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About this book

This book provides reference information about C++ API classes that you can use when you develop a wrapper for a data source. An overview of each class is presented with general descriptions and usage information. The member functions (and constructors and destructors, if applicable) of each C++ class are then listed with the corresponding purpose, syntax, return values, and necessary input and output arguments. After you develop a wrapper for a data source, you can use the data source in a federated database system.

Who should read this book

This book is intended for DBAs and wrapper developers who use APIs with DB2® Information Integrator that is offered by IBM®.

Conventions and terminology used in this book

Highlighting Conventions:

This book uses these highlighting conventions:

Boldface type

Indicates commands and graphical user interface controls (such as names of fields, names of push buttons, and menu choices). Boldface type is used to designate notes, restrictions, prerequisites, and recommendations.

Monospace type

Indicates text that you type, file names, and code examples. Monospace type is also used for SQL statement or DB2 command parameter names.

Italic type

Indicates SQL statement or DB2 command parameter values that you replace with an appropriate value. SQL statement or DB2 command examples use italic type for sample parameter values. Italic type is used to emphasize words, to identify new terms, and to indicate document titles.

UPPERCASE TYPE

Indicates the names of DB2 commands and SQL statements, and their keywords. Uppercase is also used for data type names, options, and acronyms.

C++ classes and methods

The following sections describe the classes that you can use with the C++ API. These classes include:

- Catalog classes
- Wrapper classes
- Server classes
- User classes
- Nickname classes
- Remote connection classes
- Operation classes
- Request classes
- Data classes
- Wrapper utilities classes

An overview of each class is presented with general descriptions and usage information. The member functions (and constructors and destructors, if applicable) of each class are then listed with the corresponding purpose, syntax, return values, and necessary input and output arguments.

Catalog classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each catalog class for the C++ API.

Table 1. Catalog classes

Class name	Description
Catalog_Option	The class that represents a named catalog option, either single-valued or multi-valued. Subclasses distinguish between these. Do not instantiate or subclass this class.
Wrapper_Info	A subclass of Catalog_Info that contains catalog information for a wrapper.
Server_Info	The class that encapsulates the catalog information for a server object (data from the CREATE SERVER and ALTER SERVER statements).
User_Info	The class that encapsulates the catalog information for a user mapping from the CREATE USER MAPPING and ALTER USER MAPPING statements.
Column_Info	The class that encapsulates catalog information for a column of a nickname. This class includes column statistical information.
Nickname_Info	The class that encapsulates a nickname definition from the catalog and includes column and index definitions.

Related reference:

- “Catalog_Option class (C++)” on page 2
- “Wrapper_Info class (C++)” on page 4
- “Server_Info class (C++)” on page 10

- “User_Info class (C++)” on page 19
- “Column_Info class (C++)” on page 25
- “Nickname_Info class (C++)” on page 42

Catalog_Option class (C++)

This topic describes the Catalog_Option class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Catalog_Option class represents a named catalog option. The catalog option can be either single valued or multivalued and is distinguished by subclasses.

The Catalog_Option class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage The DB2 federated server instantiates the named catalog options for each option that is specified in the catalog or on a Data Definition Language (DDL) statement. The wrapper can instantiate these named catalog options (through the add_option() method of a Catalog_Info subclass) to add or change option values.

File sqlqg_catalog.h

Data members

None.

Types Catalog_Option::action

Type enum

Values

Value	Description
sqlqg_None	No action occurs for this option
sqlqg_Add	The option is added to the catalog object
sqlqg_Set	The value of the option is changed for the catalog object
sqlqg_Drop	The option is dropped from the catalog object
sqlqg_SetSO	Not used by nonrelational wrappers

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Catalog_Option class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 2. Member functions for the Catalog_Option class

Member function	Description
get_name	Retrieve the option name.
get_action	Retrieve the action (ADD, SET, DROP, or none) for this option.
get_value	Retrieve the option value.
get_value	Retrieve the option value and length.

get_name function**Purpose**

Retrieve the option name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_name ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated option name.

get_action function**Purpose**

Retrieve the action (ADD, SET, DROP, or none) for this option.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option::Action get_action ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Action.

get_value function**Purpose**

Retrieve the option value.

Syntax

```
virtual sqluint8* get_value ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated option value.

get_value function**Purpose**

Retrieve the option value and length.

Syntax

```
virtual sqluint8* get_value (sqlint32* a_length)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 3. Output arguments for the `get_value` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_length</code>	<code>sqlint32*</code>	Length of the option value.

Return value

Null-terminated option value.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

Wrapper_Info class (C++)

This topic describes the `Wrapper_Info` class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The `Wrapper_Info` class is a subclass of `Catalog_Info` and contains catalog information for a wrapper.

The `Wrapper_Info` class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 federated server to contain information from a `CREATE WRAPPER` statement or from the DB2 Information Integrator catalog. This class is instantiated by the wrapper when information is added during `CREATE WRAPPER` or `ALTER WRAPPER` operations.

File `sqlqg_catalog.h`

Data members

None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the `Wrapper_Info` class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 4. Constructors for the `Wrapper_Info` class

Constructor	Description
<code>Wrapper_Info</code>	Construct an instance of <code>Wrapper_Info</code> .

Table 5. Member functions for the `Wrapper_Info` class

Member function	Description
<code>get_wrapper_name</code>	Retrieve the wrapper name.
<code>get_corelib</code>	Retrieve the name of the wrapper library.
<code>set_type</code>	Set the wrapper type.
<code>get_type</code>	Retrieve the wrapper type.
<code>set_version</code>	Set the wrapper code version.
<code>get_version</code>	Retrieve the wrapper version, if present.

Table 5. Member functions for the Wrapper_Info class (continued)

Member function	Description
copy	Duplicate a Wrapper_Info object.
add_option	Add an option to the catalog information.
drop_option	Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class.
get_option	Retrieve a catalog option by name.
get_first_option	Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.
get_next_option	Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Wrapper_Info constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Wrapper_Info.

Syntax

```
Wrapper_Info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

get_wrapper_name function

Purpose

Retrieve the wrapper name.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_wrapper_name (sqluint8** a_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 6. Output arguments for the get_wrapper_name member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated wrapper name string.

Return value

Return code. The value is 0 if the name is present. The value is SQLQG_NOVALUE if the name is not present.

get_corelib function

Purpose

Retrieve the name of the wrapper library. This name is the base name of the wrapper library from the CREATE WRAPPER statement.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_corelib (sqluint8** a_lib_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 7. Output arguments for the get_corelib member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_lib_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated library name string.

Return value

Return code. The value is 0 if the name is present. The value is SQLQG_NOVALUE if the name is not present.

set_type function

Purpose

Set the wrapper type.

Syntax

```
void set_type (sqluint8 a_wrapper_type)
```

Input arguments

Table 8. Input arguments for the set_type member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_type	sqluint8	Wrapper type (must be N).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_type function

Purpose

Retrieve the wrapper type.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_type (sqluint8* a_wrapper_type)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 9. Output arguments for the get_type member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_type	sqluint8*	Wrapper type.

Return value

Return code. The value is 0 if the type is present. The value is SQLQG_NOVALUE if the type is not present.

set_version function**Purpose**

Set the wrapper code version.

Syntax

```
void set_version (sqlint32 a_wrapper_version)
```

Input arguments

Table 10. Input arguments for the set_version member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_version	sqlint32	Wrapper code version.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_version function**Purpose**

Retrieve the wrapper version, if present.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_version (sqlint32* a_wrapper_version)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 11. Output arguments for the get_version member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_version	sqlint32*	Wrapper code version.

Return value

Return code. The value is 0 if the version is present. The value is SQLQG_NOVALUE if the version is not present.

copy function**Purpose**

Duplicate a Wrapper_Info object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 copy (Wrapper_Info** a_new_wrapper_info)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 12. Output arguments for the copy member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_wrapper_info	Wrapper_Info**	Pointer to the newly allocated Wrapper_Info.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Add an option to the catalog information.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function when wrapper-generated options are added to the catalog during CREATE WRAPPER and ALTER WRAPPER statement processing.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32  a_name_len,
                    sqluint8* a_opt_value,
                    sqlint32  a_value_len,
                    Catalog_Option::Action a_action
                    = Catalog_Option::sqlqg_None,
                    char*      a_option_type = "")
```

Input arguments

Table 13. Input arguments for the add_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.
a_opt_value	sqluint8*	Option value (not null-terminated).
a_value_len	sqlint32	Length of the option value.
a_action	Catalog_Option::Action	Action for this option (ADD, SET, DROP, or none).
a_option_type	char*	Token that is used in the SQLN1884 error message if this is a duplicate option. For wrapper options, use the SQLQG_WRAPPER_OPTION constant that is defined in the sqlqg_misc.h header file.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

drop_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class. This member function does not drop the option from the catalog. The option is dropped from the catalog when an option to a delta Catalog_Info object is added with an action of Catalog_Option::sqlqg_Drop.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 drop_option (Catalog_Option* a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 14. Input arguments for the drop_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option*	Option to be dropped.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a catalog option by name.

Usage The output argument option is null if the option is not found.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_option (sqluint8*      a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32      a_name_len,
                    Catalog_Option** a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 15. Input arguments for the get_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.

Output arguments

Table 16. Output arguments for the get_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option**	Found option.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the option was not found.

get_first_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_first_option ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the first option in the option chain. The value is null if the chain is empty.

get_next_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_next_option (Catalog_Option* a_current_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 17. Input arguments for the *get_next_option* member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_current_option	Catalog_Option*	Current option.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to next option in the option chain. The value is null if at the end.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

Server_Info class (C++)

This topic describes the `Server_Info` class and provides details for the constructors and the member functions.

Overview

The `Server_Info` class encapsulates the catalog information for a server object (data from `CREATE SERVER` and `ALTER SERVER` statements).

The Server_Info class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 federated server to contain information from a CREATE SERVER or an ALTER SERVER statement or to contain information from the DB2 Information Integrator catalog. This class is also instantiated by the wrapper when information is added during CREATE SERVER or ALTER SERVER statement operations.

File sqlqg_catalog.h

Data members

None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructors and the member functions of the Server_Info class. The constructors and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 18. Constructors for the Server_Info class

Constructor	Description
Server_Info	Construct an empty Server_Info object.
Server_Info	Construct a Server_Info object with specified parameters.

Table 19. Member functions for the Server_Info class

Member function	Description
add_option	Add a single-value option to the catalog information.
drop_option	Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class.
get_option	Retrieve a catalog option by name.
get_first_option	Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.
get_next_option	Retrieve the next option in the option chain.
get_basic_info	Retrieve basic information from a Server_Info object.
get_server_name	Retrieve the server name from Server_Info, if the name is valid.
set_server_type	Set the server type for the server.
get_server_type	Retrieve the server type from Server_Info, if the type is valid.
set_server_version	Set the server version for the server.
get_server_version	Retrieve the server version from Server_Info, if the version is valid.
get_wrapper_name	Retrieve the wrapper name from Server_Info, if the name is valid.
merge	Merge a delta Server_Info object into the current object.
copy	Duplicate a Server_Info object.

Server_Info constructor**Purpose**

Construct an empty Server_Info object.

Syntax

```
Server_Info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

Server_Info constructor**Purpose**

Construct a Server_Info object with specified parameters.

Syntax

```
Server_Info (sqlint32* a_rc,
            sqluint8* a_server_name,
            sqlint32 a_name_len,
            sqluint8* a_server_type,
            sqlint32 a_type_len,
            sqluint8* a_server_version,
            sqlint32 a_ver_len,
            sqluint8* a_server_wrapper,
            sqlint32 a_wrap_len);
```

Input arguments

Table 20. Input arguments for the Server_Info constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8*	Server name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the server name.
a_server_type	sqluint8*	Server type (not null-terminated).
a_type_len	sqlint32	Length of the server type.
a_server_version	sqluint8*	Server version (not null-terminated).
a_ver_len	sqlint32	Length of the server version.
a_server_wrapper	sqluint8*	Name of wrapper (not null-terminated).
a_wrap_len	sqlint32	Length of the wrapper name.

Output arguments

Table 21. Output arguments for the Server_info constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

add_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Add a single-value option to the catalog information.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function when wrapper-generated options are added to the catalog during CREATE SERVER or ALTER SERVER statement processing.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_name_len,
                    sqluint8* a_opt_value,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_value_len,
                    Catalog_Option::Action a_act
                    = Catalog_Option::sqlqg_None,
                    char* a_opt_type = "")
```

Input arguments*Table 22. Input arguments for the add_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_opt_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.
a_opt_value	sqluint8*	Option value (not null-terminated).
a_opt_value_len	sqlint32	Length of the option value.
a_act	Catalog_Option::Action	Action for this option (ADD, SET, DROP, or none).
a_opt_type	char*	Token that is used in the SQLN1884 error message if this is a duplicate option. Use the SQLQG_SERVER_OPTION constant that is defined in the sqlqg_misc.h header file.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

drop_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class. This member function does not drop the option from the catalog. The option is dropped when an option to a delta Catalog_Info object is added with an action of Catalog_Option::sqlqg_Drop.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 drop_option (Catalog_Option* a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 23. Input arguments for the drop_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option*	Option to be dropped.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a catalog option by name.

Usage The output argument option is null if the option is not found.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_option (sqluint8*      a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32      a_name_len,
                    Catalog_Option** a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 24. Input arguments for the get_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.

Output arguments

Table 25. Output arguments for the get_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option**	Found option.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the option was not found.

get_first_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_first_option ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the first option in the option chain. The value is null if the chain is empty.

get_next_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_next_option (Catalog_Option* a_current_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 26. Input arguments for the get_next_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_current_option	Catalog_Option*	Current option.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the next option in the chain. The value is null if at the end.

get_basic_info function**Purpose**

Retrieve basic information from a Server_Info object. Unlike other get_XXX member routines, the get_basic_info member function returns SQLQG_ERROR and logs an error if any of the data items are not valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_basic_info (sqluint8** a_server_name,
                        sqluint8** a_server_type,
                        sqluint8** a_server_version,
                        sqluint8** a_server_wrapper)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 27. Output arguments for the get_basic_info member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated server name.

Table 27. Output arguments for the `get_basic_info` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_server_type</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Pointer to the null-terminated server type.
<code>a_server_version</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Pointer to the null-terminated server version.
<code>a_server_wrapper</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Pointer to the null-terminated wrapper name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_server_name function**Purpose**

Retrieve the server name from `Server_Info`, if the name is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_server_name (sqluint8** a_server_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output argumentsTable 28. Output arguments for the `get_server_name` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_server_name</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Pointer to a null-terminated server name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. `SQLQG_NOVALUE` indicates that the server name is not set.

set_server_type function**Purpose**

Set the server type for the server.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function during `CREATE SERVER` or `ALTER SERVER` statement processing to supply a default value when a default value is not present in the original statement.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_server_type (sqluint8* a_server_type,
                        sqlint32 a_server_type_len)
```

Input argumentsTable 29. Input arguments for the `set_server_type` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_server_type</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Server type (not null-terminated).
<code>a_server_type_len</code>	<code>sqlint32</code>	Length of server type.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_server_type function**Purpose**

Retrieve the server type from Server_Info, if the type is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_server_type (sqluint8** a_server_type)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 30. Output arguments for the get_server_type member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_type	sqluint8**	Pointer to a null-terminated server type.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the server type is not set.

set_server_version function**Purpose**

Set the server version for the server.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function during CREATE SERVER or ALTER SERVER statement processing to supply a default server version if a default server version is not specified in the DDL.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_server_version (sqluint8* a_server_version,
                             sqlint32 a_server_version_len)
```

Input arguments*Table 31. Input arguments for the set_server_version member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_version	sqluint8*	Server version (not null-terminated).
a_server_version_len	sqlint32	Length of the server version.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_server_version function**Purpose**

Retrieve the server version from Server_Info, if the version is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_server_version (sqluint8** a_server_version)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 32. Output arguments for the get_server_version member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_version	sqluint8**	Pointer to a null-terminated server version.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the server version is not set.

get_wrapper_name function**Purpose**

Retrieve the wrapper name from Server_Info, if the name is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_wrapper_name (sqluint8** a_wrapper_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 33. Output arguments for the get_wrapper_name member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to a null-terminated wrapper name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the wrapper name is not set.

merge function**Purpose**

Merge a delta Server_Info object into the current object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 merge (Server_Info* a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 34. Input arguments for the merge member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	Server_Info*	Delta object.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

copy function**Purpose**

Duplicate a Server_Info object.

Syntax

sqlint32 copy (Server_Info** a_new_server_info)

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 35. Output arguments for the copy member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_server_info	Server_Info**	Pointer to the new Server_Info object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

User_Info class (C++)

This topic describes the User_Info class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The User_Info class encapsulates the catalog information for a user mapping from the CREATE USER MAPPING and ALTER USER MAPPING statements.

The User_Info class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 federated server to contain information from a CREATE USER MAPPING or an ALTER USER MAPPING statement or to contain information from the DB2 Information Integrator catalog. This class is instantiated by the wrapper when information is added during CREATE USER MAPPING or ALTER USER MAPPING statement processing.

File sqlqg_catalog.h

Data members

None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the User_Info class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 36. Constructors for the User_Info class

Constructor	Description
User_Info	Construct a default (empty) User_Info object.

Table 37. Member functions for the User_Info class

Member function	Description
get_server_name	Retrieve the server name for this user mapping.
get_authid	Retrieve the authorization ID for this user mapping.
merge	Merge a delta User_Info object into the current object.
copy	Create a copy of the current User_Info object.
add_option	Add a single-value option to the catalog information.
drop_option	Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class.
get_option	Retrieve a catalog option by name.
get_first_option	Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.
get_next_option	Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

User_Info constructor

Purpose

Construct a default (empty) User_Info object.

Syntax

```
User_Info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_server_name function

Purpose

Retrieve the server name for this user mapping.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_server_name (sqluint8** a_server_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 38. Output arguments for the get_server_name member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to a null-terminated server name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the server name is not valid or is not set.

get_authid function**Purpose**

Retrieve the authorization ID for this user mapping.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_authid (sqluint8** a_authid)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 39. Output arguments for the get_authid member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_authid	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated authorization ID.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the ID is not valid or is not set.

merge function**Purpose**

Merge a delta User_Info object into the current object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 merge (User_Info* a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 40. Input arguments for the merge member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	User_Info*	Delta object to be merged.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

copy function

Purpose

Create a copy of the current User_Info object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 copy (User_Info** a_new_user_info)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 41. Output arguments for the copy member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_user_info	User_Info**	Pointer to the duplicate object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_option function

Purpose

Add a single-value option to the catalog information.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function during CREATE USER MAPPING or ALTER USER MAPPING statement processing to add wrapper-generated options.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_name_len,
                    sqluint8* a_opt_value,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_value_len,
                    Catalog_Option::Action a_act
                    = Catalog_Option::sqlqg_None,
                    char* option_type = "")
```

Input arguments

Table 42. Input arguments for the add_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_opt_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.
a_opt_value	sqluint8*	Option value (not null-terminated).
a_opt_value_len	sqlint32	Length of the option value.
a_act	Catalog_Option::Action	Action for this option (ADD, SET, DROP, or none).
a_opt_type	char*	Token that is used in an SQLN1884 error message if this is a duplicate option. Use the SQLQG_USER_OPTION constant that is defined in the sqlqg_misc.h header file.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

drop_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class. This member function does not drop the option from the catalog. The option drops when an option to a delta Catalog_Info object is added with an action of Catalog_Option::sqlqg_Drop.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 drop_option (Catalog_Option* a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 43. Input arguments for the drop_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option*	Option to be dropped.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a catalog option by name.

Usage The output argument option is null if the option is not found.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_option (sqluint8*      a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32      a_name_len,
                    Catalog_Option** a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 44. Input arguments for the get_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.

Output arguments

Table 45. Output arguments for the `get_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_option</code>	<code>Catalog_Option**</code>	Found option.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. `SQLQG_NOVALUE` indicates that the option was not found.

get_first_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_first_option ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the first option in the option chain. The value is null if the chain is empty.

get_next_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_next_option (Catalog_Option* a_current_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 46. Input arguments for the `get_next_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_current_option</code>	<code>Catalog_Option*</code>	Current option.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to next option in the chain. The value is null if at the end.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

Column_Info class (C++)

This topic describes the Column_Info class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Column_Info class encapsulates catalog information for a column of a nickname. This class includes column-statistical information.

