

MARIADB ASSIGNMENT

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Problem Statement:

You work for **XYZ Corporation**. Their application requires a SQL service that can store data which can be retrieved if required. Implement a suitable RDS engine for the same.

While migrating, you are asked to perform the following tasks:

1. Create a **MariaDB Engine based RDS Database**.
 2. Connect to the DB using the following ways:
 - a. SQL Client for Windows
 - b. Linux based EC2 Instance
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Solution Implementation Steps

1. Create MariaDB Engine Based RDS Database

1. Logged in to the **AWS Management Console** → Opened **RDS Service**.
 2. Clicked on **Create Database** → Selected **Standard Create**.
 3. Under **Engine options**, selected **MariaDB**.
 4. Configured the following settings:
 - **DB instance identifier:** mariadb-database
 - **Master username:** admin
 - **Master password:** (*secure password*)
 - **Instance type:** db.t3.micro (Free-tier eligible)
 5. Kept **Public accessibility** as **yes**
 6. Created or selected a **VPC** and **DB Subnet Group**.
 7. Selected a default **VPC Security Group** allowing inbound port **3306** (MySQL/Aurora) from both:
 - The **EC2 instance's Security Group** (for private access)
 - The **local system IP** (for Windows SQL Client access).
 8. Clicked **Create database** and waited until the status changed to **Available**.
 9. Noted down the **RDS Endpoint** and **Port (3306)**.
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mariadb-database Modify Actions

Summary				
DB identifier mariadb-database	Status Available	Role Instance	Engine MariaDB	Recommendations
CPU -	Class db.t3.micro	Current activity	Region & AZ us-east-1b	

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Connectivity & security		
Endpoint & port Endpoint mariadb-database.cazam602g56y.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com Port 3306	Networking Availability Zone us-east-1b VPC default vpc (vpc-03af9fa3d1eb0c8bf) Subnet group default-vpc-03af9fa3d1eb0c8bf	Security VPC security groups default (sg-0fc6d5905a59392c4) Active Publicly accessible No Certificate authority Info

2. Connect to the RDS Database Using SQL Client for Windows

1. Installed **MySQL Workbench** on Windows.
2. Opened Workbench → **Database** → **Manage Connections** → **New**.
3. Entered the connection details:
 - **Connection Name:** mariadb-database
 - **Hostname:** <your-rds-endpoint> (e.g., mariadb-database.abc123xyz.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com)
 - **Port:** 3306
 - **Username:** admin
 - **Password:** entered and saved securely.
4. Clicked **Test Connection** → Received “**Successfully made the MySQL connection**” message.
5. Clicked **OK** to save the connection and opened it.
6. Verified by running sample SQL commands:

SHOW DATABASES;

CREATE DATABASE winclientdb;

USE winclientdb;

CREATE TABLE employee (id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY, name VARCHAR(50));

INSERT INTO employee(name) VALUES ('Vikram'), ('Soumya');

SELECT * FROM employee;

☒ Data successfully created and retrieved.

Welcome to MySQL Workbench

Setup New Connection

Connection Name: Type a name for the connection

Connection Method: Method to use to connect to the RDBMS

Parameters SSL Advanced

Hostname: Port: Name or IP address of the server host - and TCP/IP port.

Username: Name of the user to connect with.

Password: The user's password. Will be requested later if it's not set.



Default Schema: The schema to use as default schema. Leave blank to select it later.


