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You may need to review the material in the previous unit. That material was not used in the assignment but it is essential to understanding this unit.

# 1. Data Manipulation Language queries

After we have created tables, we need to be able to add rows of data to the tables; we also need to be able to change the rows in a table. For this, think of a table as a collection of rows- these changes affect one or more rows in the table. It is obvious with an insert or a delete statement that we are changing on a row-basis. But with an update statement, we are actually replacing the current version of the row with a new version. Therefore the Update statement says that it updates the table.

DML (Data Manipulation Language) queries are used to change the data in the tables.

- INSERT INTO queries to append single rows to a table
- INSERT INTO -- SELECT queries to append multiple rows from one table to another
- UPDATE queries to change the data in one or more rows
- DELETE queries to remove rows from a table
- SELECT INTO queries to create new tables with rows from an existing table
- SELECT INTO queries to create new empty tables that have the same design as an existing table
- REPLACE queries to do inserts and replace in a single statement

We will do most of these queries using the following two tables AC\_Dept and AC\_Emp created below.

Since these statements change the data in tables, the changed data must meet the constraints that were created for the tables. If it does not, then the SQL statement will fail. If you attempt to execute an SQL statement that changes several rows of data and any one of the new rows is invalid, then the entire statement fails and none of the rows are changed.

Demo 01: Drop the tables if they exist. Note that if you have created a series of related tables, you may have to drop child tables before parent tables.

```
drop table if exists ac_emp;
drop table if exists ac_dept;
```

#### Demo 02: Create table statements

```
create table ac_dept (
    d_id    numeric(3)
, constraint ac_dept_pk    primary key(d_id)
, d_name    varchar(15) not null
, d_budget numeric (6) null
, d expenses to date numeric (6) null
```

# 2. Insert into queries

# 2.1. Add a single new row using a value list

Model to insert a single row into the table specifying the column names.

```
insert into my_table (col1_name, col2_name, . . )
     values (value1_expr, value2_expr, . .);
```

The preferred technique for a single row insert is to list the column names in parentheses after the table name, followed by the key word Values and then the list of values/expressions in parentheses. The order in which you list the column and the order of the values must be consistent. Since I am listing the columns in the column\_list,, the order of the columns in the insert statement does not have to match the order of the columns in the table definition. I do not need to supply a value for a nullable column.

## Demo 03: Inserts a single row into the table specifying the column names.

```
insert into ac_dept (d_name, d_id, d_city,d_state, d_budget,d_expenses_to_date)
values ('FINANCE', 301, 'PEKIN', 'IL', 50000, 15000);

insert into ac_dept (d_id,d_budget,d_expenses_to_date,d_name,d_city,d_state)
values (501, 15000, 16000, 'SALES', 'RENO', 'NV');
```

An alternative syntax for the insert skips the column list; in that case the order of the values must match the order of the columns in the table definition and no columns can be skipped.

Demo 04: Insert a single row into the table; the data values must be in the proper order. If you do not want to inset a value for a nullable column, use the word null.

```
insert into ac_dept
values (201, 'SALES', 35000, 'CHICAGO', 'IL');
```

#### Demo 05: This allows you to skip column names if there are no values for that column.

```
insert into ac_dept (d_name, d_id, d_city, d_state )
values ('ADMIN', 401, 'CHICAGO', 'IL');
;
```

Demo 06: When the table has default values defined, you can use the word DEFAULT instead of a value, or use the column list that omits that column.

```
insert into ac_emp (e_id, e_name, d_id, salary, hiredate, e_status)
values( 10, 'FREUD', 301, DEFAULT, '2002-06-06', 'PERM');
```

Demo 07: When the table has default values defined, you can use the word DEFAULT instead of a value, or use the column list that omits that column.

# 2.1. Add multiple new rows using a value list

MySQL supports the multi-row insert statement. You have one Insert statement and the word Values appears only once. After Values you can have one or more rows to insert. Each row is enclosed in parentheses and the rows are separated by commas. If any of the rows are not valid according to the table rules, then the insert statement does not succeed.

