

# ApexSQL Diff for MySQL

Version 2020.x

Release Notes and Requirements

## System requirements

<b>Hardware</b>	Dual Core 2.0 GHz CPU 3 GB memory 151 MB disk space
<b>MySQL Server</b>	MySQL Server 5.6 and higher <sup>[1]</sup> MariaDB Server 10.1 and higher <sup>[1]</sup> Azure Database for MySQL <sup>[1]</sup> Azure Database for MariaDB <sup>[1]</sup> Amazon RDS for MySQL <sup>[1]</sup> Amazon RDS for MariaDB <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>OS</b>	Windows 7 SP1/Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1 and higher <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Software</b>	<a href="#">.NET Framework 4.7.2</a> or higher
<b>Permissions and additional requirements</b>	Windows user account with administrative privileges See <a href="#">Minimum permissions required to install and use ApexSQL products</a>

<sup>[1]</sup> See [Supported systems](#) for exact version support

<sup>[2]</sup> You can use the latest full-featured backwards compatible SQL Server Management Studio for free. [Click here](#)

<sup>[3]</sup> The minimum required version

<sup>[4]</sup> Azure DevOps Server (TFS) <sup>[5]</sup> / Azure DevOps Services

<sup>[5]</sup> Up to the latest version

## Supported Software

Windows version				
Windows 7 SP1 & Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1	Windows Server 2012	Windows 8.1 & Windows Server 2012 R2	Windows 10 & Windows Server 2016	Windows Server 2019
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

MySQL Server version			
	5.6	5.7	8.0
<a href="#">ApexSQL Diff for MySQL</a>	✓	✓	✓

MySQL Server edition <sup>[3]</sup>						
	Community	Standard	Enterprise	Cluster CGE	Azure Database for MySQL Server	Amazon RDS for MySQL
<a href="#">ApexSQL Diff for MySQL</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

MariaDB Server version				
	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.4
<a href="#">ApexSQL Diff for MySQL</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓

MariaDB Server edition <sup>[3]</sup>				
	Community	Enterprise	Azure Database for MariaDB	Amazon RDS for MariaDB
<a href="#">ApexSQL Diff for MySQL</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓

<sup>[1]</sup> Central repository requires SQL Server 2008 or greater. SQL Server Express edition is not recommended due to the database size limitation

<sup>[2]</sup> Tested on Ubuntu 16.04

<sup>[3]</sup> Including Amazon EC2, Google Compute Engine, and Azure Virtual Machine cloud computing SQL Server, MySQL Server, and MariaDB Server instances

<sup>[4]</sup> Azure DevOps Server (TFS) <sup>[5]</sup> / Azure DevOps Services

<sup>[5]</sup> Up to the latest version

<sup>[6]</sup> The Object search feature does not support Temporal Data Tables in MariaDB Server 10.3 and above

<sup>[7]</sup> Supported versions: CentOS 7 and above, Debian 7 and above, Fedora 23 and above, Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 and above, Ubuntu Desktop 14.04 and above

## Getting Started

For further information about installation and getting started, please check the [Quest Knowledge Base](#) or [ApexSQL Getting Started](#).

## Release Notes [\(release history\)](#)

Release:	2020.02.0056
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### Fixes:

- The synchronization is not working when using the Northwind database as source and empty database as destination
- The Manage updates button in the Resources tab is not working

## Changes:

- The preview period has been extended to 12/31/2020

Release:	2020.01.0051
Date:	May 28, 2020

## Features:

- MySQL Server 5.6 and higher support
- MariaDB Server 10.1 and higher support
- Azure Database for MySQL support
- Azure Database for MariaDB support
- Amazon RDS for MySQL support
- Amazon RDS for MariaDB support
- Ignore comparison options:
  - Case
  - Case in names
  - Column order
  - Constraint names
- Synchronization options:
  - Script database name
  - Script Use for database
  - Use Drop/Create statements instead of Alter for different procedures, functions, triggers and views
  - Use Drop/Create statements instead of Alter for different tables
- Associates columns having similar names
- Filters object types or specific objects before the comparison
- Exports comparison results into:
  - HTML simple report
  - HTML interactive report
  - HTML schema report
  - Excel report
  - XML schema difference export
  - Comparison summary
- Filters compared objects with the Object filter and Difference filter panels
- Quickly determines specific type of differences of compared objects in the Difference by type panel
- Examines character-level differences between compared objects in the Script difference view panel
- Includes dependent database objects in synchronization script
- Pre-synchronization warnings and actions
- Output actions:

- Save synchronization script to a file
  - Open synchronization script in the Integrated editor for editing prior to execution
  - Synchronize now executes the synchronization script directly on a destination database
- [Save project as automation script](#)
- Command line interface
- Plays a sound upon finished operation:
  - Comparison
  - Synchronization
  - Comparison and synchronization
- [GUI themes](#)
- [High DPI and 4K resolution support](#)
- [Visual Language Dictionary for Visual Studio for iconography and other imagery concepts applied](#)
- [Application telemetry now collects anonymous data on the use and performance of applications and application component](#)
- [ApexSQL Updater is added for configuring advanced updating settings of all installed ApexSQL products](#)