MS SQL Server Installation Guide

This guide will help you in installing "MS SQL Server Express 2008" and "MS SQL Server Management Studio 2012". This document is prepared on Windows 7. You may get different warnings due to your OS & existing installations.

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Please note that "Database Engine Service" and "SQL Server Management Studio" are two different items. If you are installing SQL Server Developer/Standard/Enterprise Edition, that will include both items. But if you want to use freely available SQL Express edition, it will install only "Database Engine Service". And for IDE, you will have to install "SQL Server Management Studio.

Following screenshots are taken on Windows 7.

Microsoft SQL Express 2008 Installation

This will install only "Database Engine Service". "SQL Server Management Studio" (IDE) is not part of this installation.

1- To download "Microsoft SQL Express 2008" 32 bit or 64bit version, you may go to following link. http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=1695



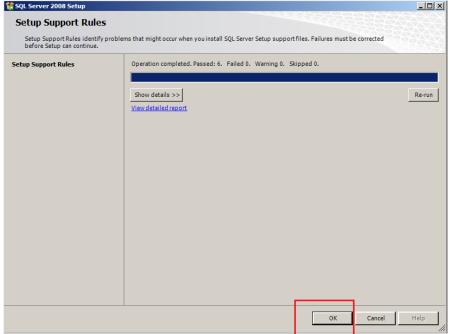
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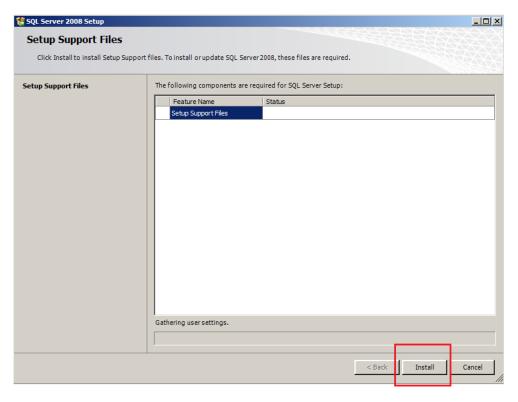
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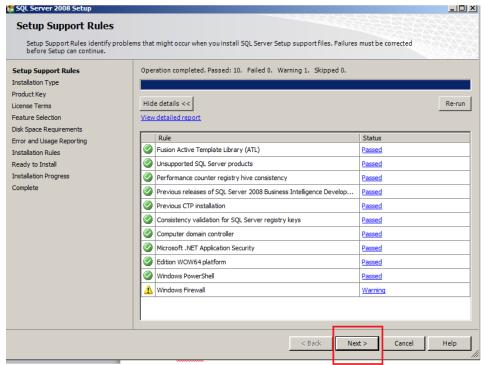


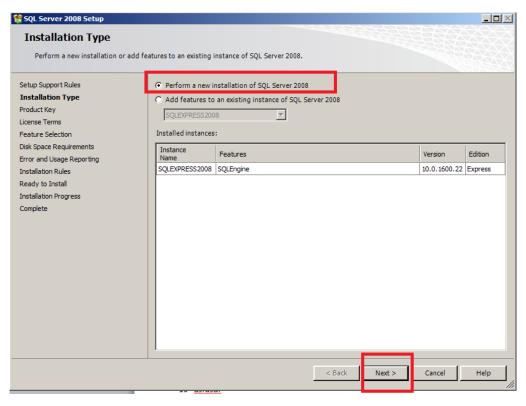
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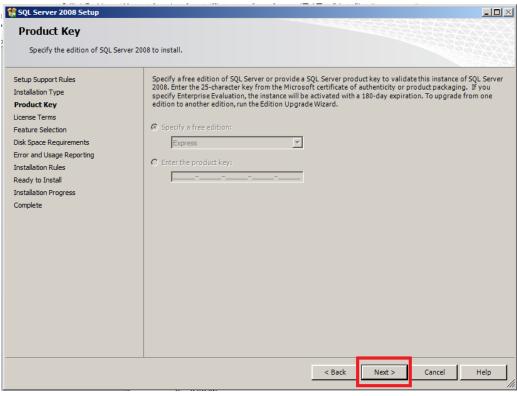


