# Start

Installed software Firebird 3.01. Default database Employee.fdb installed.

GUI tools evaluation

* FlySpeed SqlQueryTool is good. It connects to Employee database. But I could not create a new database and new table. There are some limitations and a full version is required.
* DBEaver is so far very good. Connects. Works on eclipse environment. So far it is clear winner. If you cannot do something then that can be done through SQl code.
* FlameRobin is buggy
* DBExplorer is very trivial
* FSQL connects successfully. It just executes sql commands. Good for just execution of SQL.

FireBird is fully fledged production range database with embedded version also available.