The Column_Info class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 federated server to contain information from a CREATE NICKNAME or an ALTER NICKNAME statement or to contain information from the DB2 Information Integrator catalog. This class is instantiated by the wrapper when information is added during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement operations.

File sqlqg_catalog.h

Data members
None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Column_Info class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 47. Constructors for the Column_Info class

Constructor	Description
Column_Info	Construct a default (empty) Column_Info object.

Table 48. Member functions for the Column_Info class

Member function	Description
set_column_name	Set the name for the column.
get_column_name	Retrieve the name for this column.
get_new_column_name	Retrieve the new column name that is specified in an ALTER COLUMN statement that includes an ALTER (or SET) COLUMN clause to rename the column.
set_column_type	Set the type for the column.
get_column_type	Retrieve the local column type from Column_Info if the type is valid.
set_for_bit_data	Set the FOR BIT DATA flag for the column.
get_for_bit_data	Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the column, if the flag is valid.
set_column_ID	Set the ID (position) for the column.
get_column_ID	Retrieve the ID (position) for the column, if the ID is valid.
set_org_length	Set the maximum length for the column.

Table 48. Member functions for the Column_Info class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_org_length	Retrieve the maximum column length from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_org_scale	Set the numeric scale for the column.
get_org_scale	Retrieve the numeric scale from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_nulls	Set the nulls-allowed flag for the column.
get_nulls	Retrieve the nulls-allowed flag from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_avg_length	Set the average length for the column.
get_avg_length	Retrieve the average column length from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_high2key	Set the second-highest value for the column.
get_high2key	Retrieve the second-highest value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_low2key	Set the second-lowest value for the column.
get_low2key	Retrieve the second-lowest value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
get_default	Retrieve the default value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_colcard	Set the cardinality for the column.
get_colcard	Retrieve the cardinality from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_codepage1	Set the code page for the column.
get_codepage1	Retrieve the code page from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
set_codepage2	Set the code page for the column.
get_codepage2	Retrieve the code page from Column_Info, if the value is valid.
merge	Merge a delta Column_Info object into the current object.
copy	Duplicate a Column_Info object.
add_option	Add a single-value option to the catalog information.
drop_option	Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class.
get_option	Retrieve a catalog option by name.
get_first_option	Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.
get_next_option	Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Column_Info constructor

Purpose

Construct a default (empty) Column_Info object.

Syntax

```
Column_Info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

set_column_name function**Purpose**

Set the name for the column.

Usage Do not use this member function to change the name of a column.**Syntax**

```
sqlint32 set_column_name (sqluint8* a_column_name,
                        sqlint32 a_column_name_len)
```

Input arguments*Table 49. Input arguments for the set_column_name member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_name	sqluint8*	Column name (not null-terminated).
a_column_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the column name.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_column_name function**Purpose**

Retrieve the name for this column.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column_name (sqluint8** a_column_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 50. Output arguments for the get_column_name member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to a null-terminated column name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the column name is not valid or is not set.

get_new_column_name function**Purpose**

Retrieve the new column name that is specified in an ALTER COLUMN statement that includes an ALTER (or SET) COLUMN clause to rename the column.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_new_column_name (sqluint8** a_new_col_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 51. Output arguments for the get_new_column_name member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_col_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to a new null-terminated column name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the new column name is not set.

set_column_type function**Purpose**

Set the type for the column.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_column_type (sqluint8* a_column_type,
                          sqlint32 a_column_type_len)
```

Input arguments

Table 52. Input arguments for the set_column_type member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_type	sqluint8*	Column type (not null-terminated).
a_column_type_len	sqlint32	Length of the column type.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_column_type function**Purpose**

Retrieve the local column type from Column_Info, if the type is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column_type (sqluint8** a_column_type)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 53. Output arguments for the get_column_type member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_type	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated column type.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the type is not set.

set_for_bit_data function**Purpose**

Set the FOR BIT DATA flag for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_for_bit_data (sqluint8 a_for_bit_data)
```

Input arguments*Table 54. Input arguments for the set_for_bit_data member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_for_bit_data	sqluint8	FOR BIT DATA flag (the flag must be 'Y' or 'N').

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_for_bit_data function**Purpose**

Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the column, if the flag is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_for_bit_data (sqluint8* a_for_bit_data)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 55. Output arguments for the get_for_bit_data member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_for_bit_data	sqluint8*	The flag, which must be 'Y' or 'N'.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the flag is not set.

set_column_ID function**Purpose**

Set the ID (position) for the column.

Usage Do not use this member function to change the order of the columns in a nickname.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_column_ID (sqlint16 a_column_ID)
```

Input arguments

Table 56. Input arguments for the set_column_ID member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_ID	sqlint16	Column ID (position).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_column_ID function**Purpose**

Retrieve the ID (position) for the column, if the ID is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column_ID (sqluint16* a_column_ID)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 57. Output arguments for the get_column_ID member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_ID	sqluint16*	Column ID.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the ID is not set.

set_org_length function**Purpose**

Set the maximum length (in bytes) for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_org_length (sqlint32 a_org_length)
```

Input arguments*Table 58. Input arguments for the set_org_length member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_org_length	sqlint32	Maximum length of the column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_org_length function**Purpose**

Retrieve the maximum column length (in bytes) from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_org_length (sqlint32* a_org_length)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 59. Output arguments for the get_org_length member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_org_length	sqlint32*	Maximum length of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_org_scale function**Purpose**

Set the numeric scale for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_org_scale (sqlint16 a_org_scale)
```

Input arguments*Table 60. Input arguments for the set_org_scale member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_org_scale	sqlint16	Scale.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_org_scale function**Purpose**

Retrieve the numeric scale from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_org_scale (sqlint16* a_org_scale)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 61. Output arguments for the get_org_scale member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_org_scale	sqlint16*	Numeric scale.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_nulls function**Purpose**

Set the nulls-allowed flag for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_nulls (sqluint8 a_nulls)
```

Input arguments

Table 62. Input arguments for the set_nulls member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_nulls	sqluint8	Nulls-allowed flag. The flag must be 'Y' or 'N'.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_nulls function**Purpose**

Retrieve the nulls-allowed flag from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_nulls (sqluint8* a_nulls)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 63. Output arguments for the get_nulls member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_nulls	sqluint8*	Nulls-allowed flag of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_avg_length function**Purpose**

Set the average length (in bytes) for the column.

Usage The wrapper sets the average length of a column during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing. The DB2 optimizer uses this average length information when the optimizer develops a query optimization plan.

Syntax

```
void set_avg_len (sqlint32 a_avg_len)
```

Input arguments*Table 64. Input arguments for the set_avg_length member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_avg_len	sqlint32	Average length of the column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_avg_length function**Purpose**

Retrieve the average column length (in bytes) from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_avg_length (sqlint32* a_avg_len)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 65. Output arguments for the get_avg_length member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_avg_len	sqlint32*	Average length of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_high2key function**Purpose**

Set the second-highest value for the column.

Usage The wrapper can set the second-highest value of a column during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing. The DB2 optimizer can use this second-highest value or the highest value when the optimizer develops a query optimization plan.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_high2key (sqluint8* a_high2key,
                    sqlint32 a_high2key_len)
```

Input arguments

Table 66. Input arguments for the set_high2key member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_high2key	sqluint8*	Second-highest character string value (not null-terminated).
a_high2key_len	sqlint32	Length of the value.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_high2key function**Purpose**

Retrieve the second-highest value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_high2key (sqluint8** a_high2key)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 67. Output arguments for the get_high2key member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_high2key	sqluint8**	Second-highest value of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_low2key function

Purpose

Set the second-lowest value for the column.

Usage The wrapper can set the second-lowest value of a column during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing. The DB2 optimizer can use this second-lowest value or the lowest value when the optimizer develops a query optimization plan.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_low2key (sqluint8* a_low2key,  
                    sqlint32 a_low2key_len)
```

Input arguments

Table 68. Input arguments for the set_low2key member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_low2key	sqluint8*	Second-lowest character string value (not null-terminated).
a_low2key_len	sqlint32	Length of the value.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_low2key function

Purpose

Retrieve the second-lowest value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_low2key (sqluint8** a_low2key)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 69. Output arguments for the get_low2key member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_low2key	sqluint8**	Second-lowest value of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

get_default function

Purpose

Retrieve the default value from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_default (sqluint8** a_default)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 70. Output arguments for the `get_default` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_default</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Default value of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. `SQLQG_NOVALUE` indicates that the value is not set.

set_colcard function

Purpose

Set the cardinality for the column.

Usage The wrapper sets the column cardinality (if known) during `CREATE NICKNAME` or `ALTER NICKNAME` statement processing. The DB2 optimizer uses this information when it generates an optimal performance plan. For columns with distinct values (no duplicates), the column cardinality must be the same as the nickname cardinality. The DB2 optimizer generates an error if the column cardinality is greater than the nickname cardinality.

Syntax

```
void set_colcard (sqlint64 a_colcard)
```

Input arguments

Table 71. Input arguments for the `set_colcard` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_colcard</code>	<code>sqlint64</code>	Cardinality of the column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_colcard function

Purpose

Retrieve the cardinality from `Column_Info`, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_colcard (sqlint64* a_colcard)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 72. Output arguments for the get_colcard member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_colcard	sqlint64*	Cardinality of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_codepage1 function**Purpose**

Set the code page for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_codepage1 (sqlint16 a_codepage1)
```

Input arguments*Table 73. Input arguments for the set_codepage1 member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_codepage1	sqlint16	Code page of the column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_codepage1 function**Purpose**

Retrieve the code page from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_codepage1 (sqlint16* a_codepage1)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 74. Output arguments for the get_codepage1 member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_codepage1	sqlint16*	Code page of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_codepage2 function**Purpose**

Set the code page for the column.

Syntax

```
void set_codepage2 (sqlint16 a_codepage2)
```

Input arguments

Table 75. Input arguments for the set_codepage2 member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_codepage2	sqlint16	Code page of the column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_codepage2 function**Purpose**

Retrieve the code page from Column_Info, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_codepage2 (sqlint16* a_codepage2)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 76. Output arguments for the get_codepage2 member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_codepage2	sqlint16*	Code page of the column.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

merge function**Purpose**

Merge a delta Column_Info object into the current object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 merge (Column_Info* a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 77. Input arguments for the merge member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	Column_Info*	Data to be merged.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

copy function**Purpose**

Duplicate a Column_Info object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 copy (Column_Info** a_new_column_info)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 78. Output arguments for the copy member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_column_info	Column_Info**	Pointer to the duplicate object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Add a single-value option to the catalog information.

Usage The wrapper invokes this member function when wrapper-generated options are added to the catalog during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_name_len,
                    sqluint8* a_opt_value,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_value_len,
                    Catalog_Option::Action a_act
                    = Catalog_Option::sqlqg_None,
                    char* a_opt_type = "")
```

Input arguments

Table 79. Input arguments for the add_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_opt_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.
a_opt_value	sqluint8*	Option value (not null-terminated).
a_opt_value_len	sqlint32	Length of the option value.
a_act	Catalog_Option::Action	Action for this option (ADD, SET, DROP, or none).

Table 79. Input arguments for the `add_option` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_opt_type</code>	<code>char*</code>	Token that is used in the SQLN1884 error message if this is a duplicate option. Use the <code>SQLQG_COLUMN_OPTION</code> constant that is defined in the <code>sqlqg_misc.h</code> header file.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

drop_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Delete an option from a `Column_Info` class. This member function does not drop the option from the catalog. The option drops when an option to a delta `Catalog_Info` object is added with an action of `Catalog_Option::sqlqg_Drop`.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 drop_option (Catalog_Option* a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 80. Input arguments for the `drop_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_option</code>	<code>Catalog_Option*</code>	Option to be dropped.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Retrieve a catalog option by name.

Usage The output argument `a_option` is null if the option is not found.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_option (sqluint8*      a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32      a_name_len,
                    Catalog_Option** a_option)
```


Input arguments*Table 81. Input arguments for the get_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.

Output arguments*Table 82. Output arguments for the get_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option**	Found option.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the option was not found.

get_first_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_first_option ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the first option in the chain. The value is null if the chain is empty.

get_next_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_next_option (Catalog_Option* a_current_option)
```

Input arguments*Table 83. Input arguments for the get_next_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_current_option	Catalog_Option*	Current option.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the next option in the chain. The value is null if at the end.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

Nickname_Info class (C++)

This topic describes the Nickname_Info class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Nickname_Info class encapsulates a nickname definition from the catalog and includes column definitions.

The Nickname_Info class is one of the catalog classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 federated server to contain information from a CREATE NICKNAME or an ALTER NICKNAME statement or to contain information from the DB2 Information Integrator catalog. This class is instantiated by the wrapper when information is added during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement operations.

File sqlqg_catalog.h

Data members

None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Nickname_Info class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 84. Constructors for the Nickname_Info class

Constructor	Description
Nickname_Info	Construct a default (empty) Nickname_Info object.

Table 85. Member functions for the Nickname_Info class

Member function	Description
get_local_schema	Retrieve the local schema name for the nickname.
get_nickname	Retrieve the local name for the nickname.
get_server_name	Retrieve the server name for the nickname.
set_card	Set the cardinality for the nickname.
get_card	Retrieve the nickname cardinality, if the value is valid.
set_npages	Set the npages statistic for the nickname.

Table 85. Member functions for the Nickname_Info class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_npages	Retrieve the nickname npages statistic, if the value is valid.
set_fpages	Set the fpages statistic for the nickname.
get_fpages	Retrieve the nickname fpages statistic, if the value is valid.
set_overflow	Set the overflow statistic for the nickname.
get_overflow	Retrieve the nickname overflow statistic, if the value is valid.
insert_column	Add a column definition to the nickname information.
replace_column	Replace a column definition in the nickname information.
get_number_columns	Retrieve the number of columns for the nickname.
get_first_column	Retrieve a pointer to the first Column_Info object for the nickname.
get_next_column	Retrieve a pointer to the next Column_Info object.
get_column	Retrieve a column description by (local) name.
merge	Merge a delta Nickname_Info object into the current object.
copy	Duplicate a Nickname_Info object.
add_option	Add a single-value option to the catalog information.
drop_option	Delete an option from a Catalog_Info class.
get_option	Retrieve a catalog option by name.
get_first_option	Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.
get_next_option	Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Nickname_Info constructor

Purpose

Construct a default (empty) Nickname_Info object.

Syntax

```
Nickname_Info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_local_schema function

Purpose

Retrieve the local schema name for the nickname.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_local_schema (sqluint8** a_local_schema)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 86. Output arguments for the get_local_schema member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_local_schema	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated local schema name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

get_nickname function

Purpose

Retrieve the local name for the nickname.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_nickname (sqluint8** a_nickname)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 87. Output arguments for the get_nickname member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_nickname	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated local name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

get_server_name function

Purpose

Retrieve the server name for the nickname.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_server_name (sqluint8** a_server_name)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 88. Output arguments for the get_server_name member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8**	Pointer to the null-terminated server name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_card function**Purpose**

Set the cardinality for the nickname.

Usage

The wrapper can invoke this member function during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing to specify an initial cardinality for a nickname. The set_colcard method of the Column_Info object can be used to set individual column cardinalities. For columns with unique values, the column cardinality must equal the nickname cardinality. The column cardinality cannot be greater than the nickname cardinality.

Syntax

```
void set_card (sqlint64 a_card)
```

Input arguments*Table 89. Input arguments for the set_card member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_card	sqlint64	Cardinality for the nickname.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_card function**Purpose**

Retrieve the nickname cardinality, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_card (sqlint64* a_card)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 90. Output arguments for the get_card member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_card	sqlint64*	Nickname cardinality.

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Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_npages function

Purpose

Set the npages statistic for the nickname.

Syntax

```
void set_npages (sqlint32 a_npages)
```

Input arguments

Table 91. Input arguments for the set_npages member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_npages	sqlint32	Npages value for the nickname.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_npages function

Purpose

Retrieve the nickname npages statistic, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_npages (sqlint32* a_npages)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 92. Output arguments for the get_npages member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_npages	sqlint32*	Nickname npages statistic.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_fpages function

Purpose

Set the fpages statistic for the nickname.

Syntax

```
void set_fpages (sqlint32 a_fpages)
```

Input arguments*Table 93. Input arguments for the set_fpages member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_fpages	sqlint32	Fpages statistic for the nickname.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_fpages function**Purpose**

Retrieve the nickname fpages statistic, if the value is valid.

Syntax

sqlint32 get_fpages (sqlint32* a_fpages)

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 94. Output arguments for the get_fpages member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_fpages	sqlint32*	Nickname fpages statistic.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

set_overflow function**Purpose**

Set the overflow statistic for the nickname.

Syntax

void set_overflow (sqlint32 a_overflow)

Input arguments*Table 95. Input arguments for the set_overflow member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_overflow	sqlint32	Overflow statistic for the nickname.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_overflow function

Purpose

Retrieve the nickname overflow statistic, if the value is valid.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_overflow (sqlint32* a_overflow)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 96. Output arguments for the get_overflow member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_overflow	sqlint32*	Nickname overflow statistic.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the value is not set.

insert_column function

Purpose

Add a column definition to the nickname information.

Usage The Column_Info object must be allocated on the heap (using new). This routine takes control of the pointer. If the column ID for the a_new_col_info argument is set, an error occurs.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 insert_column (Column_Info* a_new_col_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 97. Input arguments for the insert_column member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_col_info	Column_Info*	Column_Info object to add.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

replace_column function

Purpose

Replace a column definition in the nickname information. Two column definitions are considered the same if these column definitions use the same ID.

Usage If the column ID is not set in the a_new_col_info argument, an error occurs.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 replace_column (Column_Info* a_new_col_info)
```


Input arguments*Table 98. Input arguments for the replace_column member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_col_info	Column_Info*	Column_Info to replace.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_number_columns function**Purpose**

Retrieve the number of columns for the nickname.

Syntax

```
sqlint16 get_number_columns ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of columns.

get_first_column function**Purpose**

Retrieve a pointer to the first Column_Info object for the nickname.

Usage Columns are maintained in order by ID.**Syntax**

```
Column_Info* get_first_column ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to first Column_Info object. The value is null if the list is empty.

get_next_column function**Purpose**

Retrieve a pointer to the next Column_Info object.

Usage Columns are maintained in order by ID.**Syntax**

```
Column_Info* get_next_column (Column_Info* a_cur_col_info)
```

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Input arguments

Table 99. Input arguments for the `get_next_column` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_cur_col_info</code>	<code>Column_Info*</code>	Current column.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to next `Column_Info`. The value is null if at the end of the list.

get_column function

Purpose

Retrieve a column description by (local) name.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column (sqluint8* a_col_name,  
                    sqlint32 a_col_name_len,  
                    Column_Info** a_col_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 100. Input arguments for the `get_column` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_col_name</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Column name (not null-terminated).
<code>a_col_name_len</code>	<code>sqlint32</code>	Length of the column name.

Output arguments

Table 101. Output arguments for the `get_column` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_col_info</code>	<code>Column_Info**</code>	Pointer to the <code>Column_Info</code> object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. `SQLQG_NOVALUE` indicates that the column name is not found.

merge function

Purpose

Merge a delta `Nickname_Info` object into the current object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 merge (Nickname_Info* a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 102. Input arguments for the `merge` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_delta_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info*</code>	Data to be merged.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

copy function

Purpose

Duplicate a Nickname_Info object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 copy (Nickname_Info** a_new_idx_info)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 103. Output arguments for the copy member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_idx_info	Nickname_Info**	Pointer to the duplicate object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_option function

Where defined

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Add a single-value option to the catalog information.

Usage The wrapper can invoke this member function when wrapper-generated options are added to the catalog during CREATE NICKNAME or ALTER NICKNAME statement processing.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_name_len,
                    sqluint8* a_opt_value,
                    sqlint32 a_opt_value_len,
                    Catalog_Option::Action a_act
                    = Catalog_Option::sqlqq_None,
                    char* a_opt_type = "")
```

Input arguments

Table 104. Input arguments for the add_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_opt_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.
a_opt_value	sqluint8*	Option value (not null-terminated).
a_opt_value_len	sqlint32	Length of the option value.