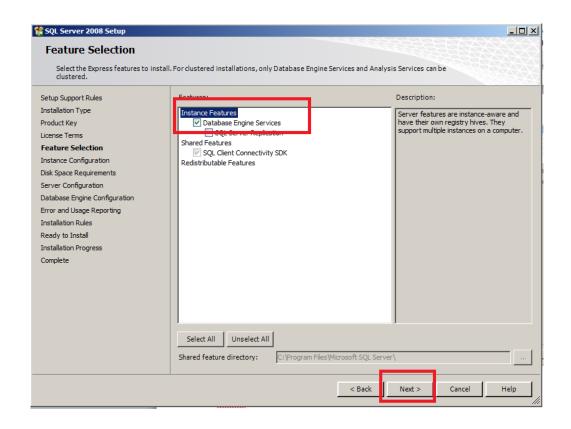






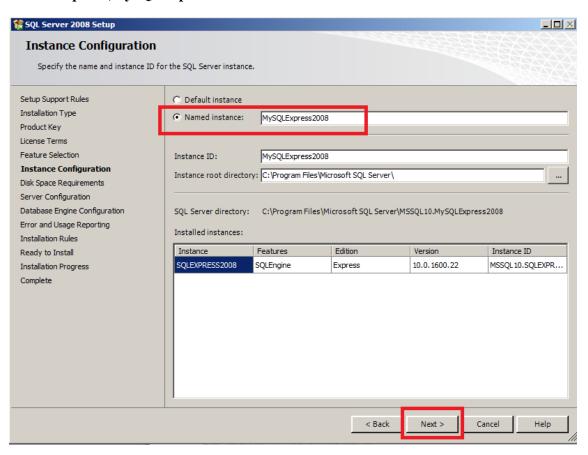


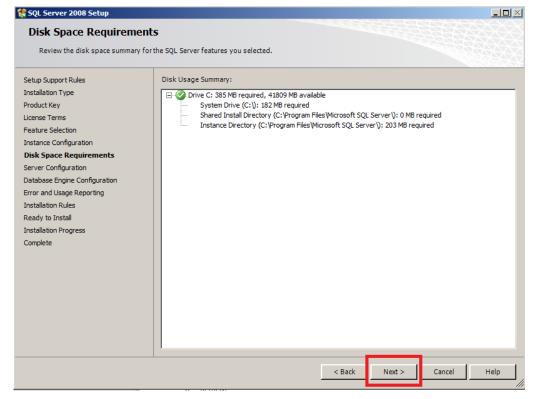


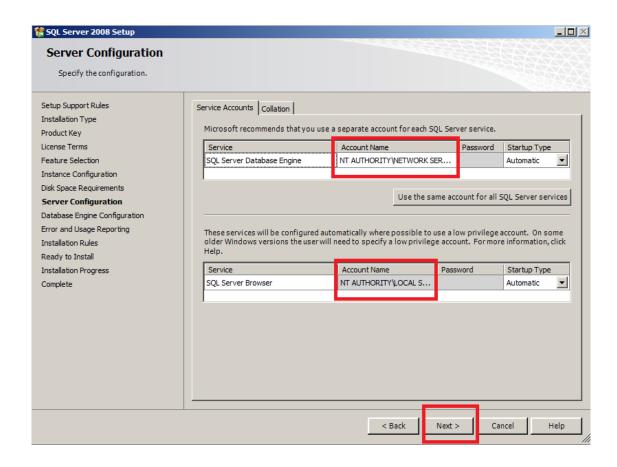


3- In this step, you may give any name to the SQL Server instance. This name will be used to access SQL Server instance. To connect you will use "YOU_MACHINE_NAME\THIS_INSTANCE_NAME".

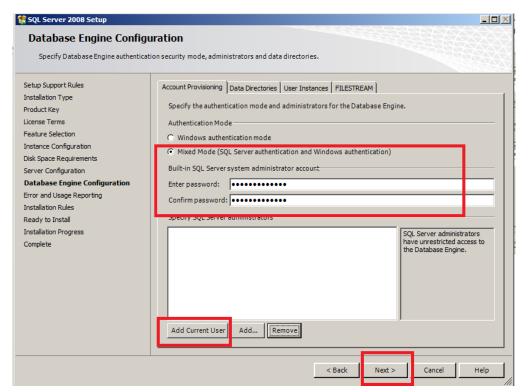
So let say if your machine name is "bilal-computer" and instance name is "MySQLExpress2008", you will have to use "bilal-computer\MySQLExpress2008" to connect this database server.



