

# The SQL Procedure Language (SQL PL)

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## Coding a SQL PL Procedure

- An SQL procedure consists of:
  - CREATE PROCEDURE header
  - BEGIN statement
  - Body (SQL procedural statements and / or DB2 SQL statements)
  - END statement
- Comments within an SQL procedure:
  - -- for a single line comment
  - /\* to start \*/ end multiple-lines comments
- Statements end with semicolon



## A SQL PL Header

```
CREATE PROCEDURE SPA80  
  Parameters (IN P_DNO CHAR(3)  
             ,OUT P_CNT SMALLINT  
             ,OUT P_SUMSAL DECIMAL(11,2)  
             ,OUT P_RETCODE INTEGER )  
VERSION V1
```

- Procedure Name
  - 128 byte max length
  - Unique within Schema / Collection
  - Schema / Collection ID will be supplied when create is deployed
- Parameters
  - 128 byte max length
  - Can be IN bound, OUT bound or INOUT (both directions)
  - Used to pass data between procedure and caller
  - Cannot specify a default value
- Versioning
  - 64 EBCDIC bytes max length
  - If using versioning do not use the default V1 naming convention



## A SQL PL Body

The body consists of 5 parts:

- SQL variable declarations
- Condition names
- Cursors
- Condition Handlers
- Code...



## A SQL PL Body

```
...  
...  
P1: BEGIN  
    SET P_CNT = 0;  
    SET P_SUMSAL = 0;  
    SET P_RETCODE = 0;  
  
    SELECT COUNT(*), SUM(SALARY)  
        INTO P_CNT, P_SUMSAL  
        FROM EMP  
        WHERE DEPTNO = P_DNO;  
END P1
```

Assign Values

Clear your  
outbound  
parms



## SQL Procedure Statements

- DECLARE Statement
- Assignment Statement
- **CALL, GOTO, LEAVE, RETURN**
- **IF, CASE, WHILE, LOOP, REPEAT, ITERATE, FOR**
- Compound statement
- **GET DIAGNOSTICS** statement
- **SIGNAL, RESIGNAL** statements
- SQL Statements
  
- Note: Successful Execution of any SQL statement will set  
SQLCODE variable value to 0 and  
SQLSTATE variable value to '00000'.



## Declaring SQL Variables

**Syntax:** DECLARE *SQL-variable-name data-type*  
[ DEFAULT *constant* ] ;

- Same data types and lengths as DB2 table columns
- Parameter and variable names are not case sensitive
- SQL reserved word cannot be used as parameter name or variable name
- Variable name declarations must be first prior to other statements in the procedure body.
- Coding variable names and parameter names in a DB2 SQL statement **do not require** colon to precede them
- A declare statement ends with a semicolon



## Assignment Statement

Assigns a value to an output parameter or to an SQL variable

```
SET var1 = 10;  
SET var2 = ( SELECT count(*) FROM EMP );  
SET var3 = NULL;
```

- Assignment statements conform to the SQL assignment rules
- The data type of the target and source must be compatible
- An assignment statement must end with a semicolon.

V10: **SET** var1 = 10, var3 = NULL;



## SQL Variable Example

```

...
P1: BEGIN
    DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER DEFAULT 0;
    DECLARE V_LAST_PAID_DATE DATE;
    DECLARE V1 CHAR(25) DEFAULT 'NOT PAID';
    DECLARE V2 INTEGER;
    DECLARE V3 DECIMAL(9,2);
    DECLARE V4 DECIMAL(9,2) DEFAULT 0;

    SET V2 = 1000;
    SET V3 = 500.00;

    .
    .
    .
END P1

```



## IF Statement

```

DECLARE v_grade CHAR(1);
DECLARE v_a_count INTEGER;
DECLARE v_b_count INTEGER;
DECLARE v_invalid_count INTEGER;
...
UPDATE STUDENT SET GRADE = v_grade
WHERE STUDENT_NO = var1;

IF v_grade = 'A' THEN
    set v_a_count = v_a_count + 1;
ELSEIF v_grade = 'B' THEN
    set v_b_count = v_b_count + 1;
ELSEIF . . . THEN . . .
ELSE
    Set v_invalid_count = v_invalid_count + 1;
END IF;

```

Watch  
Your  
Punctuation!



