

# Microsoft

## Exam Questions DP-203

Data Engineering on Microsoft Azure



### NEW QUESTION 1

- (Exam Topic 3)

The storage account container view is shown in the Refdata exhibit. (Click the Refdata tab.) You need to configure the Stream Analytics job to pick up the new reference data. What should you configure? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

#### Explanation:

Answer as below

Answer Area

Path pattern:

Date format:

### NEW QUESTION 2

- (Exam Topic 3)

A company has a real-time data analysis solution that is hosted on Microsoft Azure. The solution uses Azure Event Hub to ingest data and an Azure Stream Analytics cloud job to analyze the data. The cloud job is configured to use 120 Streaming Units (SU).

You need to optimize performance for the Azure Stream Analytics job.

Which two actions should you perform? Each correct answer presents part of the solution.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. Implement event ordering.
- B. Implement Azure Stream Analytics user-defined functions (UDF).
- C. Implement query parallelization by partitioning the data output.
- D. Scale the SU count for the job up.
- E. Scale the SU count for the job down.
- F. Implement query parallelization by partitioning the data input.

**Answer:** DF

#### Explanation:

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-parallelization>

### NEW QUESTION 3

- (Exam Topic 3)

You implement an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics. You have a large fact table that is 10 terabytes (TB) in size.

Incoming queries use the primary key SaleKey column to retrieve data as displayed in the following table:

SaleKey	CityKey	CustomerKey	StockItemKey	InvoiceDateKey	Quantity	UnitPrice	TotalExcludingTax
49309	90858	70	69	10/22/13	8	16	128
49313	55710	126	69	10/22/13	2	16	32
49343	44710	234	68	10/22/13	10	16	160
49352	66109	163	70	10/22/13	4	16	64
49488	65312	230	70	10/22/13	8	16	128
49646	85877	271	70	10/24/13	1	16	16
49798	41238	288	69	10/24/13	1	16	16

You need to distribute the large fact table across multiple nodes to optimize performance of the table. Which technology should you use?

- A. hash distributed table with clustered index
- B. hash distributed table with clustered Columnstore index
- C. round robin distributed table with clustered index
- D. round robin distributed table with clustered Columnstore index
- E. heap table with distribution replicate

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

Hash-distributed tables improve query performance on large fact tables.

Columnstore indexes can achieve up to 100x better performance on analytics and data warehousing workloads and up to 10x better data compression than traditional rowstore indexes.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-distribute> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/relational-databases/indexes/columnstore-indexes-query-performance>

### NEW QUESTION 4

- (Exam Topic 3)

HOTSPOT

You have an Azure Data Factory instance named ADF1 and two Azure Synapse Analytics workspaces named WS1 and WS2.

ADF1 contains the following pipelines:

- > P1: Uses a copy activity to copy data from a nonpartitioned table in a dedicated SQL pool of WS1 to an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account
- > P2: Uses a copy activity to copy data from text-delimited files in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account to a nonpartitioned table in a dedicated SQL pool of WS2

You need to configure P1 and P2 to maximize parallelism and performance.

Which dataset settings should you configure for the copy activity if each pipeline? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

P1:

	▼
Set the Copy method to Bulk insert	
Set the Copy method to PolyBase	
Set the Isolation level to Repeatable read	
Set the Partition option to Dynamic range	

P2:

	▼
Set the Copy method to Bulk insert	
Set the Copy method to PolyBase	
Set the Isolation level to Repeatable read	
Set the Partition option to Dynamic range	

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: Set the Copy method to PolyBase

While SQL pool supports many loading methods including non-Polybase options such as BCP and SQL BulkCopy API, the fastest and most scalable way to load data is through PolyBase. PolyBase is a technology that accesses external data stored in Azure Blob storage or Azure Data Lake Store via the T-SQL language.

Box 2: Set the Copy method to Bulk insert

Polybase not possible for text files. Have to use Bulk insert. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/load-data-overview>

## NEW QUESTION 5

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a date dimension table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The date dimension table will be used by all the fact tables.

Which distribution type should you recommend to minimize data movement?

- A. HASH
- B. REPLICATE
- C. ROUND ROBIN

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

A replicated table has a full copy of the table available on every Compute node. Queries run fast on replicated tables since joins on replicated tables don't require data movement. Replication requires extra storage, though, and isn't practical for large tables.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-overview>

## NEW QUESTION 6

- (Exam Topic 3)

You plan to create an Azure Data Factory pipeline that will include a mapping data flow. You have JSON data containing objects that have nested arrays.

You need to transform the JSON-formatted data into a tabular dataset. The dataset must have one row for each item in the arrays.

Which transformation method should you use in the mapping data flow?

- A. unpivot
- B. flatten
- C. new branch
- D. alter row

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Use the flatten transformation to take array values inside hierarchical structures such as JSON and unroll them into individual rows. This process is known as denormalization.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/data-flow-flatten>

**NEW QUESTION 7**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace named WS1 that contains an Apache Spark pool named Pool1.

You plan to create a database named D61 in Pool1.

You need to ensure that when tables are created in DB1, the tables are available automatically as external tables to the built-in serverless SQL pod.

Which format should you use for the tables in DB1?

- A. Parquet
- B. CSV
- C. ORC
- D. JSON

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Serverless SQL pool can automatically synchronize metadata from Apache Spark. A serverless SQL pool database will be created for each database existing in serverless Apache Spark pools.

For each Spark external table based on Parquet or CSV and located in Azure Storage, an external table is created in a serverless SQL pool database.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/develop-storage-files-spark-tables>

**NEW QUESTION 8**

- (Exam Topic 3)

A company plans to use Apache Spark analytics to analyze intrusion detection data.

You need to recommend a solution to analyze network and system activity data for malicious activities and policy violations. The solution must minimize administrative efforts.

What should you recommend?

- A. Azure Data Lake Storage
- B. Azure Databricks
- C. Azure HDInsight
- D. Azure Data Factory

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Three common analytics use cases with Microsoft Azure Databricks

Recommendation engines, churn analysis, and intrusion detection are common scenarios that many organizations are solving across multiple industries. They require machine learning, streaming analytics, and utilize massive amounts of data processing that can be difficult to scale without the right tools.

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Reference:

<https://azure.microsoft.com/es-es/blog/three-critical-analytics-use-cases-with-microsoft-azure-databricks/>

**NEW QUESTION 9**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You manage an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics.

Users report slow performance when they run commonly used queries. Users do not report performance changes for infrequently used queries.

You need to monitor resource utilization to determine the source of the performance issues. Which metric should you monitor?

- A. Data IO percentage
- B. Local tempdb percentage
- C. Cache used percentage
- D. DWU percentage

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Monitor and troubleshoot slow query performance by determining whether your workload is optimally leveraging the adaptive cache for dedicated SQL pools.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-how-to-monit>

**NEW QUESTION 10**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account named storage1. Storage1 contains a container named container1.

Container1 contains a directory named directory1. Directory1 contains a file named file1.

You have an Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) user named User1 that is assigned the Storage Blob Data Reader role for storage1.

You need to ensure that User1 can append data to file1. The solution must use the principle of least privilege. Which permissions should you grant? To answer, drag the appropriate permissions to the correct resources.

Each permission may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.

## Permissions

Read

Write

Execute

## Answer Area

container1:

Permission

directory1:

Permission

file1:

Permission

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

### Explanation:

Box 1: Execute

If you are granting permissions by using only ACLs (no Azure RBAC), then to grant a security principal read or write access to a file, you'll need to give the security principal Execute permissions to the root folder of the container, and to each folder in the hierarchy of folders that lead to the file.

Box 2: Execute

On Directory: Execute (X): Required to traverse the child items of a directory Box 3: Write

On file: Write (W): Can write or append to a file. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/blobs/data-lake-storage-access-control>

### NEW QUESTION 10

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool mat contains a table named dbo.Users.

You need to prevent a group of users from reading user email addresses from dbo.Users. What should you use?