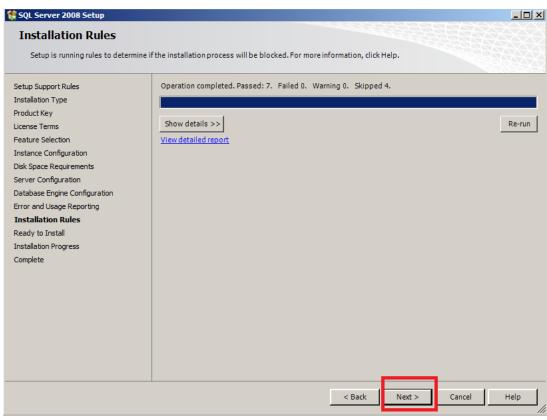


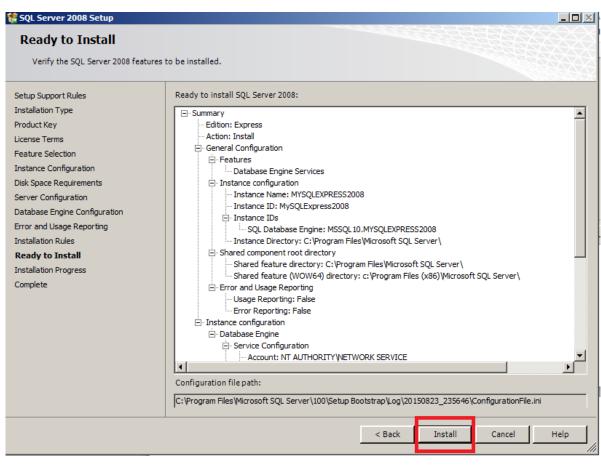


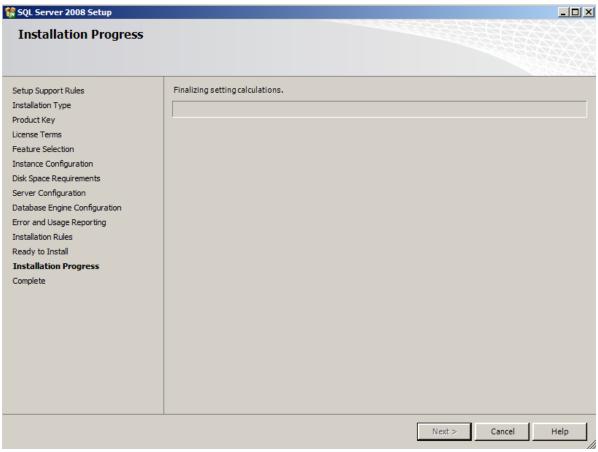
4- In this step, choose "Mixed mode" option and set a password. For now, you may provide "P@ssword12345". Also click "Add Current User" button to add logged in user to the list of SQL Server Administrators.

