Pre-requisites:

- 1. Visual Studio at least 2010 or later version
- 2. Internet connection for downloading additional requirements if not downloaded already.

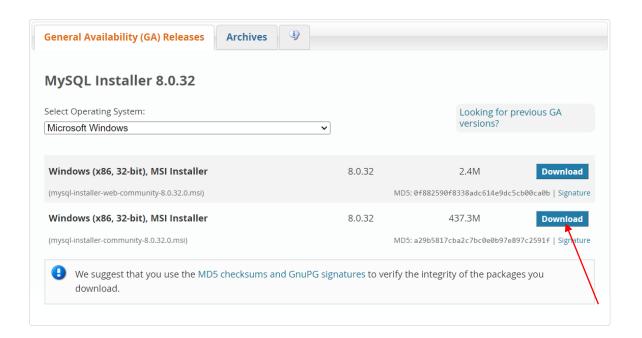
STEPS MySQL Database Setup

- 1. Goto https://dev.mysql.com/downloads/windows/installer/
- 2. Download MySQL Community Installer (For Offline Installer)



MySQL Community Downloads

MySQL Installer

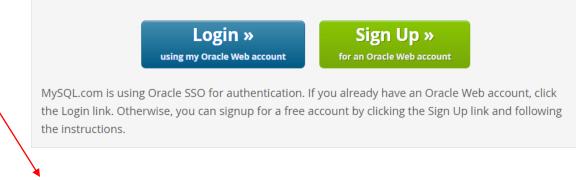


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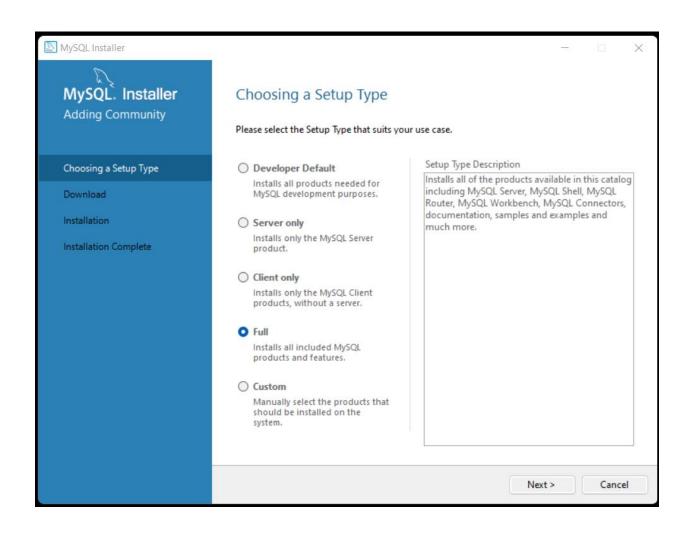
An Oracle Web Account provides you with the following advantages:

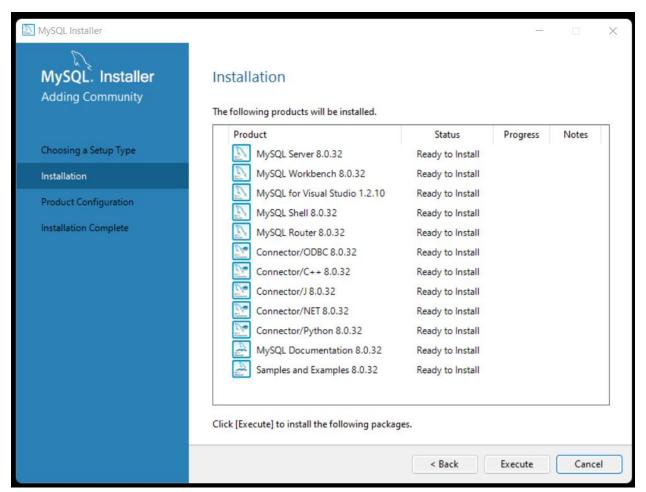
- Fast access to MySQL software downloads
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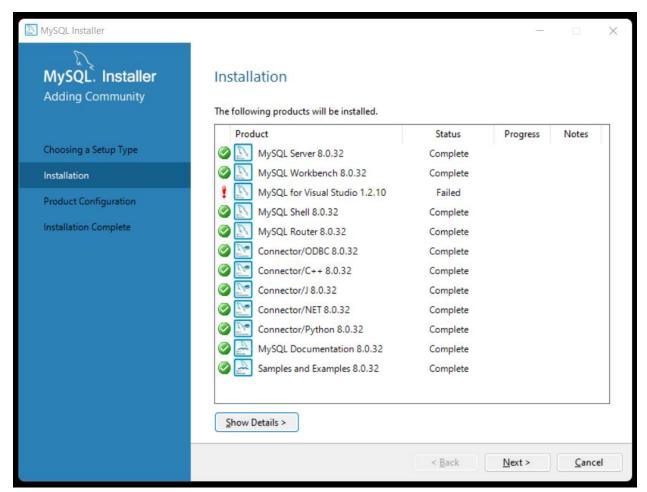
No thanks, just start my download.

3. Install the newly downloaded MySQL Community 8.0.32.0 msi

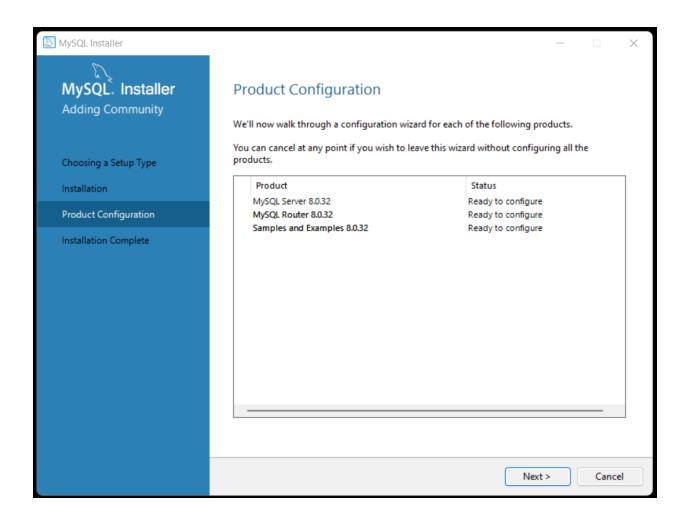


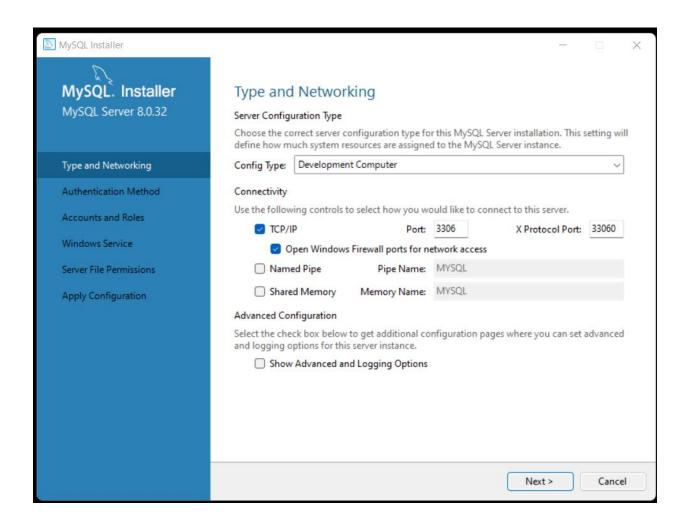


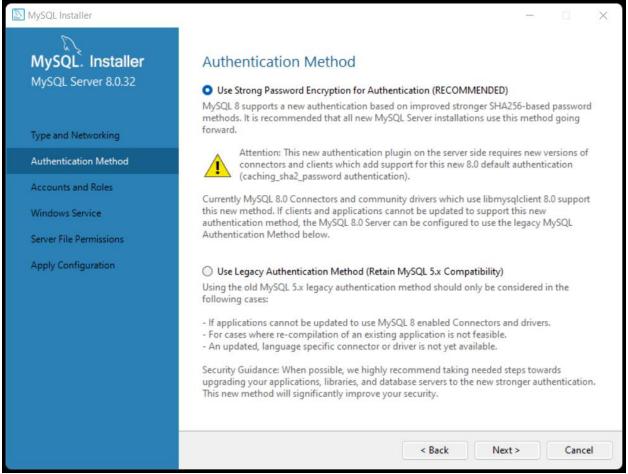
- 4. Click Execute to install everything
- 5. You may encounter failed installation but most importantly MySQL Server, MySQL Workbench and Connector/ODBC must be installed completely.



