

# MySQL PowerPack Release Notes

Version 102

#### Overview

Version 102 of the MySQL PowerPack includes a new sample credential and updates to Dynamic Applications and Device Categories.

• Minimum Required SL1 Version: 10.1.0

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# Before You Install or Upgrade

Ensure that you are running version 10.1.0 or later of SL1 before installing MySQL version 102.

**NOTE**: For details on upgrading SL1, see the appropriate Release Notes.

## Installation and Upgrade Process

To install this PowerPack:

- 1. Familiarize yourself with the *Known Issues* for this release.
- 2. See the **Before You Install or Upgrade** section. If you have not done so already, upgrade your system to the 10.1.0 or later release.
- 3. Download the MySQL version 102 PowerPack from the Support Site to a local computer.
- 4. Go to the **PowerPack Manager** page (System > Manage > PowerPacks). Click the **[Actions]** menu and choose *Import PowerPack*. When prompted, import *MySQL* version 102.
- 5. Click the [Install] button. For details on installing PowerPacks, see the chapter on Installing a PowerPack in the PowerPacks manual.

## **Features**

Version 102 of the MySQL PowerPack includes the following features:

- Dynamic Applications to discover, model, and monitor performance metrics and collect configuration data for MySQL servers and instances.
- Execution environments to process data and commands for MySQL.

## Enhancements and Issues Addressed

The following enhancements and addressed issues are included in version 102 of the MySQL PowerPack:

- The "silo apps" content library was updated to version 3.1.4.
- The "MySQL EE v1.0" execution environment was added to the PowerPack.
- The "MySQL Example Credential SSL" example credential was added to the PowerPack to support loading SSL certificates on the database connection. (Support Case: 00203146; JIRA ID: SOL-15582)
- The "Database.Application" Device Category has been applied to the "MySQL Server" Device Class.
- The "Database.Instance" Device Category has been applied to the "MySQL Instance" Device Class.
- The "Slow Queries Rate" presentation object was added to the "MySQL: Instance Overall Performance" Dynamic Application.
- The "Slow Queries" collection object was added to the "MySQL: Instance Overall Performance" Dynamic Application.
- The following collection objects were added to the "MySQL: Instance Configuration" Dynamic Application:
  - Long Query Time
  - Query Not Using Indexes
  - Slow Admin Statements

NOTE: To collect these metrics, your MySQL slow query log needs to be turned on.

- The following collection objects were added to the "MySQL: Instance InnoDB Buffer Pool Performance" Dynamic Application:
  - o Log Waits
  - o Log Wait Rate
  - Log Write Requests
- The "Table Locks Immediate Rate" collection object was added to the "MySQL: Instance Table Locking Performance" Dynamic Application.
- The following Dynamic Applications were updated to have Collector Affinity set to Root device collector by default:
  - MySQL: Discovery
  - o MySQL: Instance Configuration
  - MySQL: Instance Discovery

- MySQL: Linux Instance Error Log Configuration
- MySQL: Windows Instance Error Log Configuration
- The following Dynamic Applications were updated to have **Collector Affinity** set to Assigned collector by default:
  - MySQL: Events Errors Summary Configuration
  - o MySQL: Instance Commands Performance
  - ° MySQL: Instance Handler Performance
  - ° MySQL: Instance InnoDB Buffer Pool Performance
  - o MySQL: Instance InnoDB Configuration
  - ° MySQL: Instance InnoDB Data Performance
  - o MySQL: Instance InnoDB Row Performance
  - MySQL: Instance Overall Performance
  - ° MySQL: Instance Sort and Select Performance
  - ° MySQL: Instance Table Locking Performance
  - MySQL: Instance Threads and Connections Performance
  - o MySQL Performance Schema Statements Configuration
  - o MySQL: Performance Schema Summary Statement Configuration
  - o MySQL: Process List Configuration
  - MySQL: Statements With Error/Warning Configuration
- The SQL Log Reader for PowerShell systems was updated to validate query results before checking for errors.
- An issue was addressed in the "MySQL: Discovery" Dynamic Application in which it was not discovering MySQL instances on slow Windows systems. Support was added to use the *Timeout* field in the SOAP/XML credential to address this issue. (Support Case: 00239606; JIRA ID: SOL-18318)

### Known Issues

The following known issues affect version 102 of the MySQL PowerPack:

- When the server log level variable (log\_error verbosity on MySQL, log\_warnings on MariaDB) is set to
  information on a monitored device, a "Got Packets out of order" message may appear in some entries every
  15 minutes.
- Version 102 of the MySQL PowerPack does not support error logs from MySQL on a Docker container.
- The MySQL PowerPack only parses errors (and not warnings) from the files set by the variable <code>log\_error</code>. If it is set, it does not parse from <code>stderr</code>
- Users need to have permission to read the MySQL error log file on Linux servers. To enable this, execute the following command:

```
sudo usermod -a -G mysql <ssh user>
```

- The MySQL PowerPack is not supported on Military Unique Deployment (MUD) systems.
- The caching\_sha2\_password plugin is not supported in MySQL 8. Users should use mysql\_native\_password.



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