

Adding Tables to a General Tablespace

After creating a general tablespace, `CREATE TABLE tbl_name ... TABLESPACE [=] tablespace_name` or `ALTER TABLE tbl_name TABLESPACE [=] tablespace_name` statements can be used to add tables to the tablespace, as shown in the following examples:

CREATE TABLE:

```
mysql> CREATE TABLE t1 (c1 INT PRIMARY KEY) TABLESPACE ts1;
```

ALTER TABLE:

```
mysql> ALTER TABLE t2 TABLESPACE ts1;
```



Note

Support for adding table partitions to shared tablespaces was deprecated in MySQL 5.7.24 and removed in MySQL 8.0.13. Shared tablespaces include the [InnoDB](#) system tablespace and general tablespaces.

For detailed syntax information, see [CREATE TABLE](#) and [ALTER TABLE](#).

General Tablespace Row Format Support

General tablespaces support all table row formats ([REDUNDANT](#), [COMPACT](#), [DYNAMIC](#), [COMPRESSED](#)) with the caveat that compressed and uncompressed tables cannot coexist in the same general tablespace due to different physical page sizes.

For a general tablespace to contain compressed tables ([ROW_FORMAT=COMPRESSED](#)), the [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#) option must be specified, and the [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#) value must be a valid compressed page size in relation to the [innodb_page_size](#) value. Also, the physical page size of the compressed table ([KEY_BLOCK_SIZE](#)) must be equal to [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE/1024](#). For example, if [innodb_page_size=16KB](#) and [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE=8K](#), the [KEY_BLOCK_SIZE](#) of the table must be 8.

The following table shows permitted [innodb_page_size](#), [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#), and [KEY_BLOCK_SIZE](#) combinations. [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#) values may also be specified in bytes. To determine a valid [KEY_BLOCK_SIZE](#) value for a given [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#), divide the [FILE_BLOCK_SIZE](#) value by 1024. Table compression is not support for 32K and 64K [InnoDB](#) page sizes. For more information about [KEY_BLOCK_SIZE](#), see [CREATE TABLE](#), and [Section 15.9.1.2, “Creating Compressed Tables”](#).

Table 15.3 Permitted Page Size, FILE_BLOCK_SIZE, and KEY_BLOCK_SIZE Combinations for Compressed Tables

InnoDB Page Size (innodb_page_size)	Permitted FILE_BLOCK_SIZE Value	Permitted KEY_BLOCK_SIZE Value
64KB	64K (65536)	Compression is not supported
32KB	32K (32768)	Compression is not supported
16KB	16K (16384)	None. If innodb_page_size is equal to FILE_BLOCK_SIZE , the tablespace cannot contain a compressed table.
16KB	8K (8192)	8
16KB	4K (4096)	4
16KB	2K (2048)	2