



Writing a Db2 COBOL Cursor Update Program

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Objectives

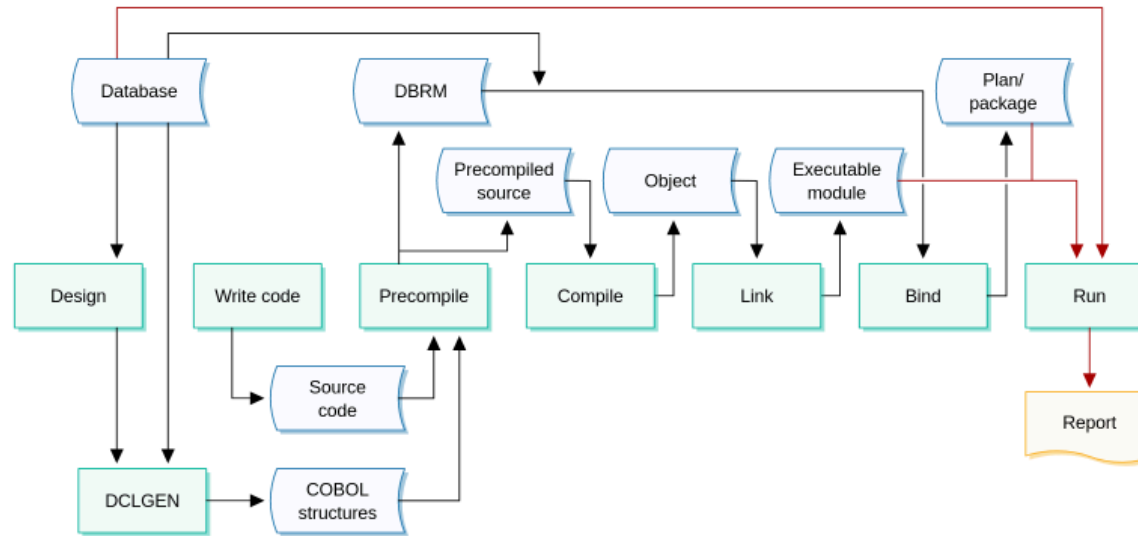
Writing a Db2 COBOL Cursor Update Program

In this module you will be building on your COBOL Db2 program. You are going to change your program to use a cursor and then update the cursor.

After completing this module you will be able to:

- Write a Db2 COBOL Program Using a Cursor
- Write a Db2 COBOL Update Program Using a Cursor





The process of building a cursor program is the same as for any Db2 program. Only the program logic and Db2 structures are different.

DEPARTMENT Table
DEPTNO (Primary key)
DEPTNAME
MGRNO
ADMRDEPT
LOCATION

EMPLOYEE Table
EMPNO (Primary key)
FIRSTNAME
MIDINIT
LASTNAME
WORKDEPT
PHONENO
HIREDATE
JOB
EDLEVEL
SEX
BIRTHDATE
SALARY
BONUS
COMM
DEPTNO

This exercise will carry on from the previous course where we used the two tables shown here.

We are going to list the contents of the DEPARTMENT table in preparation for updating the MGRNO field. This update will only need to occur if the WORKDEPT value in the EMPLOYEE table is equal to the DEPTNAME value in the DEPARTMENT table.

Because our SQL statements will need to process multiple rows, we are going to use a cursor.