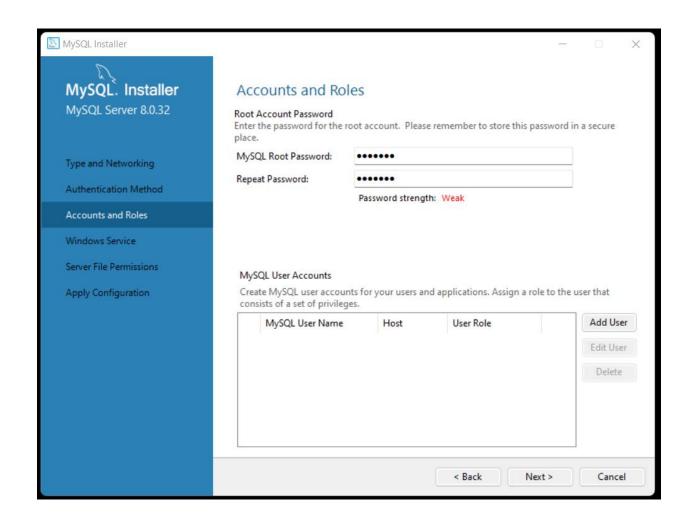
6. Proceed to Configuration

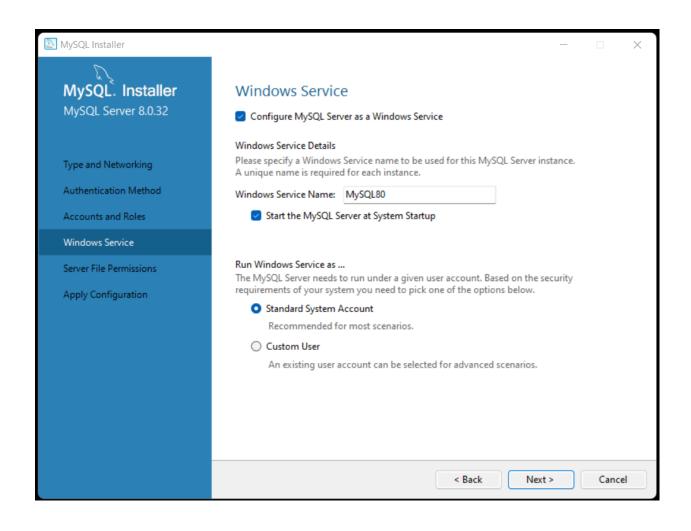


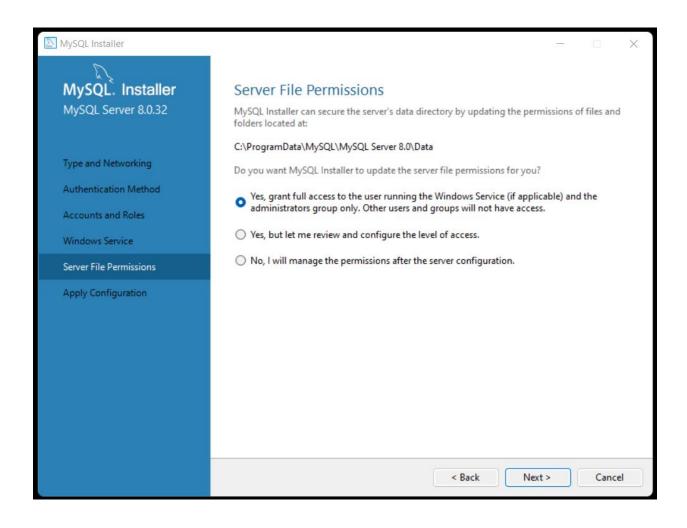


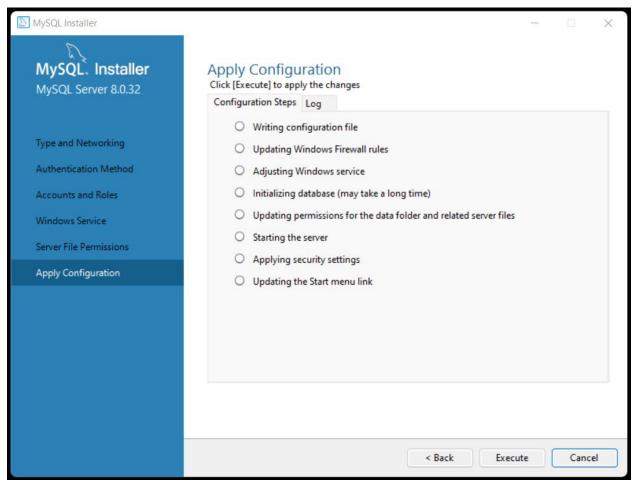


7. For the default Username/Account "root" let's use a most common password which is "1234567" without the quotation mark. Though you can add another user below, let us use the default user for now.

