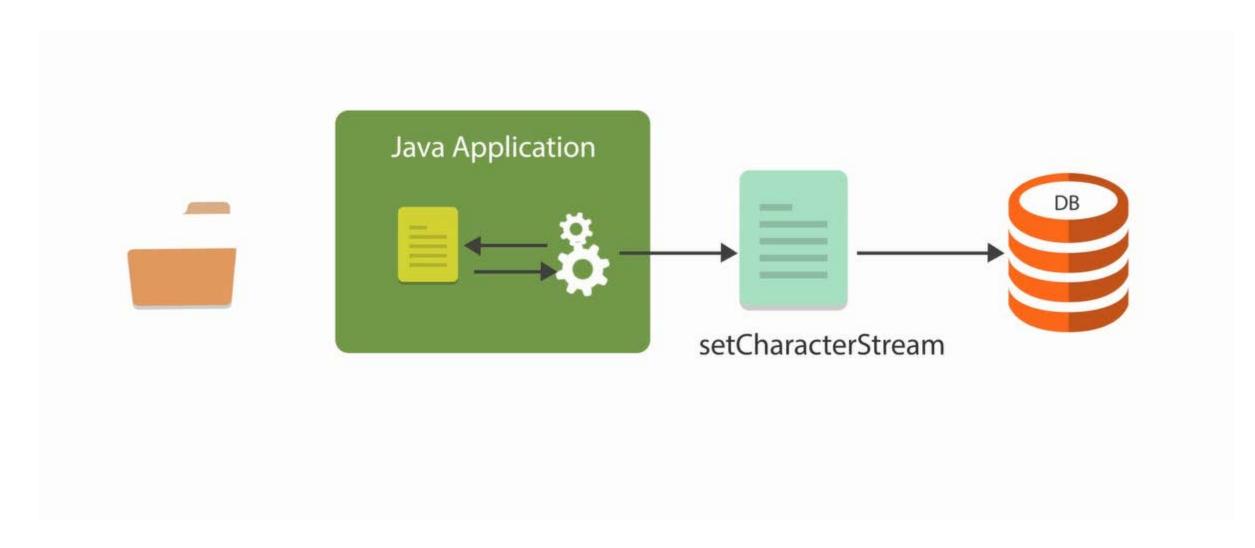
Note: Database support for CLOB is not Universal

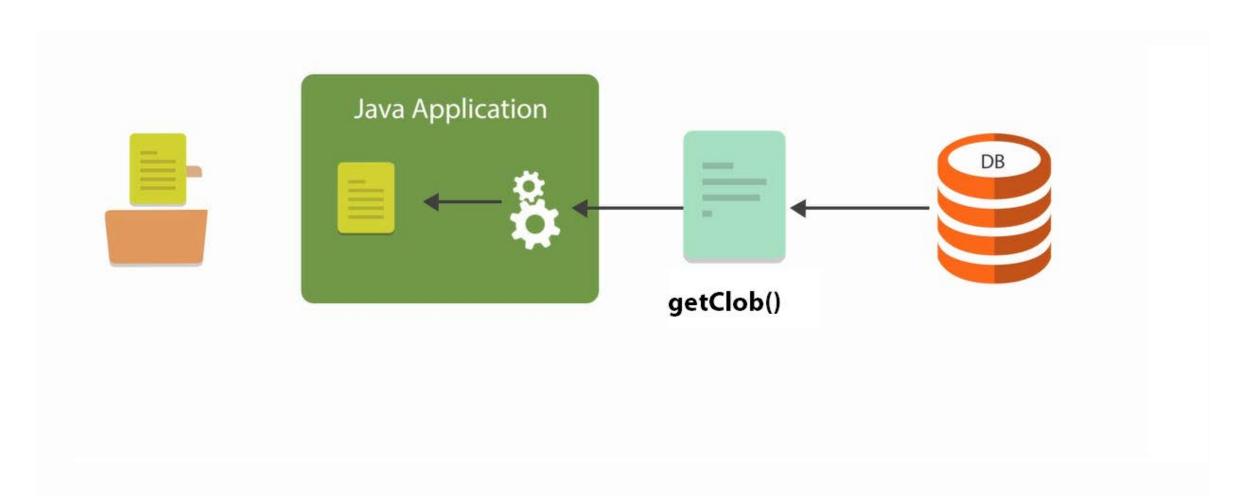


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Create table NewEmployees (
Employee_Id int(10),
First_Name varchar(60),
Last_Name varchar(60),
Resume LongText
)
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#### ORACLE:

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Create table NewEmployees (
Employee_Id number(10),
First_Name varchar(60),
Last_Name varchar(60),
Resume CLOB
)
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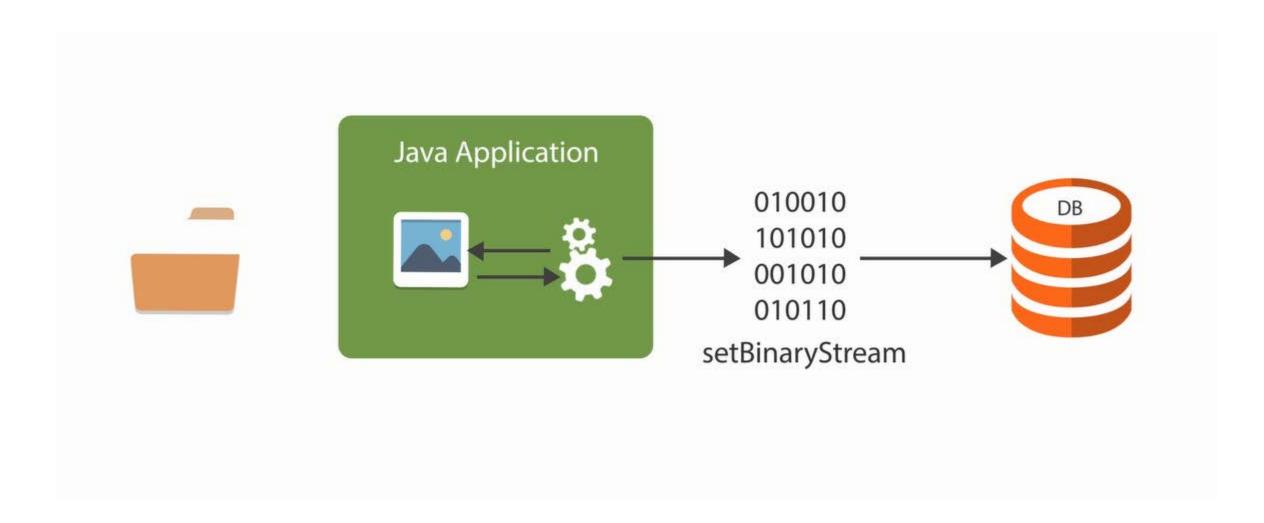


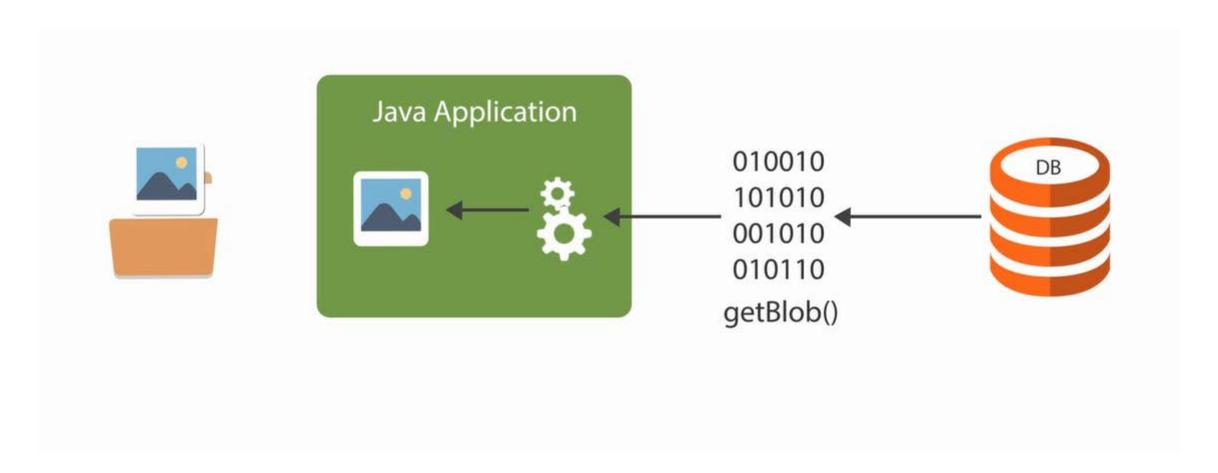


#### What is BLOB

- •.A BLOB (Binary Large Object) is a collection of Binary data stored as a single entity in a database
- •.BLOBs are typically Documents, Images, Audio or other Binary objects

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#### Summary



- Storing and Retrieving CLOB Data
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