Demo 08: -- multi-row insert. This is a single statement with one semicolon at the end and the separate row expressions are separated by commas.

```
insert into ac_emp (e_id, e_name, d_id, salary, hiredate, e_status)
values
  ( 30, 'HANSON', 201, 40000, '2003-05-15', 'PERM')
, ( 40, 'IBSEN', 201, 45000, '2003-05-20', 'PERM')
, ( 50, 'MILES', 401, 25000, '2003-06-20', 'PERM')
, ( 60, 'TANG', 401, 25000, '2003-06-20', null)
, ( 70, 'KREMER', 501, 50000, '2003-07-15', null)
, ( 80, 'PAERT', 201, 65000, '2003-07-18', null)
, ( 90, 'JARRET', 301, 60000, '2003-08-08', null);
```

## 2.2. General rules

The keywords Insert Into are followed by the name of the table. You can list the columns of the table in parentheses after the name of the table. Then you use the keyword Values to indicate that the lists of values will follow. Include the data values inside parentheses after the keyword Values.

If you are going to insert a value into each column of the row and you are going to list the data values in the same order as the column order in the table, then you can use the second version shown and skip the column name list. This is not as safe as the first version since the table structure can be changed to add additional columns. From a logical point of view, the order of the columns in a table cannot be logically significant and this shorthand version relies on the column order.

If you are inserting a row that allows a null in a specific column, you use the word null in the value list to insert the null.

The data value you are trying to insert must fit the column definition. Any constraints you have placed on the table must be met. The following inserts will not work due to constraint problems. Assume the inserts above have already been issued. If you do not understand why these will be rejected, then create the two tables, do the inserts above and then try these one at a time to see the error message. Running these will also help you see the

value of creating constraint names. What is displayed as the error message when you have an insert that violates several rules?

#### Demo 09: These will fail

```
insert into ac_dept (d_name, d_id, d_city, d_state, d_budget)
    values ('FINANCE', 304, NULL, 'NY', 25000);
insert into ac_dept (d_name, d_id, d_city, d_state, d_budget)
    values ('SALES', 305, 'CHICAGO', 'IL', 45000);

insert into ac_emp (e_id, e_name, d_id, e_status)
    values (99, 'MATSON', 210, 'PERM');
insert into ac_emp (e_id, e_name, d_id, e_status)
    values (98, 'Mathewsohn-Maryville', 201, 'PERM');
```

MySQL will not truncate a string to fit into a VARCHAR attribute if it is longer than the defined attribute. Character literals must be enclosed in quotes. The case of the data values is maintained in the table.

A numeric value may not be larger in magnitude than the defined column. If there are more digits after the decimal than was defined, MySQL will round the numeric to fit. So if the column was defined as NUMERIC (5, 2) you can insert a value 123.4567 but you cannot insert 1234.567

## We now have the following:

## 2.3. Insert into set

## Demo 10: MySQL supports the following syntax for an insert

```
insert into ac_dept
   SET d_name = 'Research'
,   d_id = 800
,   d_city = 'San Francisco'
,   d_state = 'CA'
```

```
d_budget = 98000;
```

# 3. Append rows to an existing table

/\* Model to insert row from one table into another.

```
insert into my_table (col1_name, col2_name, . . )
  select value1_expr, value2_expr , . .
  from . . . ;
```

Assumptions: We have a table of potential hires (AC\_PotentialHire). We have added rows to this table with nulls for the Hiredate. If we decide to actually hire someone, we put a value into the HireDate column. We want to add anyone from that table with an actual hire date into our employee table and then remove them from the potential hire table.

## Demo 11: The table AC\_PotentialHire

```
Create table ac potentialhire ( e id numeric(3)
, e name varchar(15) not null
, d id numeric(3)
, salary numeric(5) unsigned
, hiredate date
, e status char (4)
) ENGINE=InnoDB;
insert into ac_potentialhire (e_id, e_name, d_id, salary, hiredate, e_status)
          values (201, 'ROBYN', 301, 20000, '2009-09-15', 'TEMP');
insert into ac potentialhire (e id, e name, d id, salary, hiredate, e status)
          values( 202, 'ECHART', 201, 20000, null, 'TEMP');
insert into ac potentialhire (e id, e name, d id, salary, hiredate, e status)
          values( 203, 'TATUM', 301, 25000, '2009-09-18', 'TEMP');
+----+
| e id | e name | d id | salary | hiredate | e status |
+----+
| 201 | ROBYN | 301 | 20000 | 2009-09-15 | TEMP
| 202 | ECHART | 201 | 20000 | NULL | TEMP
 203 | TATUM | 301 | 25000 | 2009-09-18 | TEMP
+----+
```

#### Demo 12: Append rows from ac\_potentialhires into ac\_emp. This inserts 2 rows

```
insert into ac_emp (e_id, e_name, d_id, salary, hiredate, e_status)
   select e_id, e_name, d_id, salary, hiredate, e_status
   from ac_potentialhire
   where hiredate is not null;
```

