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## Postgres Weekly

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### PostgreSQL is DB Engines' 'DBMS of the Year' 2017

Postgres might not be new, but its popularity has increased in the last year, fuelled by some fantastic releases, like Postgres 10, and its newest features.

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### Parallel Hash: Coming to PostgreSQL 11?

A feature that will allow partial plans to be used on both sides of a join.

THOMAS MUNRO [#NEWS](#)

### PostgreSQL and MySQL's Peaceful Battle With Today's Demanding Workloads PERCONA

This blog compares how PostgreSQL and MySQL handle millions of queries per second.

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### Key Metrics for Postgres Monitoring

Learn how to identify and track key performance metrics in this monitoring guide.

EMILY CHANG

### Monitoring Postgres Replication Lag

How replication is implemented in PostgreSQL, why you should care about lag, and what to do about it.

KATHRYN EXLINE

### Saving a Tree in Postgres Using LTREE

Postgres is a great document store, for full text search, for geospatial. And as highlighted here can be used for storing trees or hierarchical data as well.

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### 20 Years & Still Strong, PostgreSQL Professional Services & Support

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### The State of VACUUM

A look back at the history of VACUUM improvements in recent years, the state of VACUUM as it exists today, and how it might be improved in the future.

ROBERT HAAS [#OPINION](#)

### PostgreSQL 10 Generally Available on Heroku

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### @postgresql: Postgres Gets an Official Twitter Account

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### MVCC and VACUUM

MVCC and vacuum are core to how Postgres works. Do you understand them? Can you explain them to others? If you answered no to either this post should help.

ROBERT HAAS

## PSequel: A Free PostgreSQL GUI Tool for macOS

It's not open source but it's an attractive tool for working with Postgres nonetheless.

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## Pgpool-II: Connection Pooling and Load Balancing for Postgres

New versions of a tool that adds connection pooling, load balancing, and automatic failover to Postgres.

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## pg\_chameleon 2.0: A MySQL to Postgres Replication System

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