Welcome to MySQL Workbench


Setup New Connection

Connection Name: Type a name for the connection

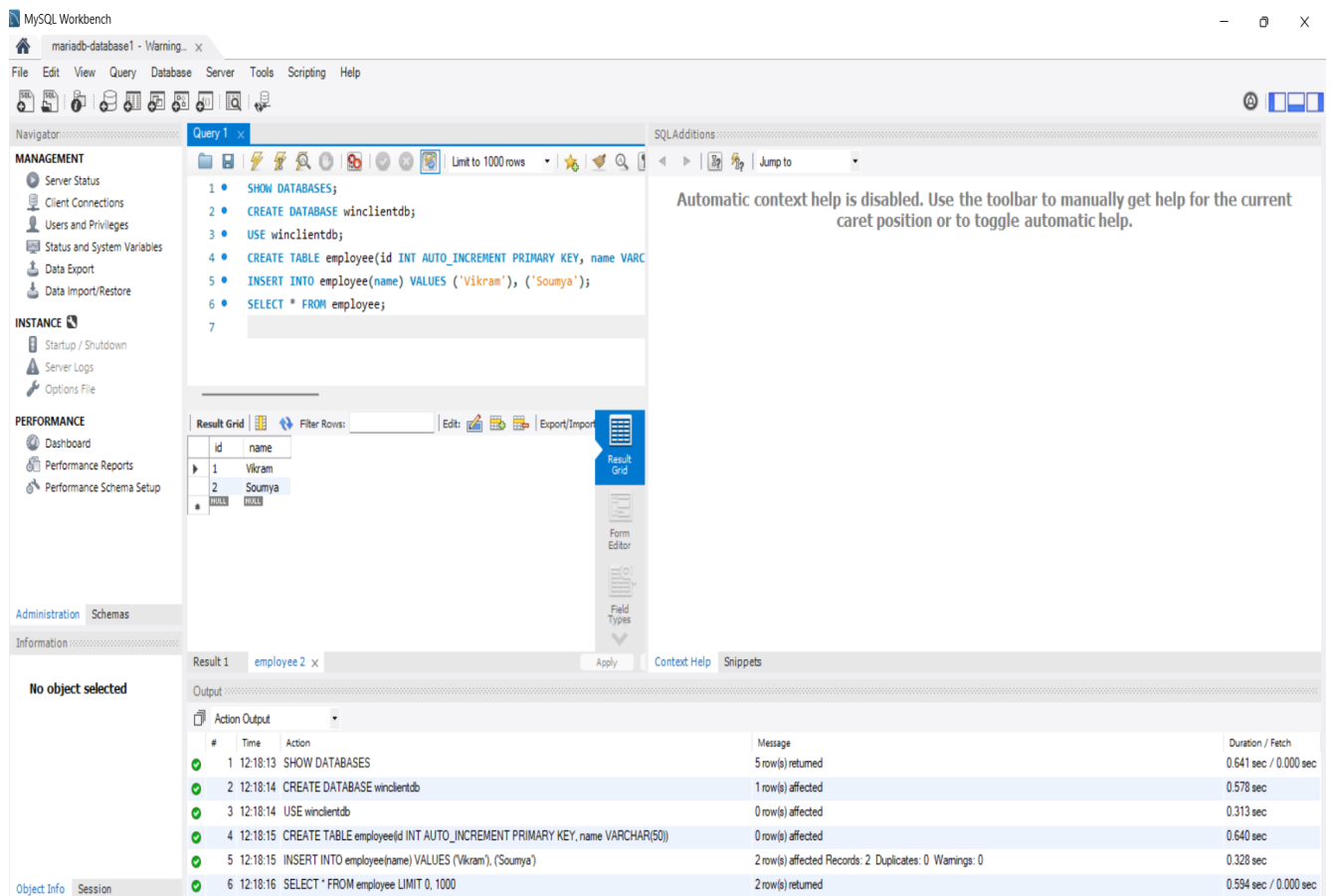
Connection Method: Method to use to connect to the RDBMS

MySQL Connections  





Showing service:



3. Connect to the RDS Database Using Linux EC2 Instance

1. Launched an **EC2 Instance (Amazon Linux 2023)** in the **same VPC** as the RDS instance.
2. Configured Security Groups:
 - o **EC2 SG:** Allowed **SSH (port 22)** from **ipv4** anywhere
 - o **RDS SG:** Allowed inbound **MySQL/Aurora (port 3306)** from **EC2 SG**.
3. Connected to EC2 using EC2 instance connect:
4. Installed the MySQL client (MariaDB package):

`sudo dnf install -y mariadb105`

☒ Installed successfully.

5. Connected to RDS from EC2:
6. `mysql -h <your-rds-endpoint> -P 3306 -u admin -p`
7. Verified connection and executed test queries:

`CREATE DATABASE testdb;`

`USE testdb;`

`CREATE TABLE demo (id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY, name VARCHAR(50));`

`INSERT INTO demo (name) VALUES ('Vikram'), ('Soumya');`

`SELECT * FROM demo;`

☒ Data displayed correctly, confirming successful EC2-to-RDS connectivity.

