

# Connecting MySQL Server on VSCode

This guide will walk you through the process of connecting a MySQL server using Visual Studio Code (VSCode). The steps include installing the necessary VSCode extension and configuring the MySQL server connection.

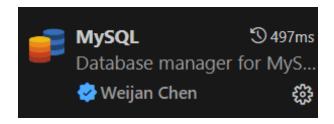
### **Step 1: Install MySQL Extension in VSCode**

### 1. Open VSCode:

• Launch Visual Studio Code on your machine.

#### 2. Install MySQL Extension:

- Click on the Extensions icon in the Activity Bar on the side of the window or press Ctrl+Shift+X to open the Extensions view.
- In the search bar, type MySQL and look for the MySQL extension by Weijan Chen (shown in the image below).
- Click Install to add the extension to your VSCode.



## Step 2: Configure MySQL Server in VSCode

#### 1. Open MySQL Extension:

• After installation, you will see a new icon for the MySQL extension in the Activity Bar. Click on it to open the extension.