#### Demo 13: Delete these rows from the potential hire table.

```
delete
from ac_potentialhire
where hiredate is not null;
```

This uses the keywords Insert Into . . . followed by a subquery that returns the data for the rows. With this syntax you do not use the keyword values- you simply include the subquery.

```
Select * from ac_emp;
+----+
```

```
| e id | e name | d id | salary | hiredate | e status |
10 | FREUD | 301 | 30000 | 2002-06-06 | PERM
  20 | MATSON | 201 | 30000 | NULL
                            | PERM
  30 | HANSON | 201 | 40000 | 2003-05-15 | PERM
  40 | IBSEN | 201 | 45000 | 2003-05-20 | PERM
  50 | MILES | 401 |
                  25000 | 2003-06-20 | PERM
  60 | TANG | 401 | 25000 | 2003-06-20 | NULL
  70 | KREMER | 501 | 50000 | 2003-07-15 | NULL
  80 | PAERT | 201 | 65000 | 2003-07-18 | NULL
  90 | JARRET | 301 | 60000 | 2003-08-08 | NULL
  201 | ROBYN | 301 | 20000 | 2009-09-15 | TEMP
  203 | TATUM | 301 | 25000 | 2009-09-18 | TEMP
 ----+-----
Select * from ac potentialhire;
+----+
| e id | e name | d id | salary | hiredate | e status |
202 | ECHART | 201 | 20000 | NULL
+----+
```

The use of the column list is optional if the subquery select clause include all of the columns in the correct order. You can also use Select \* in the subquery if the select columns are in the correct order. The columns in the subquery can include calculated columns. The subquery could include a join clause.

Note that a query is done "all at once". If any of the potential new rows do not meet the table's description or constraints, then none of the rows are added.

# 4. Delete queries

## **Remove Existing Rows**

#### /\* Model to delete row.

```
delete
from tablename
where condition;
```

## Demo 14: This deletes all rows that match the test.

```
delete
from ac_emp
where d id = 601;
```

#### Demo 15: This uses a subquery to allow a test for the proper rows to be deleted.

If you do not include a Where clause you will delete all of the rows in the table.

A delete statement deletes rows from one table only.

If you are deleting parent rows and do not have cascade delete set for the relationship, then parent rows with existing child rows will not be deleted. ORA-02292: integrity constraint (*ConstraintName*) violated - child row found.

You can use an order by and a limit in a delete query

```
delete from ac emp order by salary desc limit 2;
```

However you do not have full control over which rows are deleted since the sort key does not fully define an ordering. If we have 5 rows that are tied for the highest salary, this query deletes two of those rows but we are not specifying which two. That may be what we want.

# 5. Truncating a table

```
truncate table mytable;
```

This removes all of the rows but does not remove the table structure. This is faster than using Delete but it cannot be rolled back (For roll back you need to have set transactions). It does not activate triggers. If there are any fk references to this table, those constraints have to be disabled before truncating the table.

# 6. Update queries

**Change Existing Rows** 

# /\* Model for an update.

```
update tablename
set columnname = value or expression
where condition;
```

Example: We have a column in the employee table that stores an Employee Status attribute. All employees will be changed to "TEMP" status and then some employees will then be changed to "PERM" status.

Demo 16: SET the value for E\_Status to TEMP for all rows. Everyone now has TEMP status.

Note that MySQL makes a distinction between rows matched and rows changed. Two of the original rows were already 'TEMP'

```
update ac_emp
set e_status = 'TEMP';
Rows matched: 10 Changed: 8 Warnings: 0
```

## Demo 17: The Where clause allows you to update specified rows. This changes some of the data to PERM.

```
update ac_emp
set e_status = 'PERM'
where hiredate < '2003-07-01';</pre>
```

# Demo 18: You can update multiple attributes. This updates one row since the Where clause selects for a PK. There is only one SET clause even if we update multiple columns

#### Demo 19: The SET clause can use an expression.

```
update ac_emp
```

```
set salary = salary * 1.1
where e status = 'PERM';
```

## Demo 20: Updates rows in a table using a case function.

# Demo 21: This uses a subquery to allow a test for the proper rows to update. The subquery uses one table to provide the filter to update a different table.

