

[Alter Database](#) – modifies the features of an existing database using the `ALTER DATABASE` statement.

PostgreSQL ALTER DATABASE statement

```
ALTER DATABASE target_database action;
```

Rename database

```
ALTER DATABASE target_database RENAME TO new_database;
```

Change owner

```
ALTER DATABASE target_database OWNER TO new_owner;
```

Change tablespace

```
ALTER DATABASE target_database SET TABLESPACE new_tablespace;
```