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Toad Edge® 2.3.0

Release Notes

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These release notes provide information about the Toad Edge release.

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About Toad Edge®

Toad Edge® is a database management application that allows you to perform database administration tasks with ease.

Toad Edge® allows you to:

- · Connect to your databases, view, explore and edit database structure, database objects and properties
- · Manage database objects, easily add, edit or drop objects in Object Explorer
- · Obtain detailed information about your databases
- · Manage data stored in your database, add, edit or remove records
- · Write complex SQL code comfortably in Worksheet
- Compare and synchronize databases using powerful Schema Compare
- Conveniently manage users and user permissions in Object Details editors
- · Seamlessly integrate Toad Edge into your Continuous Integration and Delivery processes

Toad Edge 2.3.0 is a minor release, with new features and functionality. See New features for more information.

New features of Toad Edge

In Toad Edge® 2.3 the following new features were implemented:

General features

Worksheet enhancements

Added option to rename SQL worksheet tab

Connections

- Added new SSL ciphers to remove TLS compatibility issues.
- Implemented a search bar to filter connections
- Updated SSH caching logic to fix connection issues.

Support for SQL warnings

 Added a view to display SQL warnings and other server messages. This will also display output of RAISE NOTICE/INFO/DEBUG from PostgreSQL functions.

Database features

Support for MariaDB 10.3, 10.4 and 10.5

Added GUI features related to MariaDB sequences.

Enhancements

The following is a list of enhancements implemented in Toad Edge 2.3.0

- Implemented a search bar to find specific connection
- Added option to remove all compare schema history
- Introducing a SQL warnings section to log server warnings which can also help in logging RAISE NOTICE/INFO/DEBUG for postgreSQL
- Improved data grid refresh logic
- Added feature to rename a SQL worksheet tab

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- · Displaying a user friendly FIPS error
- Added comment/uncomment option in edit menu
- Supporting SEQUENCE for MariaDB 10.3 and later
- Supporting INET6 data type support for MariaDB 10.5 and later

Resolved issues

The following issues were resolved for this release: Toad Edge 2.3.0

Description	Issue ID
New SSL ciphers to fix handshake error during SSL connection,	14724/4846640
Optimized startup memory consumption	14759/4834588
App crash when system language is Turkish is fixed	14732/4862660
Faulty caching logic in SSH connection fixed	14709/4847342
Behavior correction when trying to open a supported file in ToadEdge when ToadEdge is already running	14596
Compare wizard made scrollable	14689

Known issues

The following is a list of issues, including those attributed to third-party products, known to exist at the time of release.

General known issues

Known Issue	Issue ID
Mouse cursor may become invisible in specific circumstances related to errors in Worksheet . Workaround : Switch into a different Toad Edge View and back.	5942
After upgrading from Toad Edge 1.0 , databases that were mapped (as part of Repository) will lose their mapping.	8223
When a database is synchronized with Repository, changes made to tables in the database that have been created using BLACKHOLE, CSV or FEDERATED engine are not detected in Object Explorer.	8332
Workaround : Display the comparison window (right-click the database Repository Synchronize). The changes will be detected and subsequently displayed in Object Explorer.	
Toad Edge will not override default settings of associated programs for opening JSON files on Windows.	9229

Known Issue	Issue ID
Currently it is not possible to activate more than one license during silent installation on Windows	11666
While connecting to Postgres/EDB, one might get "Password must be at least 14 characters" as error	14740
Workaround: Close ToadEdge and go to ToadEdge ini file and change -	

Workaround: Close ToadEdge and go to ToadEdge.ini file and change Dorg.bouncycastle.fips.approved_only value to false.

System requirements

Before installing Toad Edge 2.3, ensure that your system meets the following minimum hardware and software requirements.

Hardware requirements

Requirement	Details
Processor	Minimum dual core 64-bit processor
Memory	Minimum 4 GB RAM
Hard disk space	Minimum 500 MB + additional disk space for user data

Software requirements

Requirement	Details
Operating System	Windows 10 (64-bit)
	Windows 8.1 (64-bit)
	Windows 7 (64-bit)
	Windows Server 2012 R2 (64-bit)
	macOS 10.14 Mojave (64-bit)
	macOS 10.13 High Sierra (64-bit)
	macOS 10.12 Sierra (64-bit)
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NOTE: Toad Edge may also run on virtual versions of the mentioned operating systems. Please note, however, that these configurations are not tested.