- A. row-level security
- B. column-level security
- C. Dynamic data masking
- D. Transparent Data Encryption (TDD)

**Answer:** B

### NEW QUESTION 12

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are creating an Apache Spark job in Azure Databricks that will ingest JSON-formatted data. You need to convert a nested JSON string into a DataFrame that will contain multiple rows. Which Spark SQL function should you use?

- A. explode
- B. filter
- C. coalesce
- D. extract

**Answer:** A

### Explanation:

Convert nested JSON to a flattened DataFrame

You can to flatten nested JSON, using only \$"column.\*" and explode methods. Note: Extract and flatten

Use \$"column.\*" and explode methods to flatten the struct and array types before displaying the flattened DataFrame.

Scala

```
display(DF.select($"id" as "main_id", $"name", $"batters", $"ppu", explode($"topping"))) // Exploding the topping column using explode as it is an array type
```

```
withColumn("topping_id", $"col.id") // Extracting topping_id from col using DOT form withColumn("topping_type", $"col.type") // Extracting topping_tytpye from col
```

```
using DOT form drop($"col")
```

```
select($"*", $"batters.*") // Flattened the struct type batters tto array type which is batter drop($"batters")
```

```
select($"*", explode($"batter")) drop($"batter")
```

```
withColumn("batter_id", $"col.id") // Extracting batter_id from col using DOT form withColumn("battter_type", $"col.type") // Extracting battter_type from col using
```

```
DOT form drop($"col")
```

```
)
```

Reference: <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/kb/scala/flatten-nested-columns-dynamically>

### NEW QUESTION 15

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a dimension table for a data warehouse. The table will track the value of the dimension attributes over time and preserve the history of the data by adding new rows as the data changes.

Which type of slowly changing dimension (SCD) should use?

- A. Type 0
- B. Type 1

- C. Type 2
- D. Type 3

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Type 2 - Creating a new additional record. In this methodology all history of dimension changes is kept in the database. You capture attribute change by adding a new row with a new surrogate key to the dimension table. Both the prior and new rows contain as attributes the natural key(or other durable identifier). Also 'effective date' and 'current indicator' columns are used in this method. There could be only one record with current indicator set to 'Y'. For 'effective date' columns, i.e. start\_date and end\_date, the end\_date for current record usually is set to value 9999-12-31. Introducing changes to the dimensional model in type 2 could be very expensive database operation so it is not recommended to use it in dimensions where a new attribute could be added in the future.  
<https://www.datawarehouse4u.info/SCD-Slowly-Changing-Dimensions.html>

**NEW QUESTION 19**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You plan to build a structured streaming solution in Azure Databricks. The solution will count new events in five-minute intervals and report only events that arrive during the interval. The output will be sent to a Delta Lake table. Which output mode should you use?

- A. complete
- B. update
- C. append

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Append Mode: Only new rows appended in the result table since the last trigger are written to external storage. This is applicable only for the queries where existing rows in the Result Table are not expected to change.  
<https://docs.databricks.com/getting-started/spark/streaming.html>

**NEW QUESTION 20**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have two fact tables named Flight and Weather. Queries targeting the tables will be based on the join between the following columns.

Table	Column
Flight	ArrivalAirportID ArrivalDateTime
Weather	AirportID ReportDateTime

You need to recommend a solution that maximum query performance. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. In each table, create a column as a composite of the other two columns in the table.
- B. In each table, create an IDENTITY column.
- C. In the tables, use a hash distribution of ArriveDateTime and ReportDateTime.
- D. In the tables, use a hash distribution of ArriveAirPortID and AirportID.

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 22**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are building an Azure Stream Analytics job to retrieve game data. You need to ensure that the job returns the highest scoring record for each five-minute time interval of each game. How should you complete the Stream Analytics query? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
 NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

SELECT

▼

Collect(Score)

CollectTop(1) OVER(ORDER BY Score Desc)

Game, MAX(Score)

TopOne() OVER(PARTITION BY Game ORDER BY Score Desc)

as HighestScore

FROM input TIMESTAMP BY CreatedAt

GROUP BY

▼

Game

Hopping(minute,5)

Tumbling(minute,5)

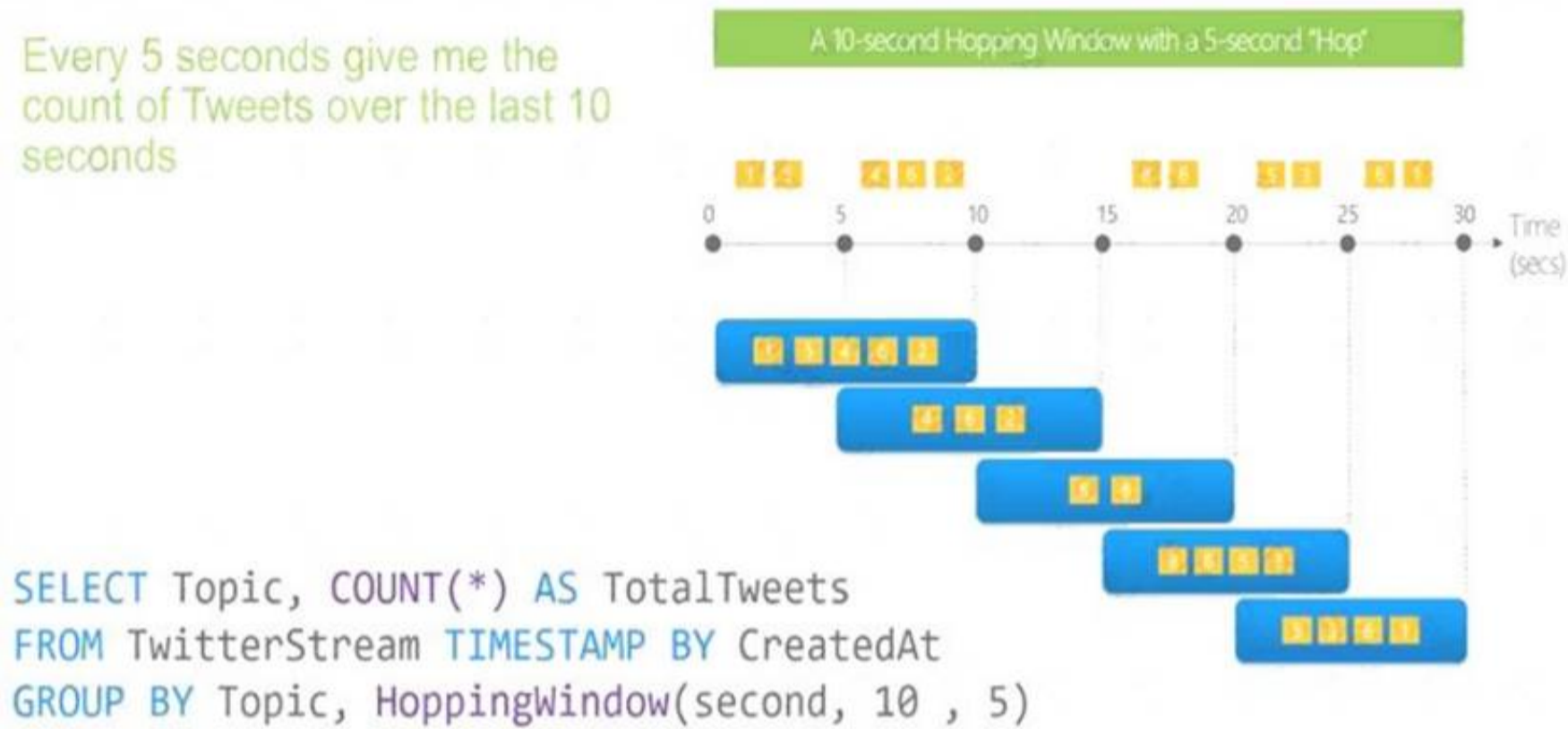
Windows(TumblingWindow(minute,5),Hopping(minute,5))