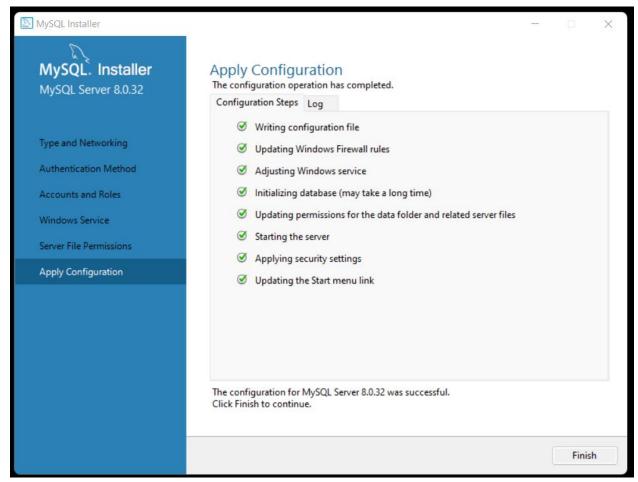




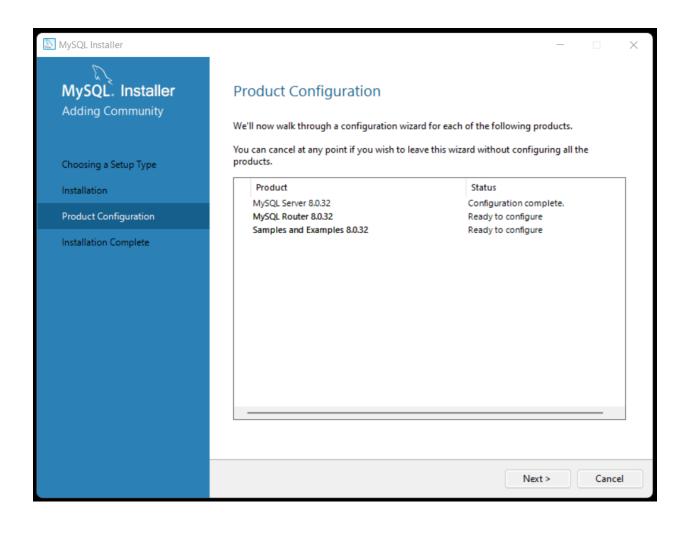


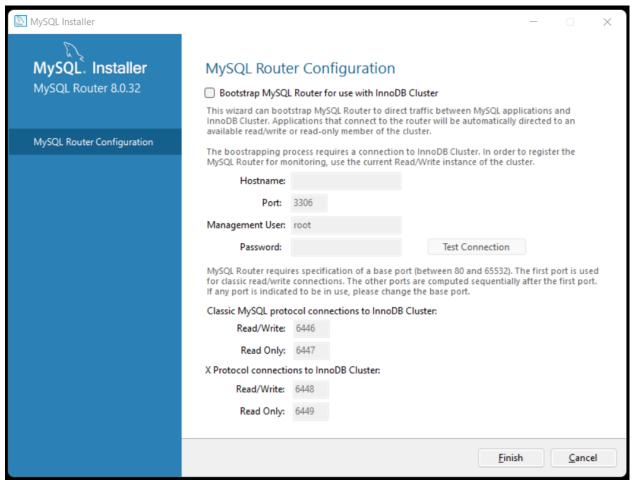


8. Click Execute to save configuration

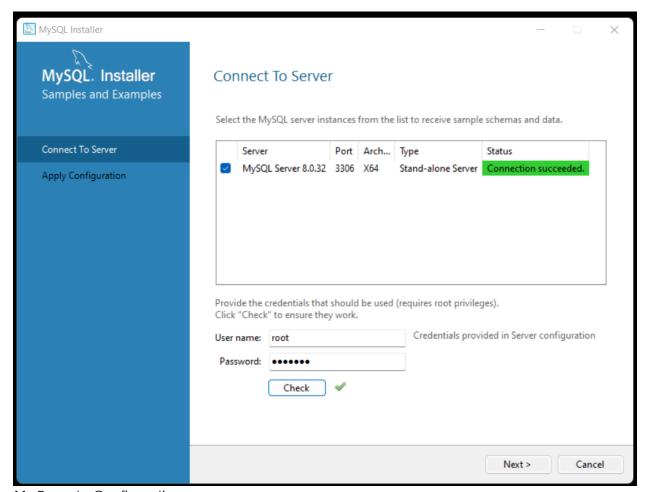


9. Configure Router but leave it as it is without any changes.

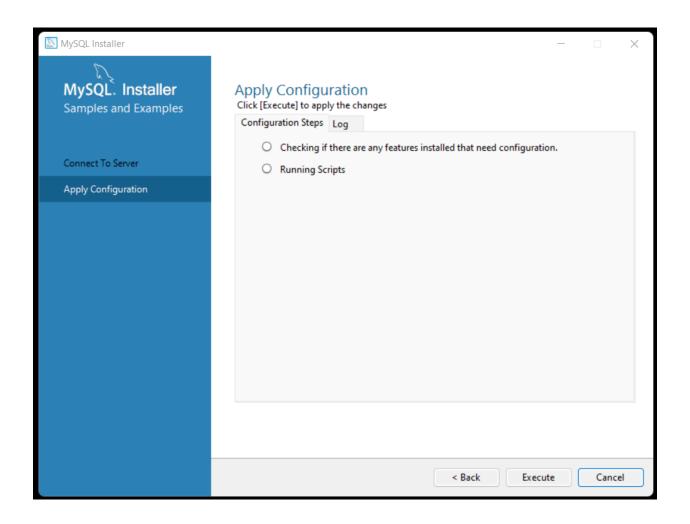


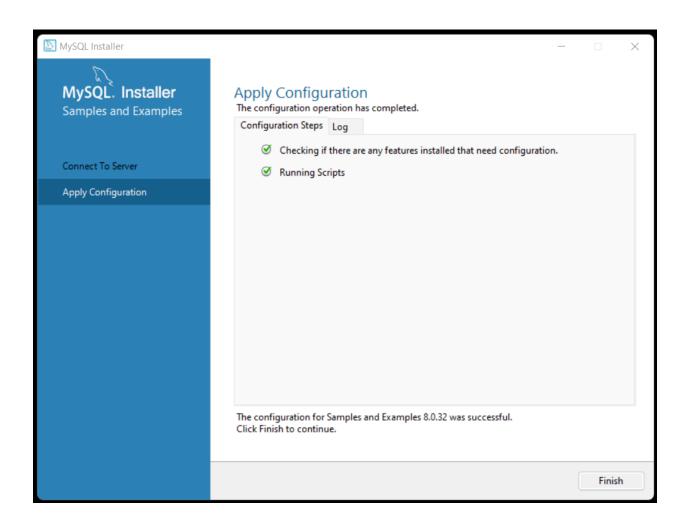


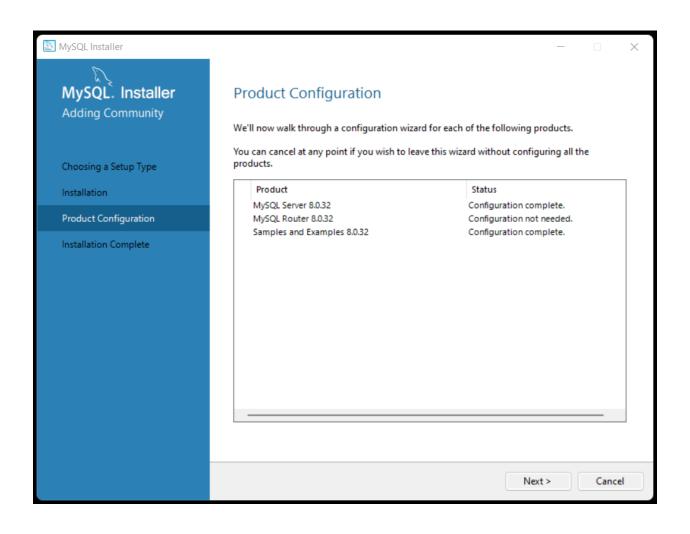
10. Configure Samples by typing the password provided in the first configuration to test the connection if its working properly.