## IF Statement

```

IF v_grade = 'A' THEN
    set v_a_count = v_a_count + 1;
    set v_counter = v_counter + 1;
ELSEIF v_grade = 'B' THEN
    set v_b_count = v_b_count + 1;
    set v_counter = v_counter + 1;
ELSEIF . . . THEN . . .
ELSE
    Set v_invalid_count = v_invalid_count + 1;
END IF;

```



## CASE Statement

1. Simple CASE: Testing for value of variable

```

CASE v_grade
  WHEN 'A' THEN set v_a_count = v_a_count + 1;
                   set v_counter = v_counter + 1;
  WHEN 'B' THEN set b_count = b_count + 1;
                   set v_counter = v_counter + 1;
  ELSE set v_invalid_count = v_invalid_count + 1 ;
END CASE;

```

2. Searched CASE: Testing for TRUE condition

```

CASE
  WHEN v_edlevel < 12 THEN
    set v_no_diploma = v_no_diploma + 1;
  WHEN v_edlevel > 11 and v_edlevel < 16 THEN
    set v_high_school = v_high_school + 1;
END CASE;

```



## LOOP, LEAVE & REPEAT

```

FETCH_LOOP: LOOP
    FETCH CURSOR1 INTO VAR1, VAR2, VAR3 ;
    IF SQLCODE = 100 THEN
        LEAVE FETCH_LOOP;
    END IF;
    <process values returned by cursor>
END LOOP;

```

```

REPEAT
    FETCH CURSOR1 INTO VAR1, VAR2, VAR3;
    IF SQLCODE = 100 THEN SET V_EOF = 'Y';
    ELSE
        <process values returned by cursor>
    END IF;
    UNTIL V_EOF = 'Y'
END REPEAT;

```



## WHILE Statement

```

DECLARE SQLCODE           INTEGER DEFAULT 0;
DECLARE V_EOF            CHAR(1) DEFAULT 'N' ;
...
WHILE (V_EOF = 'N') DO
    FETCH CURSOR1 INTO VAR1, VAR2, VAR3;
    IF SQLCODE = 100 THEN
        SET V_EOF = 'Y' ;
    ELSE
        <process a row> . . . ;
    END IF;
END WHILE;

```



## FOR Statement

```

FOR FOR_ROUTINE AS
  CURSOR1 CURSOR FOR
    SELECT EMPNO, FIRSTNME, LASTNAME, SALARY
    FROM EMP
    WHERE DEPTNO = p_deptno
    ORDER BY SALARY DESC
  DO
    SET v_numrows = v_numrows + 1;
    SET v_salarytotal = v_salarytotal + SALARY;
  END FOR;

```

**Native Only!**

Variables

Column from  
CURSOR1



## GOTO Statement

The GOTO transfers control to a labeled statement. The labeled statement and the GOTO statement must be in the same scope.

```

IF V_SERVICE < 10000 THEN
  GOTO EXIT_RTN ;
END IF ;
...;
...;
EXIT_RTN :
  BEGIN
    SET P_RETURN_CODE = V_SERVICE ;
  END;

```





## ITERATE Statement

The ITERATE statement causes the flow of control to return to the beginning of a labeled loop.

```
WHILE _ROUTINE :  
    WHILE (MORE_RESULT = 0) DO  
        FETCH CURSOR1 INTO VAR1, VAR2, VAR3;  
        SET MORE_RESULT = SQLCODE;  
        IF VAR3 < 0 THEN  
            ITERATE WHILE _ROUTINE;  
        END IF ;  
        . . . ;  
        . . . ;  
    END WHILE;
```



## Compound Statement

label:

```
BEGIN { NOT ATOMIC or ATOMIC }
```

```
[ SQL-variable-declaration ; .... ]
```

```
[ Declare Cursor statement ; .... ]
```

```
[ condition-declaration ; ..... ]
```

```
[ return-code-declaration ; ..... ]
```

```
[ handler-declaration ; ..... ]
```

```
SQL-procedure-statement; ...
```

```
END { label }
```



## Compound Statement

**P1 :**

**BEGIN**

```
DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER ;  
DECLARE C1 CURSOR WITH RETURN ..... ;  
INSERT INTO AUDIT VALUES ( PARMX, PARMY, PARMZ);  
IF (SQLCODE = -803) THEN  
    ... ;  
ELSE  
    ... ;  
END IF ;  
INSERT ... ;
```

