Manage your Yahoo Small Business MySQL Server with SQLyog Enterprise

Introduction

If you are hosting you web-site with Yahoo Small Business Hosting, you will be forced to use a web based admin tool to manage your MySQL database. In fact, the help page on managing MySQL at

<u>http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/webhosting/mysql/mysql-15.html</u> categorically mentions that "You will not be able to access your database using a desktop client or other tools run outside of Yahoo!"

This is very annoying. Working with a web-based admin tool is a terrible waste of time.

In this article, we will show you how you can use all the cool and powerful features of SQLyog with Yahoo Small Business Hosting. The same concepts can be applied to connect to other hosting providers.

Step by Step Setup Guide

- 1. Login to your Yahoo web-hosting and click on Web Hosting Control Panel.
- 2. Select Web Hosting control Panel



3. Select "Create and Update Tab" in the Web hosting Control panel

Web Hosting Control Panel

| | Home | Create & Update | Manage | Promote | Help | Index | |
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4. (Optional) Create/Alter your MySQL username/password. If you already know your MySQL user name and password, skip this step.

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Database Setup

 Database status
<u>Database</u> <u>administrator</u>
<u>Install admin tool</u>
<u>Upgrade admin tool</u>

Database Administrator

Type in a new password below, then click the Submit button. Note: Remember to also change the password on any PHP scripts that access the database.

| Username: | rohitnadhani 💌 | | |
|-----------|----------------|--|--|
| Password: | ••••• | | |
| Subm | it Cancel | | |

5. Now you need to upload the Tunnel Page (shipped with SQLyog Enterprise) to the Yahoo Web Server. Select "Easy Upload" option

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| Add-Ons - Enhance your site with communication tools, guestbooks, and other dynamic elements. | Text Editor + Create and edit HTML, XML, JavaScript, and other files in a plain-text editor. | | | |
| Custom Error Pages Personalize your site with your own error pages. | Perl Editor ↔ Write, edit, and run your own Perl scripts. | | | |
| Easy Upload + Sopy files to your main site directory easily with this web-based tool. | PHP Editor + Write, edit, and run your own PHP files and scripts. | | | |
| File Manager + Upload and organize files, work with folders, and create and edit web pages. | PHP Functions + Learn which PHP functions you can use with Yahoo! | | | |
| HTML Editor + Create and update HTML in a simple editor. | PHP/Perl Mail Configure your account to enable PHP/Perl mail functions. | | | |
| FTP Account Info Use these settings to configure FTP access. | MySQL Database + Activate, set up, and manage a MySQL database. | | | |

6. Type in the path to SQLyogTunnel.php (usually available in "c:\Program Files\SQLyog Enterprise" folder) and click on the Upload button.

Note: File names cannot contain spaces. The total upload can be up to 5MB.

| _ | C.\Program Files\SQLyog Enterprise\SQLyogTunnel.p | Browse |
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Add more files

7. Verify the uploaded file by accessing it with a browser.



8. Start SQLyog and configure the Connection tabs as specified in the screenshots.

| Connect to MySQL Host | | |
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| | Connect Cancel <u>I</u> est Connection | |

Change the User Name and Password to your Username/Password specified in Step 4. Make sure that the MySQL Host Address is set to "mysql" and not "localhost".

| Connect to MySQL Host | | |
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| New Save Delete Saved Connections: Yahoo Hosting Server Tunnel ? Use HTTP Tunneling ? URL: http://www.rohitnadhani.com/SQLyogTunnel.ph Timeout: 30 (in seconds) SQLyogTunnel.php is available in the installation directory. Use SSH Tunneling ? Use SSH Tunneling ? Use The seconds) Advanced SQLyogTunnel.php is available in the installation directory. Use SSH Tunneling ? Use Interventional to the installation directory. Use SSH Tunneling ? Use Interventional to the installation directory. Use SSH Host SSH Port 2 Use Interventional to the installation directory. SSH Host SSH Port 2 Use Interventional to the installation directory. SSH Port 2 1 Use Interventional to the installation directory. SSH Port 2 1 Use Interventional to the installation directory. SSH Port 2 1 Use Interventional to the installation directory. SSH Port 2 1 Use Interventione to thost Isename 1 | | |
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In the URL field, provide the URL to you website's SQLyogTunnel.php and click on Connect.

9. You are now connected to your hosted MySQL Server. Enjoy the power!