Database requirements

Supported database	Version	Additional details
PostgreSQL	9.5, 9.6, 10, 11, 12, 13	Toad Edge tested with Amazon Aurora PostgreSQL 9.5 and Microsoft Azure PostgreSQL 10.1
EnterpriseDB	9.6, 10, 11, 12, 13	
Amazon Redshift	1.0	In beta. You need to use RedshiftJDBC42-1.2.12.1017 or newer driver in order to use Redshift features.
MariaDB	10.1, 10.2, 10.3, 10.4, 10.5	MariaDB 10.1 tested for common functionality with MySQL 5.6. Note : Only features common with MySQL are supported except Sequences.
MySQL	5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 8.0*	MySQL 5.6 tested to run in Microsoft Azure. MySQL 5.7 tested to run in Amazon Relational Database Service (RDS) environment MySQL engines: InnoDB, MyISAM Tested MySQL editions: Community, Standard, Enterprise *Role Management and Tablespaces are currently not supported for MySQL 8.0. Please use the latest driver with MySQL 8.0 support.

Other Requirements

Internet connection	In order to sign-in and validate your license internet connection is required to connect with our licensing servers.
Internet browser	In order to view documentation an internet browser is required. Internet Explorer 10 or later is recommended.
Screen	The minimum supported resolution is 1280 x 720. Toad Edge might launch on any resolution but some features might not be displayed correctly.

Product licensing

Three types of licenses are available for Toad Edge:

- Freeware basic mode which is active when no other license is supplied
- Trial unlimited mode which lasts for a set period (for example, the initial 30-day Trial)

• Commercial - unlimited mode gained by purchasing and using a Commercial license in the application

As mentioned in Introduction, you need to create and sign in to your Quest Software account in order to start using Toad Edge. After you create your account, you are provided an initial 30-day Trial license. This allows you to try out the application and all of its features.

Once the Trial period elapses, you can purchase and supply a Commercial license to continue using Toad Edge without limitations. Otherwise, the application will revert to the Freeware mode. You will be still able to use all Freeware features, but you will not be able to access Commercial features.

The following matrix lists all features that can be used in Freeware and Trial/Commercial versions of Toad Edge.

Feature	Commercial	Freeware
SQL Worksheet/Editor		
Advanced Content Assist	✓	8
Syntax check	✓	✓
Code formatting	✓	✓
Multiple statement execution	✓	✓
Execution from/to position	✓	✓
Data editor		
Table lookup via foreign keys	✓	×
Basic data filters	✓	×
Data type specific data editors	✓	×
Editable result grid	✓	8
Export and import		
Export to CSV	✓	×
Export to SQL	✓	8
Export to HTML	✓	8
Export to XML	✓	8
Import from SQL	✓	8
Import from CSV	✓	~

Feature	Commercial	Freeware
Schema Compare	·	
Schema/Database comparison	✓	8
Advanced SQL difference recognition	✓	8
Detailed SQL comparison settings	~	8
Timestamp comparison	~	8
Detailed Schema Compare reports	~	8
Generation of change scripts	✓	8
Snapshots		
Snapshot creation	✓	8
Snapshot comparison	✓	8
Versioning/Collaboration		
Repository (MySQL only)	×	8
Continuous Integration/Continuous Delivery support	×	8
Native plugin solution for Jenkins	✓	8
Other application features		
Object search	✓	×
Code snippets/templates	×	8
Session browser	✓	8
Support for JSON data types	~	~
JSON structure visualization	~	8
JSON in-place data editor	~	8
MySQL Events editor	~	8
Advanced user privilege management	✓	8

Getting started with Toad Edge

Contents of installation package

The Toad Edge release package contains the following:

- Installation file of Toad Edge (MSI or PKG)
- Product Documentation, including:
 - Release Notes
 - Installation Guide
 - User Guide

NOTE: Toad Edge® is distributed with the latest Advanced Server JDBC Connector 4.2, MySQL Connector/J 5.1.46, MySQL Connector/J 8.0.22, and PostgreSQL JDBC 42.2.18.

Installation Instructions

- See System requirements before installation to avoid any possible issues during installation or later when
 using Toad Edge
- · Launch Toad Edge installation file and follow the instructions in the installation wizard

How to Install Java Cryptography Extension

- Download the latest JCE files:
 - local_policy.jar
 - US_export_policy.jar
- and use them to replace the files in Toad Edge security folder
 - (...)\Quest Software\Toad Edge\bin\jre\lib\security\

Additional resources

Additional information is available from the following:

Toad World Community Site Toad Edge Toad World Community.

Globalization

This section contains information about installing and operating this product in non-English configurations, such as those needed by customers outside of North America. This section does not replace the materials about supported platforms and configurations found elsewhere in the product documentation.

This release is Unicode-enabled and supports any character set. In this release, all product components should be configured to use the same or compatible character encodings and should be installed to use the same locale and regional options. This release is targeted to support operations in the following regions: North America, Western Europe and Latin America, Central and Eastern Europe, Far-East Asia, Japan.

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