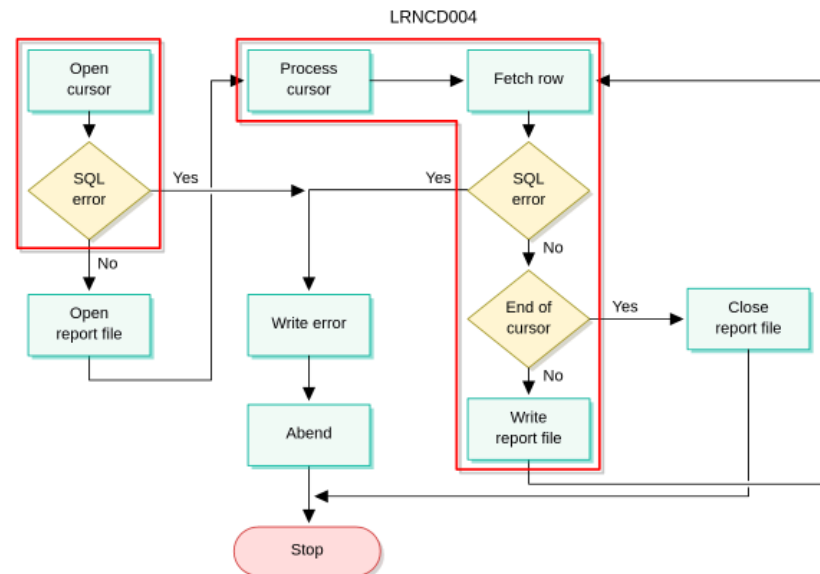
```
WORKING-STORAGE SECTION.  
  
EXEC SQL  
  INCLUDE DEPART  
END-EXEC.  
  
EXEC SQL  
  INCLUDE EMPPEE  
END-EXEC.  
  
EXEC SQL  
  INCLUDE SQLCA  
END-EXEC.  
  
01 PROGRAM-FIELDS.  
  05 WS-ZERO                PIC 9 VALUE 0.  
  05 WS-RCODE               PIC 9(04) COMP.  
  05 FILEERR-STATUS.  
    10 FILEERR-STATUS1     PIC X(01).  
    10 FILEERR-STATUS2     PIC X(01).  
    10 FILEERR-STATUSX2N   PIC 9(03).  
  10 WS-NUMBER-OF-DEPTS     PIC S9(4) USAGE COMP.  
  10 WS-NUMBER-OF-EMPLOYEES PIC S9(4) USAGE COMP.
```

This is the simple program you have already used which performs three SQL statements.

You will be using these tables and the Db2 interface is the same, so you do not need additional DCLGENs.

Scroll the window to view all the code.





There are some changes in the design of your program.

In your simple program you just issued an SQL statement. Now you must open a cursor and then loop through the cursor, fetching each row. When you have done so, you will close the cursor.

Note: You must also cater for an error when you open the cursor.

Click Play to see an example of this concept.



```
100-OPEN-CURSOR.  
  EXEC SQL  
    WHENEVER SQLERROR GOTO 390-SQL-ERROR  
  END-EXEC.  
  
  EXEC SQL  
    OPEN CURR-DEPT  
  END-EXEC.  
  
200-OPEN-FILES.  
  OPEN OUTPUT REPORT-FILE.  
  
300-PROCESS-CURSOR.  
  PERFORM 310-FETCH-AND-WRITE  
  UNTIL END-OF-TABLE.  
  
310-FETCH-AND-WRITE.  
  
380-END-DATA.  
  EXIT.  
  
390-SQL-ERROR.  
  -----
```

Here is the structure of your COBOL program. It has been modified by adding extra paragraphs for cursor processing, and some extra flag variables for program control.

The first item you are going to add is the cursor, which must be declared in working storage.

Scroll the window to view all the code.





```
05 WS-DEPARTMENT-RECORD.  
 10 FILLER                                PIC X(20)  
                                VALUE SPACES.  
 10 WS-DEPARTMENT-N0                    PIC 9(6).  
 10 FILLER                                PIC X(3) VALUE SPACES.  
 10 WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME                    PIC X(40).  
 10 FILLER                                PIC X(66) VALUE SPACES.  
  
EXEC SQL  
  declare curr-dept cursor for  
  select deptno, deptname from department  
END-EXEC.  
  
LINKAGE SECTION.
```

Step 2 of 3

You insert the SQL into the working storage section using an EXEC SQL block, but you must declare it as a cursor. You will declare it as a cursor named CURR-DEPT.

Type **DECLARE CURR-DEPT CURSOR FOR** and **press Enter**.



