**MaxDB** is an [ANSI](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ANSI) [SQL-92](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SQL-92) (entry level) compliant [relational database management system](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Relational_database_management_system) ([RDBMS](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/RDBMS)) from [SAP AG](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SAP_AG), which was also delivered by [MySQL AB](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MySQL_AB) from 2003 to 2007. MaxDB is targeted for large SAP environments e.g. [mySAP Business Suite](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MySAP_Business_Suite" \o "MySAP Business Suite) and other applications that require enterprise-level database functionality.

Features[[edit](https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=MaxDB&action=edit&section=2)]

MaxDB is delivered with a set of administration and development tools. Most tools are available with both a [GUI](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/GUI) and [command line interface](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Command_line_interface) (CLI)

## Use

SAP MaxDB offers these types of backup:

* Complete data backup
* Incremental data backup
* Automatic log backup
* Interactive log backup

Data backups are consistent copies of the database data.