

Re: How to close connection pool?

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Simply open connections with pooling disabled—or as suggested when performing maintenance, use single-user mode.

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"pearsons_11114" <pearsons11114@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:96E7D38D-CEF8-4EED-AE7C-63B9FDC2A014@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Just seems like a major design hiccup not to be able to control that. The scenarios are unlimited. In my case, I want to perform a restore on a database from the application. If that database has ever been accessed from the application, then there will be effectively orphaned connections in the pool preventing it until the user exits the application. We dodged a bullet in that the action is normally only performed when the application is first started. However, some configuration information gets loaded from the DB before that, so I need to set pooling to false for that action. So, I have workarounds in my case, but still seems odd not to be able to control it.

"Miha Markic [MVP C#]" wrote:

The feature is added in .net 2 for oracle and sqlserver.
Why is this (an administrative) problem for you?

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Let me say preemptively I've read up on this and searched
postings here
and
haven't found an answer.

Connection pooling doesn't provide a way to close all
connections in
the
pool, short of exiting the process. This seems to me to be a
designed-in
leak. I can think of a few scenarios where this creates an
administrative
problem, one of which I'm in.

Thanks.