Demo 22: You can use variables to do the update. You want to start thinking about variables as ways to get data from an application layer program that delivers values to a query.

```
+----+
| d city | d state | e name | salary |
+----+
| PEKIN | IL | TATUM | 25000 |
| RENO | NV
             | KREMER | 50000 |
set @city = 'CHICAGO';
set @state = 'IL';
set @wageDifferential= 1.25;
update ac emp
   set    salary = salary * @wageDifferential
         d id in
   where
                d id
          (select
           from ac_dept
           where d state = @state and d city = @city);
select d city, d state, e name, salary
    from ac dept
   join ac_emp on ac_dept.d_id = ac_emp.d_id
   order by d state, d city;
+----+
| d_city | d_state | e_name | salary |
+----+
```

	CHICAGO		IL		TANG		31250	
	CHICAGO		IL		PAERT		81250	
	CHICAGO		ΙL		MATSON		37500	
	CHICAGO		ΙL		HANSON		50000	
	CHICAGO		IL		IBSEN		56250	
	CHICAGO		IL		MILES		31250	
	PEKIN		IL		FREUD		30000	
	PEKIN		IL		JARRET		60000	
	PEKIN		IL		ROBYN		20000	
	PEKIN		IL		TATUM		25000	
	RENO		NV		KREMER		50000	
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Demo 23: This updates data in a row using other data in the same row. It subtracts the expenses amount from the budget and then sets the expenses to null. Of course this creates problems for the business since we end up doing arithmetic with nulls and we let one department go over budget.

```
update ac dept
set
  d budget = d budget - d expenses to date
, d expenses to date = null;
+----+
| d id | d budget | d expenses to date |
+----+
 201 | NULL |
301 | 35000 |
                        NULL |
                       NULL |
 401 I
        NULL |
                       NULL |
 501 | -1000 |
800 | NULL |
                       NULL |
                       NULL |
+----+
```

Demo 24: We can use a more complex expression for the new values

```
update ac_dept
set
  d budget = case
      when d budget > coalesce(d expenses to date, 0)
        then d budget - coalesce (d expenses to date, 0)
      end
 , d expenses to date = case
      when d budget > coalesce(d expenses to date,0) then 0
      else coalesce (d expenses to date, 0) - d budget
      end
where d budget is not null;
+----+
| d id | d budget | d expenses to date |
+----+
+----+
```

Demo 25: Or we could use a simple expression and just reduce all of the budgets by a random value, letting people with no budget have something.

```
update ac_dept
set    d_budget = rand()* coalesce(d_budget, 500);
```

#### Demo 26: No one has a budget

#### Discussion

Updates are done 'all at once'. If any of the potential changes do not meet the table's description or constraints, then none of the changes are made.

MySQL does not allow column swapping. This is different than other dbms

# 7. Select Into Queries

## Create a New Table From An Existing Table

This lets you create a table and insert rows from another table.

```
CREATE TABLE NewTableName AS

SELECT ColumnExpresssions

FROM ExistingTableName

WHERE Condition;
```

# Demo 27: Creates a new table with rows from an existing table. You will get an error message if you already are using that table name.

### Demo 28: Creates a new table with specified attributes from the rows in existing tables.

```
create table ac emp il as
   select e name, salary, d_city, d_state
   from ac dept, ac emp
   where
        ac_dept.d_id = ac_emp.d_id
   and
        d state = 'IL';
select * from ac emp il;
+----+
| e name | salary | d city | d state |
+----+
| FREUD | 41250 | PEKIN
                     | IL
| JARRET | 63000 | PEKIN
                     | IL
| ROBYN | 25000 | PEKIN
                    | IL
| TATUM | 31250 | PEKIN
```

```
| MATSON | 37500 | CHICAGO | IL | HANSON | 48400 | CHICAGO | IL | IBSEN | 54450 | CHICAGO | IL | PAERT | 68250 | CHICAGO | IL |
```

Demo 29: Creates an empty table that has the same design as an existing table. The Where clause is just to have a False criteria so that no rows are returned into the new table.

```
create table ac_potentialhire_2 as
    select  *
    from    ac_emp
    where    1=2;
```

Using this technique to create tables does not copy over check constraints. You can use the Alter Table commands to create the needed constraints. It does keep the data types and null setting and defaults.

```
mysql> show create table ac_potentialhire_2\G
********************************
    Table: ac_potentialhire_2
Create Table: CREATE TABLE `ac_potentialhire_2` (
    `e_id` decimal(3,0) NOT NULL default '0',
    `e_name` varchar(15) NOT NULL,
    `d_id` decimal(3,0) default NULL,
    `salary` decimal(5,0) default '30000',
    `hiredate` date default NULL,
    `e_status` char(4) default NULL
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=latin1
```