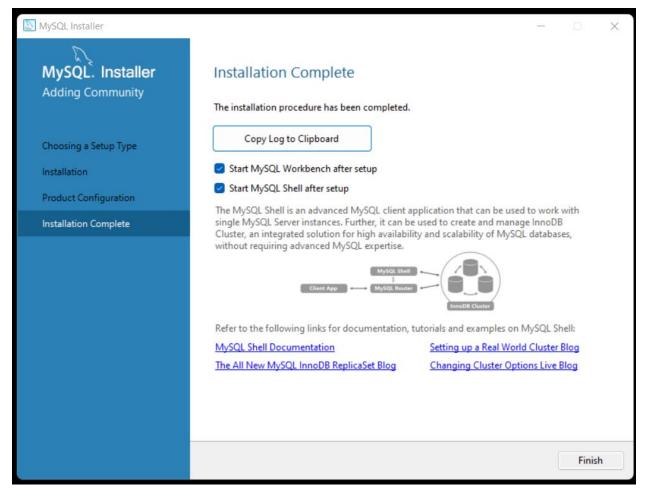


11. Execute Configuration

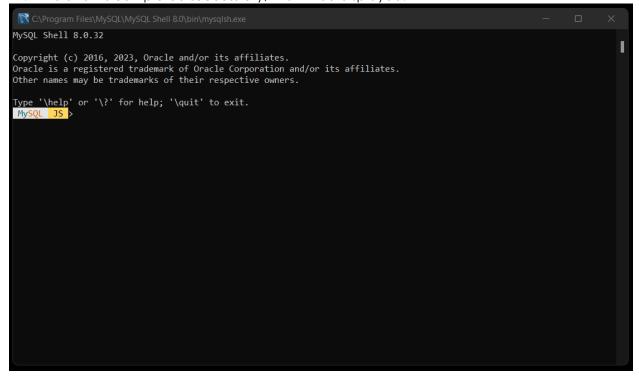


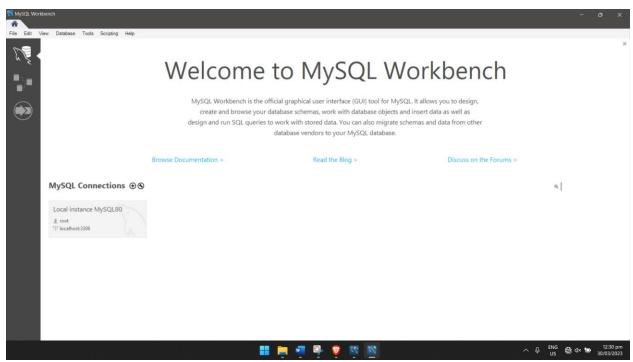




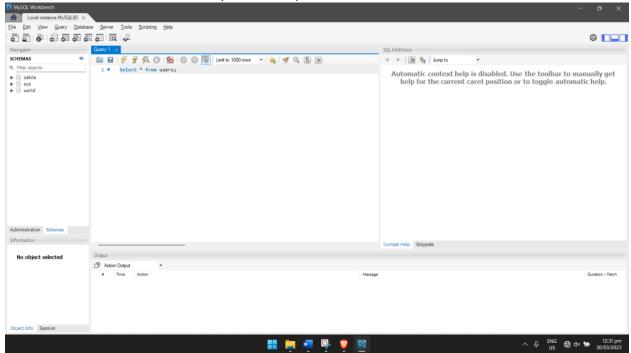


12. If installion is completed successfully, this will be displayed.

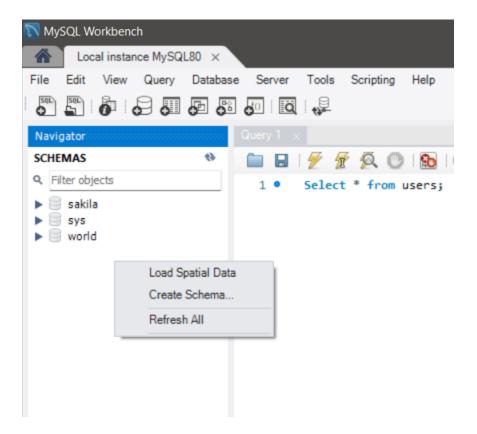




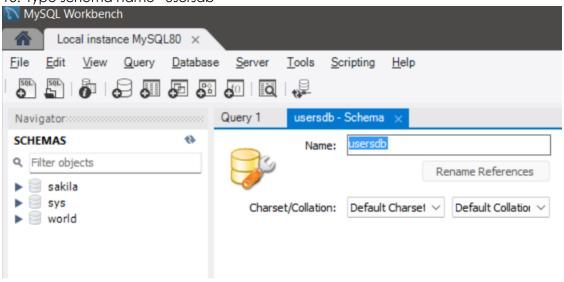
13. Click on the Local instance MySQL80 to open the database workbench administrator



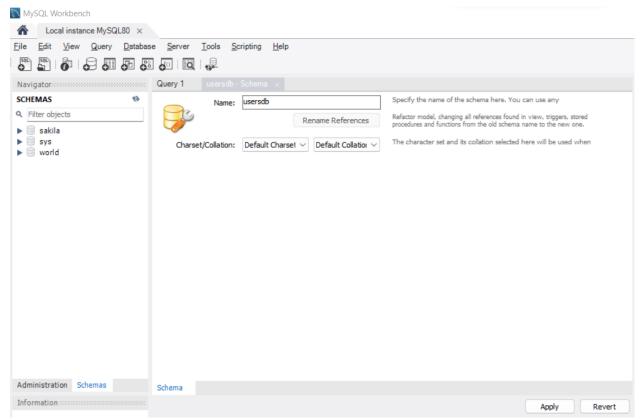
14. Right click on the SCHEMAS Pane and select Create Schema



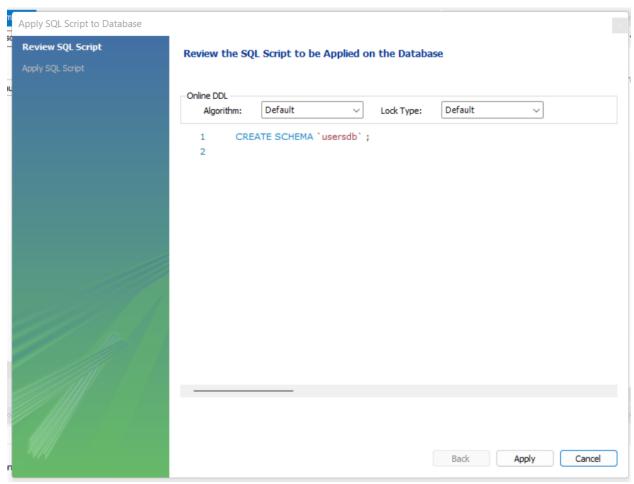
15. Type schema name "usersdb"



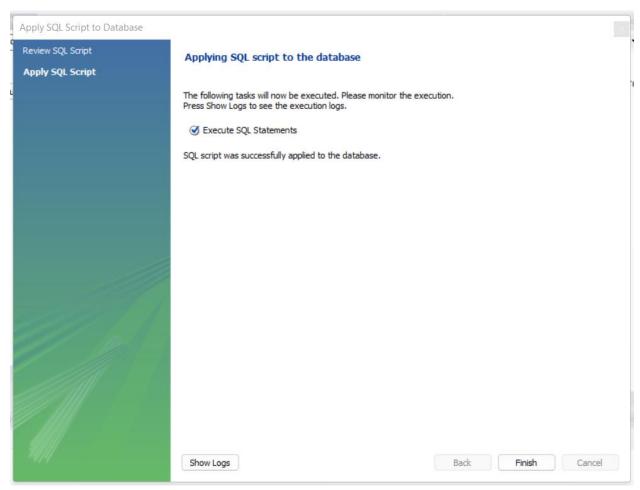
16. Click button Apply



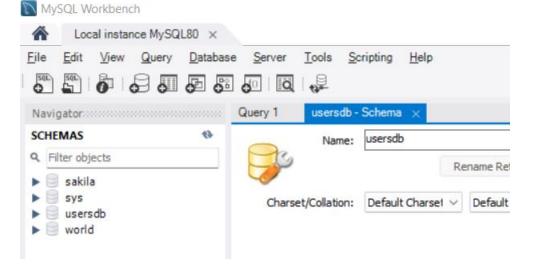
17. Click on Apply to proceed

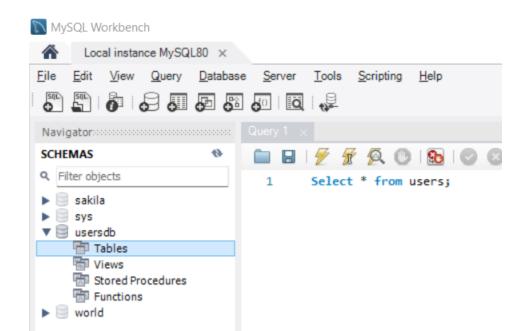


18. Click on Finish button

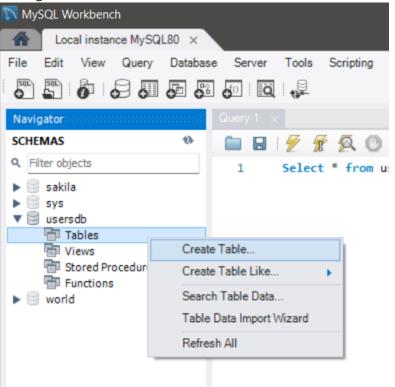


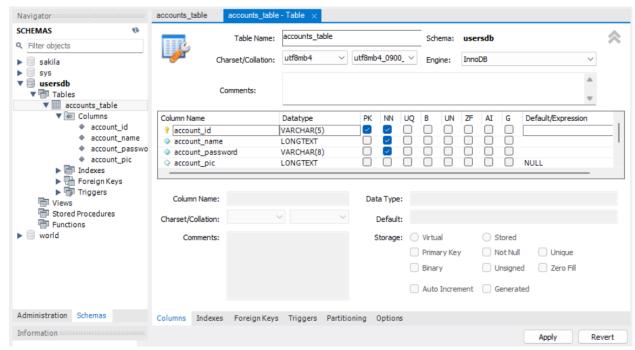
19. Close the schema tab and expand usersdb