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: TopOne OVER(PARTITION BY Game ORDER BY Score Desc)  
 TopOne returns the top-rank record, where rank defines the ranking position of the event in the window according to the specified ordering. Ordering/ranking is based on event columns and can be specified in ORDER BY clause.  
 Box 2: Hopping(minute,5)  
 Hopping window functions hop forward in time by a fixed period. It may be easy to think of them as Tumbling windows that can overlap and be emitted more often than the window size. Events can belong to more than one Hopping window result set. To make a Hopping window the same as a Tumbling window, specify the hop size to be the same as the window size.  
 A picture containing timeline Description automatically generated



Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/stream-analytics-query/topone-azure-stream-analytics> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-window-functions>

**NEW QUESTION 25**  
 - (Exam Topic 3)  
 You have an Azure Data Factory pipeline that contains a data flow. The data flow contains the following expression.

```
source(output(
    License_plate as string,
    Make as string,
    Time as string
),
allowSchemaDrift: true,
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**  
 See below answer.

**Answer Area**

Number of columns: 22

Number of rows: 4

**NEW QUESTION 30**  
 - (Exam Topic 3)  
 You have an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account that contains a JSON file for customers. The file contains two attributes named FirstName and LastName. You need to copy the data from the JSON file to an Azure Synapse Analytics table by using Azure Databricks. A new column must be created that concatenates the FirstName and LastName values.  
 You create the following components:

- > A destination table in Azure Synapse
- > An Azure Blob storage container
- > A service principal

In which order should you perform the actions? To answer, move the appropriate actions from the list of actions to the answer area and arrange them in the correct order.

## Actions

## Answer Area

Mount the Data Lake Storage onto DBFS.

Write the results to a table in Azure Synapse.

Specify a temporary folder to stage the data.

Read the file into a data frame.

Perform transformations on the data frame.

- A. Mastered  
B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

### Explanation:

Table Description automatically generated

Step 1: Mount the Data Lake Storage onto DBFS

Begin with creating a file system in the Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account. Step 2: Read the file into a data frame.

You can load the json files as a data frame in Azure Databricks. Step 3: Perform transformations on the data frame.

Step 4: Specify a temporary folder to stage the data

Specify a temporary folder to use while moving data between Azure Databricks and Azure Synapse. Step 5: Write the results to a table in Azure Synapse.

You upload the transformed data frame into Azure Synapse. You use the Azure Synapse connector for Azure Databricks to directly upload a dataframe as a table in a Azure Synapse.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-databricks/databricks-extract-load-sql-data-warehouse>

### NEW QUESTION 34

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool that contains a table named Table1. Table1 contains the following:

- One billion rows
- A clustered columnstore index
- A hash-distributed column named Product Key
- A column named Sales Date that is of the date data type and cannot be null Thirty million rows will be added to Table1 each month.

You need to partition Table1 based on the Sales Date column. The solution must optimize query performance and data loading.

How often should you create a partition?

- A. once per month  
B. once per year  
C. once per day  
D. once per week

**Answer:** B

### Explanation:

Need a minimum 1 million rows per distribution. Each table is 60 distributions. 30 millions rows is added each month. Need 2 months to get a minimum of 1 million rows per distribution in a new partition.

Note: When creating partitions on clustered columnstore tables, it is important to consider how many rows belong to each partition. For optimal compression and performance of clustered columnstore tables, a minimum of 1 million rows per distribution and partition is needed. Before partitions are created, dedicated SQL pool already divides each table into 60 distributions.

Any partitioning added to a table is in addition to the distributions created behind the scenes. Using this example, if the sales fact table contained 36 monthly partitions, and given that a dedicated SQL pool has 60 distributions, then the sales fact table should contain 60 million rows per month, or 2.1 billion rows when all months are populated. If a table contains fewer than the recommended minimum number of rows per partition, consider using fewer partitions in order to increase the number of rows per partition.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-partitio>

### NEW QUESTION 38

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Factory instance named DF1 that contains a pipeline named PL1.PL1 includes a tumbling window trigger.

You create five clones of PL1. You configure each clone pipeline to use a different data source.

You need to ensure that the execution schedules of the clone pipeline match the execution schedule of PL1. What should you do?

- A. Add a new trigger to each cloned pipeline  
B. Associate each cloned pipeline to an existing trigger.  
C. Create a tumbling window trigger dependency for the trigger of PL1.  
D. Modify the Concurrency setting of each pipeline.

**Answer:** B

### NEW QUESTION 39

- (Exam Topic 3)  
 You have an Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool, an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool, an Apache Spark pool, and an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account.  
 You need to create a table in a lake database. The table must be available to both the serverless SQL pool and the Spark pool.  
 Where should you create the table, and Which file format should you use for data in the table? TO answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
 NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Create the table in:
 

The dedicated SQL pool  
 The serverless SQL pool  
 The Spark pool

File format:
 

Apache Parquet  
 Delta  
 JSON

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**  
 The dedicated SQL pool Apache Parquet

**NEW QUESTION 40**

- (Exam Topic 3)  
 You need to design a solution that will process streaming data from an Azure Event Hub and output the data to Azure Data Lake Storage. The solution must ensure that analysts can interactively query the streaming data.  
 What should you use?

- A. event triggers in Azure Data Factory
- B. Azure Stream Analytics and Azure Synapse notebooks
- C. Structured Streaming in Azure Databricks
- D. Azure Queue storage and read-access geo-redundant storage (RA-GRS)

Answer: C

**Explanation:**  
 Apache Spark Structured Streaming is a fast, scalable, and fault-tolerant stream processing API. You can use it to perform analytics on your streaming data in near real-time.  
 With Structured Streaming, you can use SQL queries to process streaming data in the same way that you would process static data.  
 Azure Event Hubs is a scalable real-time data ingestion service that processes millions of data in a matter of seconds. It can receive large amounts of data from multiple sources and stream the prepared data to Azure Data Lake or Azure Blob storage.  
 Azure Event Hubs can be integrated with Spark Structured Streaming to perform the processing of messages in near real-time. You can query and analyze the processed data as it comes by using a Structured Streaming query and Spark SQL.  
 Reference:  
<https://k21academy.com/microsoft-azure/data-engineer/structured-streaming-with-azure-event-hubs/>

**NEW QUESTION 45**

- (Exam Topic 3)  
 DRAG DROP  
 You need to create a partitioned table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.  
 How should you complete the Transact-SQL statement? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.  
 NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

**Values**

CLUSTERED INDEX  
 COLLATE  
 DISTRIBUTION  
 PARTITION  
 PARTITION FUNCTION  
 PARTITION SCHEME

**Answer Area**

```

CREATE TABLE table1
(
    ID INTEGER,
    col1 VARCHAR(10),
    col2 VARCHAR(10)
) WITH
(
    = HASH(ID),
    (ID RANGE LEFT FOR VALUES (1, 1000000, 2000000))
);
        
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: DISTRIBUTION

Table distribution options include DISTRIBUTION = HASH ( distribution\_column\_name ), assigns each row to one distribution by hashing the value stored in distribution\_column\_name. Box 2: PARTITION

Table partition options. Syntax:

PARTITION ( partition\_column\_name RANGE [ LEFT | RIGHT ] FOR VALUES ( [ boundary\_value [,...n] ] ))

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/t-sql/statements/create-table-azure-sql-data-warehouse?>

**NEW QUESTION 47**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure SQL database named DB1 and an Azure Data Factory data pipeline named pipeline. From Data Factory, you configure a linked service to DB1.

In DB1, you create a stored procedure named SP1. SP1 returns a single row of data that has four columns.

You need to add an activity to pipeline to execute SP1. The solution must ensure that the values in the columns are stored as pipeline variables.

Which two types of activities can you use to execute SP1? (Refer to Data Engineering on Microsoft Azure documents or guide for Answers explanation available at Microsoft.com)

- A. Stored Procedure
- B. Lookup
- C. Script
- D. Copy

**Answer:** AB

**Explanation:**

the two types of activities that you can use to execute SP1 are Stored Procedure and Lookup.