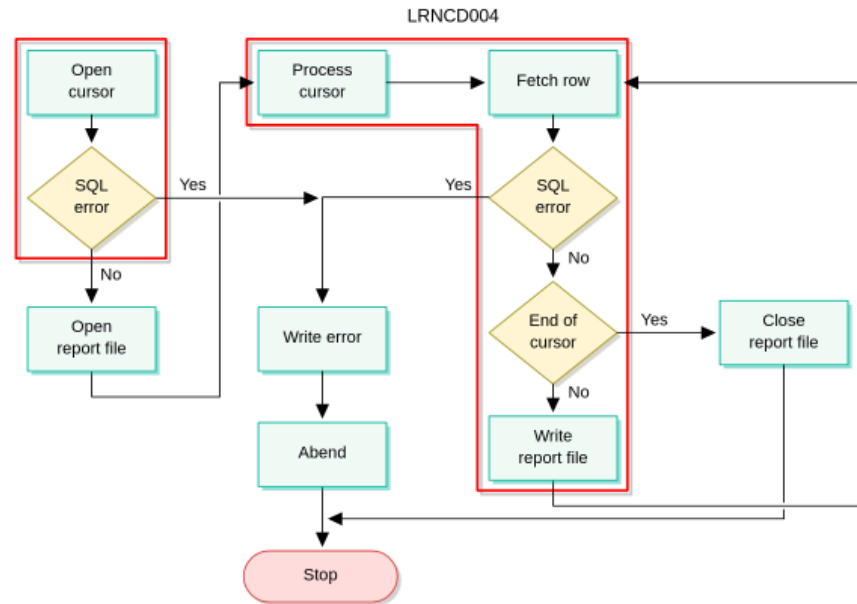

```
100-OPEN-CURSOR.  
EXEC SQL  
  WHENEVER SQLERROR GOTO 390-SQL-ERROR  
END-EXEC.  
  
EXEC SQL  
  OPEN CURR-DEPT  
END-EXEC.  
  
200-OPEN-FILES.  
.....  
.....  
  
910-CLOSE-CURSOR.  
EXEC SQL  
  CLOSE CURR-DEPT  
END-EXEC.  
  
990-ABEND.  
  DIVIDE 1 BY WS-ZERO GIVING WS-ZERO.  
  
9900-EXIT.  
  EXIT.
```

Step 3 of 3

Now you will code the OPEN and CLOSE cursor statements. Cursors are opened and closed by name. Note that Db2 can generate an error on an open cursor, so be sure to check the status or implement a WHENEVER clause, as was done here.

Type OPEN CURR-DEPT and CLOSE CURR-DEPT and **press** Enter.

That is incorrect



Now you can code the loop to fetch and process each row, and also to sense when you have processed all rows and exit the loop.

```
300-PROCESS-CURSOR.  
  
    PERFORM 310-FETCH-AND-WRITE  
        UNTIL END-OF-TABLE.  
  
310-FETCH-AND-WRITE.  
    INITIALIZE DCLDEPARTMENT.  
    PERFORM 320-FETCH-NEXT-ROW.  
    IF SQLCODE = 100  
        MOVE WC-TRUE TO WF-END-OF-TABLE-FLAG  
    ELSE  
        PERFORM 330-WRITE-RECORD  
    END-IF.  
  
320-FETCH-NEXT-ROW.  
    EXEC SQL  
        FETCH CURR-DEPT  
        INTO :DEPTNO,  
            :DEPTNAME  
    END-EXEC.  
  
330-WRITE-RECORD.  
    MOVE DEPTNO TO WS-DEPARTMENT-N0.  
    MOVE DEPTNAME TO WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME
```

Step 2 of 2

```
FETCH cursor-name  
INTO :host-var1  
     :host-var2
```

You know the cursor is called CURR-DEPT, the host variable is DEPTNO, and the structure is DEPTNAME. **Type** the FETCH statement using the format here, and **press Enter**.

That is incorrect



```
310-FETCH-AND-WRITE.  
    INITIALIZE DCLDEPARTMENT.  
    PERFORM 320-FETCH-NEXT-ROW.  
    IF SQLCODE = 100  
        MOVE WC-TRUE TO WF-END-OF-TABLE-FLAG  
    ELSE  
        PERFORM 330-WRITE-RECORD  
    END-IF.  
  
320-FETCH-NEXT-ROW.  
    EXEC SQL  
        FETCH CURR-DEPT  
        INTO :DEPTNO,  
            :DEPTNAME  
    END-EXEC.  
  
330-WRITE-RECORD.  
    MOVE DEPTNO                TO WS-DEPARTMENT-N0.  
    MOVE DEPTNAME-TEXT        TO WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME  
  
    MOVE WS-DEPARTMENT-RECORD TO PRINT-AREA.  
    WRITE REPORT-RECORD AFTER 1.  
  
380-END-DATA.
```

Here is your completed program. Now you will run it and see the output.