**END P1 ;**



## SQL Statements

Most DB2 SQL statements are supported :

- SELECT INTO
- DECLARE CURSOR / OPEN / FETCH / CLOSE
- INSERT
- UPDATE
- DELETE
- MERGE



## Sample Stored Procedure

```

CREATE PROCEDURE SPA80 (OUT P_CNT1    SMALLINT
                      ,OUT P_SUMSAL  DECIMAL(11,2)
                      ,OUT P_RETCODE  INTEGER
                      )
  VERSION V1          ASUTIME 500000
  ISOLATION LEVEL CS  VALIDATE BIND
  PACKAGE OWNER DBTHM80  QUALIFIER THEMIS1
  RESULT SETS 0        LANGUAGE SQL

P1: BEGIN
  DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER DEFAULT 0;

  SELECT COUNT(*), SUM(SALARY)
         INTO P_CNT1, P_SUMSAL
         FROM EMP;

  SET P_RETCODE = SQLCODE;
END P1

```



## Returning Result Sets

```

CREATE PROCEDURE SPB80 (OUT P_RETCODE INTEGER)

  VERSION V1          ASUTIME 500000
  ISOLATION LEVEL CS  VALIDATE BIND
  PACKAGE OWNER DBTHM80  QUALIFIER THEMIS1
  RESULT SETS 1      LANGUAGE SQL

P1: BEGIN
  DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER DEFAULT 0;

  DECLARE CURSOR1 CURSOR WITH RETURN FOR
    SELECT EMPNO, LASTNAME, MIDINIT, FIRSTNME,
           SALARY, DEPTNO
    FROM EMP
    ORDER BY DEPTNO, EMPNO
    FOR FETCH ONLY;

  OPEN CURSOR1;
  SET P_RETCODE = SQLCODE;
END P1

```



## Processing a Cursor

```

P1: BEGIN
  DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER DEFAULT 0;
  DECLARE V_EOC CHAR(1) DEFAULT 'N';
  DECLARE V_SAL DECIMAL(9,2);
  DECLARE C1 CURSOR FOR
    SELECT SALARY FROM EMP
    WHERE DEPTNO = P_DEPTNO;

  OPEN C1;

  SET P_SUM = 0;
  REPEAT
    FETCH C1 INTO V_SAL;
    IF SQLCODE = 100 THEN
      SET V_EOC = 'Y';
    END IF;
    SET P_SUM = P_SUM + V_SAL;
  UNTIL V_EOC = 'Y'
  END REPEAT;

  CLOSE C1;
END P1

```



## Capturing SQLCODE & SQLSTATE

```

P1: BEGIN
  DECLARE SQLCODE INTEGER DEFAULT 0;
  DECLARE SQLSTATE CHAR(5) DEFAULT '00000';

  ...

  FETCH CURSOR1 INTO V1, V2;
  IF SQLCODE = 100 THEN
    SET EOF = 'Y';

```



## Unhandled Errors

```

CREATE PROCEDURE SPERR (OUT P_RETCODE INTEGER)
  VERSION VERSION1
P1: BEGIN
  DECLARE SQLCODE      INTEGER DEFAULT 0;
  DECLARE V1           DATE;

  SET P_RETCODE = 0;
  SELECT DATE ('2016-12-32')
    INTO V1
    FROM SYSIBM.SYSDUMMY1;
  SET P_RETCODE = SQLCODE;
END P1
    
```

Execution Stops Here!!



## Handlers

```

DECLARE { EXIT
         CONTINUE } HANDLER FOR { SQLEXCEPTION
                                  SQLWARNING
                                  NOT FOUND
                                  SQLSTATE 'value' }
    
```



## Exit Handler – Compound Statement

```
P1: BEGIN
  ...
  DECLARE EXIT HANDLER FOR SQLEXCEPTION
  BEGIN
    SET P_RETCODE = SQLCODE;
    GET DIAGNOSTICS CONDITION 1
    V_SQLMSG = MESSAGE_TEXT;
  END;
  ...
END P1
```

Variable  
from the SP

Handler code  
executes and  
procedure  
Exits

GET DIAGNOSTICS  
keyword