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Table 104. Input arguments for the `add_option` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_act</code>	<code>Catalog_Option::Action</code>	Action for this option (ADD, SET, DROP, or none).
<code>a_opt_type</code>	<code>char*</code>	Token to be used in the SQLN1884 error message if this is a duplicate option. Use the <code>SQLQG_NICKNAME_OPTION</code> constant that is defined in the <code>sqlqg_misc.h</code> header file.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

drop_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Delete an option from a `Catalog_Info` class.

Usage This member function does not drop the option from the catalog. The option is dropped from the catalog when an option to a delta `Catalog_Info` object is added with an action of `Catalog_Option::sqlqg_Drop`.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 drop_option (Catalog_Option* a_option)
```

Input arguments

Table 105. Input arguments for the `drop_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_option</code>	<code>Catalog_Option*</code>	Option to be dropped.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_option function

Where defined

`Catalog_Info`

Purpose

Retrieve a catalog option by name.

Usage The output argument `a_option` is null if the option is not found.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name,  
                    sqlint32 a_name_len,  
                    Catalog_Option** a_option)
```

Input arguments*Table 106. Input arguments for the get_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Option name (not null-terminated).
a_name_len	sqlint32	Length of the option name.

Output arguments*Table 107. Output arguments for the get_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_option	Catalog_Option**	Found option.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. SQLQG_NOVALUE indicates that the option was not found.

get_first_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the first option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_first_option ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to first option in the chain. The value is null if the chain is empty.

get_next_option function**Where defined**

Catalog_Info

Purpose

Retrieve the next option in the option chain.

Syntax

```
Catalog_Option* get_next_option (Catalog_Option* a_current_option)
```

Input arguments*Table 108. Input arguments for the get_next_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_current_option	Catalog_Option*	Current option.

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Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to next option in the chain. The value is null if at the end.

Related reference:

- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1

Wrapper classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each wrapper class for the C++ API.

Table 109. Wrapper classes

Class name	Description
Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper	This class represents the wrapper on the unfenced (trusted) process space and is responsible for the verification of catalog data.
Fenced_Generic_Wrapper	This class represents the wrapper on the fenced process space.

Related reference:

- “Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class (C++)” on page 54
- “Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class (C++)” on page 62

Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class (C++)

This topic describes the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class and provides details for the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions.

Overview

The Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class represents the wrapper on the unfenced (trusted) process space and verifies catalog data.

The Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class is one of the wrapper classes for the C++ API.

Usage The wrapper must implement a subclass of the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class. This class is instantiated by the wrapper-specific UnfencedWrapper_Hook function.

File sqlqg_unfenced_generic_wrapper.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 110. Data members for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Name	Data type	Description
m_info	Wrapper_Info*	Contains the catalog information for the wrapper.

Table 110. Data members for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
m_name	sqluint8*	Pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the name of the wrapper.
m_corelib	sqluint8*	Pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the name of the wrapper library. This name is the wrapper library that is used in the CREATE WRAPPER statement. This name does not correspond to the library that is used during statement processing.
m_version	sqlint32	Version of the wrapper code.

Constructors, destructors, and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions of the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class. The constructor, destructor, and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 111. Constructors for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Constructor	Description
Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper	Construct an instance of the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 112. Destructors for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Destructor	Description
~Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper	Destructor for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 113. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Member function	Description
verify_my_register_wrapper_info	Verify the catalog information when the CREATE WRAPPER statement is submitted.
verify_my_alter_wrapper_info	Verify the catalog information when the ALTER WRAPPER statement is submitted.
get_name	Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper name.
get_corelib	Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper library name.
get_version	Return the version of the wrapper code.
get_info	Return a pointer to the wrapper catalog information object.
initialize_my_wrapper	Initialize the wrapper object state from the catalog information object.

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Table 113. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class (continued)

Member function	Description
create_server	Instantiate the appropriate subclass of Server for the wrapper.
is_creating_threads	Indicates that the wrapper creates process threads.
is_ready_for_fenced_mode	Indicates that the wrapper can operate in fenced mode.
is_safe_in_thread_mode	Indicates that the wrapper is threadsafe.

Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper.

Syntax

```
Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper (sqlint32* a_rc,  
                           sqlint32 a_wrapper_version = 0)
```

Input arguments

Table 114. Input arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_version	sqlint32	Version of the wrapper code.

Output arguments

Table 115. Output arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return. The value must be 0 for success.

Return value

None.

~Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper destructor

Purpose

Destructor for the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Syntax

```
~Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

verify_my_register_wrapper_info function**Purpose**

Verify the catalog information when the CREATE WRAPPER statement is submitted.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper if wrapper-specific wrapper options are supported.

The wrapper checks whether a delta object was allocated before allocating one itself.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_register_wrapper_info
    (Wrapper_Info* a_wrapper_info,
     Wrapper_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 116. Input arguments for the verify_my_register_wrapper_info member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_info	Wrapper_Info*	Information from the CREATE WRAPPER statement.

Output arguments

Table 117. Output arguments for the verify_my_register_wrapper_info member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	Wrapper_Info**	Information that is added by verify_my.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_alter_wrapper_info function**Purpose**

Verify the catalog information when the ALTER WRAPPER statement is submitted.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper if wrapper-specific wrapper options are supported.

The wrapper checks whether a delta object was allocated before allocating one itself.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_alter_wrapper_info
    (Wrapper_Info* a_wrapper_info,
     Wrapper_Info** a_delta_info)
```

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Input arguments

Table 118. Input arguments for the `verify_my_alter_wrapper_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_wrapper_info</code>	<code>Wrapper_Info*</code>	Information from the ALTER WRAPPER statement.

Output arguments

Table 119. Output arguments for the `verify_my_alter_wrapper_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_delta_info</code>	<code>Wrapper_Info**</code>	Information added by <code>verify_my</code> .

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_name function

Where defined

Wrapper

Purpose

Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_name()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the character string.

get_corelib function

Where defined

Wrapper

Purpose

Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper library name. This name is the wrapper library that is used in the CREATE WRAPPER statement. This name does not correspond to the library that is used during statement processing.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_corelib()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the character string.

get_version function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Return the version of the wrapper code.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_version()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Wrapper version.

get_info function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Return a pointer to the wrapper catalog information object.

Syntax

```
Wrapper_Info* get_info()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the catalog information object.

initialize_my_wrapper function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Initialize the wrapper object state from the catalog information object. The default version does nothing.

Usage This member function can be implemented in the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper if wrapper-specific wrapper options are supported.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_wrapper (Wrapper_Info* a_wrapper_info)
```

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Input arguments

Table 120. Input arguments for the `initialize_my_wrapper` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_wrapper_info</code>	<code>Wrapper_Info*</code>	Catalog information object.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_server function

Where defined

Wrapper

Purpose

Instantiate the appropriate subclass of `Server` for the wrapper.

Usage This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific subclass of `Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper`.

Syntax

```
virtual Server* create_server (sqluint8* a_server_name,  
                              sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 121. Input arguments for the `create_server` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_server_name</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Null-terminated name of the data source server.

Output arguments

Table 122. Output arguments for the `create_server` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_rc</code>	<code>sqlint32*</code>	Pointer to return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the newly created server object or null.

is_creating_threads function

Where defined

Wrapper

Purpose

Indicates to the federated server that the wrapper creates process threads.

Usage The wrapper overrides this function if the wrapper creates threads.

Syntax

```
virtual bool is_creating_threads (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Returns a value of true if the wrapper creates threads. The default implementation returns a value of false.

is_ready_for_fenced_mode function**Where defined**

Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Purpose

Indicates to the federated server that the wrapper can operate in fenced mode.

Usage The wrapper must override this function if the wrapper cannot operate in fenced mode.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint16 is_ready_for_fenced_mode (void)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The default returns a value of true, which indicates that the wrapper operates in fenced mode. A value of false is returned if the wrapper cannot operate in fenced mode.

is_safe_in_thread_mode function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Indicates that the wrapper is threadsafe.

Usage The wrapper must override this function if the wrapper is not threadsafe.

Syntax

```
virtual bool is_safe_in_thread_mode (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The default implementation returns a value of true. A value of false is returned if the wrapper is not threadsafe.

Associated functions

The UnfencedWrapper_Hook function is not used by the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class, but is directly associated with this class.

Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper

UnfencedWrapper_Hook function

Purpose

A hook function that enables the federated server to instantiate the wrapper-specific subclass of the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class. This function must be implemented by the wrapper and must be exported from the unfenced wrapper module.

Syntax

```
extern "C" UnfencedWrapper* UnfencedWrapper_Hook()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Instantiated subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper or null if an error occurs.

Related tasks:

- “Wrapper classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Wrapper classes for the C++ API” on page 54

Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class (C++)

This topic describes the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class and provides details for the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions.

Overview

The Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class represents the wrapper on the fenced process space.

The Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class is one of the wrapper classes for the C++ API.

Usage The wrapper must implement a subclass of Fenced_Generic_Wrapper. This class is instantiated by the wrapper-specific FencedWrapper_Hook function.

File sqlqg_fenced_generic_wrapper.h

Data Members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 123. Data members for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Name	Data type	Description
m_info	Wrapper_Info*	Contains the catalog information for the wrapper.
m_name	sqluint8*	Pointer to the character string that contains the name of the wrapper.

Table 123. Data members for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
m_corelib	sqluint8*	Pointer to the character string that contains the name of the wrapper library.
m_version	sqlint32	Version of the wrapper code.

Constructors, destructors, and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions of the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class. The constructor, destructor, and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 124. Constructors for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Constructor	Description
FencedGeneric_Wrapper	Construct an instance of the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 125. Destructors for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Destructor	Description
~FencedGeneric_Wrapper	Destructor for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Table 126. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Member function	Description
get_name	Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper name.
get_corelib	Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper library name.
get_version	Return the version of the wrapper code.
get_info	Return a pointer to the wrapper catalog information object.
initialize_my_wrapper	Initialize the wrapper object state from the catalog information object.
create_server	Instantiate the appropriate subclass of Server for the wrapper.
is_creating_threads	Indicates that the wrapper creates process threads.
is_ready_for_fenced_mode	Indicates that the wrapper can operate in fenced mode.
is_safe_in_thread_mode	Indicates that the wrapper is threadsafe.

FencedGeneric_Wrapper constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Syntax

Fenced_Generic_Wrapper

```
FencedGeneric_Wrapper (sqlint32* a_rc,  
                      sqlint32 a_wrapper_version = 0)
```

Input arguments

Table 127. Input arguments for the FencedGeneric_Wrapper constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_version	sqlint32	Version of the wrapper code.

Output arguments

Table 128. Output arguments for the FencedGeneric_Wrapper constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code. This value must be 0 for success.

Return value

None.

~FencedGeneric_Wrapper destructor

Purpose

Destructor for the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

Syntax

```
~FencedGeneric_Wrapper ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_name function

Where defined

Wrapper

Purpose

Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_name()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the character string.

get_corelib function

Where defined
Wrapper

Purpose
Return a pointer to the null-terminated character string that contains the wrapper library name.

Syntax
`sqluint8* get_corelib()`

Input arguments
None.

Output arguments
None.

Return value
Pointer to the character string.

get_version function

Where defined
Wrapper

Purpose
Return the version of the wrapper code.

Syntax
`sqlint32 get_version()`

Input arguments
None.

Output arguments
None.

Return value
Wrapper version.

get_info function

Where defined
Wrapper

Purpose
Return a pointer to the wrapper catalog information object.

Syntax
`Wrapper_Info* get_info()`

Input arguments
None.

Output arguments
None.

Return value
Pointer to the catalog information object.

Fenced_Generic_Wrapper

initialize_my_wrapper function

Where defined
Wrapper

Purpose

Initialize the wrapper object state from the catalog information object. The default version does nothing.

Usage The wrapper can implement the wrapper-specific subclass of Fenced_Generic_Wrapper if wrapper-specific wrapper options are supported.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_wrapper (Wrapper_Info* a_wrapper_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 129. Input arguments for the initialize_my_wrapper member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper_info	Wrapper_Info*	Catalog information object.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_server function

Where defined
Wrapper

Purpose

Instantiate the appropriate subclass of Server for the wrapper.

Usage The wrapper must override this member function in the wrapper-specific subclass of Fenced_Generic_Wrapper

Syntax

```
virtual Server* create_server (sqluint8* a_server_name,  
                              sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 130. Input arguments for the create_server member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated name of the data source server.

Output arguments

Table 131. Output arguments for the create_server member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the newly created server object or null.

is_creating_threads function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Indicates to the federated server that the wrapper creates process threads.

Usage The wrapper overrides this function if the wrapper creates threads.

Syntax

```
virtual bool is_creating_threads (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Returns a value of true if the wrapper creates threads. The default implementation returns a value of false.

is_ready_for_fenced_mode function**Where defined**

Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class

Purpose

Indicates to the federated server that the wrapper can operate in fenced mode.

Usage The wrapper must override this function if the wrapper cannot operate in fenced mode.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint16 is_ready_for_fenced_mode (void)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The default returns a value true, which indicates that the wrapper operates in fenced mode. A value of false is returned if the wrapper cannot operate in fenced mode.

is_safe_in_thread_mode function**Where defined**

Wrapper

Purpose

Indicates that the wrapper is threadsafe.

Usage The wrapper must override this function if the wrapper is not threadsafe.

Fenced_Generic_Wrapper

Syntax

```
virtual bool is_safe_in_thread_mode (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The default implementation returns a value of true. A value of false is returned if the wrapper is not threadsafe.

Associated functions

The FencedWrapper_Hook function is not used by the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class, but is directly associated with this class.

FencedWrapper_Hook function

Purpose

A hook function that enables the federated server to instantiate the wrapper-specific subclass of the Fenced_Generic_Wrapper class. This function must be implemented by the wrapper and must be exported from the fenced wrapper module.

Syntax

```
extern "C" FencedWrapper* FencedWrapper_Hook()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Instantiated subclass of Fenced_Generic_Wrapper or null if an error occurs.

Related tasks:

- “Wrapper classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Wrapper classes for the C++ API” on page 54

Server classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each server class for the C++ API.

Table 132. Server classes

Class name	Description
Unfenced_Generic_Server	The Unfenced_Generic_Server class is a subclass of the Unfenced_Server class and is the abstract base class for all of the server functionality that operates in the unfenced (trusted) process space. The Unfenced_Generic_Server class is responsible for validating the catalog information from the CREATE SERVER and ALTER SERVER statements.

Table 132. Server classes (continued)

Class name	Description
Fenced_Generic_Server	The Fenced_Generic_Server class is a subclass of the Server class and is the abstract base class for all server functionality that operates in the fenced (untrusted) process space. The Fenced_Generic_Server class is responsible for creating remote connections and nicknames.

Related reference:

- “Unfenced_Generic_Server class (C++)” on page 69
- “Fenced_Generic_Server class (C++)” on page 78

Unfenced_Generic_Server class (C++)

This topic describes the Unfenced_Generic_Server class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Unfenced_Generic_Server class is a subclass of the Unfenced_Server class and is the abstract base class for all of the server functionality that operates in the unfenced (trusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating the catalog information from the CREATE SERVER and ALTER SERVER statements.

The Unfenced_Generic_Server class is one of the server classes for the C++ API.

Usage The wrapper must implement a subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Server. The Unfenced_Generic_Server class is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_server() method of the wrapper-specific subclass of the Unfenced_Generic_Wrapper class.

File sqlqg_unfenced_generic_server.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Unfenced_Generic_Server class.

Table 133. Data members for the Unfenced_Generic_Server class

Name	Data type	Description
info	Server_Info*	Catalog information for the server.
name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated character string that contains the server name.
kind	server_kind	Kind of server which must be Server::generic_kind.
wrapper	Wrapper*	Pointer to the associated wrapper object that owns this server.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Unfenced_Generic_Server class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

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Table 134. Constructors for the Unfenced_Generic_Server class

Constructor	Description
Unfenced_Generic_server	Construct an instance of the Unfenced_Generic_Server class.

Table 135. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_Server class

Member function	Description
create_remote_user	Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Remote_User.
plan_request	Analyze a proposed plan and determine what portion, if any, can be pushed down to the data source.
get_selectivity	Calculate the selectivity of a list of predicates.
create_reply	Instantiate a reply object.
get_name	Return a pointer to the null-terminated server name.
get_type	Retrieve the null-terminated server type as specified on the CREATE SERVER statement from the catalog information.
get_version	Retrieve the null-terminated server version as specified on CREATE SERVER statement.
get_info	Return a pointer to the stored catalog information object.
initialize_my_server	Initialize the server instances from valid catalog information.
create_nickname	Instantiate an appropriate subclass of a nickname for this server.
is_reserved_server_option	Identify an option that is supported by DB2 but is ignored by the wrapper.
verify_my_register_server_info	Validate information that is provided on the CREATE SERVER statement.
verify_my_alter_server_info	Validate information that is provided on the ALTER SERVER statement.

Unfenced_Generic_server constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of the Unfenced_Generic_Server class.

Syntax

```
Unfenced_Generic_server (sqluint8*      a_server_name,  
                          UnfencedWrapper* a_wrapper,  
                          sqlint32*      a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 136. Input arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_server constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the name of the server.

Table 136. Input arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_server constructor (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
a_wrapper	UnfencedWrapper*	Pointer to the wrapper object that owns this server object.

Output arguments

Table 137. Output arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_server constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

create_remote_user function**Purpose**

Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Remote_User.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass. This member function must be implemented if a wrapper-specific subclass of the Unfenced_Generic_User class is implemented.

Syntax

```
virtual Remote_User* create_remote_user (sqluint8* a_user_name,
                                         sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 138. Input arguments for the create_remote_user member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the name of the user.

Output arguments

Table 139. Output arguments for the create_remote_user member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the Remote_User object.

plan_request function**Purpose**

Analyze a proposed plan and determine what portion, if any, can be pushed down to the data source.

Usage This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass.

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Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 plan_request (Request* a_req,  
                             Reply** a_rpl) = 0
```

Input arguments

Table 140. Input arguments for the plan_request member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_req	Request*	Pointer to the request object that describes the proposed plan.

Output arguments

Table 141. Output arguments for the plan_request member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rpl	Reply**	Pointer to the chain of reply objects that are constructed by the plan_request.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_selectivity function

Purpose

Calculate the selectivity of a list of predicates.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass. The default version uses built-in DB2 Information Integrator formulas for calculating the selectivity. The wrapper uses these formulas and the known dependencies between predicate expressions.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 get_selectivity (Predicate_List* a_pl,  
                                float* a_selectivity)
```

Input arguments

Table 142. Input arguments for the get_selectivity member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pl	Predicate_List*	List of predicates.

Output arguments

Table 143. Output arguments for the get_selectivity member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_selectivity	float*	Selectivity that is expressed as a value from 0.0 to 1.0.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_reply function

Purpose

Instantiate a reply object.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass and must be implemented if using a wrapper-specific Reply subclass. This method is overridden if the wrapper implements its own cost model by subclassing the reply.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 create_reply (Request* a_req,  
                             Reply** a_rpl)
```

Input arguments

Table 144. Input arguments for the create_reply member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_req	Request*	Pointer to a request object.

Output arguments

Table 145. Output arguments for the create_reply member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rpl	Reply**	Pointer to the reply object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_name function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Return a pointer to the null-terminated server name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_name()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server name.

get_type function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Retrieve the null-terminated server type as specified on the CREATE SERVER statement from the catalog information.

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Usage This method is valid only *after* the server object is initialized. If the server type is not specified in the catalog, this method logs an error. However, no user error is generated.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_type()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server type.

get_version function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Retrieve the null-terminated server version as specified on CREATE SERVER statement.

Usage This method is valid only after the server object is initialized. If the server type is not specified in the catalog, this method logs an error. However, no user error is generated.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_version()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server version.

get_info function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Return a pointer to the stored catalog information object.

Usage This method is valid only after server initialization.

