
Subject: MySQL

Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 18:31:51 GMT

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Well I got a home webserver up and running, got php, apache, and mysql all setup and going good, but now a question:

1)If I have more than 1 thing that need a mysql database, do I make another one? Or can I use 1 universal database?

2)How do I lookup the name of my database, all the accounts/passwords associated with it, like the things I need are :

username (root?)

password

database name

host (localhost?)

Subject: Re: MySQL

Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 18:50:13 GMT

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one database per application.

I.E: if you want to install 2 forums, each forum must have there own database.

not sure about the second one.

Subject: Re: MySQL

Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 18:53:26 GMT

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I see, thanks. But, how do you get a 2nd instance running for a 2nd database? Im guessing not using that config editor it comes with, becomes it only edits your current setup? Do you re-run the installer, and just install into a different directory or?

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Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 20:48:50 GMT

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Wow, after 349948 websites, I managed to figure out how to make another database.

The question is still, how do you make another user for a mysql database?

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Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 02:46:22 GMT

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Download this: http://www.phpmyadmin.net/home_page/index.php
It's a very useful tool for running a MySQL setup.

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Posted by [JPNOD](#) on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 16:54:24 GMT

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Just get WAMP, or XAMPP. That almost speaks for itself.

as for the username. standard is root with empty pw.

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Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Tue, 25 Dec 2007 05:13:06 GMT

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that's for the tip. yep, heard of phpmyadmin, I already had it installed, but don't have php_mysql.dll setup, which is something I'll get around to.

Everything seems to be working now tho, thanks for the help.