A Stored Procedure activity executes a stored procedure on an Azure SQL Database or Azure Synapse Analytics or SQL Server1. You can specify the stored procedure name and parameters in the activity setting1s.

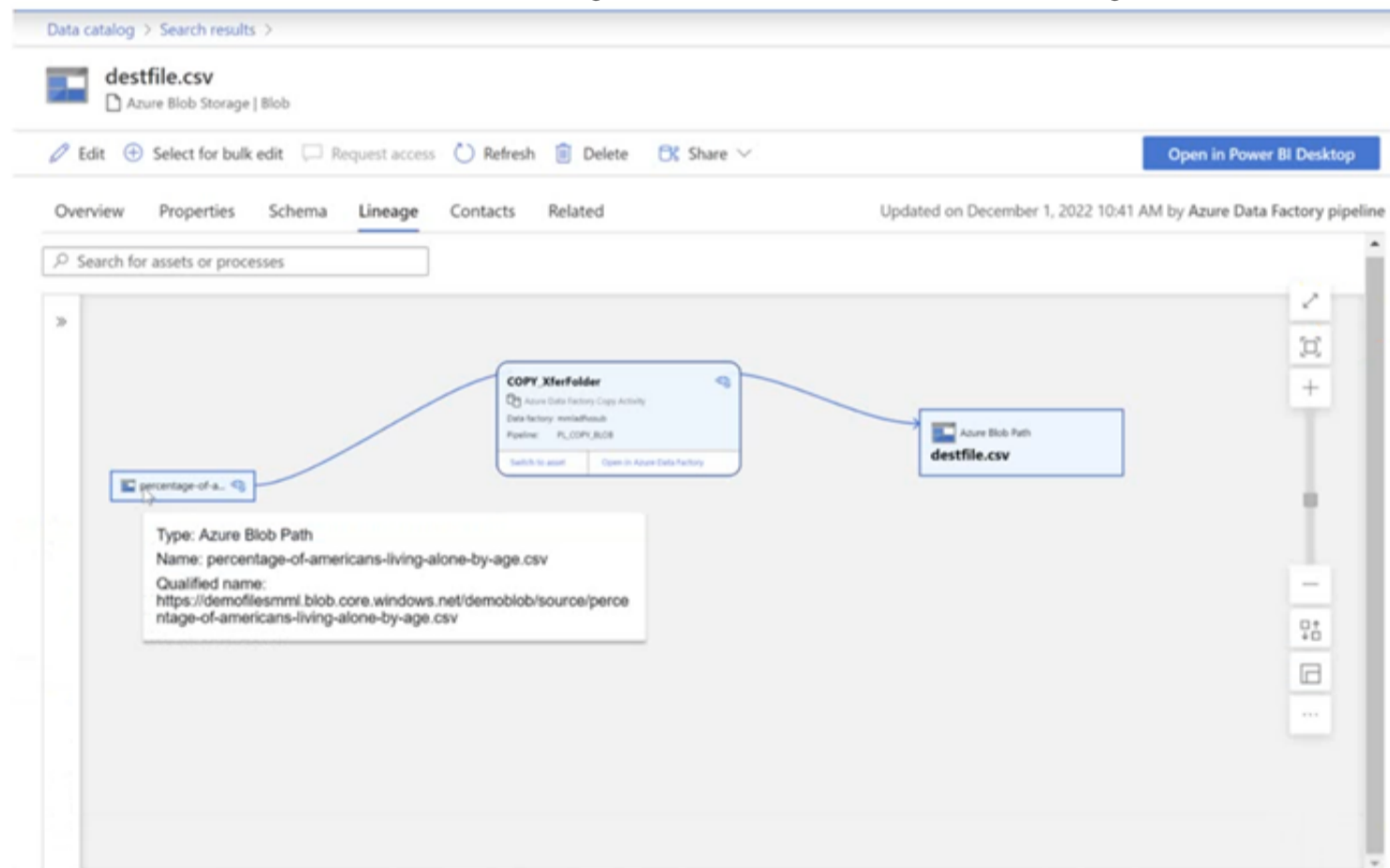
A Lookup activity retrieves a dataset from any data source that returns a single row of data with four columns2. You can use a query to execute a stored procedure as the source of the Lookup activit2y. You can then store the values in the columns as pipeline variables by using expressions2.

<https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/transform-data-using-stored-procedure>

**NEW QUESTION 49**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have a Microsoft Purview account. The Lineage view of a CSV file is shown in the following exhibit.



How is the data for the lineage populated?

- A. manually
- B. by scanning data stores
- C. by executing a Data Factory pipeline

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

According to Microsoft Purview Data Catalog lineage user guide1, data lineage in Microsoft Purview is a core platform capability that populates the Microsoft Purview Data Map with data movement and transformations across systems2. Lineage is captured as it flows in the enterprise and stitched without gaps irrespective of its source2.

NEW QUESTION 52

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are performing exploratory analysis of the bus fare data in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account by using an Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool.

You execute the Transact-SQL query shown in the following exhibit.

```
SELECT
    payment_type,
    SUM(fare_amount) AS fare_total
FROM OPENROWSET(
    BULK 'csv/busfare/tripdata_2020*.csv',
    DATA_SOURCE = 'BusData',
    FORMAT = 'CSV', PARSER_VERSION = '2.0',
    FIRSTROW = 2
)
WITH (
    payment_type INT 10,
    fare_amount FLOAT 11
) AS nyc
GROUP BY payment_type
ORDER BY payment_type;
```

What do the query results include?

- A. Only CSV files in the tripdata\_2020 subfolder.
- B. All files that have file names that beginning with "tripdata\_2020".
- C. All CSV files that have file names that contain "tripdata\_2020".
- D. Only CSV that have file names that beginning with "tripdata\_2020".

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 57

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have the following Azure Stream Analytics query.

```
WITH

step1 AS (SELECT *
    FROM input1
    PARTITION BY StateID
    INTO 10),
step2 AS (SELECT *
    FROM input2
    PARTITION BY StateID
    INTO 10)

SELECT *
INTO output
FROM step1
PARTITION BY StateID
UNION
SELECT * INTO output
    FROM step2
    PARTITION BY StateID
```

For each of the following statements, select Yes if the statement is true. Otherwise, select No.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Statements	Yes	No
The query combines two streams of partitioned data.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The stream scheme key and count must match the output scheme.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Providing 60 streaming units will optimize the performance of the query.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: No

Note: You can now use a new extension of Azure Stream Analytics SQL to specify the number of partitions of a stream when reshuffling the data.

The outcome is a stream that has the same partition scheme. Please see below for an example: WITH step1 AS (SELECT \* FROM [input1] PARTITION BY DeviceID INTO 10),  
step2 AS (SELECT \* FROM [input2] PARTITION BY DeviceID INTO 10)  
SELECT \* INTO [output] FROM step1 PARTITION BY DeviceID UNION step2 PARTITION BY DeviceID Note: The new extension of Azure Stream Analytics SQL includes a keyword INTO that allows you to specify the number of partitions for a stream when performing reshuffling using a PARTITION BY statement.  
Box 2: Yes  
When joining two streams of data explicitly repartitioned, these streams must have the same partition key and partition count. Box 3: Yes  
Streaming Units (SUs) represents the computing resources that are allocated to execute a Stream Analytics job. The higher the number of SUs, the more CPU and memory resources are allocated for your job.  
In general, the best practice is to start with 6 SUs for queries that don't use PARTITION BY. Here there are 10 partitions, so 6x10 = 60 SUs is good.  
Note: Remember, Streaming Unit (SU) count, which is the unit of scale for Azure Stream Analytics, must be adjusted so the number of physical resources available to the job can fit the partitioned flow. In general, six SUs is a good number to assign to each partition. In case there are insufficient resources assigned to the job, the system will only apply the repartition if it benefits the job.  
Reference:  
<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-in/blog/maximize-throughput-with-repartitioning-in-azure-stream-analytics/> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-streaming-unit-consumption>

**NEW QUESTION 59**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics named DW1 on a server named Server1. You need to determine the size of the transaction log file for each distribution of DW1.  
What should you do?