20. Right click on Tables to add table.





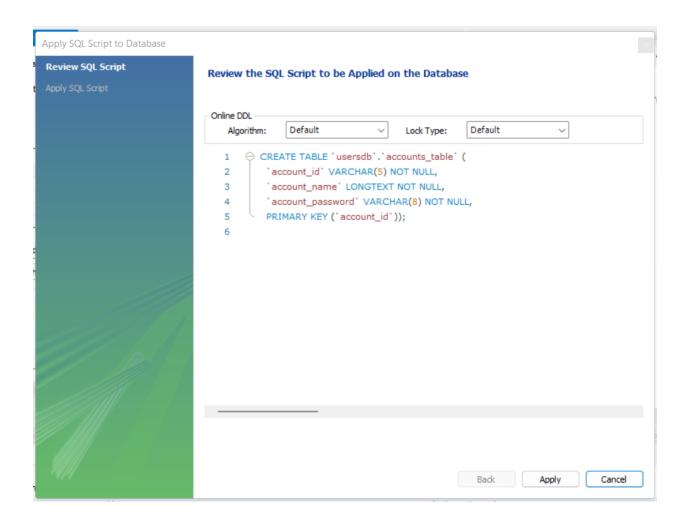
In the picture above the table name is "accounts_table" and the fields are:

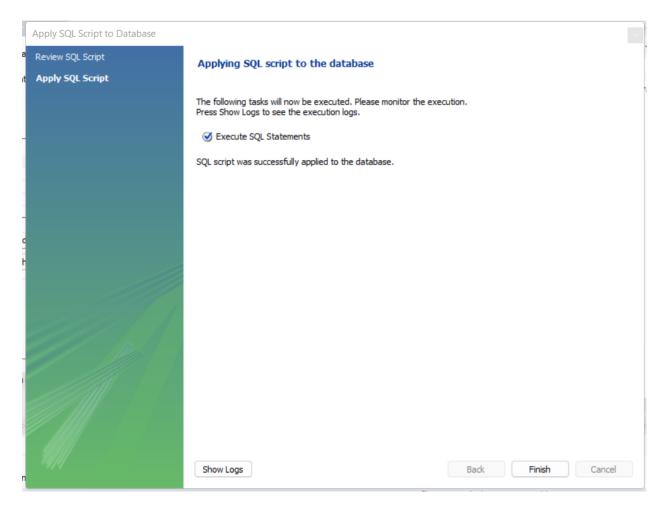
account_id varchar(5) Primary Key (PK) Not Null (NN)

account_name longtext Not Null (NN)
account_password varchar(8) Not Null (NN)
account_pic longtext Not Null(NN)

Primary Key means it is a Unique ID, while Not Null means it cant be left as blank, it will always needs a value.

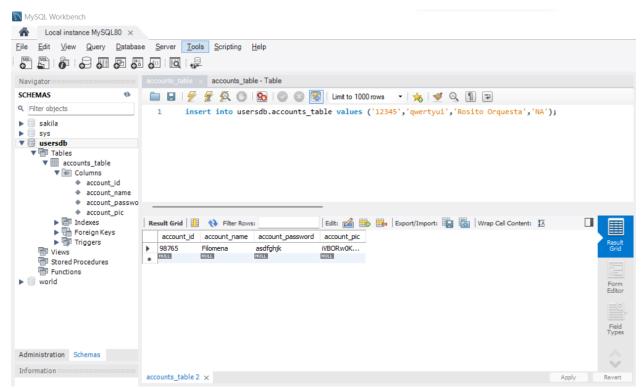
After setting the table according to the picture above click on Apply button to complete the table creation.



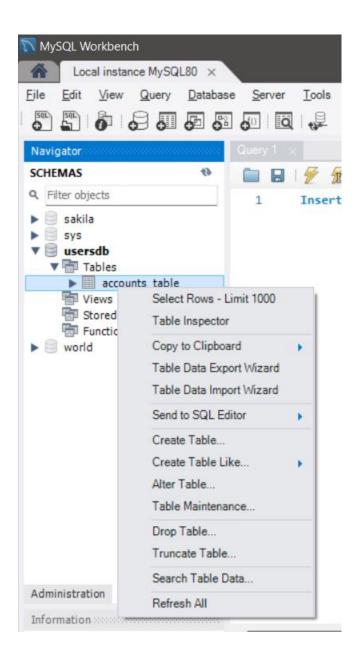


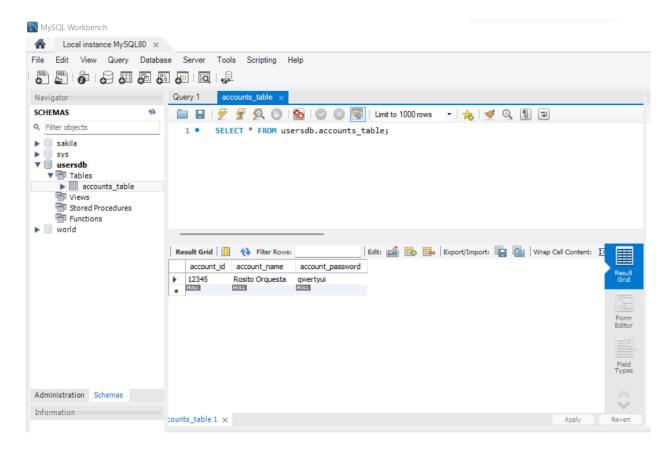
21. Close the account table Tab and add a new row of information in your table with this query Insert into accounts_table values('12345','Rosito Orquesta','qwertyui');

Hit Apply Button to run the query and save in information in the database table.



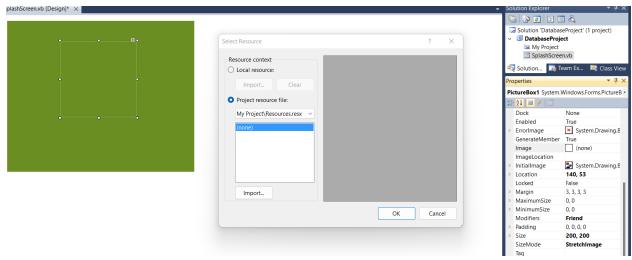
22. Right click on accounts_table and select the first option "Select Rows – Limit 1000 to check if the newly added information is there.