Syntax

```
Server_Info* get_info()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the catalog information object.

initialize_my_server function**Where defined**

Server

Purpose

Initialize the server instances from valid catalog information.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass and must be implemented if wrapper-specific server options are supported.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_server (Server_Info* a_server_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 146. Input arguments for the initialize_my_server member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_info	Server_Info*	Validated catalog information.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_nickname function**Where defined**

Server

Usage This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass.

Purpose

Instantiate an appropriate subclass of a nickname for this server.

Syntax

```
virtual Nickname* create_nickname (sqluint8* a_schema_name,
                                   sqluint8* a_nickname_name,
                                   sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments*Table 147. Input arguments for the create_nickname member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_schema_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the local (DB2) schema name of the nickname.
a_nickname_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the local (DB2) nickname name.

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Output arguments

Table 148. Output arguments for the `create_nickname` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_rc</code>	<code>sqlint32*</code>	Pointer to the return code; a value of 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the instantiated nickname object.

is_reserved_server_option function

Where defined

`UnfencedServer`

Purpose

Identify an option that is supported by DB2 but is ignored by the wrapper.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 is_reserved_server_option (sqluint8* a_op_name)
```

Input arguments

Table 149. Input arguments for the `is_reserved_server_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_op_name</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Null-terminated string that contains an option name.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a DB2-defined server option. A non-zero value indicates that the option is a DB2-defined server option.

verify_my_register_server_info function

Where defined

`UnfencedServer`

Purpose

Validate information that is provided on the CREATE SERVER statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass and must be implemented if wrapper-specific server options are supported. The wrapper must check whether an `a_delta_info` object has already been allocated before allocating its own.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_register_server_info  
    (Server_Info* a_server_info,  
     Server_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 150. Input arguments for the verify_my_register_server_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_info	Server_Info*	Information from the CREATE SERVER statement.

Output arguments*Table 151. Output arguments for the verify_my_register_server_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	Server_Info**	Additional information that is provided by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_alter_server_info function**Where defined**

UnfencedServer

Purpose

Validate information that is provided on the ALTER SERVER statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced server subclass and must be implemented if wrapper-specific server options are supported. The wrapper must check whether an a_delta_info object is already allocated before allocating its own.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_alter_server_info
(Server_Info* a_server_info,
 Server_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 152. Input arguments for the verify_my_alter_server_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_info	Server_Info*	Information from an ALTER SERVER statement.

Output arguments*Table 153. Output arguments for the verify_my_alter_server_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	Server_Info**	Additional information that is provided by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “Server classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Server classes for the C++ API” on page 68

Fenced_Generic_Server class (C++)

This topic describes the `Fenced_Generic_Server` class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The `Fenced_Generic_Server` class is a subclass of the `Server` class and is the abstract base class for all server functionality that operates in the fenced (untrusted) process space. This class is responsible for creating remote connections and nicknames.

The `Fenced_Generic_Server` class is one of the server classes for the C++API.

Usage The wrapper must implement a subclass of `Fenced_Generic_Server`. This class is instantiated by the wrapper in the `create_server()` method of the wrapper-specific subclass of `Fenced_Generic_Wrapper`.

File `sqlqg_fenced_genserver.h`

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the `Fenced_Generic_Server` class.

Table 154. Data members for the Fenced_Generic_Server class

Name	Data type	Description
<code>info</code>	<code>Server_Info*</code>	Catalog information for the server.
<code>name</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Null-terminated character string that contains the server name.
<code>kind</code>	<code>server_kind</code>	Kind of server which must be <code>Server::generic_kind</code> .
<code>wrapper</code>	<code>Wrapper*</code>	Pointer to the associated wrapper object that owns this server.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the `Fenced_Generic_Server` class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 155. Constructors for the Fenced_Generic_Server class

Constructor	Description
<code>Fenced_Generic_Server</code>	Constructor for this class.

Table 156. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_Server class

Member function	Description
<code>create_remote_connection</code>	Instantiate an appropriate subclass of <code>Remote_Connection</code> .
<code>get_name</code>	Return a pointer to the null-terminated server name.

Table 156. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_Server class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_type	Retrieve the null-terminated server type that is specified on the CREATE SERVER statement from the catalog information.
get_version	Retrieve the null-terminated server version that is specified on the CREATE SERVER statement.
get_info	Return a pointer to the stored catalog information object.
initialize_my_server	Initialize the server instances from valid catalog information.
create_remote_user	Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Remote_User for this wrapper.
create_nickname	Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Nickname for this server.

Fenced_Generic_Server constructor

Purpose

Constructor for this class.

Syntax

```
Fenced_Generic_Server (sqluint8* a_server_name,
                      FencedWrapper* wrapper,
                      sqlint32* rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 157. Input arguments for the Fenced_Generic_Server constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_name	sqluint8*	Name of the server.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_remote_connection function

Where defined

FencedServer

Purpose

Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Remote_Connection.

Usage This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced server subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 create_remote_connection
(FencedRemote_User* a_user,
 Remote_connection** a_connection)
```

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Input arguments

Table 158. Input arguments for the `create_remote_connection` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_user</code>	<code>FencedRemote_User*</code>	Pointer to the object that represents the user that is used for the connection.

Output arguments

Table 159. Output arguments for the `create_remote_connection` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_connection</code>	<code>Remote_Connection**</code>	Pointer to the remote connection object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_name function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Return a pointer to the null-terminated server name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_name()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server name.

get_type function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Retrieve the null-terminated server type that is specified on the `CREATE SERVER` statement from the catalog information.

Usage This method is valid only after the server object initializes (that is, when the `initialize_server` runs). If the server type is not specified in the catalog, calling this method logs an error. However, no user error is generated.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_type()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server type.

get_version function**Where defined**

Server

Purpose

Retrieve the null-terminated server version that is specified on the CREATE SERVER statement.

Usage This method is valid only after the server object initializes (that is, when the initialize_server runs). If the server type is not specified in the catalog, calling this method logs an error. However, no user error is generated.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_version()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server version.

get_info function**Where defined**

Server

Purpose

Return a pointer to the stored catalog information object.

Usage This method is valid only after server initialization.

Syntax

```
Server_Info* get_info()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the catalog information object.

initialize_my_server function**Where defined**

Server

Purpose

Initialize the server instances from valid catalog information.

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Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced server subclass. This member function must be implemented if wrapper-specific server options are supported.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_server (Server_Info* a_server_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 160. Input arguments for the initialize_my_server member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_server_info	Server_Info*	Validated catalog information.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_remote_user function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Remote_User for this wrapper.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced server subclass. This member function must be implemented if a wrapper-specific Fenced_Generic_User subclass is used.

Syntax

```
virtual Remote_User* create_remote_user (sqluint8* a_user_name,  
                                         sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 161. Input arguments for the create_remote_user member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_name	sqluint8*	Name of the remote user.

Output arguments

Table 162. Output arguments for the create_remote_user member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the instantiated Remote_User.

create_nickname function

Where defined

Server

Purpose

Instantiate an appropriate subclass of Nickname for this server.

Usage This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced server subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual Nickname* create_nickname (sqluint8* a_schema_name,
                                   sqluint8* a_nickname_name,
                                   sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 163. Input arguments for the create_nickname member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_schema_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the local (DB2) schema name of the nickname.
a_nickname_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the local (DB2) nickname name.

Output arguments

Table 164. Output arguments for the create_nickname member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; a value of 0 indicates success.

Return value

Pointer to the instantiated Nickname object.

Related tasks:

- “Server classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Server classes for the C++ API” on page 68

User classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each user class for the C++ API.

Table 165. User classes

Class name	Description
Unfenced_Generic_User	This class represents a user mapping in the unfenced (trusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from the CREATE USER MAPPING and ALTER USER MAPPING statements.
Fenced_Generic_User	This class represents a user mapping in the fenced (untrusted) process space.

Related reference:

- “Unfenced_Generic_User class (C++)” on page 84

- “Fenced_Generic_User class (C++)” on page 88

Unfenced_Generic_User class (C++)

This topic describes the Unfenced_Generic_User class and provides details for the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions.

Overview

The Unfenced_Generic_User class represents a user mapping in the unfenced (trusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from the CREATE USER MAPPING and ALTER USER MAPPING statements.

The Unfenced_Generic_User class is one of the user classes for the C++API.

Usage The wrapper must implement a subclass of Unfenced_Generic_User if wrapper-specific options for the CREATE USER MAPPING or the ALTER USER MAPPING statement are used. This class is used only for option validation and is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_remote_user() method of the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Server.

File sqlqg_unfenced_generic_user.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Unfenced_Generic_User class.

Table 166. Data members for the Unfenced_Generic_User class

Name	Data type	Description
local_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) user name.
server	Server*	Pointer to the Server object that owns this user.
info	User_Info*	Local copy of the catalog information. This data member is valid only after initialize_my_user.

Constructors, destructors, and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions of the Unfenced_Generic_User class. The constructor, destructor, and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 167. Constructors for the Unfenced_Generic_User class

Constructor	Description
Unfenced_Generic_User	Construct an instance of Unfenced_Generic_User.

Table 168. Destructors for the Unfenced_Generic_User class

Destructor	Description
~Unfenced_Generic_User	Destroy an instance of Unfenced_Generic_User.

Table 169. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_User class

Member function	Description
get_info	Return a pointer to the local copy of User_Info.
is_reserved_user_option	Verify that a specified catalog option is a DB2-reserved option for a user mapping.
initialize_my_user	Initialize the state of the object from the valid catalog information.
verify_my_register_user_info	Validate information from the CREATE USER MAPPING statement.
verify_my_alter_user_info	Validate information from the ALTER USER MAPPING statement.

Unfenced_Generic_User constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Unfenced_Generic_User.

Syntax

```
Unfenced_Generic_User (sqluint8*      a_user_name,
                      UnfencedServer* a_server,
                      sqlint32*      a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 170. Input arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_User constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) user name.
a_server	UnfencedServer*	Pointer to the Server object that owns this user.

Output arguments

Table 171. Output arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_User constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the Server object that owns this user.

Return value

None.

~Unfenced_Generic_User destructor

Purpose

Destroy an instance of Unfenced_Generic_User.

Syntax

```
virtual ~Unfenced_Generic_User ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

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Return value
None.

get_info function

Purpose
Return a pointer to the local copy of User_Info.

Syntax
`User_Info* get_info ()`

Input arguments
None.

Output arguments
None.

Return value
Pointer to the User_Info object.

is_reserved_user_option function

Purpose
Verify that a specified catalog option is a DB2 reserved option for a user mapping.

Syntax
`virtual sqluint32 is_reserved_user_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name)`

Input arguments

Table 172. Input arguments for the is_reserved_user_option member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated option name to be checked.

Output arguments
None.

Return value
A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a DB2-reserved option.

initialize_my_user function

Purpose
Initialize the state of the object from the valid catalog information.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced user subclass.

Syntax
`virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_user (User_Info* a_user_info)`

Input arguments*Table 173. Input arguments for the initialize_my_user member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_info	User_Info*	Validated catalog information.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_register_user_info function**Purpose**

Validate information from the CREATE USER MAPPING statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced user subclass. This member function must be implemented if wrapper-specific user mapping options are supported.

The wrapper verifies whether an a_delta_info object was allocated before allocating one itself.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_register_user_info (User_Info* a_user_info,
                                             User_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 174. Input arguments for the verify_my_register_user_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_info	User_Info*	Information from a CREATE USER MAPPING statement.

Output arguments*Table 175. Output arguments for the verify_my_register_user_info member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	User_Info**	Additional information that is provided by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_alter_user_info function**Purpose**

Validate information from the ALTER USER MAPPING statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced user subclass. This member function must be implemented if wrapper-specific user mapping options are supported.

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The wrapper verifies whether an a_delta_info object was allocated before allocating one itself.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_alter_user_info (User_Info* a_user_info,  
                                           User_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 176. Input arguments for the verify_my_alter_user_info member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_info	User_Info*	Information from the ALTER USER MAPPING statement.

Output arguments

Table 177. Output arguments for the verify_my_alter_user_info member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_delta_info	User_Info**	Additional information that is provided by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “User classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “User classes for the C++ API” on page 83

Fenced_Generic_User class (C++)

This topic describes the Fenced_Generic_User class and provides details for the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions.

Overview

The Fenced_Generic_User class represents a user mapping in the fenced (untrusted) process space.

The Fenced_Generic_User class is one of the user classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_remote_user() method of the wrapper-specific subclass of Fenced_Generic_Server. The wrapper implements a subclass of Fenced_Generic_User if wrapper-specific user mapping options are supported.

File sqlqg_fenced_generic_user.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Fenced_Generic_User class.

Table 178. Data members for the Fenced_Generic_User class

Name	Data type	Description
local_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) user name.
server	Server*	Pointer to the Server object that owns this user.
info	User_Info*	Local copy of the catalog information. This data member is valid only after initialize_my_user.

Constructors, destructors, and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor, the destructor, and the member functions of the Fenced_Generic_User class. The constructor, destructor, and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 179. Constructors for the Fenced_Generic_User class

Constructor	Description
Fenced_Generic_User	Construct an instance of Fenced_Generic_User.

Table 180. Destructors for the Fenced_Generic_User class

Destructor	Description
~Fenced_Generic_User	Destroy an instance of Fenced_Generic_User.

Table 181. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_User class

Member function	Description
get_info	Return a pointer to the local copy of User_Info.
initialize_my_user	Initialize the state of the object from the valid catalog information.

Fenced_Generic_User constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Fenced_Generic_User.

Syntax

```
Fenced_Generic_User (sqluint8*   a_local_user_name,
                    FencedServer* a_server,
                    sqlint32*    a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 182. Input arguments for the Fenced_Generic_User constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_local_user_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) user name.
a_server	FencedServer*	Pointer to the Server object that owns this user.

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Output arguments

Table 183. Output arguments for the Fenced_Generic_User constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

~Fenced_Generic_User destructor

Purpose

Destroy an instance of Fenced_Generic_User.

Syntax

```
virtual ~Fenced_Generic_User ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_info function

Purpose

Return a pointer to the local copy of User_Info.

Syntax

```
User_Info* get_info ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the User_Info object.

initialize_my_user function

Purpose

Initialize the state of the object from the valid catalog information.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced user subclass and must be implemented if wrapper-specific user mapping options are supported.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_user (User_Info* a_user_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 184. Input arguments for the initialize_my_user member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_user_info	User_Info*	Validated catalog information.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “User classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “User classes for the C++ API” on page 83

Nickname classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each nickname class for the C++ API.

Table 185. Nickname classes

Class name	Description
Unfenced_Generic_Nickname	This class represents a nickname in the unfenced (trusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from CREATE NICKNAME and ALTER NICKNAME statements.
Fenced_Generic_Nickname	This class represents a nickname in the fenced (untrusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Related reference:

- “Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class (C++)” on page 91
- “Fenced_Generic_Nickname class (C++)” on page 99

Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class (C++)

This topic describes the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class represents a nickname in the unfenced (trusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from CREATE NICKNAME and ALTER NICKNAME statements.

The Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class is one of the nickname classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class must be subclassed by the wrapper. This class is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_nickname() method of the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Server.

Unfenced_Generic_Nickname

File sqlqg_unfenced_generic_nickname.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class.

Table 186. Data members for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class

Name	Data type	Description
name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the (local) name of the nickname.
schema	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the (local) name of the schema.
server	Server*	Pointer to the server object that owns this nickname.
m_cardinality	sqlint64	Cardinality.
m_advance_cost	sqlint32	Cost (time in milliseconds) to fetch a row.
m_setup_cost	sqlint32	Cost (time in milliseconds) to perform one-time setup of a query.
m_submission_cost	sqlint32	Cost (time in milliseconds) to submit a query (other than one-time setup costs.)

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 187. Constructors for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class

Constructor	Description
Unfenced_Generic_Nickname	Construct an instance of Unfenced_Generic_Nickname.

Table 188. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class

Member function	Description
get_local_name	Return pointer to a null-terminated local nickname name.
get_local_schema	Return pointer to a null-terminated local schema name.
get_server	Return pointer to a containing server object.
is_reserved_nickname_option	Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 nickname options.
is_reserved_column_option	Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 column options.
initialize_my_nickname	Initialize the nickname with valid information from the catalog.

Table 188. Member functions for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname class (continued)

Member function	Description
verify_my_register_nickname_info	Validate information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.
verify_my_alter_nickname_info	Validate information from the ALTER NICKNAME statement.
get_card	Retrieve the cardinality for a nickname.
get_advance_cost	Retrieve the value of the ADVANCE_COST nickname option that is used in the default cost model.
get_setup_cost	Retrieve the value of the SETUP_COST nickname option that is used in the default cost model.
get_submission_cost	Retrieve the value of the SUBMISSION_COST nickname option that is used in the default cost model.

Unfenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Unfenced_Generic_Nickname.

Syntax

```
Unfenced_Generic_Nickname (sqluint8* a_schema,
                           sqluint8* a_nickname_name,
                           Unfenced_Generic_Server* a_nickname_server,
                           sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 189. Input arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_schema	sqluint8*	Null-terminated schema name.
a_nickname_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) nickname name.
a_nickname_server	Unfenced_Generic_Server*	Pointer to a containing server object.

Output arguments

Table 190. Output arguments for the Unfenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

get_local_name function

Purpose

Return pointer to a null-terminated local nickname name.

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Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_local_name ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated nickname name.

get_local_schema function

Purpose

Return pointer to a null-terminated local schema name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_local_schema ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated schema name.

get_server function

Purpose

Return pointer to a containing server object.

Syntax

```
Server* get_server ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to a containing server object.

is_reserved_nickname_option function

Purpose

Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 nickname options.

Syntax

```
virtual sqluint32 is_reserved_nickname_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name)
```

Input arguments*Table 191. Input arguments for the is_reserved_nickname_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated option name string.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a reserved nickname option. A non-zero return value indicates that the option is a reserved nickname option.

is_reserved_column_option function**Purpose**

Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 column options.

Syntax

```
virtual sqluint32 is_reserved_column_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name)
```

Input arguments*Table 192. Input arguments for the is_reserved_column_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated option name string.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a reserved option. A non-zero return value indicates that the option is a reserved column option.

initialize_my_nickname function**Purpose**

Initialize the nickname with valid information from the catalog.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific unfenced nickname subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_nickname (Nickname_Info* a_cat_info)
```

Input arguments*Table 193. Input arguments for the initialize_my_nickname member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_cat_info	Nickname_Info*	Information from the catalog.

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Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_register_nickname_info function

Purpose

Validate information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific fenced nickname subclass. Either this method or the same method of the fenced class must be implemented if the wrapper-specific nickname or column options are supported. Because the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` function is part of the trusted process space, this member function cannot interact with the remote data source. If interaction is necessary to verify the nickname information, the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` member function of the `Fenced_Generic_Nickname` class must be implemented.

The wrapper checks whether an `a_delta_info` object was previously allocated before allocating one itself. This method is called after `Fenced_Generic_Nickname::verify_my_register_nickname_info` is called.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_register_nickname_info  
(Nickname_Info* a_nick_info,  
 Nickname_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 194. Input arguments for the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_nick_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info*</code>	Information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Output arguments

Table 195. Output arguments for the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_delta_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info**</code>	Information that is added by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_alter_nickname_info function

Purpose

Validate information from the ALTER NICKNAME statement.

Usage This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific nickname subclass. This member function must be implemented if the wrapper-specific nickname or column options are

supported. Because the `verify_my_alter_nickname_info` function is part of the trusted process space, this member function cannot interact with the remote data source.

The wrapper checks whether an `a_delta_info` object was previously allocated before allocating one itself.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_alter_nickname_info
(Nickname_Info* a_nick_info,
 Nickname_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 196. Input arguments for the `verify_my_alter_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_nick_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info*</code>	Information from the ALTER NICKNAME statement.

Output arguments

Table 197. Output arguments for the `verify_my_alter_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_delta_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info**</code>	Information that is added by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_card function

Purpose

Retrieve the cardinality for a nickname. The cardinality is stored in the DB2 Information Integrator system catalog.

Syntax

```
void get_card (sqlint64* a_cardinality) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 198. Output arguments for the `get_card` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_cardinality</code>	<code>sqlint64*</code>	Cardinality.

Return value

None.

get_advance_cost function

Purpose

Retrieve the value of the `ADVANCE_COST` nickname option that is used in the default cost model.