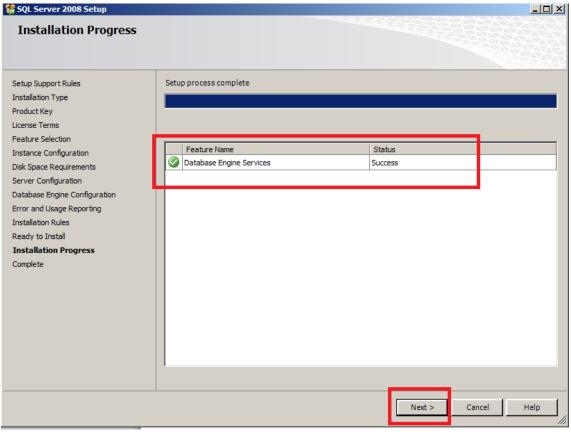


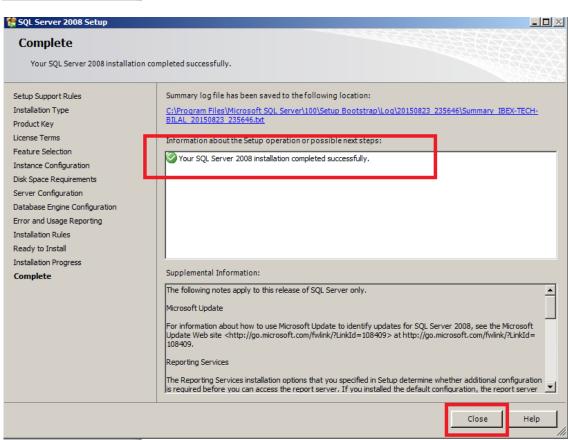










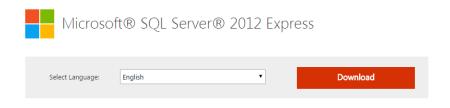


Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio Installation

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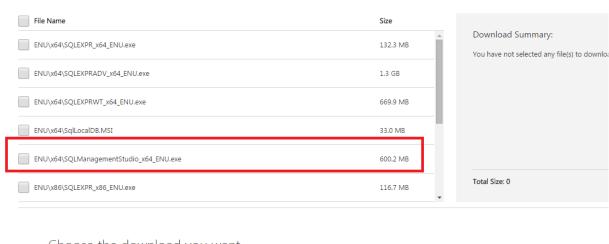
1- To download "Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio 2012" 32 bit or 64bit version, you may go to following link.

https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=29062

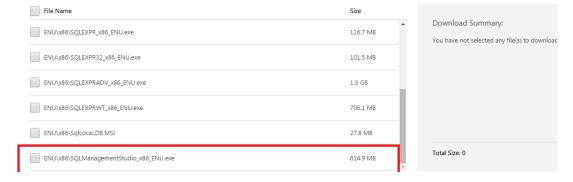


Microsoft® SQL Server® 2012 Express is a powerful and reliable free data management system that delivers a rich and reliable data store for lightweight Web Sites and desktop applications.

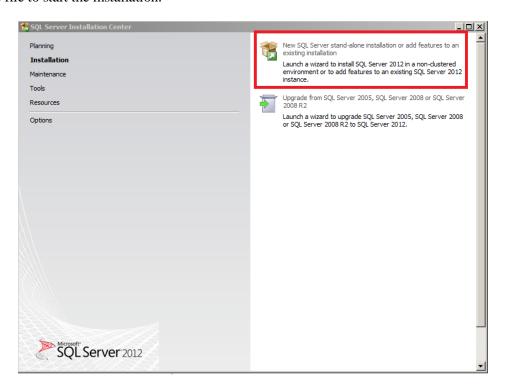
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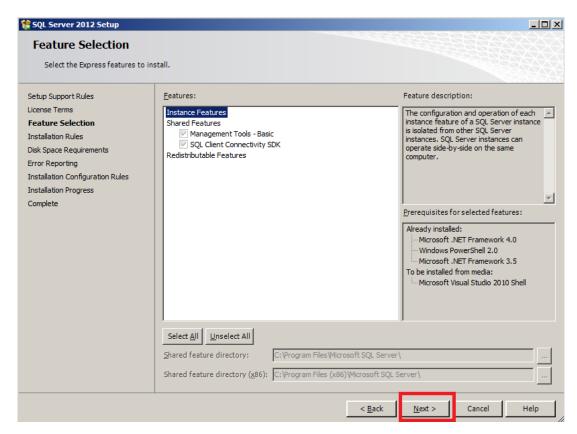
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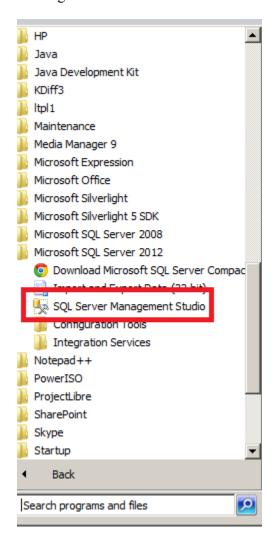
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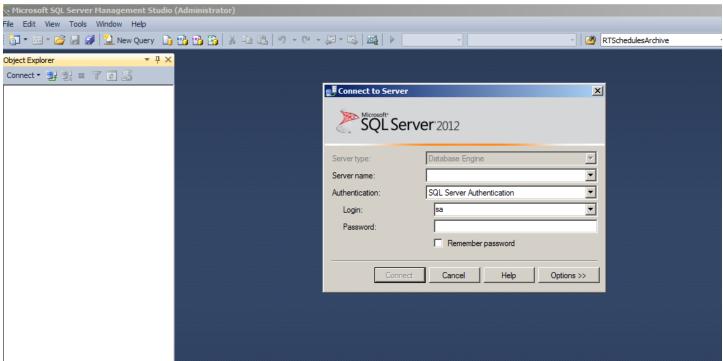


