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SQL DROP DATABASE Statement

In this tutorial, we'll learn about deleting databases in SQL with examples.

In SQL, `DROP DATABASE` is used to delete the database in our Database Management System. For example,

```
DROP DATABASE my_db;
```

Here, the SQL command will delete a database named `my_db`.

Also make sure you have **admin** or **DROP** permission to run this command.

Note: When we delete a database, all tables and records within a database are also deleted.

List all Databases

To verify the drop database, we can run the following command to list the available databases.

```
SHOW DATABASES;
```

Here, the SQL command lists all the available databases in the DBMS.

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