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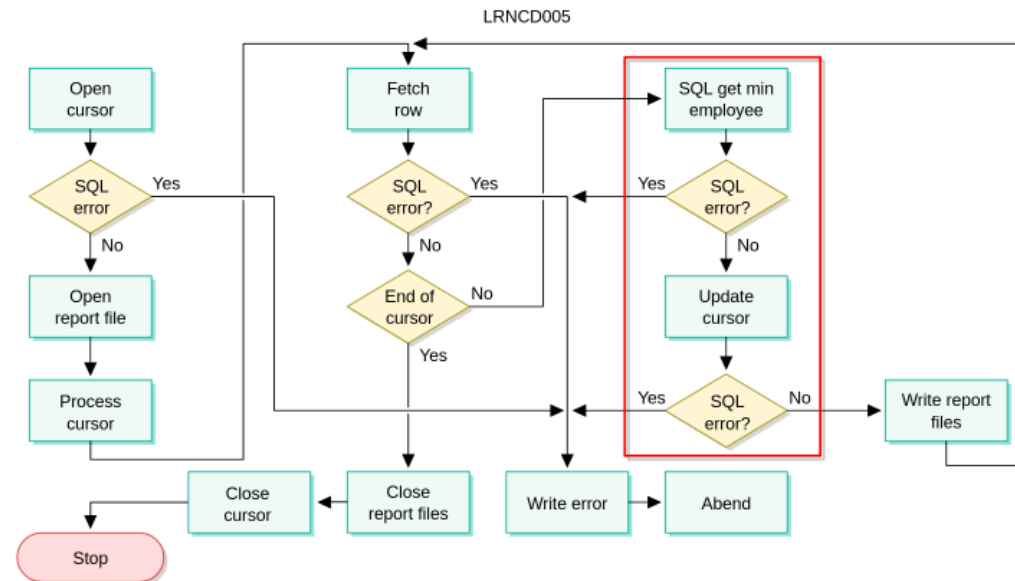




```
***** TOP OF DATA *****  
000A00 SPIFFY COMPUTER SERVICE DIV.  
000B01 PLANNING  
000C01 INFORMATION CENTER  
000D01 DEVELOPMENT CENTER  
000D11 MANUFACTURING SYSTEMS  
000D21 ADMINISTRATION SYSTEMS  
000E01 SUPPORT SERVICES  
000E11 OPERATIONS  
000E21 SOFTWARE SUPPORT  
***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****
```

You have produced a list of all the departments held in the department table.





The next step in our exercise is to update the MGRNO column in each row of the DEPARTMENT table, but only if the WORKDEPT value in the EMPLOYEE table is equal to the DEPTNAME value in the DEPARTMENT table.

The value used in the update process will be obtained from the minimum EMPNO value relating to each department.

If for some reason, departments do not have any employees (could be a new structure being set-up, or a redundant department), you will need to set the MGRNO value to '000000'.



```
05 WS-NUMBER-OF-EMPLOYEES PIC S9(9) USAGE COMP.
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01 REPORT-BUFFER PIC X(132).
01 WS-RESULT-FIELDS.
05 WS-TOTALS-RECORD.
10 FILLER PIC X(30)
   VALUE 'NUMBER OF DEPARTMENTS'.
10 WS-NOD-REP PIC 9(6).
10 FILLER PIC X(27)
   VALUE ' NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES'.
10 WS-NOE-REP PIC 9(6).
05 WS-DEPARTMENT-RECORD.
10 FILLER PIC X(20)
   VALUE SPACES.
10 WS-DEPARTMENT-NO PIC 9(6).
10 FILLER PIC X(3) VALUE SPACES.
10 WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME PIC X(40).
10 FILLER PIC X(6) VALUE SPACES.
10 WS-DEPT-MGRNO PIC X(6).
10 FILLER PIC X(54) VALUE SPACES.
```

Your program is shown here with a few changes. Fields have been added: one to hold a null indicator and others to display the updated MGRNO.

You must also change the way you declare the cursor and code the update logic.

Scroll the window to view all the code.