- A. On DW1, execute a query against the sys.database\_files dynamic management view.
- B. From Azure Monitor in the Azure portal, execute a query against the logs of DW1.
- C. Execute a query against the logs of DW1 by using theGet-AzOperationalInsightsSearchResult PowerShell cmdlet.
- D. On the master database, execute a query against the sys.dm\_pdw\_nodes\_os\_performance\_counters dynamic management view.

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

For information about the current log file size, its maximum size, and the autogrow option for the file, you can also use the size, max\_size, and growth columns for that log file in sys.database\_files.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/relational-databases/logs/manage-the-size-of-the-transaction-log-file>

**NEW QUESTION 60**

- (Exam Topic 3)

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You have an Azure Storage account that contains 100 GB of files. The files contain text and numerical values. 75% of the rows contain description data that has an average length of 1.1 MB.

You plan to copy the data from the storage account to an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics.

You need to prepare the files to ensure that the data copies quickly. Solution: You convert the files to compressed delimited text files. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

All file formats have different performance characteristics. For the fastest load, use compressed delimited text files.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-data-warehouse/guidance-for-loading-data>

**NEW QUESTION 61**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics that contains a table named FactOnlineSales. The table contains data from the start of 2009 to the end of 2012.

You need to improve the performance of queries against FactOnlineSales by using table partitions. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- Create four partitions based on the order date.
- Ensure that each partition contains all the orders places during a given calendar year.

How should you complete the T-SQL command? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

RIGHT  
LEFT

▼

- <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/t-sql/statements/create-partition-function-transact-sql?view=sql-server-ver1>

**Answer Area**

Save A

- Answer Area**

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#### NEW QUESTION 67

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Databricks workspace named workspace1 in the Standard pricing tier. Workspace1 contains an all-purpose cluster named cluster1. You need to reduce the time it takes for cluster1 to start and scale up. The solution must minimize costs. What should you do first?

- A. Upgrade workspace1 to the Premium pricing tier.
- B. Create a cluster policy in workspace1.
- C. Create a pool in workspace1.
- D. Configure a global init script for workspace1.

**Answer: C**

#### Explanation:

You can use Databricks Pools to Speed up your Data Pipelines and Scale Clusters Quickly.

Databricks Pools, a managed cache of virtual machine instances that enables clusters to start and scale 4 times faster.

Reference:

<https://databricks.com/blog/2019/11/11/databricks-pools-speed-up-data-pipelines.html>

#### NEW QUESTION 69

- (Exam Topic 3)

You use Azure Stream Analytics to receive Twitter data from Azure Event Hubs and to output the data to an Azure Blob storage account.

You need to output the count of tweets from the last five minutes every minute. Which windowing function should you use?

- A. Sliding
- B. Session
- C. Tumbling
- D. Hopping

**Answer: D**

#### Explanation:

Hopping window functions hop forward in time by a fixed period. It may be easy to think of them as Tumbling windows that can overlap and be emitted more often than the window size. Events can belong to more than one Hopping window result set. To make a Hopping window the same as a Tumbling window, specify the hop size to be the same as the window size.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-window-functions>

#### NEW QUESTION 72

- (Exam Topic 3)

A company plans to use Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS) to create the new data pipeline process. The process must meet the following requirements:

Ingest:

- Access multiple data sources.
- Provide the ability to orchestrate workflow.
- Provide the capability to run SQL Server Integration Services packages.

Store:

Optimize storage for big data workloads. Provide encryption of data at rest. Operate with no size limits.

Prepare and Train:

- Provide a fully-managed and interactive workspace for exploration and visualization.
- Provide the ability to program in R, SQL, Python, Scala, and Java.
- Provide seamless user authentication with Azure Active Directory.

Model & Serve:

- Implement native columnar storage.
- Support for the SQL language
- Provide support for structured streaming. You need to build the data integration pipeline.

Which technologies should you use? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Answer Area

Architecture requirement	Technology
Ingest	<div><div></div><div>▼</div><div>Logic Apps Azure Data Factory Azure Automation</div></div>
Store	<div><div></div><div>▼</div><div>Azure Data Lake Storage Azure Blob storage Azure files</div></div>
Prepare and Train	<div><div></div><div>▼</div><div>HDInsight Apache Spark cluster Azure Databricks HDInsight Apache Storm cluster</div></div>
Model and Serve	<div><div></div><div>▼</div><div>HDInsight Apache Kafka cluster Azure Synapse Analytics Azure Data Lake Storage</div></div>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**  
Graphical user interface, application, table, email Description automatically generated

NEW QUESTION 74

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named Pool1. Pool1 contains a fact table named Table1. Table1 contains sales data. Sixty-five million rows of data are added to Table1 monthly.  
At the end of each month, you need to remove data that is older than 36 months. The solution must minimize how long it takes to remove the data.  
How should you partition Table1, and how should you remove the old data? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Answer Area

Partition the data:	<div><div>Partition by date with one partition per day.</div><div>Partition by date with one partition per day.</div><div>Partition by date with one partition per month.</div><div>Partition by product.</div></div>
Remove the data:	<div><div>Delete the old data from Table1 by using a WHERE clause.</div><div>Delete the old data from Table1 by using a WHERE clause.</div><div>Delete the old data from Table1 by using a JOIN.</div><div>Switch the oldest partition to another table named Table2 and drop Table2.</div><div>Truncate the oldest partition.</div></div>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**

## Answer Area

Partition the data:   
☒ Partition by date with one partition per day.  
☐ Partition by date with one partition per month.  
☐ Partition by product.

Remove the data:   
☒ Delete the old data from Table1 by using a WHERE clause.  
☐ Delete the old data from Table1 by using a JOIN.  
☐ Switch the oldest partition to another table named Table2 and drop Table2.  
☐ Truncate the oldest partition.

### NEW QUESTION 77

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing 2 solution that will use tables in Delta Lake on Azure Databricks. You need to minimize how long it takes to perform the following:

\*Queries against non-partitioned tables

\* Joins on non-partitioned columns

Which two options should you include in the solution? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. (Choose Correct Answer and Give explanation and

References to Support the answers based from Data

Engineering on Microsoft Azure)

- A. Z-Ordering
- B. Apache Spark caching
- C. dynamic file pruning (DFP)
- D. the clone command

**Answer:** AC

#### Explanation:

According to the information I found on the web, two options that you should include in the solution to minimize how long it takes to perform queries and joins on non-partitioned tables are:

➤ Z-Ordering: This is a technique to colocate related information in the same set of files. This co-locality is automatically used by Delta Lake in data-skipping algorithms. This behavior dramatically reduces the amount of data that Delta Lake on Azure Databricks needs to read<sup>123</sup>.

➤ Apache Spark caching: This is a feature that allows you to cache data in memory or on disk for faster access. Caching can improve the performance of repeated queries and joins on the same data. You can cache Delta tables using the `CACHE TABLE` or `CACHE LAZY` commands. To minimize the time it takes to perform queries against non-partitioned tables and joins on non-partitioned columns in Delta Lake on Azure Databricks, the following options should be included in the solution:

\* A. Z-Ordering: Z-Ordering improves query performance by co-locating data that share the same column values in the same physical partitions. This reduces the need for shuffling data across nodes during query execution. By using Z-Ordering, you can avoid full table scans and reduce the amount of data processed.

\* B. Apache Spark caching: Caching data in memory can improve query performance by reducing the amount of data read from disk. This helps to speed up subsequent queries that need to access the same data. When you cache a table, the data is read from the data source and stored in memory. Subsequent queries can then read the data from memory, which is much faster than reading it from disk.

References:

➤ Delta Lake on Databricks: <https://docs.databricks.com/delta/index.html>

➤ Best Practices for Delta Lake on Databricks: <https://databricks.com/blog/2020/05/14/best-practices-for-delta-lake-on-databricks.html>

### NEW QUESTION 78

- (Exam Topic 3)

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You plan to create an Azure Databricks workspace that has a tiered structure. The workspace will contain the following three workloads:

- A workload for data engineers who will use Python and SQL.
- A workload for jobs that will run notebooks that use Python, Scala, and SOL.
- A workload that data scientists will use to perform ad hoc analysis in Scala and R.