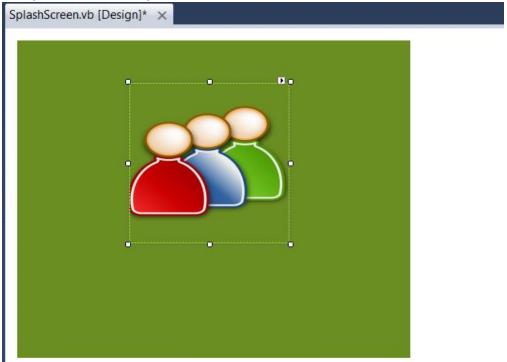


STEPS VB.Net Windows Forms Application

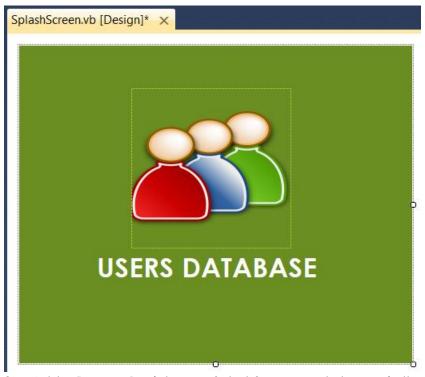
- 1. Create a new Project in VB.Net 2010 and name it "DatabaseProject"
- 2. Rename your Form1.vb into SplashScreen.vb in the File Name attribute in its Properties.
- 3. Select SplashScreen.vb form and set the following properties:
 - BackColor = White
 - ControlBox = False
 - Font = Century Gothic, Regular, 8
 - FormBorderStyle = None
 - ShowInTaskbar = False
 - StartPosition = Center
- 4. From Component Toolbox, add a Timer on your SplashScreen form and change setting **Enabled** to **True**
- 5. Add a PictureBox in your SplashScreen and set the properties below:
 - Size = 200,200
 - SizeMode = StretchImage
- 6. With the PictureBox selected click on Image in the properties to browse the image to be displayed.



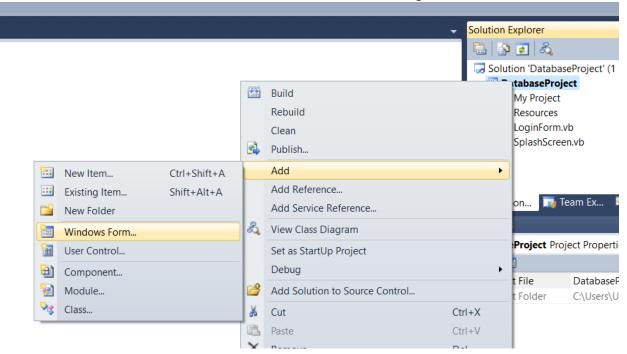
7. Click on Import and brows the image, then click on OK to finish adding the image to your SplashScreen. See picture below

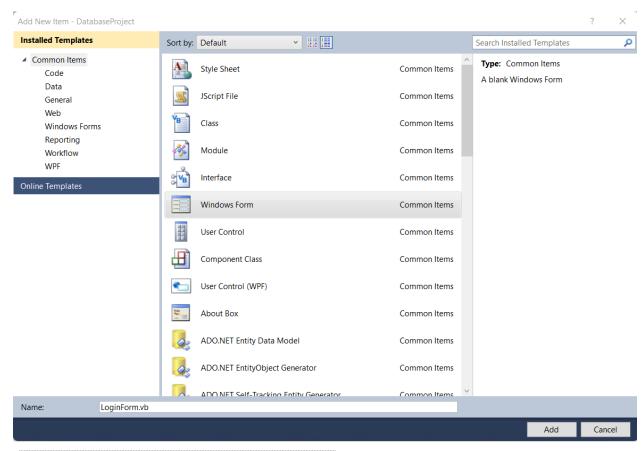


8. Add a label, change the Text into "USERS DATABASE", ForeColor to White, and Font to Century Gothic, Bold, 20.



- 9. Add a ProgressBar into your SplashScreen and change in the setting its property Step from 10 to 1.
- 10. Add a new Windows Form, name it LoginForm.vb and design it according to the image below. Make sure the name of the textboxes are txtAccountID and txtAccountPassword while the two buttons will be named as btnCancel and btnLogin.







Properties:

txtAccountID

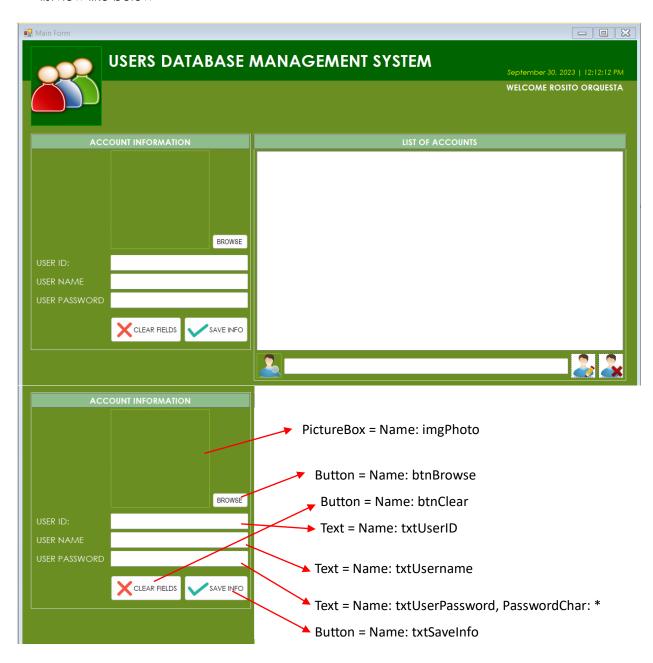
- MaxLength = 5
- Font = Century Gothic, Regular, 10

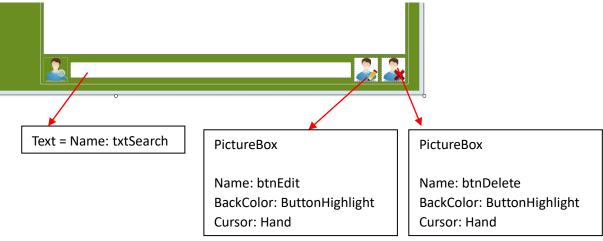
txtAccountPassword

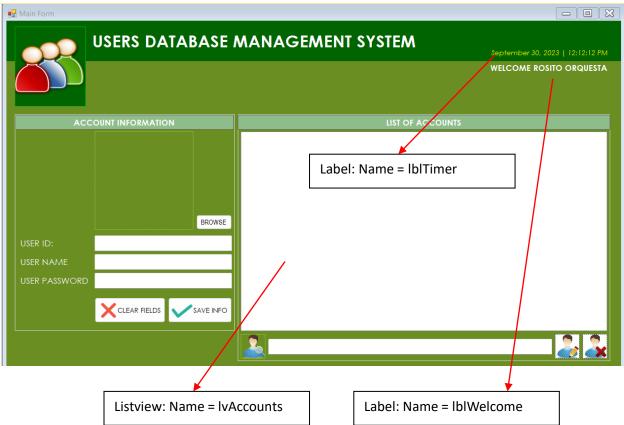
- MaxLength = 8
- Font = Century Gothic, Regular, 10
- PasswordChar = *

btnCancel and btnLogin

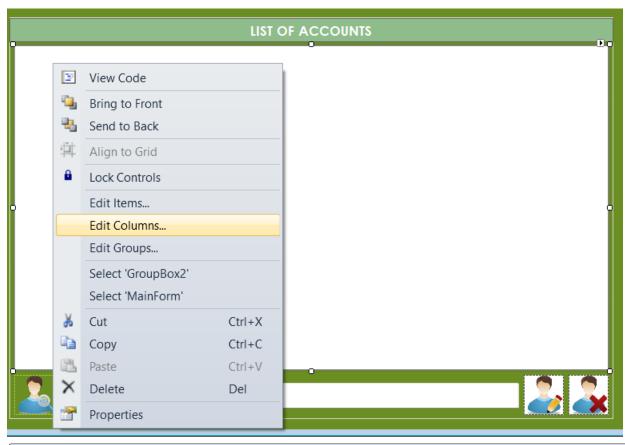
- ImageAlign = MiddleLeft
- TextAlign = MiddleRight
- 11. Add another Windows Form and name it MainForm.vb with all the textboxes, buttons, and listview like below

