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The second issue of PVLDB's Volume 17 includes 14 papers, spanning the topics of AI/ML and databases, data privacy and security, graph and network data, database engines, novel database architectures, data models and query languages, as well as ethical data management. Several topics stood out, the most popular ones in this issue: AI/ML and databases (4 papers), data privacy and security (3 papers), and graph and network Data (2 papers).

Out of the 14 papers, two papers are in the scalable data science category, one is in the experiment, analysis & benchmark category, and the rest are regular research papers. All 14 papers were accepted after revision.

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This issue is the result of all the work put in by the authors as well as the great commitment and effort of our associate editors and reviewers as well as our proceedings chairs.

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