The enterprise architecture team at your company identifies the following standards for Databricks environments:

- The data engineers must share a cluster.
- The job cluster will be managed by using a request process whereby data scientists and data engineers provide packaged notebooks for deployment to the cluster.
- All the data scientists must be assigned their own cluster that terminates automatically after 120 minutes of inactivity. Currently, there are three data scientists.

You need to create the Databricks clusters for the workloads.

Solution: You create a Standard cluster for each data scientist, a Standard cluster for the data engineers, and a High Concurrency cluster for the jobs.

Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

We need a High Concurrency cluster for the data engineers and the jobs.

Note: Standard clusters are recommended for a single user. Standard can run workloads developed in any language: Python, R, Scala, and SQL.

A high concurrency cluster is a managed cloud resource. The key benefits of high concurrency clusters are that they provide Apache Spark-native fine-grained

sharing for maximum resource utilization and minimum query latencies.  
Reference: <https://docs.azuredatabricks.net/clusters/configure.html>

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- (Exam Topic 3)

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Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

We would need a High Concurrency cluster for the jobs. Note:

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Solution: You create a High Concurrency cluster for each data scientist, a High Concurrency cluster for the data engineers, and a Standard cluster for the jobs.

Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

Need a High Concurrency cluster for the jobs.

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A high concurrency cluster is a managed cloud resource. The key benefits of high concurrency clusters are that they provide Apache Spark-native fine-grained sharing for maximum resource utilization and minimum query latencies.

Reference: <https://docs.azuredatabricks.net/clusters/configure.html>

### NEW QUESTION 86

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are building an Azure Stream Analytics job to identify how much time a user spends interacting with a feature on a webpage.

The job receives events based on user actions on the webpage. Each row of data represents an event. Each event has a type of either 'start' or 'end'.

You need to calculate the duration between start and end events.

How should you complete the query? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

SELECT

[user],

feature,

DATEADD(

DATEDIFF(

DATEPART(

second,

ISFIRST

LAST

TOPONE

Time) as duration

FROM input TIMESTAMP BY Time

WHERE

Event = 'end'

(Time) OVER (PARTITION BY [user], feature LIMIT DURATION(hour, 1) WHEN Event = 'start'),

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: DATEDIFF

DATEDIFF function returns the count (as a signed integer value) of the specified datepart boundaries crossed between the specified startdate and enddate.

Syntax: DATEDIFF ( datepart , startdate, enddate ) Box 2: LAST

The LAST function can be used to retrieve the last event within a specific condition. In this example, the condition is an event of type Start, partitioning the search by PARTITION BY user and feature. This way, every user and feature is treated independently when searching for the Start event. LIMIT DURATION limits the search back in time to 1 hour between the End and Start events.

Example: SELECT

```
[user], feature, DATEDIFF(
second,
LAST(Time) OVER (PARTITION BY [user], feature LIMIT DURATION(hour,
1) WHEN Event = 'start'), Time) as duration
FROM input TIMESTAMP BY Time
WHERE
Event = 'end'
```

Event = 'end' Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-stream-analytics-query-patterns>

NEW QUESTION 90

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQ1 pool.

You have an Azure Data Lake Storage account named aols1 that contains a public container named container1 The container 1 container contains a folder named folder 1.

You need to query the top 100 rows of all the CSV files in folder 1.

How shouk1 you complete the query? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once, or not at all.

You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.

NOTE Each correct selection is worth one point.

Values

BULK

DATA\_SOURCE

LOCATION

OPENROWSET

Answer Area

SELECT TOP 100 \*

FROM (

'https://adls1.dfs.core.windows.net/container1/folder1/\*.\*csv',

FORMAT = 'CSV') AS rows

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

**Values**  

BULK

DATA\_SOURCE

LOCATION

OPENROWSET

**Answer Area**  

```

SELECT TOP 100 *
FROM OPENROWSET (
BULK 'https://adls1.dfs.core.windows.net/container1/folder1/*.csv',
FORMAT = 'CSV') AS rows
        
```

### NEW QUESTION 91

- (Exam Topic 3)

You build an Azure Data Factory pipeline to move data from an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container to a database in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

Data in the container is stored in the following folder structure.

/in/{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{HH}/{mm}

The earliest folder is /in/2021/01/01/00/00. The latest folder is /in/2021/01/15/01/45. You need to configure a pipeline trigger to meet the following requirements:

- > Existing data must be loaded.
- > Data must be loaded every 30 minutes.
- > Late-arriving data of up to two minutes must be included in the load for the time at which the data should have arrived.

How should you configure the pipeline trigger? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Type: 

▼

Event

On-demand

Schedule

Tumbling window

Additional properties: 

▼

Prefix: /in/, Event: Blob created

Recurrence: 30 minutes, Start time: 2021-01-01T00:00

Recurrence: 30 minutes, Start time: 2021-01-01T00:00, Delay: 2 minutes

Recurrence: 32 minutes, Start time: 2021-01-15T01:45

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer: A**

#### Explanation:

Box 1: Tumbling window

To be able to use the Delay parameter we select Tumbling window. Box 2:

Recurrence: 30 minutes, not 32 minutes

Delay: 2 minutes.

The amount of time to delay the start of data processing for the window. The pipeline run is started after the expected execution time plus the amount of delay. The delay defines how long the trigger waits past the due time before triggering a new run. The delay doesn't alter the window startTime.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/how-to-create-tumbling-window-trigger>

### NEW QUESTION 96

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are creating a new notebook in Azure Databricks that will support R as the primary language but will also support Scala and SQL Which switch should you use to switch between languages?

- A. @<Language>
- B. %<Language>
- C. \(<Language>)
- D. \(<Language>)

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

To change the language in Databricks' cells to either Scala, SQL, Python or R, prefix the cell with '%', followed by the language.

%python //or r, scala, sql Reference:

<https://www.theta.co.nz/news-blogs/tech-blog/enhancing-digital-twins-part-3-predictive-maintenance-with-azur>

### NEW QUESTION 99

- (Exam Topic 3)

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You have an Azure Storage account that contains 100 GB of files. The files contain text and numerical values. 75% of the rows contain description data that has an average length of 1.1 MB.

You plan to copy the data from the storage account to an Azure SQL data warehouse. You need to prepare the files to ensure that the data copies quickly.

Solution: You modify the files to ensure that each row is less than 1 MB. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**

When exporting data into an ORC File Format, you might get Java out-of-memory errors when there are large text columns. To work around this limitation, export only a subset of the columns.

References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-data-warehouse/guidance-for-loading-data>

**NEW QUESTION 104**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named Pool1 that contains an external table named Sales. Sales contains sales data. Each row in Sales

contains data on a single sale, including the name of the salesperson.

You need to implement row-level security (RLS). The solution must ensure that the salespeople can access only their respective sales.

What should you do? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Create:

- ☐ A materialized view in Pool1
- ☐ A security policy for Sales
- ☐ Database scoped credentials in Pool1

Restrict row access by using:

- ☐ A masking rule
- ☐ A table-valued function
- ☐ The CONTAINS predicate

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**

Box 1: A security policy for sale

Here are the steps to create a security policy for Sales:

- > Create a user-defined function that returns the name of the current user:
- > CREATE FUNCTION dbo.GetCurrentUser()
- > RETURNS NVARCHAR(128)
- > AS
- > BEGIN
- > RETURN SUSER\_SNAME();
- > END;
- > Create a security predicate function that filters the Sales table based on the current user:
- > CREATE FUNCTION dbo.SalesPredicate(@salesperson NVARCHAR(128))
- > RETURNS TABLE
- > WITH SCHEMABINDING
- > AS
- > RETURN SELECT 1 AS access\_result
- > WHERE @salesperson = SalespersonName;
- > Create a security policy on the Sales table that uses the SalesPredicate function to filter the data:
- > CREATE SECURITY POLICY SalesFilter
- > ADD FILTER PREDICATE dbo.SalesPredicate(dbo.GetCurrentUser()) ON dbo.Sales
- > WITH (STATE = ON);

By creating a security policy for the Sales table, you ensure that each salesperson can only access their own sales data. The security policy uses a user-defined function to get the name of the current user and a security predicate function to filter the Sales table based on the current user.

