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- Mysql is an open-source relational database management system(RDBMS) that is widely used to store, retrieve and manage data.
- It is one of the most popular database systems, especially used in web development, due to its reliability, speed and ease of use.
- MySQL uses the SQL language to manage database and perform the tasks.
- MySQL is free and open-source.
- Ideal for both small and larger projects.
- MySQL was first released in 1995.
- MySQL is compliant with the ANSI SQL standard.
- It is a part of LAMP(Linux, Apache, MySQL, Perl/Python/PHP).

Features of MySQL:

- Open-Source: MySQL is an open-source, and it's source code is available for modification.
- Cross-Platform: It works on different platforms.
- Speed and Reliability: Known for fast data handling.
- Scalability: Can be able to handle small-large projects.

DBMS VS RDBMS:

<u>DBMS</u>	RDBMS
 Stores data in different formats. 	Stores data in tables with rows and columns.
No relation between data.	Relation exists between tables using keys.
 Doesn't support Normalization. 	Supports Normalization.
May or may not use SQL.	Uses SQL as a standard.
Lack of Data Integrity.	Enforces data integrity.
Doesn't support transactions.	Supports ACID transactions.
Doesn't have a specific structure to the data.	Have a specific structure to the data - Schemas
Ex: File systems,IMS,DMS	Ex: MySQL,Oracle,SQL Server