Growing With MySQL

... or why MySQL is one of the hottest thing in the open source world

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Who am I?

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MySQL

The world's best open source database

A bold statement?

- Perhaps

- Familiar with the buzzword "Web 2.0" ?

- Did you surf the Internet, in the "Web 1.0" days?

Technology...

- Stability

  - No one likes losing data, right?

- Performance

- Ease of Use

  - Prime focus, which might have hurt is before; user features are always implemented, when requested

Storage Engines

- MyISAM, InnoDB, ARCHIVE, Cluster (NDB), Falcon, FEDERATED, MEMORY, etc.

- SolidDB, InfoBright (archiving), PBXT (transactional blobs), Nitro (data warehousing)

- Memcache, http, Amazon S3, and a lot more with the 5.1 pluggable storage architecture

Ubiquity

- 11 million
- PHP, Perl, Python, Ruby, Java, and many, many connectors
- GPL
- Many distributions
    - Linux/FreeBSD/Mac OS X
    - XAMPP

Spend some…

… to save time

Community

- MySQL Forge - http://forge.mysql.com/
- MySQL University
- Developer reviews in public; #mysql-dev IRC
- Quality Contribution Program (Sakila Points)
- Summer of Code
- Public Worklog
- Internal documents to the Forge Wiki
- An "open to public guests" developer meeting

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Thanks! Questions?

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