



## What is new in Birdstep RDM Server 6.1?

Birdstep's **RDM Server** is a powerful, cross-platform, small footprint database designed for server applications with demanding performance requirements. RDM Server meets the needs of modern businesses needing an embedded database platform by offering a scalable and high-available solution.

RDM Server v6.1 is Birdstep's response to the growing market demand for both improved ease of use and enhanced connectivity. This includes a graphical user interface to the toolsets and a more intuitive user friendly interface to the database. In addition Birdstep has reaffirmed its commitment to supporting industry standards such as ADO.NET, PHP, and SQL.

The database offers a strong foundation for application development with tools for performance enhancement and database customization. RDM Server 6.1 continues this legacy by adding critical requirements for many users and developers.

### **New features include:**

**ADO.NET** - The primary relational data access model for Microsoft .NET-based applications, ADO.NET is an industry standard which provides for greater interoperability and scalability. In furthering the interoperability of RDM Server, we are pleased to announce our new ADO.NET driver. Allowing your application developers greater freedom in creating e-commerce software and enterprise solutions for competing successfully in the Net Economy.

**PHP** – As the de facto standard, PHP enables web based application to access data in a simple and powerful way. Birdstep's commitment to the PHP community now adds support for PHP's Unified ODBC interface.

Further information can be found at <http://www.php.net/manual/en/ref.uodbc.php>

**SQL** – Continuing our commitment to the SQL standards, Birdstep extends its SQL compliancy to meet the industry demand for system interoperability.

**Admin Tools** – In the spirit of Ease of Use, we have upgraded our toolset by including a more intuitive graphical user interface. This will give the developer direct access to the underlying optimization and administration functionality.

**Documentation System** – Now included in the standard release is documentation integrated with the operating systems native help. This allows for faster understanding of the product, during the development stage, resulting in a faster time-to-market.

***Please download a free SDK of RDM Server 6.1 from our website download page.  
<http://www.birdstep.com/database/download.php3>***