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Hello,

Based on my knowledge, parameters for function is assigned the default collation of the database:

Specifying Collations

http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/library/en-us/architec/8_ar_da_3zw3.asp

Parameters for stored procedures or functions, user-defined data types, and variables are assigned the default collation of the database

However, you can refer to the following information:

1.

Changing Collations

http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/library/en-us/architec/8_ar_da_819v.asp

After a collation has been assigned to any object other than a column or database, you cannot change the collation except by dropping and re-creating the object. This can be a complex operation.

To change the default collation for an instance of Microsoft SQL Server 2000 you must:

" Make sure you have all of the information or scripts needed to re-create your user databases and all of the objects in them.

" Export all of your data using a tool such as bulk copy.

" Drop all of the user databases.

" Rebuild the master database specifying the new collation.

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" Create all of the databases and all of the objects in them.

" Import all of your data.

Note: Instead of changing the default collation of an instance of SQL Server 2000, you can specify a default collation for each new database you create.

2. Change the collation of the master database:

How to transfer a database from one collation to another collation in SQL Server

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb:en-us:325335>.

You can refer to the "Change the collation of the master database" and "Change the collation of the master database in SQL Server 2000" section.

3.

COLLATE

http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/library/en-us/architec/8_ar_da_819v.asp

*Creating or altering a database.

You can use the COLLATE clause of the CREATE DATABASE or ALTER DATABASE statement to specify the default collation of the database. You can also specify a collation when you create a database using SQL Server Enterprise Manager. If you do not specify a collation, the database is assigned the default collation of the SQL Server instance.*

I hope the information is helpful.

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