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Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_advance_cost (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Value of the ADVANCE_COST nickname option or the default value if the option is not specified for the nickname.

get_setup_cost function

Purpose

Retrieve the value of the SETUP_COST nickname option that is used in the default cost model.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_setup_cost (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Value of the SETUP_COST nickname option or the default value if the option is not specified for the nickname.

get_submission_cost function

Purpose

Retrieve the value of the SUBMISSION_COST nickname option that is used in the default cost model.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_submission_cost (void) const
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Value of the SUBMISSION_COST nickname option or the default value if the option is not specified for the nickname.

Related tasks:

- “Nickname classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Nickname classes for the C++ API” on page 91

Fenced_Generic_Nickname class (C++)

This topic describes the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Fenced_Generic_Nickname class represents a nickname in the fenced (untrusted) process space. This class is responsible for validating information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

The Fenced_Generic_Nickname class is one of the nickname classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class must be subclassed by the wrapper and is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_nickname() method of the wrapper-specific subclass of Fenced_Generic_Server.

File sqlqg_fenced_generic_nickname.h

Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class.

Table 199. Data members for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class

Name	Data type	Description
name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the (local) name of the nickname.
schema	sqluint8*	Null-terminated string that contains the (local) name of the schema.
server	Server*	Pointer to the server object that owns this nickname.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 200. Constructors for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class

Constructor	Description
Fenced_Generic_Nickname	Construct an instance of Fenced_Generic_Nickname.

Table 201. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class

Member function	Description
get_local_name	Return pointer to the null-terminated local nickname name.
get_local_schema	Return pointer to the null-terminated local schema name.
get_server	Return pointer to the containing server object.

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Table 201. Member functions for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname class (continued)

Member function	Description
is_reserved_nickname_option	Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 nickname options.
is_reserved_column_option	Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 column options.
initialize_my_nickname	Initialize the nickname with valid information from the catalog.
verify_my_register_nickname_info	Validate information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Fenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Fenced_Generic_Nickname.

Syntax

```
Fenced_Generic_Nickname (sqluint8*      a_schema,  
                        sqluint8*      a_name,  
                        Fenced_Generic_Server* a_server,  
                        sqlint32*      a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 202. Input arguments for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_schema	sqluint8*	Null-terminated schema name.
a_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated (local) nickname name.
a_server	Fenced_Generic_Server*	Pointer to the containing server object.

Output arguments

Table 203. Output arguments for the Fenced_Generic_Nickname constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

get_local_name function

Purpose

Return pointer to the null-terminated local nickname name.

Syntax

```
sqluint8* get_local_name ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated nickname name.

get_local_schema function**Purpose**

Return pointer to the null-terminated local schema name.

Syntax

sqluint8* get_local_schema ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null-terminated schema name.

get_server function**Purpose**

Return pointer to the containing server object.

Syntax

Server* get_server ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to containing server object.

is_reserved_nickname_option function**Purpose**

Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 nickname options.

Syntax

virtual sqluint32 is_reserved_nickname_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name)

Input arguments*Table 204. Input arguments for the is_reserved_nickname_option member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_opt_name	sqluint8*	Null-terminated option name string.

Output arguments

None.

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Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a reserved option. A non-zero return value indicates that the option is a reserved nickname option.

is_reserved_column_option function

Purpose

Determine if a particular option name is one of the built-in DB2 column options.

Syntax

```
virtual sqluint32 is_reserved_column_option (sqluint8* a_opt_name)
```

Input arguments

Table 205. Input arguments for the `is_reserved_column_option` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_opt_name</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Null-terminated option name string.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the option is not a reserved option. A non-zero return value indicates that the option is a reserved column option.

initialize_my_nickname function

Purpose

Initialize the nickname with valid information from the catalog.

Usage The wrapper can implement this member function in the wrapper-specific fenced nickname subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 initialize_my_nickname (Nickname_Info* a_nick_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 206. Input arguments for the `initialize_my_nickname` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_nick_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info*</code>	Information from the catalog.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

verify_my_register_nickname_info function

Purpose

Validate information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Usage The wrapper can implement this member function in the wrapper-specific

fenced nickname subclass. Either this method or the same method of the unfenced class must be implemented if the wrapper-specific nickname or column options are supported. Implement this method if the wrapper must interact with the remote data source when verifying nickname information.

The wrapper checks whether an `a_delta_info` object was previously allocated before allocating one itself. This method is called before `Unfenced_Generic_Nickname::verify_my_register_nickname_info` is called.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 verify_my_register_nickname_info
(Nickname_Info* a_nick_info,
 Nickname_Info** a_delta_info)
```

Input arguments

Table 207. Input arguments for the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_nick_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info*</code>	Information from the CREATE NICKNAME statement.

Output arguments

Table 208. Output arguments for the `verify_my_register_nickname_info` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_delta_info</code>	<code>Nickname_Info**</code>	Information that is added by the wrapper.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “Nickname classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Nickname classes for the C++ API” on page 91

Remote_Connection class (C++)

This topic describes the `Remote_Connection` class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The `Remote_Connection` class represents a connection between DB2 and the remote data source. This class manages the connection, creates the remote operation objects, and maintains the remote operation objects.

The `Remote_Connection` class is a connection class for the C++ API.

Usage The wrapper can subclass this class to create wrapper-specific connection subclasses. This class is instantiated by the `create_remote_connection()` method of the wrapper-specific `Fenced_Generic_Server` subclass.

File `sqlqg_connection.h`

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Data members

The following table lists the data members that you can use with the Remote_Connection class.

Table 209. Data members for the Remote_Connection class

Name	Data type	Description
kind	connection_kind	Kind of connection (1 phase or 2 phase).
server	FencedServer*	Pointer to the server that owns this connection.
user	FencedRemote_User*	The user who is associated with the connection.
connect	unsigned short	The flag that indicates that the connection is active.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Remote_Connection class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 210. Constructors for the Remote_Connection class

Constructor	Description
Remote_Connection	Construct a Remote_Connection object.

Table 211. Member functions for the Remote_Connection class

Member function	Description
connect	Establish a connection with the remote data source.
disconnect	Destroy a connection with the remote data source.
is_connected	Indicate whether the connection is active or inactive.
create_remote_query	Create an appropriate subclass of Remote_Query.
create_remote_passthru	Create an appropriate subclass of Remote_Passthru.
get_server	Return a pointer to the containing server.
get_user	Return a pointer to the associated Remote_User object.
connect	Indicate the successful completion of a transaction and that the remote data source then commits the transaction.
rollback	Indicate the unsuccessful completion of a transaction and that the remote data source then rolls back the transaction.

Remote_Connection constructor

Purpose

Construct a Remote_Connection object.

Syntax

```
Remote_Connection (FencedServer* remote_server,
                  FencedRemote_User* remote_user,
                  connection_kind k=one_phase_kind,
                  sqlint32* rc = 0)
```

Input arguments*Table 212. Input arguments for the Remote_Connection constructor*

Name	Data type	Description
FencedServer*	remote_server	Server that owns this connection.
remote_user	FencedRemote_User*	User that is associated with the connection.
k	connection_kind	Kind of connection.

Output arguments*Table 213. Output arguments for the Remote_Connection constructor*

Name	Data type	Description
rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

connect function**Purpose**

Establish a connection with the remote data source.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to open a connection to the remote data source. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass. The default behavior is to report an error.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 connect ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

disconnect function**Purpose**

Destroy a connection with the remote data source.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to close a connection to the remote data source. This member function must be

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implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass. The default behavior reports an error.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 disconnect ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

is_connected function

Purpose

Indicate whether the connection is active or inactive.

Syntax

```
unsigned short is_connected ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of TRUE if the connection is active. Otherwise, the return value is FALSE.

create_remote_query function

Purpose

Create an appropriate subclass of Remote_Query.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to instantiate the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass. The wrapper must implement this member function in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 create_remote_query  
                (Runtime_Operation* runtime_query,  
                 Remote_Query**    query)
```

Input arguments

Table 214. Input arguments for the create_remote_query member function

Name	Data type	Description
runtime_query	Runtime_Operation*	DB2 internal structure that describes the operation.
query	Remote_Query**	Pointer to the allocated Remote_Query object.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_remote_passthru function**Purpose**

Create an appropriate subclass of Remote_Passthru.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to instantiate the wrapper-specific Remote_Passthru subclass. The wrapper can implement this member function in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass. This member function is necessary only if the wrapper supports the PASSTHRU mode.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 create_remote_passthru
                (Runtime_Operation* runtime_passthru,
                Remote_Passthru**  query)
```

Input arguments

Table 215. Input arguments for the create_remote_passthru member function

Name	Data type	Description
runtime_passthru	Runtime_Operation*	DB2 internal structure that describes the operation.
query	Runtime_Passthru**	Pointer to the allocated Remote_Passthru object.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_server function**Purpose**

Return a pointer to the containing server.

Syntax

```
FencedServer* get_server()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server.

get_user function**Purpose**

Return a pointer to the associated Remote_User object.

Syntax

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FencedRemote_User* get_user ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the remote user object.

commit function

Purpose

Indicate the successful completion of a transaction and that the remote data source then commits the transaction.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to indicate the successful completion of a transaction. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass. The default behavior is to report an error.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 commit ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

rollback function

Purpose

Indicate the unsuccessful completion of a transaction and that the remote data source then rolls back the transaction.

Usage This member function is invoked by DB2 Information Integrator to indicate the unsuccessful completion of a transaction and that the remote data source rolls back the transaction. This member function can be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass. The default behavior is to report an error.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 rollback ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “Remote connection class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Server classes for the C++ API” on page 68

Operation classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each operation class for the C++ API.

Table 216. Operation classes

Class name	Description
Remote_Query	This class encapsulates the information that is necessary to run a query on the remote data source. The wrapper must subclass this class to implement the operation.
Remote_Passthru	This class represents a pass-through operation at a remote data source. A wrapper must subclass the Remote_Passthru class to support pass-through operations.

Related reference:

- “Remote_Query class (C++)” on page 109
- “Remote_Passthru class (C++)” on page 120

Remote_Query class (C++)

This topic describes the Remote_Query class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Remote_Query class encapsulates the information that is necessary to run a query on the remote data source. The wrapper must subclass this class to implement the operation.

The Remote_Query class is one of the operation classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the wrapper in the create_remote_query() method of the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass.

File sqlqg_operation.h

Parent class
Remote_Operation.

Data members
None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Remote_Query class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 217. Constructors for the Remote_Query class

Constructor	Description
Remote_Query	Construct a Remote_Query object.

Table 218. Member functions for the Remote_Query class

Member function	Description
get_connection	Retrieve a pointer to the connection that owns this operation.
get_server	Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns this operation.
get_input_data	Retrieve a pointer to the list of input values to the operation.
get_output_data	Retrieve a pointer to the list of output data buffers.
get_exec_desc	Retrieve a pointer and the length for the execution descriptor for this query.
open	Open a query.
reopen	Reopen a query.
fetch	Fetch a single row.
close	Close a query.
report_eof	Report an end-of-file condition during a fetch.
get_status	Retrieve the current query status.
set_status	Set the current query status.
fetch_lob	Retrieve LOB data into a special LOB buffer that is provided by DB2.
set_lob_next	Suspend the processing of non-LOB columns and start the processing of one or more LOB columns.
lob_data_ready	Indicates that the wrapper transferred a portion of LOB data to the buffer.
open_input_lob	Open a query with LOB parameters.
reopen_input_lob	Reopen a previously opened result stream and prepare the data source to return more result sets, possibly based on different parameter bindings, for queries that contain LOB parameters.
set_row_status	Set the current row status.

Remote_Query constructor

Purpose

Construct a Remote_Query object.

Syntax

```
Remote_Query (Remote_Connection* a_active_connection,
              Runtime_Operation* a_runtime_info,
              sqlint32*          a_rc)
```

Input arguments*Table 219. Input arguments for the Remote_Query constructor*

Name	Data type	Description
a_active_connection	Remote_Connection*	Connection for this query.
a_runtime_info	Runtime_Operation*	Internal data for this query.

Output arguments*Table 220. Output arguments for the Remote_Query constructor*

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

get_connection function**Where defined**

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Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the connection that owns this operation.

Syntax

Remote_Connection* get_connection ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the Remote_Connection object.

get_server function**Where defined**

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns this operation.

Syntax

Fenced_Generic_Server* get_server ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server object.

get_input_data function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the list of input values to the operation.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_List* get_input_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the list of data values.

get_output_data function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the list of output data buffers.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_List* get_output_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the list of data buffers.

get_exec_desc function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer and the length for the execution descriptor for this query.

Syntax

```
void get_exec_desc (void** a_exec_desc,  
                   int* a_exec_desc_len)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 221. Output arguments for the get_exec_desc member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_exec_desc	void**	Pointer to the execution descriptor.
a_exec_desc_len	int*	Length of the descriptor.

Return value

None.

open function**Purpose**

Open a query.

Usage The federated server invokes this member function to initiate a query. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 open ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

reopen function**Purpose**

Reopen a query

Usage The federated server invokes this member function to initiate a query with new parameter values. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 reopen (sqlint16 a_status)
```

Input arguments*Table 222. Input arguments for the reopen member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_status	sqlint16	Unused.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

fetch function

Purpose

Fetch a single row.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to fetch a row of non-LOB data from a remote query. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 fetch ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

close function

Purpose

Close a query.

Usage DB2 Information Integrator invokes this member function to close a query cursor. This member function must be implemented by the wrapper in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 close (sqlint16 a_status)
```

Input arguments

Table 223. Input arguments for the close member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_status	sqlint16	Status (SQLQG_CLOSE_EOS, SQLQG_CLOSE_EOA, or SQLQG_CLOSE_EOQ). SQLQG_CLOSE_EOS indicates that the wrapper leaves the state so that the reopen() function can be called. SQLQG_CLOSE_EOA indicates that the wrapper can finish all necessary processing. SQLQG_CLOSE_EOQ is not used.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

report_eof function**Purpose**

Report an end-of-file condition during a fetch.

Usage This member function is invoked by the wrapper-specific Remote_Query class during the fetch() method to indicate that the last row was fetched.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 report_eof ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. This code is returned from fetch().

get_status function**Purpose**

Retrieve the current query status.

Syntax

```
sqluint8 get_status ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Status (SQLQG_UNREADY, SQLQG_READY, SQLQG_OPEN, or SQLQG_EOF).

set_status function**Purpose**

Set the current query status.

Syntax

```
void set_status (sqluint8 a_new_status )
```

Input arguments

Table 224. Input arguments for the set_status member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_status	sqluint8	Status (SQLQG_UNREADY, SQLQG_READY, SQLQG_OPEN, or SQLQG_EOF).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

fetch_lob function**Purpose**

Retrieve LOB data into a special LOB buffer that is provided by DB2.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 fetch_lob (unsigned char* a_buffer,
                          sqluint32      a_buffer_size,
                          sqluint32      a_bytes_written)
```

Input arguments

Table 225. Input arguments for the fetch_lob member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_buffer	unsigned char*	Address of the LOB data buffer that is provided by DB2.
a_buffer_size	sqluint32	Size (in bytes) of the buffer.
a_bytes_written	sqluint32	Total number of bytes that were written for the current column by previous calls to the fetch_lob function.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

set_lob_next function**Purpose**

Suspend the processing of non-LOB columns and start the processing of one or more LOB columns. This function is called from the fetch function.

Syntax

```
void set_lob_next (void)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

lob_data_ready function**Purpose**

Indicates that the wrapper transferred a portion of LOB data to the buffer.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 lob_data_ready (sqlint32      a_col_number,
                        sqluint32      a_bytes_ready,
                        sqlqg_lob_status a_status,
                        sqlqg_lob_intent a_next)
```

Input arguments*Table 226. Input arguments for the lob_data_ready member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_col_number	sqlint32	Column from which the wrapper took data to write to the LOB buffer.
a_bytes_ready	sqluint32	Number of bytes that the wrapper copied to the LOB buffer.
a_status	sqlqg_lob_status	Enumerated data type that indicates the status. If the wrapper is processing the last section of the column, the value is LOB_LAST. Otherwise, the value is LOB_MORE.
a_next	sqlqg_lob_intent	Enumerated data type that indicates whether the wrapper's next call is to the fetch function or the fetch_lob function. Valid values are LOB_NEXT, NON_LOB_NEXT, and ROW_DONE.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

open_input_lob function**Purpose**

Prepare the remote data source to return the first result row for a query that contains LOB parameters.

Usage The federated server invokes this member function to initiate a query that contains LOB parameters. If the wrapper supports LOB parameters, the wrapper must implement this member function in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass. If the query has LOB parameters, the open_input_lob member function is called instead of the open member function.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 open_input_lob (sqlint32*   a_column_number,
                                sqluint32  a_mat_size,
                                sqluint32  a_xfer_bytes,
                                unsigned char* a_buffer)
```

Input arguments*Table 227. Input arguments for the open_input_lob member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_number	sqlint32*	Column from which the wrapper took data to write to the LOB buffer.
a_mat_size	sqluint32	The total size, in bytes, of the LOB input.
a_xfer_bytes	sqluint32	The size, in bytes, of the current LOB fragment.
a_buffer	unsigned char*	The current LOB fragment. The object is an unterminated character array for CLOB variables and a byte array for BLOB variables.

Output arguments*Table 228. Output arguments for the open_input_lob member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_column_number	sqlint32*	Column from which the wrapper took data to write to the LOB buffer.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates success. Any other return code indicates failure.

reopen_input_lob function**Purpose**

Reopen a previously opened result stream and prepare the data source to return more result sets, possibly based on different parameter bindings, for queries that contain LOB parameters.

Usage The reopen_input_lob function is not called unless the query was previously closed with an end-of-query status.

If input LOB host variables are found, the federated server invokes the reopen_input_lob function instead of the reopen function.

If the wrapper supports LOB parameters, the wrapper must implement the reopen_input_lob function in the wrapper-specific Remote_Query subclass.

Syntax

```
virtual sqlint32 reopen_input_lob (sqlint16      a_status,
                                  sqlint32*     a_column_number,
                                  sqluint32     a_mat_size,
                                  sqluint32     a_xfer_bytes,
                                  unsigned char* a_buffer)
```

Input arguments*Table 229. Input arguments for the reopen_input_lob member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_status	sqlint16	Unused.

Table 229. Input arguments for the `reopen_input_lob` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_column_number</code>	<code>sqlint32*</code>	Column from which the wrapper took data to write to the LOB buffer.
<code>a_mat_size</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	The size, in bytes, of the total LOB input.
<code>a_xfer_bytes</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	The size, in bytes, of the current LOB fragment.
<code>a_buffer</code>	<code>unsigned char*</code>	The current LOB fragment. The object is an unterminated character array for CLOB variables and a byte array for BLOB variables.

Output argumentsTable 230. Output arguments for the `reopen_input_lob` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_column_number</code>	<code>sqlint32*</code>	Column from which the wrapper took data to write to the LOB buffer.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates success. Any other return code indicates failure.

set_row_status function**Purpose**

Set the current row status.

Syntax

```
virtual void set_row_status (sqluint32 a_row_status)
```

Input argumentsTable 231. Input arguments for the `set_row_status` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_row_status</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Status (SQLQG_LOB_INIT, SQLQG_LOB_MORE, or SQLQG_LOB_LAST).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

Related reference:

- “Remote query class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*
- “Operation classes for the C++ API” on page 109

Remote_Passthru class (C++)

This topic describes the Remote_Passthru class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Remote_Passthru class represents a pass-through operation at a remote data source. A wrapper must subclass the Remote_Passthru class to support pass-through operations.

The Remote_Passthru class is one of the operation classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the create_remote_passthru() method of the wrapper-specific Remote_Connection subclass.

File sqlqg_operation.h

Parent class
Remote_Operation

Data members
None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Remote_Passthru class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 232. Constructors for the Remote_Passthru class

Constructor	Description
Remote_Passthru	Construct a Remote_Passthru object.

Table 233. Member functions for the Remote_Passthru class

Member function	Description
get_connection	Retrieve a pointer to the connection that owns this operation.
get_server	Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns this operation.
get_input_data	Retrieve a pointer to the list of input values to the operation.
get_output_data	Retrieve a pointer to the list of output data buffers.
get_SQL_statement	Retrieve the statement for pass-through execution.
report_eof	Report an end-of-file condition during a fetch.
prepare	Prepare a remote pass-through operation.
describe	Describe a remote pass-through operation.
execute	Run a remote pass-through operation.
open	Open a cursor for a remote pass-through operation.

Table 233. Member functions for the Remote_Passthru class (continued)

Member function	Description
fetch	Fetch a row in a remote pass-through operation.
close	Close a cursor for a remote pass-through operation.

Remote_Passthru constructor

Purpose

Construct a Remote_Passthru object.

Syntax

```
Remote_Passthru (Remote_Connection* a_active_connection,
                Runtime_Operation* a_runtime_passthru,
                sqlint32* a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 234. Input arguments for the Remote_Passthru constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_active_connection	Remote_Connection*	Connection for this query.
a_runtime_info	Runtime_Operation*	Internal data for the query.

