

## Remote MySQL Access

Allow external applications or developers to connect to your MySQL databases remotely.

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By default, MySQL on DanumHost servers only accepts connections from localhost. Remote MySQL access lets external tools or applications connect using your server's hostname and IP.

### Enable remote access

1. Go to **Databases → Remote MySQL**.
2. Enter the IP address or hostname of the computer that needs access (use % only if you understand the security risk of allowing any host).
3. Click **Add Host**.

### Connect remotely

- **Host:** your server hostname or IP (shown in cPanel)
- **Port:** 3306
- **Database/User:** the full prefixed names from MySQL Databases
- **Password:** the database user password

### Security note

Only whitelist specific trusted IP addresses. Remove remote access entries when they are no longer needed. Prefer SSH tunneling for developer access when possible.