

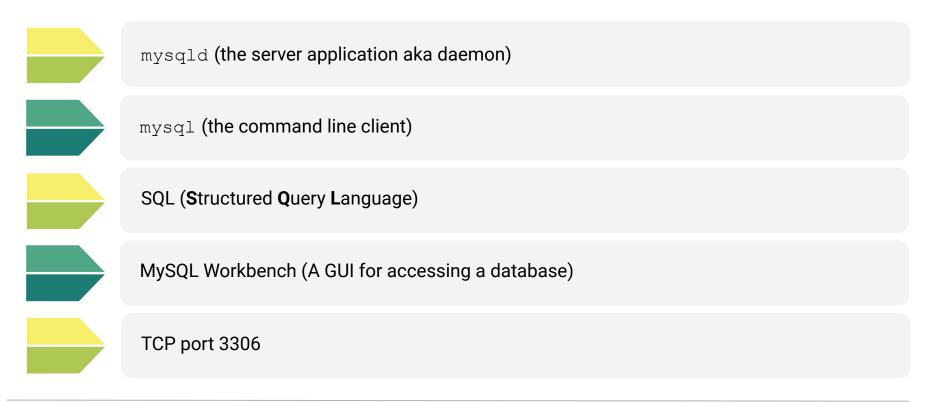
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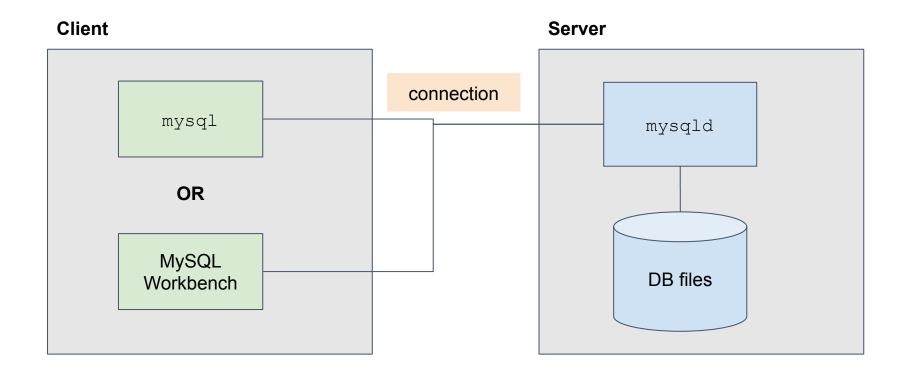
MySQL is a **R**elational **D**ata**B**ase Management **S**ystem

## MySQL: what is it?

#### A Relational Database Management System (RDBMS)



# The system



### **SQL - Structured Query Language**

#### Used for two purposes

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**Data Definition** 

Defines a "schema", aka "database"

- A set of tables
  - Rows (aka "records")
  - Columns (aka "fields")
- The fields in that table
  - Type (e.g., INT, VARCHAR)
  - Size

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#### **Data Manipulation**

- Create a record (INSERT)
- Retrieve a record (SELECT)
- Update a record (UPDATE)
- Delete a record (DELETE)

