sql * Update(TABLE)(COLUMN, value).Where(KEY == key_value)

When called within GUI widget, you canot use plain "Update", because Update is one of Ctrl member functions; use "::Update" or "SqlUpdate" instead.

Note also that you can create insert and update in more steps:

SqlSet ins = Insert(TABLE);
ins(COLUMN, val);
ins(COL2, val);
...

That is quite useful when values and names of columns are in some sort of array (or something like that).

As for that raw data / escape problem, the best bet is to use "SetParam" syntax:

SQL.Execute("update MYTAB set RAWCOLUMN = ?", raw_value);

but, unfortunately, it is quite RDBMS specific (at there is little that can be done with it).

Anyway, I am all for altering SqlExp to perform escaping of string data. The only trouble is that we should not make SqlExp depend on specific RDBMS libraries; means we should make that escaping code ourselves.

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