Instances (1/1) Info

Last updated 5 minutes ago

Refresh

Connect

Instance state ▾




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Launch instances ▾

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Settings

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Name ▾	Instance ID	Instance state ▾	Instance type ▾	Status check	Alarm status	Availability Zone ▾	Public IPv4
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i-0535b6acfb5312295 (ec2-rds)

Settings ▾

Details

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▼ Instance summary Info

<div>Instance ID</div> <div> i-0535b6acfb5312295</div>	<div>Public IPv4 address</div> <div> 54.90.193.200 open address </div>	<div>Private IPv4 addresses</div> <div> 10.0.16.93</div>
<div>IPv6 address</div>	<div>Instance state</div>	<div>Public DNS</div>

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[ec2-user@ip-10-0-16-93 ~]$ ls
[ec2-user@ip-10-0-16-93 ~]$ sudo yum update
Amazon Linux 2023 Kernel Livepatch repository
Last metadata expiration check: 0:00:01 ago on Sat Oct 18 06:11:39 2025.
Dependencies resolved.
Nothing to do.
Complete!
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[ec2-user@ip-10-0-16-93 ~]$ sudo dnf install -y mariadb105
Last metadata expiration check: 0:04:18 ago on Sat Oct 18 06:11:39 2025.
Dependencies resolved.
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Package                                Architecture      Version            Repository          Size
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Installing:
mariadb105                                x86_64            3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1  amazonlinux         1.5 M
Installing dependencies:
mariadb-connector-c                       x86_64            3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1    amazonlinux          211 k
mariadb-connector-c-config                noarch            3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1    amazonlinux          9.9 k
mariadb105-common                         x86_64            3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1  amazonlinux          28 k
perl-Sys-Hostname                         x86_64            1.23-477.amzn2023.0.7    amazonlinux          16 k
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Transaction Summary
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Install 5 Packages

Total download size: 1.8 M
Installed size: 19 M
Downloading Packages:
(1/5): mariadb-connector-c-config-3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1.noarch.rpm           315 kB/s | 9.9 kB    00:00
(2/5): mariadb-connector-c-3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64.rpm                 4.9 MB/s | 211 kB    00:00
(3/5): mariadb105-common-3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64.rpm               1.3 MB/s | 28 kB     00:00
(4/5): mariadb105-3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64.rpm                       24 MB/s | 1.5 MB     00:00
(5/5): perl-Sys-Hostname-1.23-477.amzn2023.0.7.x86_64.rpm                   679 kB/s | 16 kB     00:00
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Installed:
  mariadb-connector-c-3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64      mariadb-connector-c-config-3.3.10-1.amzn2023.0.1.noarch      mariadb105-3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64
  mariadb105-common-3:10.5.29-1.amzn2023.0.1.x86_64    perl-Sys-Hostname-1.23-477.amzn2023.0.7.x86_64

Complete!
[ec2-user@ip-10-0-16-93 ~]$ mysql --version
mysql Ver 15.1 Distrib 10.5.29-MariaDB, for Linux (x86_64) using Editline wrapper
[ec2-user@ip-10-0-16-93 ~]$ mysql -h mariadb-database.cazam602g56y.us-east-1.rds.amazonaws.com -P 3306 -u admin -p
Enter password:
Welcome to the MariaDB monitor.  Commands end with ; or \g.
Your MariaDB connection id is 82
Server version: 11.4.5-MariaDB-log managed by https://aws.amazon.com/rds/

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Type 'help;' or '\h' for help. Type '\c' to clear the current input statement.

MariaDB [(none)]>
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MariaDB [(none)]> CREATE DATABASE testdb;
Query OK, 1 row affected (0.007 sec)

MariaDB [(none)]> USE testdb;
Database changed
MariaDB [testdb]> CREATE TABLE demo (id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY, name VARCHAR(50));
Query OK, 0 rows affected (0.026 sec)

MariaDB [testdb]> INSERT INTO demo (name) VALUES ('Vikram'), ('Soumya');
Query OK, 2 rows affected (0.005 sec)
Records: 2  Duplicates: 0  Warnings: 0

MariaDB [testdb]> SELECT * FROM demo;
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| id | name  |
+----+-----+
|  1 | Vikram |
|  2 | Soumya |
+----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.002 sec)

MariaDB [testdb]>
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4. Verification Output

Query Result (Common for Both Connections):

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| id | name  |
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|  1 | Vikram |
|  2 | Soumya |
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5. Result / Conclusion

- Successfully created a **MariaDB RDS Database** on AWS.
- Verified connectivity from **both SQL Client for Windows (MySQL Workbench)** and **Linux EC2 Instance**.
- Properly configured **VPC Security Groups** to ensure secure access.
- Verified full CRUD operations — confirming the database functions as required.