

Maintenance: PMySQL01 Database Platform Upgrade

We will be carrying out planned maintenance to upgrade PMySQL01 from the current Percona MySQL 5.6 platform running on CentOS 7, both of which are now end-of-life. This work will move the database platform onto supported MariaDB versions while maintaining service availability through existing redundancy and failover capabilities.

What will happen?

The change will be completed through a staged series of incremental upgrades, replacing Percona with MariaDB 10.1 before progressing through versions 10.2, 10.3, 10.4 and 10.5. A new physical server has already been built and the upgrade process has been successfully tested against live data, with the replica server currently operating on MariaDB 10.1 and replication confirmed as working. Replication, monitoring, logs and connectivity checks will be performed throughout the implementation.

When will the work be carried out?

The work will start at 8:00am on Tuesday 22nd September 2026 and is expected to be completed by 11:00am.

Who will be completing the work?

The work will be completed by the Easyspace technical team, with Easyspace Support liaised with to agree the maintenance window and monitor for any customer feedback or issues following each upgrade stage.

Will I experience downtime?

Risk is assessed as low due to the availability of a secondary system and established failover procedures. A maximum downtime of five minutes is expected during the maintenance window.

Thank you,
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