MySQL Server-Tool Compatibility

Abstract
The document explains the compatibility between various MySQL Server versions and different MySQL clients/tools.

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Compatibility Between MySQL Servers and MySQL Clients/Tools

The following table illustrates the compatibility between various MySQL Server versions and different MySQL clients/tools.

• ✓ indicates compatibility between the MySQL Server and client/tool
• ✗ indicates incompatibility between the MySQL Server and client/tool

Other requirements or limitations might apply; see the client/tool's manual for details.

Table 1 Compatibility Between MySQL Servers and MySQL Clients/Tools

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<th>Client/Tool</th>
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Further Readings

For detailed compatibility information, see the manuals for MySQL Servers, clients, and tools in MySQL documentation.
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