Box 2: table-value function

to restrict row access by using row-level security, you need to create a table-valued function that returns a table of values that represent the rows that a user can access. You then use this function in a security

policy that applies a predicate on the table.

**NEW QUESTION 106**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You use Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2.

You need to ensure that workloads can use filter predicates and column projections to filter data at the time the data is read from disk.

Which two actions should you perform? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. Reregister the Microsoft Data Lake Store resource provider.
- B. Reregister the Azure Storage resource provider.
- C. Create a storage policy that is scoped to a container.
- D. Register the query acceleration feature.
- E. Create a storage policy that is scoped to a container prefix filter.

**Answer:** BD

**NEW QUESTION 109**

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to design the partitions for the product sales transactions. The solution must meet the sales transaction dataset requirements.

What should you include in the solution? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Partition product sales transactions data by:

Sales date

Product ID

Promotion ID

Store product sales transactions data in:

An Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool

An Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool

An Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account linked to an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: Sales date

Scenario: Contoso requirements for data integration include:

> Partition data that contains sales transaction records. Partitions must be designed to provide efficient loads by month. Boundary values must belong to the partition on the right.

Box 2: An Azure Synapse Analytics Dedicated SQL pool Scenario: Contoso requirements for data integration include:

> Ensure that data storage costs and performance are predictable.

The size of a dedicated SQL pool (formerly SQL DW) is determined by Data Warehousing Units (DWU). Dedicated SQL pool (formerly SQL DW) stores data in relational tables with columnar storage. This format significantly reduces the data storage costs, and improves query performance.

Synapse analytics dedicated sql pool Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-overview-wha>

**NEW QUESTION 111**

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to implement an Azure Synapse Analytics database object for storing the sales transactions data. The solution must meet the sales transaction dataset requirements.

What solution must meet the sales transaction dataset requirements.

What should you do? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Transact-SQL DDL command to use:

	▼
CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE	
CREATE TABLE	
CREATE VIEW	

Partitioning option to use in the WITH clause of the DDL statement:

	▼
FORMAT_OPTIONS	
FORMAT_TYPE	
RANGE LEFT FOR VALUES	
RANGE RIGHT FOR VALUES	

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Graphical user interface, text, application, table Description automatically generated

Box 1: Create table

Scenario: Load the sales transaction dataset to Azure Synapse Analytics Box 2: RANGE RIGHT FOR VALUES

Scenario: Partition data that contains sales transaction records. Partitions must be designed to provide efficient loads by month. Boundary values must belong to the partition on the right.

RANGE RIGHT: Specifies the boundary value belongs to the partition on the right (higher values). FOR VALUES ( boundary\_value [...n] ): Specifies the boundary values for the partition.

Scenario: Load the sales transaction dataset to Azure Synapse Analytics. Contoso identifies the following requirements for the sales transaction dataset:

- Partition data that contains sales transaction records. Partitions must be designed to provide efficient loads by month. Boundary values must belong to the partition on the right.
- Ensure that queries joining and filtering sales transaction records based on product ID complete as quickly as possible.
- Implement a surrogate key to account for changes to the retail store addresses.
- Ensure that data storage costs and performance are predictable.
- Minimize how long it takes to remove old records. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/t-sql/statements/create-table-azure-sql-data-warehouse>

**NEW QUESTION 116**

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to design an analytical storage solution for the transactional data. The solution must meet the sales transaction dataset requirements.

What should you include in the solution? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Table type to store retail store data:

	▼
Hash	
Replicated	
Round-robin	

Table type to store promotional data:

	▼
Hash	
Replicated	
Round-robin	

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

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Box 1: Round-robin

Round-robin tables are useful for improving loading speed.

Scenario: Partition data that contains sales transaction records. Partitions must be designed to provide efficient loads by month.

Box 2: Hash

Hash-distributed tables improve query performance on large fact tables. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-distribu>

**NEW QUESTION 119**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) tenant that contains a security group named Group1. You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool

named dw1 that contains a schema named schema1.  
You need to grant Group1 read-only permissions to all the tables and views in schema1. The solution must use the principle of least privilege.  
Which three actions should you perform in sequence? To answer, move the appropriate actions from the list of actions to the answer area and arrange them in the correct order.  
NOTE: More than one order of answer choices is correct. You will receive credit for any of the correct orders you select.

Actions

Answer Area

Create a database role named Role1 and grant Role1 SELECT permissions to schema1.

Create a database role named Role1 and grant Role1 SELECT permissions to dw1.

Assign the Azure role-based access control (Azure RBAC) Reader role for dw1 to Group1.

Create a database user in dw1 that represents Group1 and uses the FROM EXTERNAL PROVIDER clause.

Assign Role1 to the Group1 database user.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**  
Step 1: Create a database role named Role1 and grant Role1 SELECT permissions to schema You need to grant Group1 read-only permissions to all the tables and views in schema1.  
Place one or more database users into a database role and then assign permissions to the database role. Step 2: Assign Rol1 to the Group database user  
Step 3: Assign the Azure role-based access control (Azure RBAC) Reader role for dw1 to Group1 Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-share/how-to-share-from-sql>

NEW QUESTION 123

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You are developing a solution that will stream to Azure Stream Analytics. The solution will have both streaming data and reference data.  
Which input type should you use for the reference data?

- A. Azure Cosmos DB
- B. Azure Blob storage
- C. Azure IoT Hub
- D. Azure Event Hubs

Answer: B

**Explanation:**  
Stream Analytics supports Azure Blob storage and Azure SQL Database as the storage layer for Reference Data.  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-use-reference-data>

NEW QUESTION 126

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You use Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 to store data that data scientists and data engineers will query by using Azure Databricks interactive notebooks. Users will have access only to the Data Lake Storage folders that relate to the projects on which they work.  
You need to recommend which authentication methods to use for Databricks and Data Lake Storage to provide the users with the appropriate access. The solution must minimize administrative effort and development effort.  
Which authentication method should you recommend for each Azure service? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Databricks:

Azure Active Directory credential passthrough

Azure Key Vault secrets

Personal access tokens

Data Lake Storage:

Azure Active Directory credential passthrough

Shared access keys

Shared access signatures

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Table Description automatically generated

Box 1: Personal access tokens

You can use storage shared access signatures (SAS) to access an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 storage account directly. With SAS, you can restrict access to a storage account using temporary tokens with fine-grained access control.

You can add multiple storage accounts and configure respective SAS token providers in the same Spark session.

Box 2: Azure Active Directory credential passthrough

You can authenticate automatically to Azure Data Lake Storage Gen1 (ADLS Gen1) and Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 (ADLS Gen2) from Azure Databricks clusters using the same Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) identity that you use to log into Azure Databricks. When you enable your cluster for Azure Data Lake Storage credential passthrough, commands that you run on that cluster can read and write data in Azure Data Lake Storage without requiring you to configure service principal credentials for access to storage.

After configuring Azure Data Lake Storage credential passthrough and creating storage containers, you can access data directly in Azure Data Lake Storage Gen1 using an adl:// path and Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 using an abfs:// path:

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/data/data-sources/azure/adls-gen2/azure-datalake-gen2-sas-ac> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/security/credential-passthrough/adls-passthrough>

**NEW QUESTION 130**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a sales transactions table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The table will contains approximately 60 million rows per month and will be partitioned by month. The table will use a clustered column store index and round-robin distribution.

Approximately how many rows will there be for each combination of distribution and partition?

