

Database Management Systems

MySQL - Getting Ready

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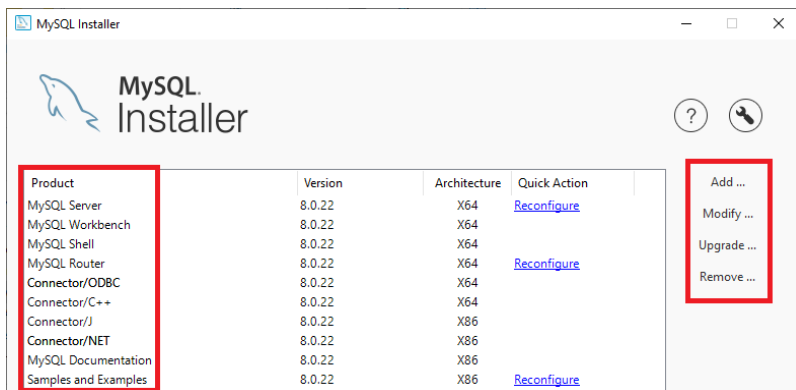
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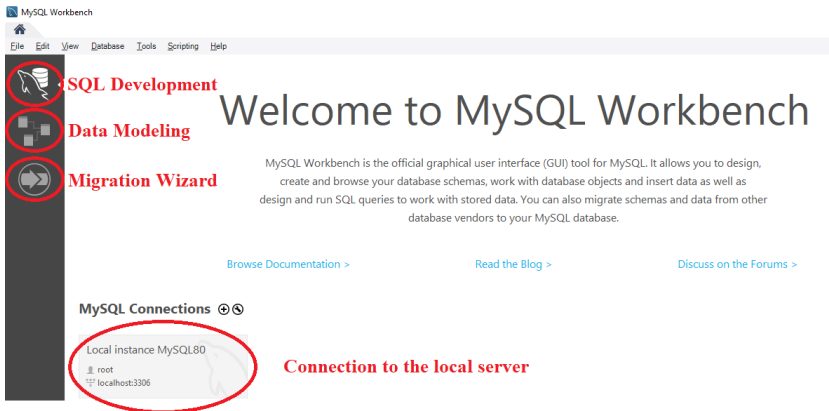
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MySQL Workbench – Getting Started



MySQL Workbench

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SQL Development

Data Modeling

Migration Wizard

Welcome to MySQL Workbench

MySQL Workbench is the official graphical user interface (GUI) tool for MySQL. It allows you to design, create and browse your database schemas, work with database objects and insert data as well as design and run SQL queries to work with stored data. You can also migrate schemas and data from other database vendors to your MySQL database.

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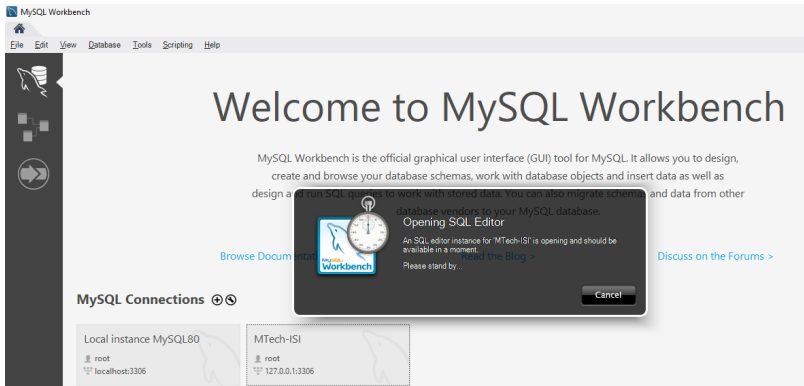
Local instance MySQL80

root

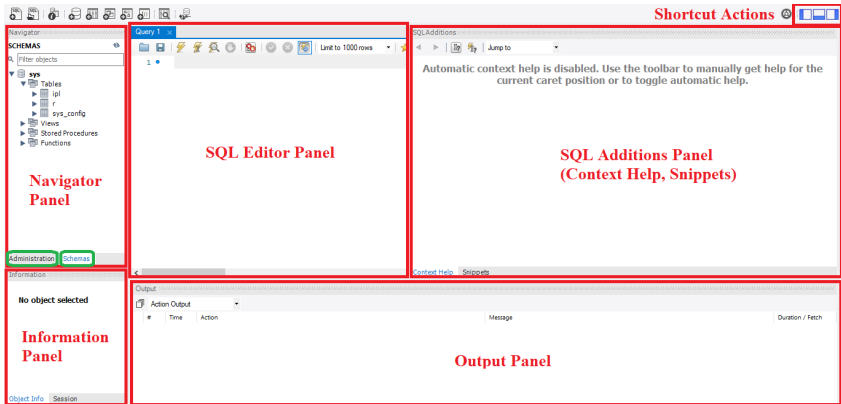
localhost:3306

Connection to the local server

Connecting with MySQL Workbench



MySQL Workbench – Panels



Note: The MySQL Workbench developer manual is available at <https://dev.mysql.com/doc/workbench/en>.

MySQL Installation in Linux

Update the list of available packages and their versions:

```
$ sudo apt update
```

Install MySQL:

```
$ sudo apt install mysql-server
```

Connecting with MySQL in Linux

```
$ mysql -u <user_name> -p
Enter password:
mysql> _
mysql> show databases;
mysql> connect <database_name>;
mysql> show tables;
mysql> desc <table_name>;
mysql> exit
$ _
```

We will be using the accounts with username/password root/mysql (DBA) and student/student123 (general user) on MySQL during the course.

Note: In Oracle SQL, scott/tiger are the general username/password. The default password for the DBA is system.