Output arguments

Table 235. Output arguments for the Remote_Passthru constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

get_connection function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the connection that owns this operation.

Syntax

```
Remote_Connection* get_connection ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the Remote_Connection object.

get_server function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns this operation.

Syntax

```
Fenced_Generic_Server* get_server ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server object.

get_input_data function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the list of input values to the operation.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_List* get_input_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the list of data values.

get_output_data function

Where defined

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the list of output data buffers.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_List* get_output_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the list of data buffers.

get_SQL_statement function**Where defined**

Remote_Operation

Purpose

Retrieve the statement for pass-through execution.

Syntax

char* get_SQL_statement ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Statement (null-terminated).

report_eof function**Where defined**

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Purpose

Report an end-of-file condition during a fetch.

Syntax

sqlint32 report_eof ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. This code is returned from fetch().

prepare function**Purpose**

Prepare a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

sqlint32 prepare (Runtime_Data_Desc_List* a_data_description_list)

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 236. Output arguments for the prepare member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_data_description_list	Runtime_Data_Desc_List*	A list of Runtime_Data_Desc that describes the results of the pass-through operation.

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Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

describe function

Purpose

Describe a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 describe (Runtime_Data_Desc_List* a_data_description_list)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 237. Output arguments for the describe member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_data_description_list	Runtime_Data_Desc_List*	A list of Runtime_Data_Desc that describes the results of the pass-through operation.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

execute function

Purpose

Run a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 execute ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

open function

Purpose

Open a cursor for a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 open ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

fetch function**Purpose**

Fetch a row in a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 fetch ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

close function**Purpose**

Close a cursor for a remote pass-through operation.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 close ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “Remote passthru class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Operation classes for the C++ API” on page 109

Request classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each request class for the C++ API.

Table 238. Request classes

Class name	Description
Request	This class encapsulates a query fragment to be analyzed and processed by the wrapper.
Reply	This class represents a part of a query that can be processed by the wrapper. This class can be subclassed if the wrapper uses a cost model other than the default.
Request_Exp	This class describes an SQL expression node. The SQL expression node can be a head expression (select list) or part of a predicate.

Table 238. Request classes (continued)

Class name	Description
Request_Exp_Type	This class represents a data type descriptor for Request_Exp nodes.
Request_Constant	This class represents a data value for a Request_Exp node with a type of Request_Exp::constant.
Predicate_List	This class encapsulates a list of predicates and is used by the RRC protocol.

Related reference:

- “Request_Exp class (C++)” on page 145
- “Request class (C++)” on page 126
- “Request_Constant class (C++)” on page 153
- “Request_Exp_Type class (C++)” on page 151
- “Reply class (C++)” on page 131
- “Predicate_List class (C++)” on page 157

Request class (C++)

This topic describes the Request class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Request class encapsulates a query fragment to be analyzed and processed by the wrapper.

The Request class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is never instantiated by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_request.h

Parent class
Parsed_Query_Fragment

Data members
None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Request class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 239. Member functions for the Request class

Member function	Description
get_number_of_quantifiers	Retrieve the number of quantifiers for this query.
get_number_of_predicates	Retrieve the number of predicates for this query.
get_number_of_head_exp	Retrieve the number of head (select list) expressions for this query.
get_quantifier_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th quantifier for this query.

Table 239. Member functions for the Request class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_predicate_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th predicate for this query.
get_head_exp_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th head expression for this query.
get_nickname	Retrieve the nickname object that is associated with the specified handle.
get_head_exp	Retrieve a head expression that is associated with the specified handle.
get_predicate	Retrieve a predicate expression that is associated with the specified handle.
get_distinct	Retrieve the DISTINCT flag for a query.

get_number_of_quantifiers function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the number of quantifiers (nicknames and table expressions) for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_quantifiers ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of quantifiers.

get_number_of_predicates function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the number of predicates for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_predicates ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of predicates.

get_number_of_head_exp function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the number of head (select list) expressions for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_head_exp ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of head expressions.

get_quantifier_handle function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the *n*th quantifier for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_quantifier_handle (int a_quant_pos,  
                               int* a_quant_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 240. Input arguments for the get_quantifier_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_quant_pos	int	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 241. Output arguments for the get_quantifier_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_quant_handle	int*	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_predicate_handle function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the *n*th predicate for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate_handle (int a_pred_pos,  
                              int* a_pred_handle )
```


Input arguments*Table 242. Input arguments for the `get_predicate_handle` member function*

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_pos</code>	<code>int</code>	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments*Table 243. Output arguments for the `get_predicate_handle` member function*

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_handle</code>	<code>int*</code>	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_head_exp_handle function**Where defined**

`Parsed_Query_Fragment`

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the *n*th head expression for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_head_exp_handle (int a_head_exp_pos,
                             int* a_head_exp_handle)
```

Input arguments*Table 244. Input arguments for the `get_head_exp_handle` member function*

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_head_exp_pos</code>	<code>int</code>	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments*Table 245. Output arguments for the `get_head_exp_handle` member function*

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_head_exp_handle</code>	<code>int*</code>	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_nickname function**Where defined**

`Parsed_Query_Fragment`

Purpose

Retrieve the nickname object that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_nickname (int a_quant_handle,
                      Unfenced_Generic_Nickname** a_nickname)
```

Request

Input arguments

Table 246. Input arguments for the `get_nickname` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_quant_handle</code>	<code>int</code>	Handle for the nickname.

Output arguments

Table 247. Output arguments for the `get_nickname` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_nickname</code>	<code>Unfenced_Generic_Nickname**</code>	Pointer to the nickname object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_head_exp function

Where defined

`Parsed_Query_Fragment`

Purpose

Retrieve a head expression that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_head_exp (int          a_head_exp_handle,  
                      Request_Exp** a_head_exp)
```

Input arguments

Table 248. Input arguments for the `get_head_exp` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_head_exp_handle</code>	<code>int</code>	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments

Table 249. Output arguments for the `get_head_exp` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_head_exp</code>	<code>Request_Exp**</code>	Pointer to the expression object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_predicate function

Where defined

`Parsed_Query_Fragment`

Purpose

Retrieve a predicate expression that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate (int          a_pred_handle,  
                      Request_Exp** a_pred_exp)
```

Input arguments*Table 250. Input arguments for the get_predicate member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_handle	int	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments*Table 251. Output arguments for the get_predicate member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_exp	Request_Exp**	Pointer to the expression object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_distinct function**Where defined**

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the DISTINCT flag for a query.

Syntax

```
int get_distinct ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Distinct flag.

Related tasks:

- “Request class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Reply class (C++)

This topic describes the Reply class and provides details for the constructor and the member functions.

Overview

The Reply class represents a portion of a query that the wrapper can process. This class can be subclassed if the wrapper uses a cost model other than the default model.

The Reply class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the create_reply() method of the

Reply

Unfenced_Generic_Server class. If the wrapper implements a subclass of the Reply class, the create_reply() method is overridden in the wrapper-specific subclass of Unfenced_Generic_Server.

File sqlqg_request.h

Parent class
Parsed_Query_Fragment

Data members

None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Reply class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 252. Constructors for the Reply class

Constructor	Description
Reply	Construct an empty reply object.

Table 253. Member functions for the Reply class

Member function	Description
get_number_of_quantifiers	Retrieve the number of quantifiers for this query.
get_number_of_predicates	Retrieve the number of predicates for this query.
get_number_of_head_exp	Retrieve the number of head (select list) expressions for this query.
get_quantifier_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th quantifier for this query.
get_predicate_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th predicate for this query.
get_head_exp_handle	Retrieve the handle for the <i>n</i> th head expression for this query.
get_nickname	Retrieve the nickname object that is associated with the specified handle.
get_head_exp	Retrieve a head expression that is associated with the specified handle.
get_predicate	Retrieve a predicate expression that is associated with the specified handle.
get_distinct	Retrieve the DISTINCT flag for a query.
set_distinct	Set the DISTINCT flag for a query.
add_head_exp	Add a head expression to the reply.
add_predicate	Add a predicate expression to the reply.
add_quantifier	Add a quantifier to the reply.
add_order_entry	Add an ORDER BY specification to the reply.
get_number_of_order_entries	Retrieve the number of ORDER BY entries for the reply.
get_order_entry	Retrieve a specific ORDER BY entry.

Table 253. Member functions for the Reply class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_exec_desc	Retrieve the execution descriptor that is associated with the reply.
set_exec_desc	Store an execution descriptor in the reply.
get_parameter_order	Retrieve a list of parameter handles.
cardinality	Retrieve the cardinality for the query fragment.
total_cost	Retrieve the total cost for a query fragment.
re_exec_cost	Cost to run a query fragment again.
first_tuple_cost	Retrieve the cost to fetch the first tuple.
all_costs	Retrieve all costing values at one time.
next	Retrieve a pointer to the next reply in a chain of replies.
set_next_reply	Link a new reply to the current reply.
get_server	Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns the reply.

Reply constructor

Purpose

Construct an empty reply object.

Syntax

```
Reply (Request*           a_rq,
       Unfenced_Generic_Server* a_server,
       sqlint32*          a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 254. Input arguments for the Reply constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rq	Request*	Request from which this reply is derived.
a_server	Unfenced_Generic_Server*	Server for a request or reply protocol.

Output arguments

Table 255. Output arguments for the Reply constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Return code; 0 indicates success.

Return value

None.

get_number_of_quantifiers function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Reply

Purpose

Retrieve the number of quantifiers (nicknames and table expressions) for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_quantifiers ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of quantifiers.

get_number_of_predicates function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the number of predicates for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_predicates ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of predicates.

get_number_of_head_exp function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the number of head (select list) expressions for this query.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_head_exp ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of head expressions.

get_quantifier_handle function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the n th quantifier for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_quantifier_handle (int a_quant_pos,
                               int* a_quant_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 256. Input arguments for the `get_quantifier_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_quant_pos</code>	int	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 257. Output arguments for the `get_quantifier_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_quant_handle</code>	int*	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_predicate_handle function**Where defined**

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the n th predicate for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate_handle (int a_pred_pos,
                               int* a_pred_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 258. Input arguments for the `get_predicate_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_pos</code>	int	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 259. Output arguments for the `get_predicate_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_handle</code>	int*	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_head_exp_handle function**Where defined**

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the handle for the *n*th head expression for this query.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_head_exp_handle (int a_head_exp_pos,
                             int* a_head_exp_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 260. Input arguments for the get_head_exp_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_head_exp_pos	int	Position of the handle in list (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 261. Output arguments for the get_head_exp_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_head_exp_handle	int*	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_nickname function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve the nickname object that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_nickname (int a_quant_handle,
                      Unfenced_Generic_Nickname** a_nickname)
```

Input arguments

Table 262. Input arguments for the get_nickname member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_quant_handle	int	Handle for the nickname.

Output arguments

Table 263. Output arguments for the get_nickname member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_nickname	Unfenced_Generic_Nickname**	Pointer to the nickname object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_head_exp function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve a head expression that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_head_exp (int a          a_head_exp_handle,
                      Request_Exp** a_head_exp)
```

Input arguments

Table 264. Input arguments for the *get_head_exp* member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_head_exp_handle	int	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments

Table 265. Output arguments for the *get_head_exp* member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_head_exp	Request_Exp**	Pointer to the expression object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_predicate function**Where defined**

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Retrieve a predicate expression that is associated with the specified handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate (int          a_pred_handle,
                       Request_Exp** a_pred_exp)
```

Input arguments

Table 266. Input arguments for the *get_predicate* member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_handle	int	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments

Table 267. Output arguments for the *get_predicate* member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_exp	Request_Exp**	Pointer to the expression object.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_distinct function**Where defined**

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Reply

Purpose

Retrieve the DISTINCT flag for a query.

Syntax

```
int get_distinct ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Distinct flag.

set_distinct function

Where defined

Parsed_Query_Fragment

Purpose

Set the DISTINCT flag for a query.

Syntax

```
void set_distinct (int a_distinct)
```

Input arguments

Table 268. Input arguments for the set_distinct member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_distinct	int	Distinct flag (1 for DISTINCT; 0 for not DISTINCT).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

add_head_exp function

Purpose

Add a head expression to the reply.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_head_exp (int a_head_exp_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 269. Input arguments for the add_head_exp member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_head_exp_handle	int	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_predicate function

Purpose

Add a predicate expression to the reply.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_predicate_exp (int a_pred_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 270. Input arguments for the add_predicate member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_handle	int	Handle for the expression.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_quantifier function

Purpose

Add a quantifier to the reply.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_quantifier (int a_quant_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 271. Input arguments for the add_quantifier member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_quant_handle	int	Handle for the quantifier.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_order_entry function

Purpose

Add an ORDER BY specification to the reply.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_order_entry (int a_gindex,
                          Reply::order_direction a_direction)
```

Input arguments

Table 272. Input arguments for the add_order_entry member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_gindex	int	Head expression index for ordering (not a handle).

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Table 272. Input arguments for the `add_order_entry` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_direction</code>	<code>Reply_order_direction</code>	Direction (ascending or descending) for ordering.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_number_of_order_entries function

Purpose

Retrieve the number of ORDER BY entries for the reply.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_order_entries ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of ORDER BY entries.

get_order_entry function

Purpose

Retrieve a specific ORDER BY entry.

Syntax

```
get_order_entry (int a_pos,  
                int* a_gindexP,  
                Reply::order_direction* a_direction)
```

Input arguments

Table 273. Input arguments for the `get_order_entry` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pos</code>	<code>int</code>	Position of order entry (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 274. Output arguments for the `get_order_entry` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_gindexP</code>	<code>int*</code>	Head expression index for the ORDER BY expression.
<code>a_direction</code>	<code>Reply::order_direction*</code>	Direction for ordering.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_exec_desc function

Purpose

Retrieve the execution descriptor that is associated with the reply.

Syntax

```
void get_exec_desc (void** a_exec_desc,
                  int*   a_exec_desc_size)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 275. Output arguments for the `get_exec_desc` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_exec_desc</code>	<code>void**</code>	Pointer to the execution descriptor.
<code>a_exec_desc_size</code>	<code>int*</code>	Size of the execution descriptor.

Return value

None.

set_exec_desc function

Purpose

Store an execution descriptor in the reply.

Usage Storage for the execution descriptor must be allocated with `Wrapper_Utillities::allocate`.

Syntax

```
void set_exec_desc (void** a_exec_desc,
                  int*   a_exec_desc_size)
```

Input arguments

Table 276. Input arguments for the `set_exec_desc` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_exec_desc</code>	<code>void**</code>	Pointer to the execution descriptor.
<code>a_exec_desc_size</code>	<code>int*</code>	Size of the execution descriptor.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_parameter_order function

Purpose

Retrieve a list of parameter handles. The order of the list corresponds to the order of the parameter values in the `Remote_Operation` object.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_parameter_order (int* a_number_of_params,
                             int** a_param_handle_array)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 277. Output arguments for the get_parameter_order member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_number_of_params	int*	Number of the parameter handles.
a_param_handle_array	int**	Array of the parameter handles.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

cardinality function

Purpose

Retrieve the cardinality for the query fragment.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 cardinality (float* a_cardinality)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 278. Output arguments for the cardinality member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_cardinality	float*	Cardinality.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

total_cost function

Purpose

Retrieve the total cost for a query fragment.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 total_cost (float* a_total_cost)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 279. Output arguments for the total_cost member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_total_cost	float*	Cost.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

re_exec_cost function**Purpose**

Cost to run a query fragment again.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 re_exec_cost (float* a_re_exec_cost)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 280. Output arguments for the re_exec_cost member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_re_exec_cost	float*	Cost.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

first_tuple_cost function**Purpose**

Retrieve the cost to fetch the first tuple.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 first_tuple_cost (float* a_first_tuple_cost)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 281. Output arguments for the first_tuple_cost member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_first_tuple_cost	float*	Cost.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

all_costs function**Purpose**

Retrieve all costing values at one time.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 all_costs (float* a_total_cost,
                  float* a_first_tuple_cost,
                  float* a_re_exec_cost)
```

Input arguments

None.

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Output arguments

Table 282. Output arguments for the `all_costs` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_total_cost</code>	<code>float*</code>	Total cost.
<code>a_first_tuple_cost</code>	<code>float*</code>	First tuple cost.
<code>a_re_exec_cost</code>	<code>float*</code>	Re-execute cost.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

next function

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the next reply in a chain of replies.

Syntax

```
Reply* next ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the next reply. The value is null if at the end of the chain.

set_next_reply function

Purpose

Link a new reply to the current reply.

Usage The wrapper verifies that it adds the reply to the end of the chain. Otherwise, memory leaks can occur.

Syntax

```
void set_next_reply (Reply* a_next_reply)
```

Input arguments

Table 283. Input arguments for the `set_next_reply` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_next_reply</code>	<code>Reply*</code>	Reply to be added to a chain.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_server function

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the server that owns this reply.

Syntax

```
Unfenced_Generic_server* get_server ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the server object.

Related tasks:

- “Reply class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Request_Exp class (C++)

This topic describes the Request_Exp class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Request_Exp class represents a node in an expression tree. This node can be a column reference, a constant value, a host parameter, or an operator.

The Request_Exp class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is never instantiated by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_request.h

Data members

None.

Types Request_Exp::kind

Type enum

Values

badkind, column, unbound, constant, oper

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Request_Exp class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 284. Member functions for the Request_Exp class

Member function	Description
get_kind	Retrieve the kind of expression node.
get_data_type	Retrieve the data type that is associated with the expression.
get_parent	Retrieve a pointer to the parent expression node for the current node.
get_next_child	Retrieve a pointer to the next child of the same parent.

Table 284. Member functions for the Request_Exp class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_handle	Retrieve the handle for the expression node.
get_column_name	Retrieve the column name for a column expression node.
get_column_quantifier_handle	Retrieve the handle to the column quantifier.
get_value	Retrieve the value of a constant expression node.
get_first_child	Retrieve the first child of an operator expression node.
get_number_of_children	Retrieve the number of children for an operator expression node.
get_token	Retrieve the token for an operator expression node.
get_signature	Retrieve the full signature for an operator expression node.

get_kind function

Purpose

Retrieve the kind of expression node.

Usage An additional syntax for this member function is `sqlint32 get_kind()`. This syntax is used in the `Unfenced_Server::get_selectivity()` expression when a Request or Reply is not available. This `get_kind()` syntax does not distinguish between column references and unbound references.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_kind (Parsed_Query_Fragment* a_query_fragment,
                  kind* a_kind )
```

Input arguments

Table 285. Input arguments for the get_kind member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_query_fragment	Parsed_Query_Fragment*	Request or Reply to which this expression belongs.

Output arguments

Table 286. Output arguments for the get_kind member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_kind	kind*	Kind of expression node.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_data_type function

Purpose

Retrieve the data type that is associated with the expression.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_data_type (Request_Exp_Type** a_new_type)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 287. Output arguments for the get_data_type member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_new_type	Request_Exp_Type**	Pointer to the type of descriptor.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_parent function**Purpose**

Retrieve a pointer to the parent expression node for the current node.

Syntax

```
Request_Exp* get_parent ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the parent node. The value is null if this is a top-level node.

get_next_child function**Purpose**

Retrieve a pointer to the next child of the same parent (that is, the next sibling of the current node).

