Connect to MySQL Database on AWS Using MySQL Workbench

Assume you have following database access information:
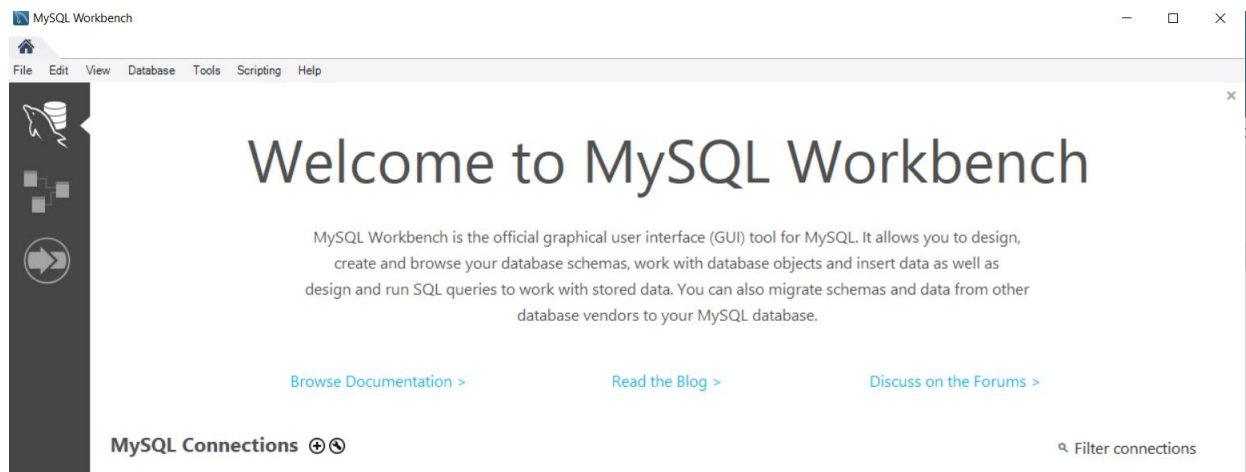
Username:
AWSRDSUSER

Password:
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Database Endpoint:
msba2024-serverless-mysql-dev.cluster-cqxikovybdnm.us-east-2.rds.amazonaws.com

Database Port:
3306

Launch MySQL Workbench

Create a New Database Connection

- Click **+** button next to MySQL Connection

It opens a "Setup New Connection" popup.

Connection Name: give the meaningful name to describe the connection, for example: msba2024-serverless-mysql-dev

Connection Method: Standard (TCP/IP)

Hostname: replace *127.0.0.1* with database endpoint or url: msba2024-serverless-mysql-dev.cluster-cqxikovybdnm.us-east-2.rds.amazonaws.com

Port: 3306

Username: replace *root* with your database username: AWSRDSUSER

Password: click "Clear" button, then click "Store in Vault…" button, it opens a "Store Password for Connection" popup, enter the password for user AWSRESUSER, then click "OK" button

Default Schema: leave it blank.

- Click "Test Connection"
- Click OK if it is successful, then OK

The connection you just created should display on the dashboard, double click it, the workbench connects to the database, opens a MySQL Editor
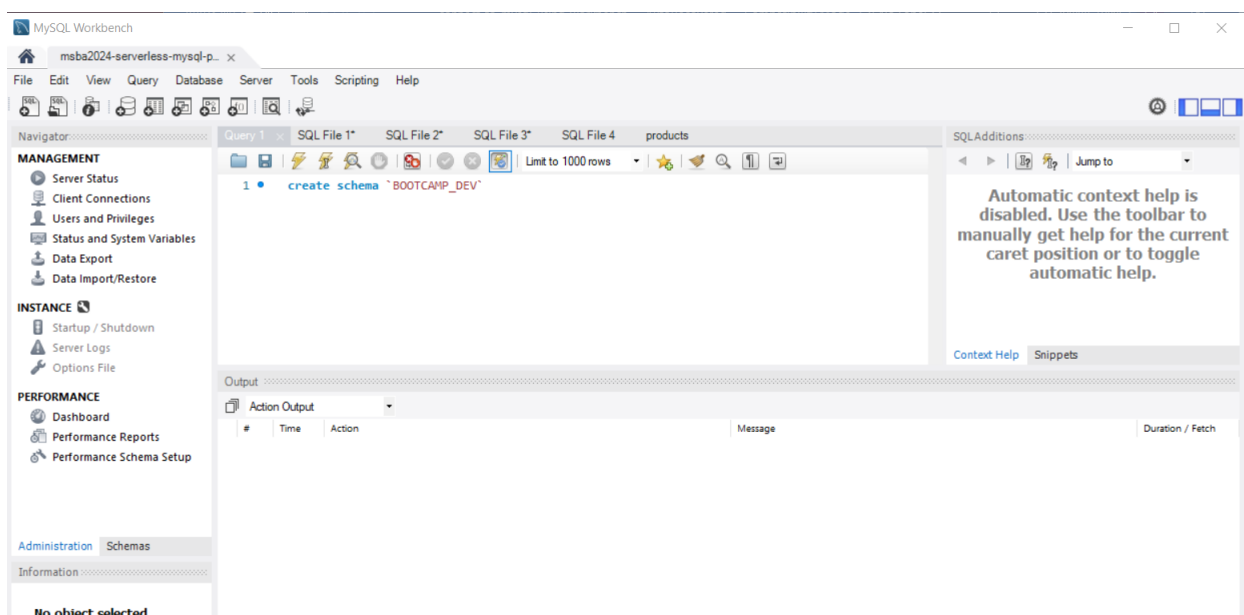
Click "Schemas" tab next to "Administration", it shows the list of Schemas you have access to