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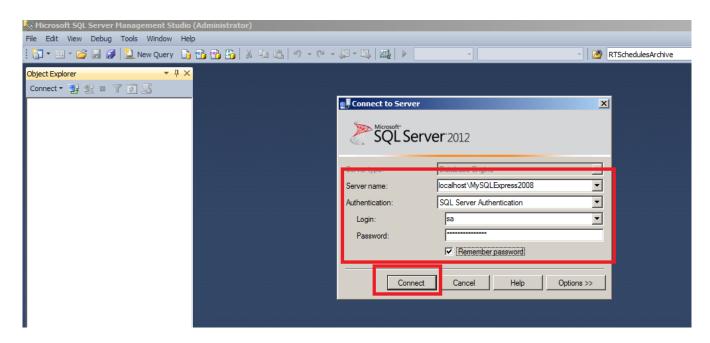
5- After this keep going through the screens and finish the installation. Once installation is completed, You may go to start menu and run "SQL Server Management Studio" file

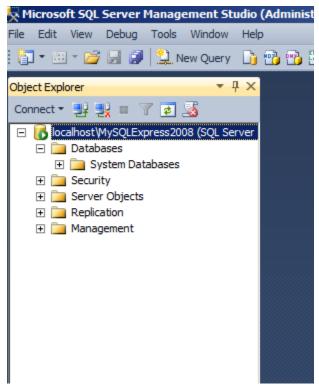




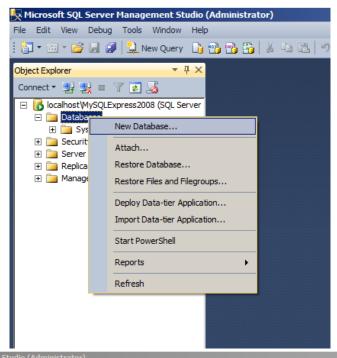
6- Here we need to provide Server Name. In first part of this tutorial, we've created our "SQL Server Engine service" and have named that as "MySQLExpress2008". We'll also have to use computer name before this instance name. We may use localhost instead of computer name.

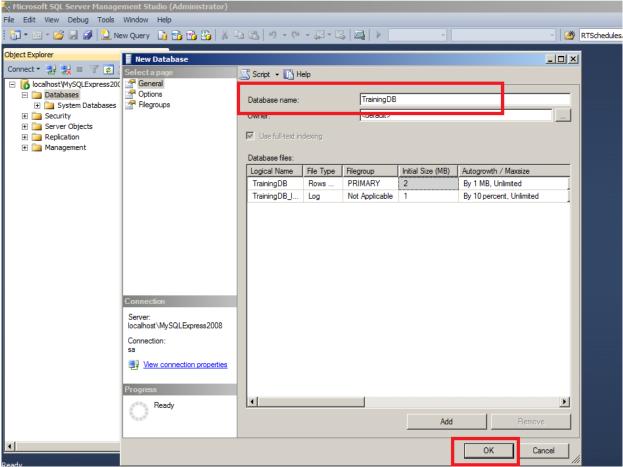
We are going to use "SQL Server Authentication" mechanism. It means we'll have to provide SQL Server user credentials here. We've set the password of "sa" to "P@ssword12345" in part 1.



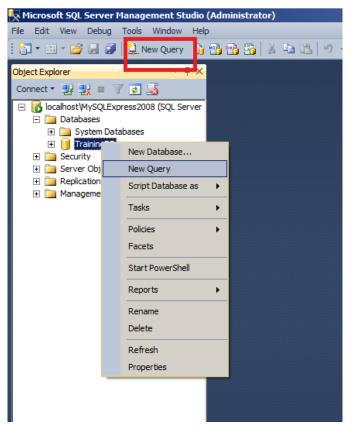


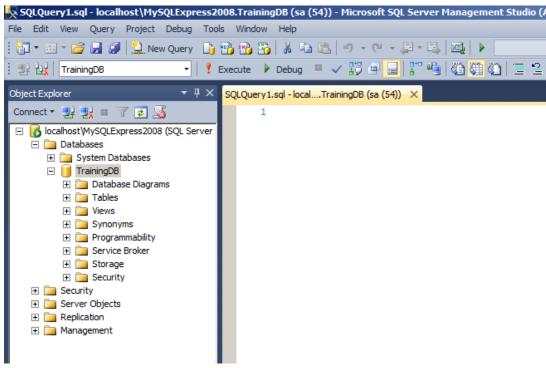
7- To create a new database, you may right click on "Databases" folder and choose "New Database"



