

Installing MySQL as a Windows Service

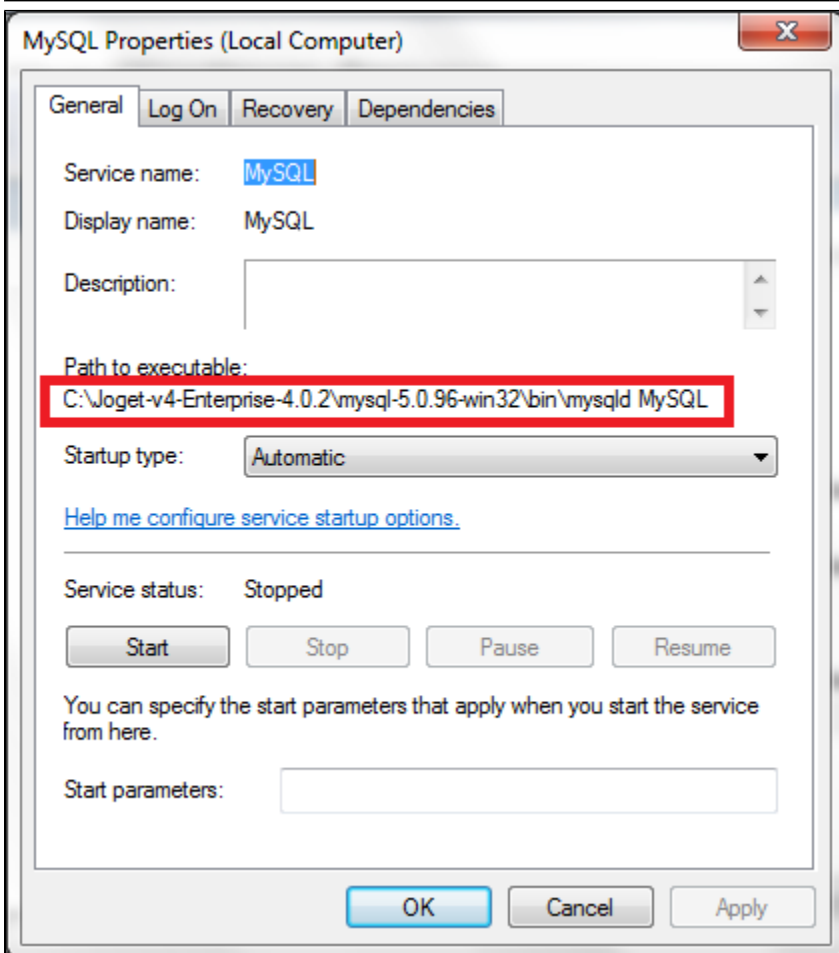
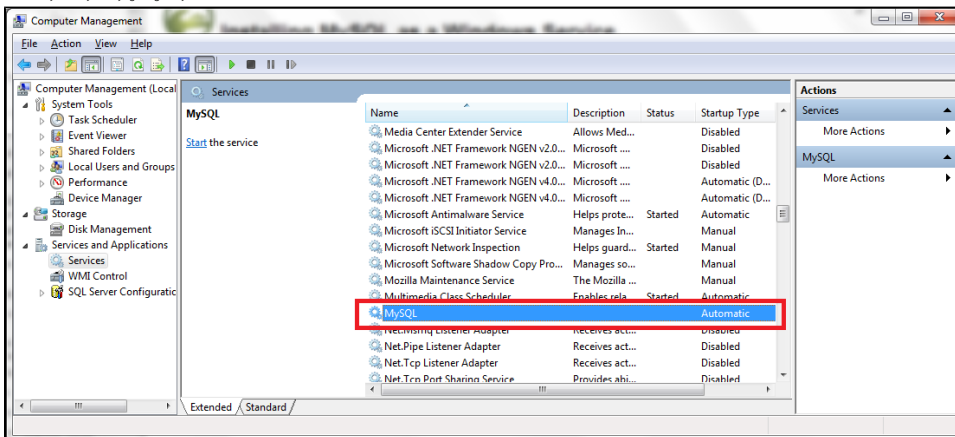
1. Browse to your MySQL's bin folder (e.g. C:\Joget-v4-Enterprise-4.0.2\mysql-5.0.96-win32\bin) in your command prompt.
2. Execute the following.

```
mysqld --install
```

3. You will get the following when service is installed successfully.

Service successfully installed.

You may verify it by going to your Windows's List of Services



You may encounter error 1067 while trying to start up the service. Possible reasons/solutions are:-

1. Incorrect **basedir** value. Edit **my.ini** to include full path to your MySQL folder.

```
basedir="C:\Joget-v4-Enterprise-4.0.2\mysql-5.0.96-win32"
```

2. Incorrect **my.ini** file loaded. Try to include the full path to the **my.ini** file in creating Windows service.

```
mysqld --install MySQL --defaults-file=C:\Joget-v4-Enterprise-4.0.2\mysql-5.0.96-win32\my.ini
```

For more information, please refer to [MySQL - Starting MySQL as a Windows Service](#)