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2025 - 30 Years MySQL Anniversary.

2024 – Release of MySQL 9 and first LTS: 8.4
1 billion MySQL installations and over 2 billion downloads worldwide;
MySQL #1 DB for Development (JetBrains).

2020 - Release of MySQL HeatWave, a fully-managed cloud service.

2019 - MySQL declared DBMS of the year (DB-Engines Ranking).

2018 - MySQL 8.0 is released, a giant leap for SQL and adopting a continuous development model.

2015 - Release of MySQL 5.7 with major improvements in performance, JSON support, replication, and security enhancements, further solidifying its place as a leading open-source database.

2009 - Oracle Acquires Sun Microsystems.

2008 - Acquisition by Sun Microsystems.

2005 - Release of MySQL 5.0 with support for stored procedures, triggers, views, and more advanced features, making it more competitive in the database market.

2003 - 4 million active MySQL installations.

2001 - 2 million active MySQL installations.

2000 - Open Source: MySQL adopts the GPL (GNU General Public License), officially making MySQL an open-source project.

1995 - MySQL is Founded. The first version of MySQL was released in May 1995.



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most popular
open source
database