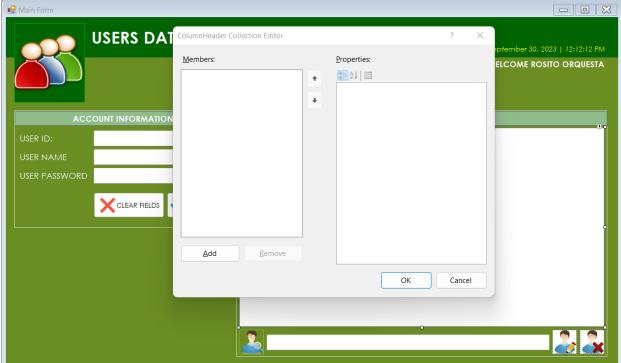




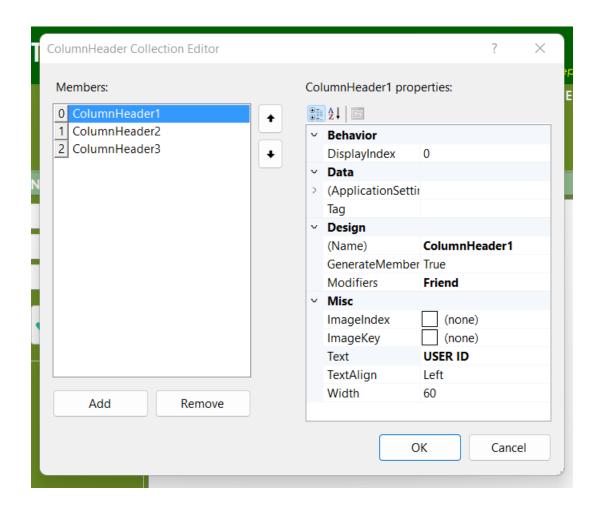


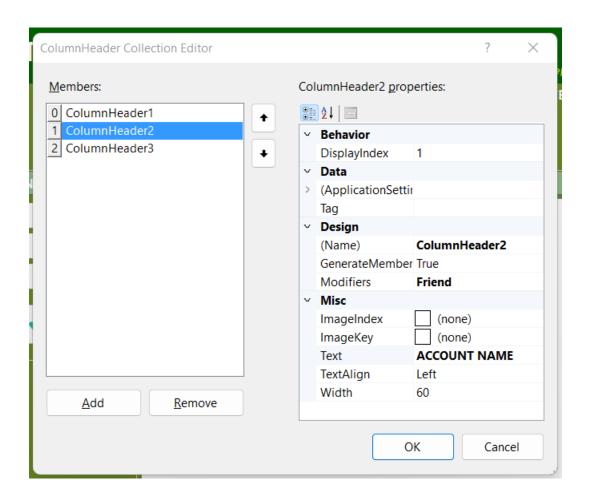
12. Right click on the Listview and select Edit Columns

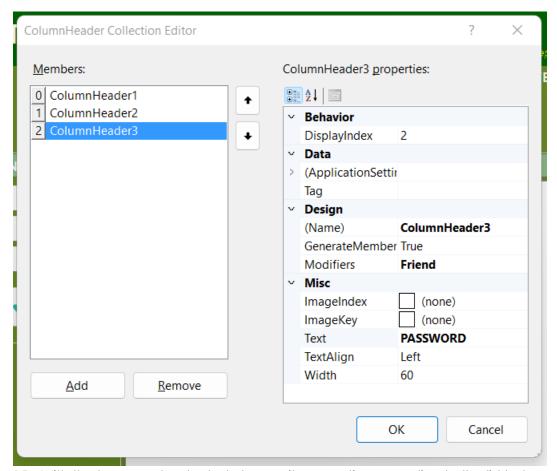




- 13. Click on Add to add three columns
- 14. Click each added columns and change the text accordingly as {USER ID, ACCOUNT NAME, PASSWORD} with column width {150, 300, 200} then click OK Button After







15. With the IvAccounts selected change its properties according to the list below:

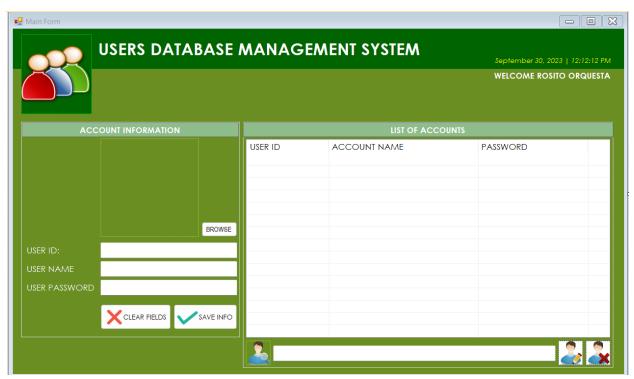
Anchor: Top, Bottom, Left, Right

• FullRowSelect: True

• GridLines: True

View: Details

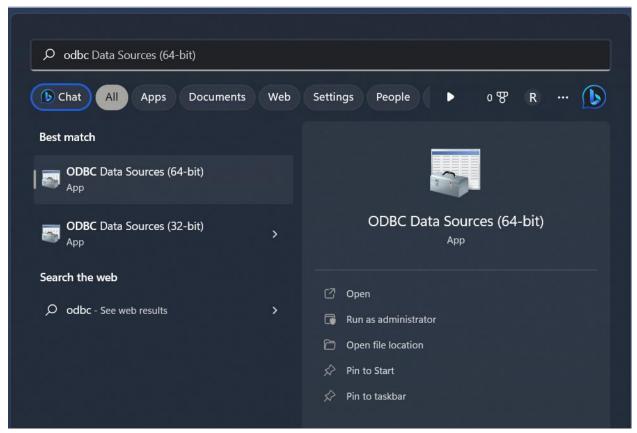
16. Adjust the column width manually



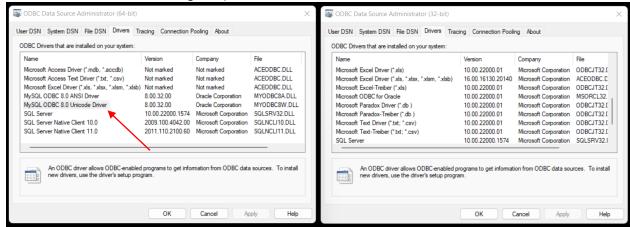
17. Add a Timer and an OpenFileDialog



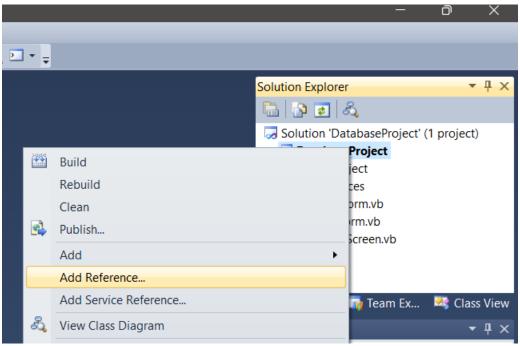
- 18. Set the Timer's property INTERVAL to 6000 which is equivalent to 1 minute.
- 19. Click on start menu and search for ODBC Connector either x86 or x64 to check the drivers name.