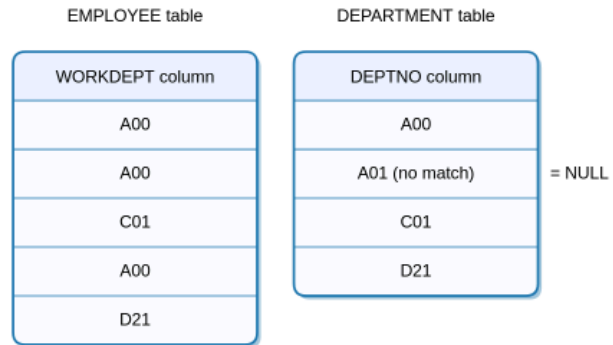
```
SELECT MIN(EMPNO)
INTO :EMPNO
FROM EMPLOYEE
WHERE WORKDEPT = :DEPTNO
```

In the next part of our exercise, you need to obtain the minimum EMPNO value relating to each department. The following is the additional criteria required for this statement:

- It needs to be retrieved from the EMPLOYEE table and stored in the :EMPNO host variable.
- A WHERE statement needs to be added so that the data is only stored if the WORKDEPT value in the EMPLOYEE table is equal to the :DEPTNO host variable that was set in an earlier SELECT statement.

An example of what is required is shown here.


```
SELECT MIN(EMPNO)
INTO :EMPNO :WS-NULL-IND
FROM EMPLOYEE
WHERE WORKDEPT = :DEPTNO
```



We also need to cater for a NULL condition if there are no employee rows whose WORKDEPT value matches :DEPTNO. In this situation we can provide a null indicator variable as shown above.

```
325-UPDATE-ROW.  
EXEC SQL  
    SELECT MIN(EMPNO)  
    INTO :EMPNO :WS-NULL-IND  
    FROM EMPLOYEE  
    WHERE WORKDEPT = :DEPTNO  
END-EXEC.  
.....  
330-WRITE-RECORD.  
MOVE DEPTNO TO WS-DEPARTMENT-N0.  
MOVE DEPTNAME-TEXT TO WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME.  
MOVE MGRNO TO WS-DEPT-MGRNO.  
  
MOVE WS-DEPARTMENT-RECORD TO PRINT-AREA.  
WRITE REPORT-RECORD AFTER 1.  
  
380-END-DATA.  
EXIT.  
.....
```

Step 1 of 4

```
SELECT MGRNO  
INTO :EMPNO :WS-NULL-IND  
FROM EMPLOYEE  
WHERE WORKDEPT = :DEPTNO
```

Type the above SELECT statement into the program and press Enter.

That is incorrect



```
325-UPDATE-ROW.  
  EXEC SQL  
    SELECT MIN(EMPNO)  
    INTO   :EMPNO :WS-NULL-IND  
    FROM   EMPLOYEE  
    WHERE  WORKDEPT = :DEPTNO  
  END-EXEC.  
  IF NOT NULL-SET  
    MOVE EMPNO TO MGRNO  
  ELSE  
    MOVE '000000' TO MGRNO  
  END-IF.  
  
  EXEC SQL  
    UPDATE DEPARTMENT  
    SET MGRNO = :MGRNO  
    WHERE CURRENT OF CURR-DEPT  
  END-EXEC.  
  
330-WRITE-RECORD.  
  MOVE DEPTNO           TO WS-DEPARTMENT-N0.  
  MOVE DEPTNAME-TEXT    TO WS-DEPARTMENT-NAME.  
  MOVE MGRNO            TO WS-DEPT-MGRNO.  
  .....  
.....
```

Step 4 of 4

You only want to update the current cursor row. To do this, you must restrict the update using a WHERE CURRENT OF cursor-name clause.

Your cursor name is CURR-DEPT.

Type the WHERE statement above and **press Enter**.





```
        WRITE REPORT-RECORD AFTER 1.  
  
380-END-DATA.  
    EXIT.  
  
390-SQL-ERROR.  
    DISPLAY 'SQLCODE ' SQLCODE.  
    DISPLAY 'SQLSTATE' SQLSTATE.  
    PERFORM 990-ABEND.  
  
900-CLOSE-FILES.  
    CLOSE  REPORT-FILE.  
  
910-CLOSE-CURSOR.  
    EXEC SQL  
        CLOSE CURR-DEPT  
    END-EXEC.  
  
990-ABEND.  
    DIVIDE 1 BY WS-ZERO GIVING WS-ZERO.  
  
9900-EXIT.  
    FXTT.
```

You have now completed your cursor update program. You can browse the complete program above.

If you precompile, compile, link, and bind the program, it is now ready to run.

Scroll the window to view all the code.

