

value column to run report-generating queries on that column using SQL. See [Section 15.22, “InnoDB Limits”](#) for details.

- The maximum size for the key-value combination is 1 MB.
- If you share configuration files across MySQL servers of different versions, using the latest configuration options for the `daemon_memcached` plugin could cause startup errors on older MySQL versions. To avoid compatibility problems, use the `loose` prefix with option names. For example, use `loose-daemon_memcached_option='-c 64'` instead of `daemon_memcached_option='-c 64'`.
- There is no restriction or check in place to validate character set settings. `memcached` stores and retrieves keys and values in bytes and is therefore not character set sensitive. However, you must ensure that the `memcached` client and the MySQL table use the same character set.
- `memcached` connections are blocked from accessing tables that contain an indexed virtual column. Accessing an indexed virtual column requires a callback to the server, but a `memcached` connection does not have access to the server code.

15.21 InnoDB Troubleshooting

The following general guidelines apply to troubleshooting `InnoDB` problems:

- When an operation fails or you suspect a bug, look at the MySQL server error log (see [Section 5.4.2, “The Error Log”](#)). [Server Error Message Reference](#) provides troubleshooting information for some of the common `InnoDB`-specific errors that you may encounter.
- If the failure is related to a `deadlock`, run with the `innodb_print_all_deadlocks` option enabled so that details about each deadlock are printed to the MySQL server error log. For information about deadlocks, see [Section 15.7.5, “Deadlocks in InnoDB”](#).
- If the issue is related to the `InnoDB` data dictionary, see [Section 15.21.3, “Troubleshooting InnoDB Data Dictionary Operations”](#).
- When troubleshooting, it is usually best to run the MySQL server from the command prompt, rather than through `mysqld_safe` or as a Windows service. You can then see what `mysqld` prints to the console, and so have a better grasp of what is going on. On Windows, start `mysqld` with the `--console` option to direct the output to the console window.
- Enable the `InnoDB` Monitors to obtain information about a problem (see [Section 15.17, “InnoDB Monitors”](#)). If the problem is performance-related, or your server appears to be hung, you should enable the standard Monitor to print information about the internal state of `InnoDB`. If the problem is with locks, enable the Lock Monitor. If the problem is with table creation, tablespaces, or data dictionary operations, refer to the [InnoDB Information Schema system tables](#) to examine contents of the `InnoDB` internal data dictionary.

`InnoDB` temporarily enables standard `InnoDB` Monitor output under the following conditions:

- A long semaphore wait
- `InnoDB` cannot find free blocks in the buffer pool
- Over 67% of the buffer pool is occupied by lock heaps or the adaptive hash index
- If you suspect that a table is corrupt, run `CHECK TABLE` on that table.

15.21.1 Troubleshooting InnoDB I/O Problems