Syntax

```
Request_Exp* get_next_child ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the next child. The value is null if there are no more siblings.

get_handle function**Purpose**

Retrieve the handle for the expression node.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_handle (int* a_handle)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 288. Output arguments for the `get_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_handle</code>	<code>int*</code>	Handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_column_name function

Purpose

Retrieve the column name for a column expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is `Request_Exp::column`.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column_name (char** a_col_name,  
                          int* a_name_length)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 289. Output arguments for the `get_column_name` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_col_name</code>	<code>char**</code>	Pointer to the column name (not null-terminated).
<code>a_name_length</code>	<code>int*</code>	Length of the column name.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_column_quantifier_handle function

Purpose

Retrieve the handle to the column quantifier (the table or the table expression).

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is `Request_Exp::column`.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_column_quantifier_handle (int* a_quant_handle)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 290. Output arguments for the get_column_quantifier_handle member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_quant_handle	int*	Quantifier handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_value function**Purpose**

Retrieve the value of a constant expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is Request_Exp::constant.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_value (Request_Constant** a_constant_value)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments*Table 291. Output arguments for the get_value member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_constant_value	Request_Constant**	Pointer to the constant value.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_first_child function**Purpose**

Retrieve the first child of an operator expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is Request_Exp::oper.

Syntax

```
Request_Exp* get_first_child ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the first child. The value is null if there are no children.

get_number_of_children function**Purpose**

Retrieve the number of children for an operator expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is Request_Exp::oper.

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Syntax

```
int get_number_of_children ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of children.

get_token function

Purpose

Retrieve the token (the function name) for an operator expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is Request_Exp::oper.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_token (char** a_operator_token,  
                  int* a_token_length )
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 292. Output arguments for the get_token member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_operator_token	char**	Pointer to the token (not null-terminated).
a_token_length	int*	Length of the token.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_signature function

Purpose

Retrieve the full signature for an operator expression node.

Usage This method is valid only when the expression kind is Request_Exp::oper.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_signature (char** a_signature)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

Table 293. Output arguments for the get_signature member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_signature	char**	Pointer to the null-terminated signature.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related reference:

- “Request expression class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*
- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Request_Exp_Type class (C++)

This topic describes the Request_Exp_Type class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Request_Exp_Type class represents a data type descriptor for Request_Exp nodes.

The Request_Exp_Type class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is never instantiated by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Request_Exp_Type class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 294. Member functions for the Request_Exp_Type class

Member function	Description
get_for_bit_data	Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag.
get_null_indicator	Retrieve the nullable indicator.
get_data_type	Retrieve the data type.
get_maximum_length	Retrieve the maximum length for the type.
get_precision	Get the precision for numeric types.
get_scale	Get the scale for a numeric type.
get_codepage	Retrieve the code page for character types.

get_for_bit_data function

Purpose

Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_for_bit_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Request_Exp_Type

Return value

FOR BIT DATA flag (Y or N).

get_null_indicator function

Purpose

Retrieve the nullable indicator.

Syntax

```
short get_null_indicator ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indicator flag, which is SQL_NULLABLE or SQL_NO_NULLS.

get_data_type function

Purpose

Retrieve the data type.

Syntax

```
short get_data_type ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Data type (SQL_TYP_XXX).

get_maximum_length function

Purpose

Retrieve the maximum length for the type.

Syntax

```
int get_maximum_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Maximum length for the type.

get_precision function

Purpose

Get the precision for numeric types.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_precision ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric precision.

get_scale function**Purpose**

Get the scale for a numeric type.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_scale ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric scale.

get_codepage function**Purpose**

Retrieve the code page for character types.

Syntax

```
unsigned short get_codepage ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

Related reference:

- “Request expression type class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*
- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Request_Constant class (C++)

This topic describes the Request_Constant class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Request_Constant class represents a data value for a Request_Exp node with a type of Request_Exp::constant.

The Request_Constant class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is never instantiated by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Request_Constant class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 295. Member functions for the Request_Constant class

Member function	Description
get_actual_length	Retrieve the actual length of the data value.
get_data	Retrieve a pointer to the data value.
is_data_null	Indicate whether the data value is null or is not null.
get_for_bit_data	Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag.
get_null_indicator	Retrieve the nullable indicator.
get_data_type	Retrieve the data type.
get_maximum_length	Retrieve the maximum length for the type.
get_precision	Get the precision for numeric types.
get_scale	Get the scale for a numeric type.
get_codepage	Retrieve the code page for character types.

get_actual_length function

Purpose

Retrieve the actual length of the data value.

Syntax

```
int get_actual_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Actual data length.

get_data function

Purpose

Retrieve a pointer to the data value.

Syntax

```
unsigned char* get_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the data value.

is_data_null function**Purpose**

Indicate whether the data value is null or is not null.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 is_data_null ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indication (TRUE or FALSE).

get_for_bit_data function**Purpose**

Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_for_bit_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

FOR BIT DATA flag (Y or N).

get_null_indicator function**Purpose**

Retrieve the nullable indicator.

Syntax

```
short get_null_indicator ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indicator flag, which is SQL_NULLABLE or SQL_NO_NULLS.

get_data_type function

Purpose

Retrieve the data type.

Syntax

```
short get_data_type ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Data type (SQL_TYP_XXX). See the sql.h header file for SQL_TYP_XXX symbols.

get_maximum_length function

Purpose

Retrieve the maximum length for the type.

Syntax

```
int get_maximum_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Maximum length for the type.

get_precision function

Purpose

Get the precision for numeric types.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_precision ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric precision.

get_scale function

Purpose

Get the scale for a numeric type.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_scale ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric scale.

get_codepage function**Purpose**

Retrieve the code page for character types.

Syntax

unsigned short get_codepage ()

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

Related reference:

- “Request constant class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*
- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Predicate_List class (C++)

This topic describes the Predicate_List class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Predicate_List class encapsulates a list of predicates and is used by the RRC protocol.

The Predicate_List class is one of the request classes for the C++ API.

Usage The wrapper does not instantiate this class unless a code for a custom cost model invokes the get_selectivity() method for a specific list of predicates.

File sqlqg_request.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Predicate_List class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 296. Member functions for the Predicate_List class

Member function	Description
create_empty_predicate_list	Instantiate an empty predicate list.

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Table 296. Member functions for the Predicate_List class (continued)

Member function	Description
create_and_copy_predicate_list	Create a predicate list that contains all of the predicates for a specific reply.
get_number_of_predicates	Retrieve the number of predicates in the list.
get_predicate_handle	Retrieve a predicate handle for a specific position in the list.
get_predicate	Retrieve a predicate expression for an expression handle.
get_number_of_applied_predicates	Get the number of predicates that are already applied.
get_applied_predicate_handle	Retrieve an applied predicate handle for a specified position in the list.
get_applied_predicate	Retrieve an applied predicate expression for an expression handle.
add_predicate	Add a predicate to the list.
add_applied_predicate	Add a predicate expression to the applied predicates list.

create_empty_predicate_list function

Purpose

Instantiate an empty predicate list.

Syntax

```
static sqlint32 create_empty_predicate_list  
(Reply* a_reply,  
 Predicate_List** a_pred_list )
```

Input arguments

Table 297. Input arguments for the create_empty_predicate_list member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_reply	Reply*	Reply that owns the predicates.

Output arguments

Table 298. Output arguments for the create_empty_predicate_list member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_list	Predicate_List**	Pointer to the new predicate list.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

create_and_copy_predicate_list function

Purpose

Create a predicate list that contains all of the predicates for a specific reply.

Syntax

```
static sqlint32 create_and_copy_predicate_list
(Reply* a_reply,
 Predicate_List** a_pred_list)
```

Input arguments

Table 299. Input arguments for the create_and_copy_predicate_list member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_reply	Reply*	Reply that owns the predicates.

Output arguments

Table 300. Output arguments for the create_and_copy_predicate_list member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_list	Predicate_List**	Pointer to the new predicate list.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_number_of_predicates function**Purpose**

Retrieve the number of predicates in the list.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_predicates ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of predicates.

get_predicate_handle function**Purpose**

Retrieve a predicate handle for a specific position in the list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate_handle (int a_pred_pos,
                               int* a_pred_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 301. Input arguments for the get_predicate_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_pred_pos	int	Position of a predicate in the list (starting at 1).

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Output arguments

Table 302. Output arguments for the `get_predicate_handle` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_handle</code>	<code>int*</code>	Predicate expression handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_predicate function

Purpose

Retrieve a predicate expression for an expression handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_predicate (int a_pred_handle,  
Request_Exp** a_pred_exp)
```

Input arguments

Table 303. Input arguments for the `get_predicate` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_handle</code>	<code>int</code>	Predicate expression handle.

Output arguments

Table 304. Output arguments for the `get_predicate` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_exp</code>	<code>Request_Exp**</code>	Pointer to an expression node.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_number_of_applied_predicates function

Purpose

Get the number of predicates that are already applied.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_applied_predicates ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of applied predicates.

get_applied_predicate_handle function

Purpose

Retrieve an applied predicate handle for a specified position in the list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_applied_predicate_handle (int a_applied_pred_pos,
                                       int* a_applied_pred_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 305. Input arguments for the get_applied_predicate_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_applied_pred_pos	int	Position of the predicate in the list (starting at 1).

Output arguments

Table 306. Output arguments for the get_applied_predicate_handle member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_applied_pred_handle	int*	Applied predicate expression handle.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_applied_predicate function

Purpose

Retrieve an applied predicate expression for an expression handle.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_applied_predicate (int a_applied_pred_handle,
                                Request_Exp** a_applied_pred_exp)
```

Input arguments

Table 307. Input arguments for the get_applied_predicate member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_applied_pred_handle	int	Applied predicate expression handle.

Output arguments

Table 308. Output arguments for the get_applied_predicate member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_applied_pred_exp	Request_Exp**	Pointer to an expression node.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_predicate function

Purpose

Add a predicate to the list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_predicate (int a_pred_handle)
```

Predicate_List

Input arguments

Table 309. Input arguments for the `add_predicate` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_pred_handle</code>	<code>int</code>	Handle for the predicate expression.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

add_applied_predicate function

Purpose

Add a predicate expression to the applied predicates list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 add_applied_predicate (int a_applied_pred_handle)
```

Input arguments

Table 310. Input arguments for the `add_applied_predicate` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_applied_pred_handle</code>	<code>int</code>	Handle for the applied predicate expression.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

Related tasks:

- “Predicate list class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Request classes for the C++ API” on page 125

Data classes for the C++ API

The following table describes each data class for the C++ API.

Table 311. Data classes

Class name	Description
<code>Runtime_Data_Desc</code>	The class that encapsulates the description of a data item.
<code>Runtime_Data_Desc_List</code>	A list of <code>Runtime_Data_Desc</code> .
<code>Runtime_Data</code>	The class that encapsulates a data value that is passed between the wrapper and the query gateway interface. This data value can be column data that is in a result or is in a query parameter.

Table 311. Data classes (continued)

Class name	Description
Runtime_Data_List	A list of pointers to Runtime_Data objects.

Related reference:

- “Runtime_Data_Desc class (C++)” on page 163
- “Runtime_Data_Desc_List class (C++)” on page 167
- “Runtime_Data class (C++)” on page 169
- “Runtime_Data_List class (C++)” on page 176

Runtime_Data_Desc class (C++)

This topic describes the Runtime_Data_Desc class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Runtime_Data_Desc class encapsulates the description of a data item.

The Runtime_Data_Desc class is one of the data classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 query gateway and is never subclassed by the wrapper. This class can be instantiated by the wrapper during the prepare processing for a pass-through operation.

File sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h

Data members
None.

Constructors and member functions

The following tables describe the constructor and the member functions of the Runtime_Data_Desc class. The constructor and functions are described in more detail after the tables.

Table 312. Constructors for the Runtime_Data_Desc class

Constructor	Description
Runtime_Data_Desc	Construct an instance of Runtime_Data_Desc.

Table 313. Member functions for the Runtime_Data_Desc class

Member function	Description
get_for_bit_data	Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.
get_null_indicator	Retrieve the nullable indicator.
get_data_type	Retrieve the data type.
get_maximum_length	Retrieve the maximum length for the type.
get_precision	Get the precision for numeric types.
get_scale	Get the scale for a numeric type.
get_codepage	Retrieve the code page for character types.

Runtime_Data_Desc constructor

Purpose

Construct an instance of Runtime_Data_Desc. This constructor is used when instantiating the Runtime_Data_Desc class in response to a prepare or describe operation for a pass-through session.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_Desc (sqlint32*   a_rc,
                  short       a_type,
                  int         a_max_length,
                  short       a_codepage,
                  short       a_null_ind,
                  unsigned char a_data_precision=0,
                  unsigned char a_data_scale=0,
                  sqluint8*   a_data_name=NULL,
                  short       a_name_length=0,
                  short       a_remote_type=0)
```

Input arguments

Table 314. Input arguments for the Runtime_Data_Desc constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_type	short	Data type. Use the SQL_TYP_xxx values that are defined in the sql.h header file.
a_max_length	int	Maximum length of the data.
a_codepage	short	Code page for the character data.
a_null_ind	short	Null indicator.
a_data_precision	unsigned char	Precision for numeric data.
a_data_scale	unsigned char	Scale for a numeric data type.
a_data_name	sqluint8*	Name of the data item.
a_name_length	short	Length of the name.
a_remote_type	short	Remote type code.

Output arguments

Table 315. Output arguments for the Runtime_Data_Desc constructor

Name	Data type	Description
a_rc	sqlint32*	Pointer to the return code value; 0 indicates success.

get_for_bit_data function

Purpose

Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_for_bit_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

FOR BIT DATA flag (Y or N).

get_null_indicator function**Purpose**

Retrieve the nullable indicator.

Syntax

```
short get_null_indicator ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indicator flag, which is SQL_NULLABLE or SQL_NO_NULLS.

get_data_type function**Purpose**

Retrieve the data type.

Syntax

```
short get_data_type ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Data type (SQL_TYP_XXX). See the sql.h header file for the SQL_TYP_XXX symbols.

get_maximum_length function**Purpose**

Retrieve the maximum length for the type.

Syntax

```
int get_maximum_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Maximum length for the type.

get_precision function

Purpose

Get the precision for numeric types.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_precision ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric precision.

get_scale function

Purpose

Get the scale for a numeric type.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_scale ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric scale.

get_codepage function

Purpose

Retrieve the code page for character types.

Syntax

```
unsigned short get_codepage ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

Related tasks:

- “Runtime data description classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Data classes for the C++ API” on page 162

Runtime_Data_Desc_List class (C++)

This topic describes the Runtime_Data_Desc_List class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Runtime_Data_Desc_List class provides a list of Runtime_Data_Desc class.

The Runtime_Data_Desc_List class is one of the data classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 query gateway but is never subclassed by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Runtime_Data_Desc_List class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 316. Member functions for the Runtime_Data_Desc_List class

Member function	Description
get_number_of_values	Retrieve the number of values.
set_number_of_values	Set the number of values in the list.
get_ith_value	Retrieve the <i>ith</i> data descriptor.
set_ith_value	Store a Runtime_Data_Desc pointer in the <i>ith</i> position of the list.
operator[]	Retrieve the <i>ith</i> entry in the list by using subscript notation.

get_number_of_values function

Purpose

Retrieve the number of values.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_values ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of values.

set_number_of_values function**Purpose**

Set the number of values in the list. This member function can empty the list by setting the number to 0. This member function can also lengthen the list or shorten the list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_number_of_values (int a_count)
```

Input arguments

Table 317. Input arguments for the set_number_of_values member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_count	int	Number of values.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_ith_value function**Purpose**

Retrieve the *ith* data descriptor.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data_Desc* get_ith_value (int a_index)
```

Input arguments

Table 318. Input arguments for the get_ith_value member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_index	int	Index into the list (starting at 0).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the *ith* value (or null).

set_ith_value function**Purpose**

Store a Runtime_Data_Desc pointer in the *ith* position of the list.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_ith_value (Runtime_Data_Desc* a_desc,
                       int a_index)
```

Input arguments

Table 319. Input arguments for the set_ith_value member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_desc	Runtime_Data_Desc*	Descriptor pointer.

Table 319. Input arguments for the `set_ith_value` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_index</code>	<code>int</code>	Index (starting at 0).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

operator[] function**Purpose**Retrieve the *i*th entry in the list by using subscript notation.**Syntax**`Runtime_Data_Desc* operator[] (int a_index)`**Input arguments**Table 320. Input arguments for the `operator []` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_index</code>	<code>int</code>	Index into the list (starting at 0).

Output arguments

None.

Return valueThe *i*th entry.**Related reference:**

- “Data classes for the C++ API” on page 162

Runtime_Data class (C++)

This topic describes the `Runtime_Data` class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The `Runtime_Data` class encapsulates a data value that is passed between the wrapper and the query gateway interface. This data value can be column data that is in a result or is in a query parameter.

The `Runtime_Data` class is one of the data classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 query gateway and is never subclassed by the wrapper.

File `sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h`

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Runtime_Data class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 321. Member functions for the Runtime_Data class

Member function	Description
get_actual_length	Retrieve the actual length of the data value.
set_actual_length	Set the actual length of the data value.
get_data	Retrieve a pointer to the data value.
set_data	Copy information into the data value.
is_data_null	Indicate whether the data value is or is not null.
set_data_null	Mark the data value as null.
clear_null_indicator	Reset the null indicator for the data value.
set_friendly_div_by_0	Indicate that a value is null because a divide by zero error occurred.
set_friendly_exception	Indicate that a value is null because of a numeric exception.
is_data_nullable	Retrieve an indication that the data value is or is not nullable.
is_semantic_null	Return an indication that the value is semantically null.
check_friendly_div_by_0	Determine if the reason for a null indication is a divide by zero error.
check_friendly_exception	Determine if the reason for a null indication is a numeric exception.
get_for_bit_data	Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.
get_null_indicator	Retrieve the nullable indicator.
get_data_type	Retrieve the data type.
get_maximum_length	Retrieve the maximum length.
get_precision	Get the precision for numeric types.
get_scale	Get the scale for a numeric type.
get_codepage	Retrieve the code page for character types.

get_actual_length function

Purpose

Retrieve the actual length of the data value.

Syntax

```
int get_actual_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Actual data length.

set_actual_length function**Purpose**

Set the actual length of the data value.

Syntax

```
void set_actual_length (int a_length)
```

Input arguments

Table 322. Input arguments for the set_actual_length member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_length	int	Length.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_data function**Purpose**

Retrieve a pointer to the data value.

Syntax

```
unsigned char* get_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the data value.

set_data function**Purpose**

Copy information into the data value.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_data (unsigned char* a_data_ptr,
                  int a_copy_len)
```

Input arguments

Table 323. Input arguments for the set_data member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_data_ptr	unsigned char*	Data value.
a_copy_len	int	Length of the value.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

is_data_null function

Purpose

Indicate whether the data value is or is not null.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 is_data_null ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indication.

set_data_null function

Purpose

Mark the data value as null.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_data_null ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

clear_null_indicator function

Purpose

Reset the null indicator for the data value.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 clear_null_indicator ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

set_friendly_div_by_0 function

Purpose

Indicate that a value is null because a divide by zero error occurred.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_friendly_div_by_0 ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

set_friendly_exception function**Purpose**

Indicate that a value is null because of a numeric exception.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 set_friendly_exception ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

is_data_nullable function**Purpose**

Retrieve an indication that the data value is or is not nullable.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 is_data_nullable ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Nullable indication. The value is TRUE if nullable.

is_semantic_null function**Purpose**

Return an indication that the value is semantically null.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 is_semantic_null ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Nullable indication. The value is TRUE if nullable.

check_friendly_div_by_0 function

Purpose

Determine if the reason for a null indication is a divide by zero error.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 check_friendly_div_by_0
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indication. The value is TRUE if a divide by zero condition occurred.

check_friendly_exception function

Purpose

Determine if the reason for a null indication is a numeric exception.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 check_friendly_exception ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indication. The value is TRUE if an exception occurred.

get_for_bit_data function

Purpose

Retrieve the FOR BIT DATA flag for the data.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_for_bit_data ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

FOR BIT DATA flag (Y or N).

get_null_indicator function

Purpose

Retrieve the nullable indicator.

Syntax

```
short get_null_indicator ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Null indicator flag, which is SQL_NULLABLE or SQL_NO_NULLS.

get_data_type function**Purpose**

Retrieve the data type.