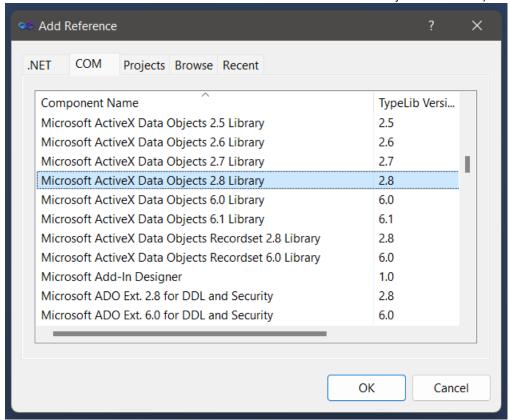
20. The driver we are looking is MySQL ODBC 8.0 Unicode Driver either x86 or x64.



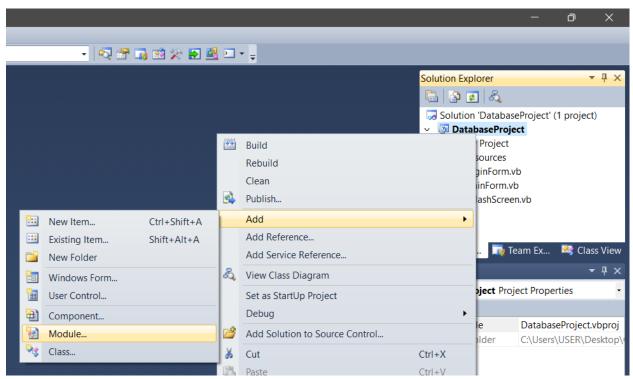
- 21. If the driver is not present, you can reinstall the MySQL Community 8.0.32.0 msi or you can download it here separately https://dev.mysql.com/downloads/connector/odbc/
- 22. Go back to your Visual Studio, right click on your solution and select Add Reference



23. Select COM Tab and look for Microsoft ActiveX Data Object 2.8 Library and click OK

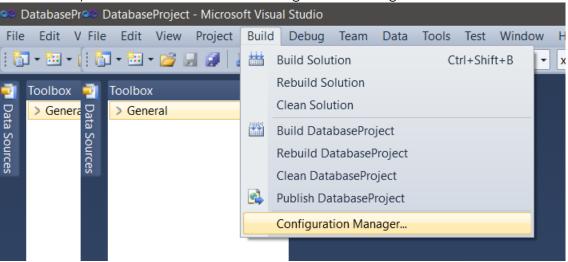


24. Right click on your solution and select Add, then select Module

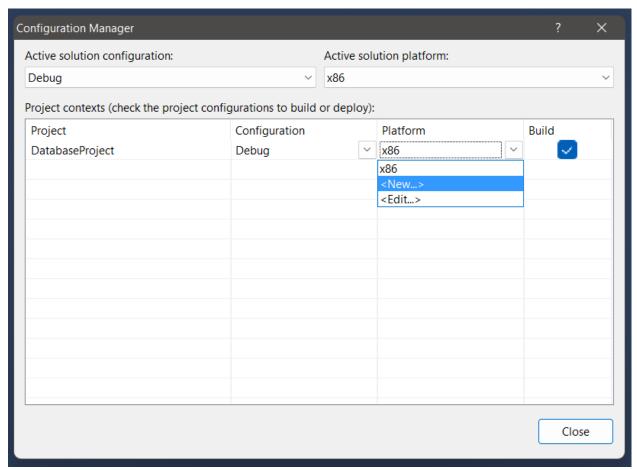


25. Name your module "dbCOnnection.vb"

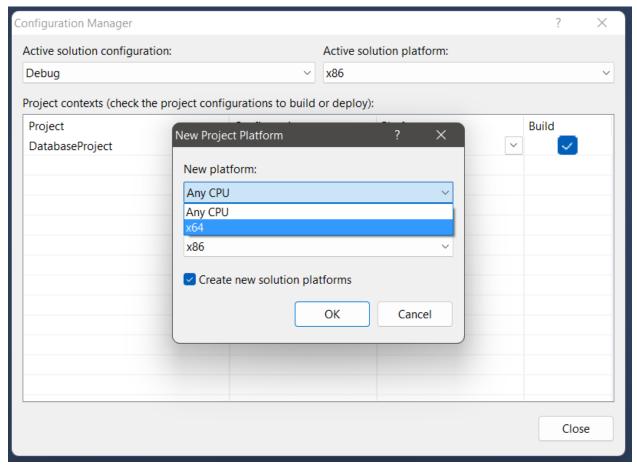
26. Click on your Build Menu and select Configuration Manager



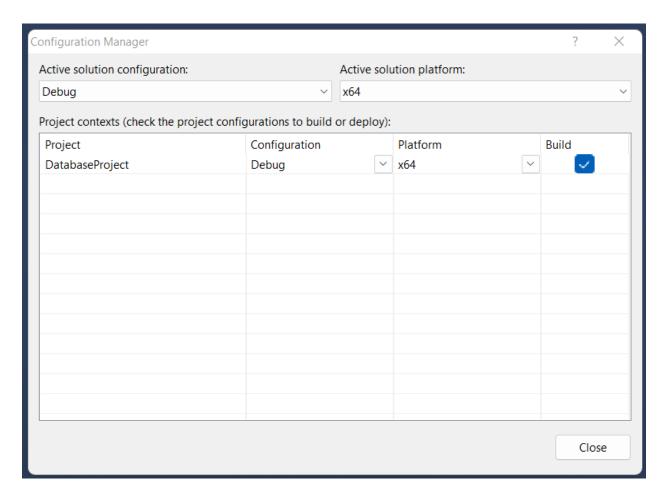
27. Select New in the Platform to change configuration platform from x86 to x64 depending on what type ODBC driver you have installed.



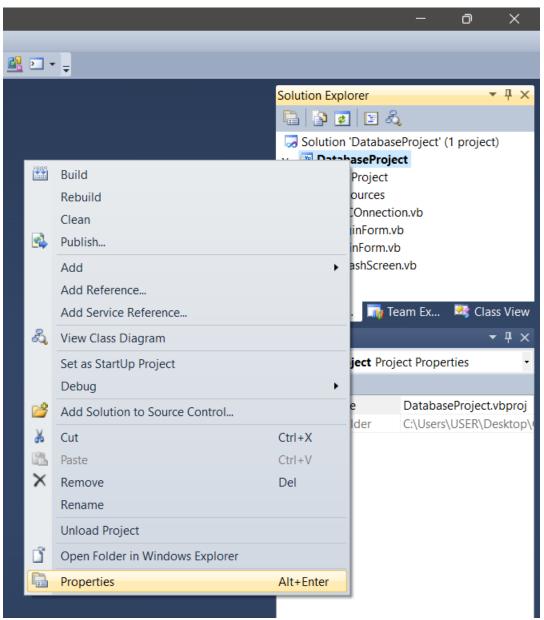
28. In the New Platform option select x64 or you can select Any CPU to let the software decide which platform is available.



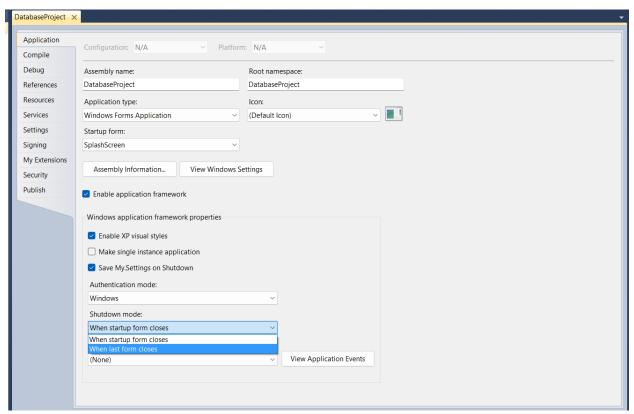
29. After selecting the platform, this should be the result below and click Close button.



30. Right click your solution again and select Porperties



31. Change Shutdown mode: to When last form closes.



32. Click on your solution Show All Files menu, then select ADODB and change its Embed Interop Types in the properties to False.

