

Oracle Essbase 11.1.2 for System Administrators

Duration: 3 Days

What you will learn

The typical Essbase project is a high visibility, high priority development project designed to enhance bottom line performance. This course will help you develop specific Essbase administrative skills so you're able to support these projects.

Learn To:

Perform backup, recovery, application migration and task automation.

Optimize Essbase system caches.

Configure the block storage and aggregate storage kernels.

Design and manage Essbase security.

Configure, secure, optimize and maintain the Essbase environment for both block storage and aggregate storage applications.

Learn Essbase Survival Skills

Whether you're a new or seasoned Essbase user, you'll benefit from the Essbase experience and best practices built into the lectures, student guide, numerous exercises and case study. This course will prove to be a valuable addition to your administrator's survival kit.

Audience

Administrator

Application Developers

Database Administrators

Database Designers

Security Administrators

Related Training

Required Prerequisites

General technical background

Basic system administration experience

Suggested Prerequisites

Oracle Essbase 11.1.2 Bootcamp

Oracle Essbase 11.1.2 Bootcamp (11.1.2.4) Coming Soon

Course Objectives

Set up user, group, and application access type security

Create database filters

Describe the components of the Oracle Essbase product family

Optimize Essbase caches and buffers

Perform database maintenance, including backup and recovery and application migration

Configure the Essbase environment

Automate routine tasks using MaxL scripts

Course Topics

Online Analytical Processing Overview

Data Transformation

Multidimensional View of Information

Dimensional Modeling

Data Cubes

Dimension Hierarchies

OLAP Solutions

Essbase architecture, components, and production cycle

Aggregate Storage and Block Storage

Outlines

Load Rules

Calculation Scripts

Aggregations

Reporting in Smart View

Block Storage Data Structure

Data Blocks and the Index System

Block Storage Database Statistics

Data Block Creation

Database Calculation Process

Aggregate Storage Data Structure

Table space Overview

Data Aggregation

Aggregate Storage Database Statistics

Configuring Essbase Servers

Setting up runtime and connection options for Essbase

Configuring block storage and aggregate storage disk allocation

Identifying the primary information logs available to Essbase system administrators

Maintaining the Essbase Server configuration file

Essbase Data Integrity

- Ensuring Essbase Data Integrity
- Transactions and Locks
- Isolation Levels

Essbase Security Overview

- Essbase Native Security
- Global Access Security Layer
- User and Group Security Layer
- Application Access Type Security
- The Essbase Security File

Creating Essbase Security Filters

- The Essbase Security Filter Layer
- Creating Security Filters
- Filter Behavior
- Resolving Security Conflicts

Securing the Essbase Environment in Shared Services

- Shared Services Security
- Converting Essbase Users to Shared Services Security
- Provisioning Users in Shared Services
- External Authentication and Single Sign-on

Optimizing Block Storage Caches

- Optimizing the Database
- Optimizing Caches
- Setting RAM Caches
- Cache Hit Ratios

Optimizing Aggregate Storage Cache

- Aggregate Storage Cache Optimization
- Managing Aggregate Storage Cache
- Viewing Aggregate Storage Cache Statistics

Optimizing Buffers and Compression

- Setting Data Retrieval Buffers
- Data Compression Methods
- Setting the Optimal Compression Method

Managing Fragmentation

- Measuring Database Fragmentation
- Preventing and Reducing Database Fragmentation
- Removing Security File Fragmentation

Managing Applications, Sessions, Usernames, and Passwords

- About Application and Session Management
- Migrating Applications and Databases
- Enabling/Disabling Usernames in Administration Services Console

Backing Up, Restoring, and Recovering Essbase Databases

- About Backup, Restore, and Recovery

Manual Backup and Restore
Automated Backup and Restore
Manual Recovery
Automated Recovery
Recovering from a Server Interruption
Recovering Corrupted Essbase Databases

Task Automation

Automating Tasks Using MaxL
The MaxL Command Shell
MaxL Statements and Syntax
MaxL Username and Password Encryption
Debugging MaxL scripts