

# *: What is the difference between a DBMS and an RDBMS?*

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DBMS is an umbrella term for different types of database management system (DBMS) technologies. A relational database management system (RDBMS) is the most popular type of database management system for business transaction applications.

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