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## Database Weekly

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### FEATURED

**Microsoft Unveils Azure Cosmos DB, A New Multi-Model DB** — An Azure-based globally-distributed multi-model database built for low latency, elastic scalability, and high availability.

MICROSOFT **TOOLS**

**MapD Open Sources Its GPU-Powered Database** — Mark Litwintschik has also written a handy guide to [compiling MapD from source](#).

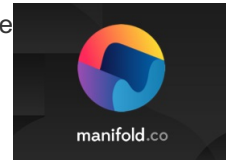
MAPD BLOG

**RediSQL: A Redis Module That Embeds SQLite** — Provides a way to get a SQLite server on the cheap and it can serve many 10,000s of queries per second.

REDBEARDLAB **TOOLS**

**Manifold is your hub for amazing developer services** — Why waste time managing your own database? Sign Up for Manifold and manage all your services with a single account. We have awesome partners like JawsDB and RedisGreen — so you can get started today with Redis, Postgres, MySQL and even MariaDB.

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**CockroachDB 1.0: A Production-Ready Go-Based SQL Database** — One of the “NewSQL” generation of databases, CockroachDB is an open source, distributed SQL database designed for high availability.

SPENCER KIMBALL **TOOLS**

**Microsoft Launches Azure Database for MySQL and Postgres** — While Cosmos DB (above) is Microsoft’s big database news of the week, most developers will find their MySQL and PostgreSQL offerings of more immediate use.

TECHCRUNCH

**What Are Graph Databases and Why Should We Care?** — This hour long talk goes quite deep on understanding the graph database ecosystem from stores such as Neo4j and OrientDB to processing frameworks like GraphX.

DAVE BECHBERGER **VIDEO**

**A Dive Into Spatial Search Algorithms** — The art of searching through millions of points in an instant.

VLADIMIR AGAFONKIN

**Detecting Abuse at Scale with Locality Sensitive Hashing** — How Uber uses [Locality Sensitive Hashing](#) on Apache Spark to reliably detect fraudulent trips at scale.

UBER ENGINEERING

**Optimizing Memcached Efficiency at Quora** — Quora uses memcached heavily to speed up operations and has just released a new tool called [mcinspector](#) for analyzing its memory use.

SIYUAN FU

IN BRIEF

[With Cosmos DB, Microsoft Wants to Build One Database to Rule Them All](#)

TECHCRUNCH **NEWS**

[The European Investment Bank Invests €25M into MariaDB](#)

EUROPEAN COMMISSION **NEWS**

[A SQL 'Cheat Code' For Faster JSON Queries on SQL Server 2016](#)

BERT WAGNER

[How can you help your team write better, shareable SQL faster?](#) — Learn more with our free video tips showing how SQL Prompt lets you write, refactor, and share SQL.

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[The Basics of Good T-SQL Coding Style](#)

ROBERT SHELDON

[An Intro to Scaling Connections in Postgres](#)

CITUSDATA

[Restoring MongoDB Atlas Database Backups in AWS](#)

JAY GORDON

[Testing Huge PostgreSQL Backups for 37 Cents a Day](#)

BEN UBOIS

[Caching Out of Hadoop: How New York Times Embraces New Technology](#)

ALEXHANDY

[Developing a Production Realtime App on RethinkDB](#)

JORDAN HUSNEY AND MATT KRICK

[Migrate your deployment from mLab or Compose and get \\$100 in credit](#) — With MongoDB Atlas' Live Import utility, you can migrate your entire deployment with no downtime.

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[Nitrite: An Embedded NoSQL Database for Java and Android](#) — An open-source NoSQL embedded document database with a MongoDB-like API.

ANINDYACHATTERJEE **TOOLS**

[TiDB Brings Distributed Scalability to SQL](#) — TiDB supports the MySQL protocol, making it easy to adopt.

SUSAN HALL **TOOLS**

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