

# Preferences and Connection Settings

## Preferences and global settings

In addition to the data stored on a per-server basis; SQL DM for MySQL has a database storing global user preferences (preferences.config database) and also a very tiny text file (MONyog.ini), that only has what minimal information is required for SQL DM for MySQL to start.

### connection.data

There is a Preferences table in connection.data which is used for storing the default processlist query.

```
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS [preferences] (  
  [name] VARCHAR(50) DEFAULT '' NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY UNIQUE,  
  [value] TEXT DEFAULT '' );
```

The server\_names table is used for storing all the connection details.

```
CREATE TABLE [server_names]  
(id INTEGER DEFAULT 0 NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY UNIQUE,  
  key VARCHAR(255) DEFAULT '' NOT NULL,  
  value VARCHAR(255) DEFAULT '' NOT NULL);
```