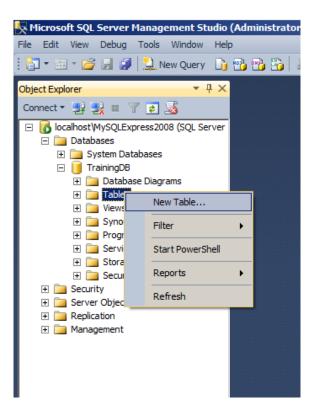


8- To open a new query window, you may right click on "TrainingDB" database and choose "New Query.

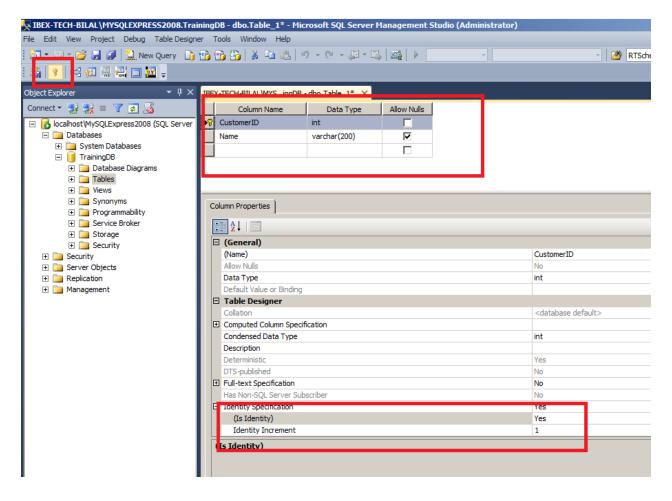




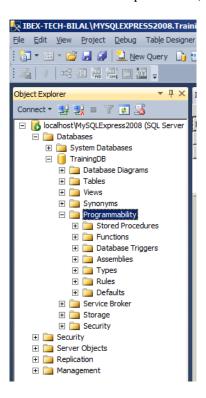
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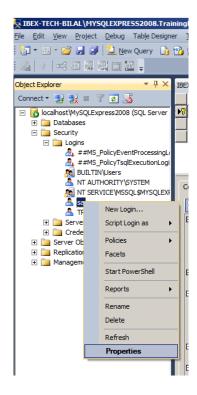
10- To Set "Primary Key", You may use icon at toolbar. If you to make a column "auto generated", you may use "Is Identity" property once column (e.g. Customer ID) is selected.

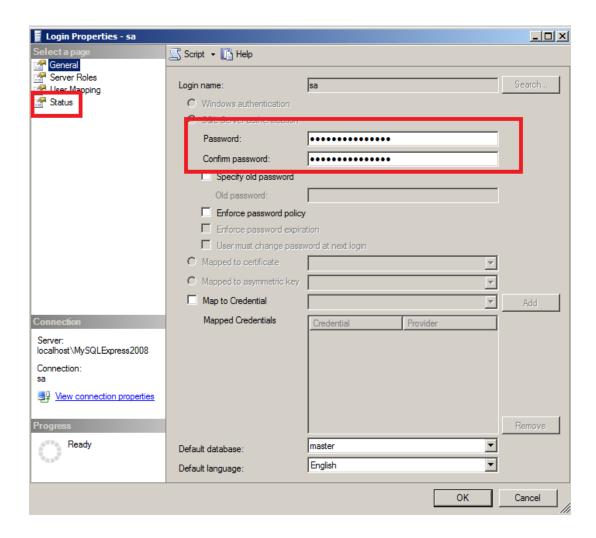


11- You may check "programmability" folder to create stored procedures, functions, views etc.



12- If you want to change the password of "sa", you may use "security" folder. You may right click on "sa" and choose properties to change the password. On "properties" window, you may also check "status" tab to check if account is locked or not.





13- Now We know following information (and we we'll use this to connect to this)

Database Server Name: Machine_Name\MySQLExpress2008

Database Name: TrainingDB

User Id: sa

Password: P@ssword12345

14- This is the connection string we've defined in our First home work of ASP.NET MVC.

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