Syntax

```
short get_data_type ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Data type (SQL_TYP_XXX). See the sql.h header file for the SQL_TYP_XXX symbols.

get_maximum_length function**Purpose**

Retrieve the maximum length for the type.

Syntax

```
int get_maximum_length ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Maximum length for the type.

get_precision function**Purpose**

Get the precision for numeric types.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_precision ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric precision.

get_scale function

Purpose

Get the scale for a numeric type.

Syntax

```
unsigned char get_scale ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Numeric scale.

get_codepage function

Purpose

Retrieve the code page for character types.

Syntax

```
unsigned short get_codepage ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

Related tasks:

- “Runtime data classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Data classes for the C++ API” on page 162

Runtime_Data_List class (C++)

This topic describes the Runtime_Data_List class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Runtime_Data_List class provides a list of pointers to Runtime_Data objects.

The Runtime_Data_List class is one of the data classes for the C++ API.

Usage This class is instantiated by the DB2 query gateway and is never subclassed by the wrapper.

File sqlqg_runtime_data_operation.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the `Runtime_Data_List` class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 324. Member functions for the `Runtime_Data_List` class

Member function	Description
<code>get_number_of_values</code>	Retrieve the number of values.
<code>get_ith_value</code>	Retrieve the <i>i</i> th data descriptor.
<code>operator[]</code>	Retrieve the <i>i</i> th entry in the list by using subscript notation.

`get_number_of_values` function

Purpose

Retrieve the number of values.

Syntax

```
int get_number_of_values ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Number of values.

`get_ith_value` function

Purpose

Retrieve the *i*th data value.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data* get_ith_value (int a_index)
```

Input arguments

Table 325. Input arguments for the `get_ith_value` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_index</code>	<code>int</code>	Index into the list (starting at 0).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the *i*th value (or null).

`operator[]` function

Purpose

Retrieve the *i*th entry in the list by using subscript notation.

Syntax

```
Runtime_Data* operator[] (int a_index)
```

Runtime_Data_List

Input arguments

Table 326. Input arguments for the operator[] member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_index	int	Index into the list (starting at 0).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The *i*th entry.

Related tasks:

- “Runtime data classes” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Data classes for the C++ API” on page 162

Wrapper_Utilities class (C++)

This topic describes the Wrapper_Utilities class and provides details for each member function.

Overview

The Wrapper_Utilities class is a container for several static utility functions. Do not instantiate or subclass the Wrapper_Utilities class.

The Wrapper_Utilities class is a utilities class for the C++ API.

File sqlqg_utils.h

Data members

None.

Member functions

The following table describes each member function of the Wrapper_Utilities class. Each function is described in more detail after the table.

Table 327. Member functions for the Wrapper_Utilities class

Member function	Description
convert_to_upper	Convert a character string to uppercase by using the specified code page.
convert_to_lower	Convert a character string to lowercase by using the specified code page.
report_error	Generate an error to report to the user.
report_warning	Generate a warning to report to the user.
allocate	Allocate a block of memory.
deallocate	Free a block of memory that is allocated with allocate().

Table 327. Member functions for the Wrapper_Utilities class (continued)

Member function	Description
get_sb_DB_codepage	Return the single-byte code page for the current database.
get_db_DB_codepage	Return the double-byte code page for the current database.
string_to_tokens	Scan a character string and divide the string into successive tokens.
get_db2_install_path	Return a null-terminated character string that shows the absolute path name of the DB2 Information Integrator installation directory.
get_db2_instance_path	Return a null-terminated character string that shows the absolute path name of the DB2 Universal Database instance.
trace_data	Write a block of information to the DB2 Universal Database trace facility.
get_db2_release	Return the version of DB2 Universal Database, including the fix pack, that the wrapper currently runs on.
convert_codepage	Convert input data from the source code page to the target code page.
get_expected_conv_len	Return the expected number of bytes from the converted string.
get_env_lang	Return the language setting from the operating system.
change_endian2	Change the order in which the sequence of double-byte character strings is shared in the computer.
fnc_entry	Record the entry into a function.
fnc_exit	Record the exit from a function.
fnc_data	Record a data trace, which includes the probe point and a single data element.
fnc_data2	Record a data trace, which includes the probe point and two data elements.
fnc_data3	Record a data trace, which includes the probe point and three data elements.
trace_error	Record the error trace, which includes an error code and the probe points.

convert_to_upper function

Purpose

Convert a character string to uppercase by using the specified code page.

Usage Use the `get_sb_DB_codepage()` or the `get_db_DB_codepage()` function to obtain the current database code page.

Syntax

```
int convert_to_upper (char*      a_string,
                    size_t     a_length,
                    unsigned int a_codepage)
```

Input arguments

Table 328. Input arguments for the `convert_to_upper` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_string</code>	<code>char*</code>	String to convert (not null-terminated).
<code>a_length</code>	<code>size_t</code>	Length of the string.
<code>a_codepage</code>	<code>unsigned int</code>	Code page for conversion.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. A value of -1 indicates that the code page is undefined and that the string to be converted contains extended characters. These extended characters are skipped.

`convert_to_lower` function

Purpose

Convert a character string to lowercase by using the specified code page.

Usage Use the `get_sb_DB_codepage()` or the `get_db_DB_codepage()` function to obtain the current database code page.

Syntax

```
int convert_to_lower (char*      a_string,  
                    size_t     a_length,  
                    unsigned int a_codepage)
```

Input arguments

Table 329. Input arguments for the `convert_to_lower` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_string</code>	<code>char*</code>	String to convert (not null-terminated).
<code>a_length</code>	<code>size_t</code>	Length of the string.
<code>a_codepage</code>	<code>unsigned int</code>	Code page for conversion.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success. A value of -1 indicates that the code page is undefined and that the string to be converted contains extended characters. These extended characters are skipped.

`report_error` function

Purpose

Generate an error to report to the user.

Syntax

```

sqlint32 report_error (const char* a_function_name,
                      int          a_sql_code,
                      int          a_number_of_tokens,
                      ...)

```

Input arguments

Table 330. Input arguments for the report_error member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_function_name	const char*	Null-terminated character string that identifies the function that generates the error. The string cannot be greater than five characters. This string value is accessible to the client program through the sqlerrp field of the SQLCA and appears in uppercase letters with a prefix of SQL.
a_sql_code	int	The predefined SQL code for the error. See the sqlcodes.h file.
a_number_of_tokens	int	The number of substitution tokens for the message.
...	(int, const char*)	One pair of values for each token. Each pair consists of an integer length and a pointer to a character string that is not null-terminated.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. This function returns the reported error code to the caller, and the caller returns this error code to DB2.

report_warning function

Purpose

Generate a warning to report to the user.

Syntax

```

sqlint32 report_warning (const char* a_function_name,
                        int          a_warning_index,
                        char          a_warning_flag,
                        int          a_number_of_tokens,
                        ...)

```

Input arguments

Table 331. Input arguments for the `report_warning` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_function_name</code>	<code>const char*</code>	Null-terminated character string that identifies the function that generates the warning. The string cannot be greater than five characters. This string value is accessible to the client program through the <code>sqlerrp</code> field of the SQLCA and appears in uppercase letters with a prefix of SQL.
<code>a_warning_index</code>	<code>int</code>	Value that identifies the type of warning. Use the <code>SQL_WARN_xxx</code> constants that are defined in the <code>sql.h</code> header file.
<code>a_warning_flag</code>	<code>char</code>	Warning flag. Use the <code>SQL_WARNING</code> constant that is defined in the <code>sql.h</code> header file.
<code>a_number_of_tokens</code>	<code>int</code>	Number of tokens (length and string pairs) to be supplied through the <code>sqlerrm</code> field of the SQLCA and is accessible to a client program.
...	<code>(int, const char*)</code>	One pair of values for each token. Each pair consists of an integer length and a pointer to a character string that is not null-terminated.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

A value of 0 indicates that the warning generated successfully. A non-zero value indicates that a problem occurred when the warning generated. A non-zero return code must be returned to DB2.

allocate function

Purpose

Allocate a block of memory.

Syntax

```
int allocate (size_t a_size,
             void** a_block)
```

Input arguments

Table 332. Input arguments for the `allocate` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_size</code>	<code>size_t</code>	Size of a block to allocate.

Output arguments*Table 333. Output arguments for the allocate member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_block	void**	Pointer to the allocated block.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

deallocate function**Purpose**

Free a block of memory that is allocated with allocate().

Syntax

```
void deallocate (void* a_block)
```

Input arguments*Table 334. Input arguments for the deallocate member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_block	void*	Block of memory to free.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

get_sb_DB_codepage function**Purpose**

Return the single-byte code page for the current database.

Syntax

```
int get_sb_DB_codepage ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

get_db_DB_codepage function**Purpose**

Return the double-byte code page for the current database.

Syntax

```
int get_db_DB_codepage ()
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Code page.

string_to_tokens function

Purpose

Scan a character string and divide the string into successive tokens. This member function is a safe alternative to the strtok() and strtok_r() functions.

Syntax

```
char* string_to_tokens (char*      a_string,  
                      const char* a_sep,  
                      char**     a_last)
```

Input arguments

Table 335. Input arguments for the string_to_tokens member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_string	char*	String to be scanned.
a_sep	const char*	String to be used as a separator between the tokens.
a_last	char*	Value that is used to retain the state between the calls to string_to_tokens.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Pointer to the next token in string or null.

get_db2_install_path function

Purpose

Return a null-terminated character string that shows the absolute path name of the DB2 Information Integrator installation directory.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_db2_install_path (char*      a_path,  
                              sqlint32 a_path_size)
```

Input arguments

Table 336. Input arguments for the get_db2_install_path member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_path	char*	Pointer to the buffer that contains the path name.
a_path_size	sqlint32	Length of the buffer (including space for a null-terminator).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_db2_instance_path function**Purpose**

Return a null-terminated character string that shows the absolute path name of the DB2 Universal Database instance.

Syntax

```
sqlint32 get_db2_instance_path (char*   a_path,
                               sqlint32 a_path_size)
```

Input arguments*Table 337. Input arguments for the get_db2_instance_path member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_path	char*	Pointer to the buffer that contains the path name.
a_path_size	sqlint32	Length of the buffer (including space for a null-terminator).

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

trace_data function**Purpose**

Write a block of information to the DB2 Universal Database trace facility.

Usage For more information about the DB2 Universal Database trace facility, see *DB2 Command Reference*.

Syntax

```
void trace_data (int   a_probe,
                void*  a_data,
                int   a_data_size)
```

Input arguments*Table 338. Input arguments for the trace_data member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_probe	int	Number that identifies the trace point.
a_data	void*	Pointer to the data to be traced.
a_data_size	int	Length of the data to be traced.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

Return code. A value of 0 indicates success.

get_db2_release function

Purpose

Return the version of DB2 Universal Database, including the fix pack, that the wrapper currently runs on. The return value is defined in the sql.h header file.

Syntax

```
int get_db2_release (void)
```

Input arguments

None.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The current DB2 Universal Database version, including the fix pack. For example, SQL_REL8103, which indicates that the wrapper is running under DB2 Universal Database, Version 8.1, FixPak 3.

convert_codepage function

Purpose

Convert input data from the source code page to the target code page.

Syntax

```
static sqlint32 convert_codepage (sqluint8** a_input_data,
                                  sqluint32 a_input_len,
                                  sqluint32 a_source_CP,
                                  sqluint32 a_target_CP,
                                  sqluint8* a_output_data,
                                  sqluint32* a_output_len,
                                  bool* a_EBCDIC_is_DBCS,
                                  sqluint32* a_substitute )
```

Input arguments

Table 339. Input arguments for the convert_codepage member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_input_data	sqluint8**	Pointer to the input data string.
a_input_len	sqluint32	Number of bytes in the input data string.
a_source_CP	sqluint32	Code page of the input data string.
a_target_CP	sqluint32	Code page to which the input data string is converted.

Table 339. Input arguments for the `convert_codepage` member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_output_data</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	The output buffer where the converted data is copied. The caller allocates the output buffer.
<code>a_output_len</code>	<code>sqluint32*</code>	Size of the <code>a_output_data</code> buffer in bytes
<code>a_EBCDIC_is_DBCS</code>	<code>bool*</code>	Indicates whether EBCDIC characters are double-byte character sets (TRUE or FALSE).

Output argumentsTable 340. Output arguments for the `convert_codepage` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_output_data</code>	<code>sqluint8*</code>	Converted data.
<code>a_output_len</code>	<code>sqluint32*</code>	Number of bytes for the converted data.
<code>a_EBCDIC_is_DBCS</code>	<code>bool*</code>	Indicates whether EBCDIC characters are double-byte character sets (TRUE or FALSE).
<code>a_input_data</code>	<code>sqluint8**</code>	Pointer to the next byte in the data string that needs to be converted.
<code>a_substitute</code>	<code>sqluint32*</code>	Indicates whether the output string contains the substitution code (TRUE or FALSE).

Return value

`CP_CONV_OK` indicates success. `CP_CONV_BUFFER_SMALL` is a warning that indicates the output buffer is too small for the converted data. `CP_CONV_CP_SAME` is a warning that indicates that the source code page and the target code page are the same.

`CP_CONV_DBCS_TRUNCATE` is a warning that indicates the last character of the input data string is truncated.

`CP_CONV_NOT_SUPPORTED` is an error that indicates that a conversion table does not exist; `CP_CONV_ERROR` indicates that another error occurred.

get_expected_conv_len function**Purpose**

Return the expected number of bytes for the converted string.

Syntax

```
static sqluint32 get_expected_conv_len (sqluint32 a_input_len,
                                       sqluint32 a_source_CP,
                                       sqluint32 a_target_CP)
```

Input arguments

Table 341. Input arguments for the `get_expected_conv_len` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_input_len</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Number of bytes for the original string.
<code>a_source_CP</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Code page of the original string.
<code>a_target_CP</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Code page to which the original string is converted.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

The expected number of bytes for the converted string with a data type of `sqluint32`.

get_env_lang function

Purpose

Return the language setting from the operating system.

Syntax

```
static sqluint32 get_env_lang (sqlint8* a_buffer)
```

Input arguments

Table 342. Input arguments for the `get_env_lang` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_buffer</code>	<code>sqlint8*</code>	Pointer to a buffer with a length of 256 bytes.

Output arguments

Table 343. Output arguments for the `get_env_lang` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_buffer</code>	<code>sqlint8*</code>	Null-terminated language setting (for UNIX operating systems, the value is LANG; for Microsoft Windows operating systems, the system default language setting).

Return value

A value of 0 indicates success. A non-zero value indicates that an error occurred.

change_endian2 function

Purpose

Change the order in which the sequence of double-byte character strings is

stored in the computer. Big-endian representations are changed to little-endian representations; little-endian representations are changed to big-endian representations.

Syntax

```
static void change_endian2 (sqlint8* a_source,
                           sqluint32 a_source_len)
```

Input arguments*Table 344. Input arguments for the change_endian2 member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_source	sqlint8*	Double-byte character string to change.
a_source_len	sqluint32	Number of bytes in the input string.

Output arguments*Table 345. Output arguments for the change_endian2 member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_source	sqlint8*	The converted string.

Return value

None.

fnc_entry function**Purpose**

Record the entry into a function when the wrapper trace facility runs.

Syntax

```
static void fnc_entry (sqlint16 a_function_id,
                     const char* a_function_name)
```

Input arguments*Table 346. Input arguments for the fnc_entry member function*

Name	Data type	Description
a_function_id	sqlint16	Function ID.
a_function_name	const char*	Function that calls the tracing member functions.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

fnc_exit function**Purpose**

Record the exit from a function when the wrapper trace facility runs.

Syntax

```
static void fnc_exit (sqlint16  a_function_id,
                    const char* a_function_name,
                    sqlint32   a_rc)
```

Input arguments

Table 347. Input arguments for the `fnc_exit` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_function_id</code>	<code>sqlint16</code>	Function ID.
<code>a_function_name</code>	<code>const char*</code>	Function that calls the tracing member functions.
<code>a_rc</code>	<code>sqlint32</code>	Pointer to return code; 0 indicates success.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

`fnc_data` function

Purpose

Record the data trace, which includes the probe point and a single data element, from the wrapper trace facility.

Syntax

```
static void fnc_data (sqlint16  a_function_id,
                    const char* a_function_name,
                    sqluint32  a_probe,
                    sqluint32  a_data1_size,
                    const void* a_data1)
```

Input arguments

Table 348. Input arguments for the `fnc_data` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_function_id</code>	<code>sqlint16</code>	Function ID.
<code>a_function_name</code>	<code>const char*</code>	Function that calls the tracing member functions.
<code>a_probe</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Probe point or trace point. This number identifies the line in the code that is generating the trace data.
<code>a_data1_size</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Size of the <code>a_data1</code> argument in bytes.
<code>a_data1</code>	<code>const void*</code>	A pointer to the data to be traced.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

fnc_data2 function

Purpose

Record the data trace, which includes the probe point and two data elements, from the wrapper trace facility.

Syntax

```
static void fnc_data2 (sqlint16    a_function_id,
                     const char*  a_function_name,
                     sqluint32    a_probe,
                     sqluint32    a_data1_size,
                     const void*  a_data1,
                     sqluint32    a_data2_size,
                     const void*  a_data2)
```

Input arguments

Table 349. Input arguments for the fnc_data2 member function

Name	Data type	Description
a_function_id	sqlint16	Function ID.
a_function_name	const char*	Function that calls the tracing member functions.
a_probe	sqluint32	Probe point or trace point. This number identifies the line in the code that is generating the trace data.
a_data1_size	sqluint32	Size of the a_data1 argument in bytes.
a_data1	const void*	A pointer to the data to be traced.
a_data2_size	sqluint32	Size of the a_data2 argument in bytes.
a_data2	const void*	A pointer to the data to be traced.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

fnc_data3 function

Purpose

Record the data trace, which includes the probe point and three data elements, from the wrapper trace facility.

Syntax

```
static void fnc_data3 (sqlint16    a_function_id,
                     const char*  a_function_name,
                     sqluint32    a_probe,
                     sqluint32    a_data1_size,
                     const void*  a_data1,
                     sqluint32    a_data2_size,
                     const void*  a_data2,
                     sqluint32    a_data3_size,
                     const void*  a_data3)
```

Input arguments

Table 350. Input arguments for the `inc_data3` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_function_id</code>	<code>sqlint16</code>	Function ID.
<code>a_function_name</code>	<code>const char*</code>	Function that calls the tracing member functions.
<code>a_probe</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Probe point or trace point. This number identifies the line in the code that is generating the trace data.
<code>a_data1_size</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Size of the <code>a_data1</code> argument in bytes.
<code>a_data1</code>	<code>const void*</code>	A pointer to the data to be traced.
<code>a_data2_size</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Size of the <code>a_data2</code> argument in bytes.
<code>a_data2</code>	<code>const void*</code>	A pointer to the data to be traced
<code>a_data3_size</code>	<code>sqluint32</code>	Size of the <code>a_data3</code> argument in bytes.
<code>a_data3</code>	<code>const void*</code>	A pointer to the data to be traced.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

trace_error function

Purpose

Record the error trace, which includes an error code, error data, and the probe points, from the wrapper trace facility.

Syntax

```
static void trace_error (sqlint16    a_function_id,
                        const char*  a_function_name,
                        sqluint32    a_probe,
                        sqluint32    a_data_size,
                        const void*   a_data
```

Input arguments

Table 351. Input arguments for the `trace_error` member function

Name	Data type	Description
<code>a_function_id</code>	<code>sqlint16</code>	Function ID.
<code>a_function_name</code>	<code>const char*</code>	Function that calls the tracing member functions.

Table 351. Input arguments for the trace_error member function (continued)

Name	Data type	Description
a_probe	sqluint32	Probe point or trace point. This number can be used to identify the line in the code that is generating the trace data.
a_data_size	sqluint32	Size of the error trace in bytes.
a_data	const void*	Error trace.

Output arguments

None.

Return value

None.

Related concepts:

- “Wrapper trace facility” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*

Related reference:

- “Wrapper utilities class” in the *IBM DB2 Information Integrator Wrapper Developer’s Guide*
- “Catalog classes for the C++ API” on page 1
- “Data classes for the C++ API” on page 162

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