



# Set up the Databases

The Trifacta® platform uses multiple SQL databases to manage platform metadata. This section describes how to install and initialize these databases.

- For more information on the supported database versions, see *System Requirements*.
- For more information on default ports, see *System Ports*.

 **NOTE:** If you are installing the databases on an instance of Amazon RDS, additional setup is required first. See *Install Databases on Amazon RDS*.

 **If you are concerned about durability and disaster recovery of your Trifacta metadata, your enterprise backup procedures should include the Trifacta databases. See *Backup and Recovery*.**