

# Creating a Managed DB Instance

## SETUP LOCAL ENVIRONMENT FIRST

For Cloud access, see the [Intro Guide](#).

To bootstrap your local environment, see the **Configuration** and **Usage** sections of the [CLI document](#).

In addition to the `openstack client`, you must also install the Trove client in order to interact with the database service.

```
python3 -m pip install --user python-troveclient
```

## Example Usage

Test your client by listing the available datastores. Only **mysql** and **postgresql** are available at this time.

```
openstack datastore list
```

### Obtain UUIDs

You need two UUID numbers before you create a database. The UUID of an existing [flavor](#) and the UUID of an existing [network](#).

The flavor will decide the size of the underlying system that hosts your database. Use the flavor `m1.medium`.

The network will determine if and how your database can be reached. For an **Internet** accessible database service, use the network named `campus37`. **Your database instance will be exposed directly to the Internet by default**

List [flavors](#) and [network](#) UUIDs and note the `m1.medium` and `campus37` UUIDs in the output.

```
# openstack database flavor list
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| ID                | Name                | RAM |
vCPUs | Disk | Ephemeral |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 0ff9f4c1-7b57-4d5e-89fe-25511963c389 | m1.xlarge           | 16384 |
8 | 128 | 0 |
| 74a0f626-dfa8-43bb-9648-29bafefef48c1 | m1.small            | 2048 |
```

```

1 | 32 | 0 |
| 8c70c6f6-0608-415e-8674-ed948d8a3387 | m1.medium | 4096 |
1 | 64 | 0 |
| 94ab1283-8ccb-4449-a442-576824c08289 | m1.tiny | 1024 |
1 | 8 | 0 |
| f2bec4b9-6a4f-4c62-8706-9e40bce9fd1d | m1.large | 8192 |
2 | 128 | 0 |
+-----+-----+-----+
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```

```

# openstack network list
+-----+-----+-----+
-----+
| ID | Name | Subnets |
+-----+-----+-----+
-----+
| 31ad6cfa-e586-45fc-91aa-819e53b89c04 | curry | |
70d8751b-767a-4ca5-bae3-993b0012020b |
| 3f510b67-d623-44fe-8e35-e6e2beb9dfb5 | cloud |
9d2c428a-14b7-4820-aeca-57fe3faaae0b |
| b5d53de5-9ebe-4166-950e-957d4f2507de | campus37 |
e4c5c059-616b-4321-b8fd-72510f4b7c5e |
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```

## MySQL Usage Example

These examples may include sample output or IDs that can change. Beware if you copy and paste it.

Determine what datastore versions are available (what we have successfully tested)

```

openstack datastore version list mysql
+-----+-----+-----+
| ID | Name | Version |
+-----+-----+-----+
| ce40c975-0c62-4cee-aeac-a202150d9c71 | 5.7.29 | |
| 011bf990-34c5-41dc-9d94-cd29ad86dbd9 | 5.7.33 | |
+-----+-----+-----+

```

### Launch Instance

This command will request a MySQL 5.7.29, 10GB database named mytestdb with a specific user and password.

```

openstack database instance create mydb \
  --flavor 8c70c6f6-0608-415e-8674-ed948d8a3387 \
  --nic net-id=b5d53de5-9ebe-4166-950e-957d4f2507de \

```

```
--size 10 \
--databases mytestdb \
--users chudler:NotVewySecure \
--datastore mysql \
--datastore-version 5.7.29 \
--allowed-cidr 128.135.164.0/24 \
--allowed-cidr 10.135.164.0/24
```

After a few moments, check the status of your database instance.

```
openstack database instance show mydb
+-----+-----+
| Field          | Value                                     |
+-----+-----+
| allowed_cidrs  | ['128.135.164.0/24', '10.135.164.0/24'] |
| created        | 2021-04-15T22:18:07                     |
| datastore      | mysql                                     |
| datastore_version | 5.7.29                                   |
| datastore_version_number | None                                     |
| flavor         | 8c70c6f6-0608-415e-8674-ed948d8a3387    |
| id             | 1d53f400-b3ec-4b08-90e0-6b7b48c8e7c5    |
| name           | mydb                                      |
| public         | False                                     |
| region         | RegionOne                                 |
| service_status_updated | 2021-04-15T22:18:07                     |
| status         | BUILD                                     |
| updated        | 2021-04-15T22:18:24                     |
| volume         | 10                                        |
+-----+-----+
```

Note that your instance **status** is set to **BUILD** until the database is ready. This output also includes the `server_id` which is crucial for troubleshooting, and shows how your database is backed by an on-demand virtual instance.

When the database instance status changes to **HEALTHY**, you can connect to your database using the IP address that is shown in the output:

```
mysql -u chudler -h 128.135.37.9 --password=NotVewySecure
```

## Customizing DB Configuration

You can change the configuration of the database while it is running, and apply configurations across groups of systems. See [Upstream Docs](#)

## PostgreSQL Usage Example

Follow the preceding MySQL example, but ask for a different datastore and version in the instance request. For example

```
openstack database instance create myPGdb \  
--flavor 8c70c6f6-0608-415e-8674-ed948d8a3387 \  
--nic net-id=b5d53de5-9ebe-4166-950e-957d4f2507de \  
--size 10 \  
--databases mytestdb \  
--users chudler:NotVewySecure \  
--datastore postgresql \  
--datastore-version 12.6 \  
--allowed-cidr 128.135.164.0/24 \  
--allowed-cidr 10.135.164.0/24
```

We do not yet support PG13.

## External Users Docs

The [Official Docs](#) have a lot of information that is not covered here.

- Backup/Snapshot
- Managing Users
- Managing DBs
- Upgrading
- Configuration
- Replication
- Clustering

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