- A. 1 million
- B. 5 million
- C. 20 million
- D. 60 million

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-partitio>

**NEW QUESTION 131**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named SA1 that contains a table named Table1. You need to identify tables that have a high percentage of deleted rows. What should you run?

A)

```
sys.pdw_nodes_column_store_segments
```

B)

```
sys.dm_db_column_store_row_group_operational_stats
```

C)

```
sys.pdw_nodes_column_store_row_groups
```

D)

```
sys.dm_db_column_store_row_group_physical_stats
```

- A. Option
- B. Option
- C. Option
- D. Option

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 135**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You configure version control for an Azure Data Factory instance as shown in the following exhibit.

Home

Connections

Linked services

Integration runtimes

Source control

Git configuration

ARM template

Parameterization template

Author

Triggers

Global parameters

Security

Customer managed key

Managed private endpoints

Git repository

Git repository information associated with your data factory. [CI/CD best practices](#)

Setting

Disconnect

Repository type

Azure DevOps Git

Azure DevOps Account

CONTOSO

Project name

Data

Repository name

dwh\_batchetl

Collaboration branch

main

Publish branch

adf\_publish

Root folder

/

Use the drop-down menus to select the answer choice that completes each statement based on the information presented in the graphic.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Azure Resource Manager (ARM) templates for the pipeline assets are stored in [answer choice]

/

adf\_publish

main

Parameterization template

A Data Factory Azure Resource Manager (ARM) template named contososales can be found in [answer choice]

/

/contososales

/dwh\_batchetl/adf\_publish/contososales

/main

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:





Letter Description automatically generated  
Box 1: adf\_publish  
The Publish branch is the branch in your repository where publishing related ARM templates are stored and updated. By default, it's adf\_publish.  
Box 2: / dwh\_batchetl/adf\_publish/contososales  
Note: RepositoryName (here dwh\_batchetl): Your Azure Repos code repository name. Azure Repos projects contain Git repositories to manage your source code as your project grows. You can create a new repository or use an existing repository that's already in your project.  
Reference:  
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/source-control

NEW QUESTION 140

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You plan to monitor an Azure data factory by using the Monitor & Manage app.  
You need to identify the status and duration of activities that reference a table in a source database.  
Which three actions should you perform in sequence? To answer, move the actions from the list of actions to the answer are and arrange them in the correct order.

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Actions	Answer Area
From the Data Factory monitoring app, add the Source user property to the Activity Runs table.	
From the Data Factory monitoring app, add the Source user property to the Pipeline Runs table.	
From the Data Factory authoring UI, publish the pipelines.	
From the Data Factory monitoring app, add a linked service to the Pipeline Runs table.	
From the Data Factory authoring UI, generate a user property for Source on all activities.	
From the Data Factory authoring UI, generate a user property for Source on all datasets.	

- A. Mastered  
 B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Step 1: From the Data Factory authoring UI, generate a user property for Source on all activities. Step 2: From the Data Factory monitoring app, add the Source user property to Activity Runs table.  
 You can promote any pipeline activity property as a user property so that it becomes an entity that you can monitor. For example, you can promote the Source and Destination properties of the copy activity in your pipeline as user properties. You can also select Auto Generate to generate the Source and Destination user properties for a copy activity.  
 Step 3: From the Data Factory authoring UI, publish the pipelines  
 Publish output data to data stores such as Azure SQL Data Warehouse for business intelligence (BI) applications to consume.  
 References:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/monitor-visually>

**NEW QUESTION 145**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

You need to ensure that you can audit access to Personally Identifiable information (PII). What should you include in the solution?

- A. dynamic data masking  
 B. row-level security (RLS)  
 C. sensitivity classifications  
 D. column-level security

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Data Discovery & Classification is built into Azure SQL Database, Azure SQL Managed Instance, and Azure Synapse Analytics. It provides basic capabilities for discovering, classifying, labeling, and reporting the sensitive data in your databases.  
 Your most sensitive data might include business, financial, healthcare, or personal information. Discovering and classifying this data can play a pivotal role in your organization's information-protection approach. It can serve as infrastructure for:

- Helping to meet standards for data privacy and requirements for regulatory compliance.
- Various security scenarios, such as monitoring (auditing) access to sensitive data.
- Controlling access to and hardening the security of databases that contain highly sensitive data.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-sql/database/data-discovery-and-classification-overview>

**NEW QUESTION 149**

- (Exam Topic 3)

Note: This question is part of a series of questions that present the same scenario. Each question in the series contains a unique solution that might meet the stated goals. Some question sets might have more than one correct solution, while others might not have a correct solution.

After you answer a question in this section, you will NOT be able to return to it. As a result, these questions will not appear in the review screen.

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool that contains a table named Table1. You have files that are ingested and loaded into an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container named container1.

You plan to insert data from the files in container1 into Table1 and transform the data. Each row of data in the files will produce one row in the serving layer of Table1.

You need to ensure that when the source data files are loaded to container1, the DateTime is stored as an additional column in Table1.

Solution: You use a dedicated SQL pool to create an external table that has an additional DateTime column. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes  
 B. No

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Instead use the derived column transformation to generate new columns in your data flow or to modify existing fields.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/data-flow-derived-column>

**NEW QUESTION 150**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have two Azure Storage accounts named Storage1 and Storage2. Each account holds one container and has the hierarchical namespace enabled. The system has files that contain data stored in the Apache Parquet format.

You need to copy folders and files from Storage1 to Storage2 by using a Data Factory copy activity. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- No transformations must be performed.
- The original folder structure must be retained.
- Minimize time required to perform the copy activity.

How should you configure the copy activity? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Source dataset type:

	▼
Binary	
Parquet	
Delimited text	

Copy activity copy behavior:

	▼
FlattenHierarchy	
MergeFiles	
PreserveHierarchy	

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**

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Box 1: Parquet

For Parquet datasets, the type property of the copy activity source must be set to ParquetSource. Box 2: PreserveHierarchy

PreserveHierarchy (default): Preserves the file hierarchy in the target folder. The relative path of the source file to the source folder is identical to the relative path of the target file to the target folder.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/format-parquet> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/connector-azure-data-lake-storage>

**NEW QUESTION 151**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool that contains a table named Contacts. Contacts contains a column named Phone.

You need to ensure that users in a specific role only see the last four digits of a phone number when querying the Phone column.

What should you include in the solution?

- A. a default value
- B. dynamic data masking
- C. row-level security (RLS)
- D. column encryption
- E. table partitions

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:**

Dynamic data masking helps prevent unauthorized access to sensitive data by enabling customers to designate how much of the sensitive data to reveal with minimal impact on the application layer. It's a policy-based security feature that hides the sensitive data in the result set of a query over designated database fields, while the data in the database is not changed.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-sql/database/dynamic-data-masking-overview>

**NEW QUESTION 155**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Databricks workspace. The workspace contains a notebook named Notebook1. In Notebook1, you create an Apache Spark DataFrame named df\_sales that contains the following columns:

- Customer
- Salesperson
- Region
- Amount

You need to identify the three top performing salespersons by amount for a region named HQ.

How should you complete the query? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once, or not at all.

You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.

Values

agg(col('SalesPerson'))

filter(col('SalesPerson'))

groupBy(col('SalesPerson'))

groupBy(col('TotalAmount'))

orderBy(col('TotalAmount'))

orderBy(desc('TotalAmount'))

Answer Area

df\_sales.filter(col('Region')== 'HQ').

.agg(sum('Amount').alias('TotalAmount')).

.limit(3)

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Values

agg(col('SalesPerson'))

filter(col('SalesPerson'))

groupBy(col('SalesPerson'))

groupBy(col('TotalAmount'))

orderBy(col('TotalAmount'))

orderBy(desc('TotalAmount'))

Answer Area

df\_sales.filter(col('Region')== 'HQ').

filter(col('SalesPerson'))

.agg(sum('Amount').alias('TotalAmount')).

orderBy(desc('TotalAmount'))

.limit(3)

**NEW QUESTION 156**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a highly available Azure Data Lake Storage solution that will induce geo-zone-redundant storage (GZRS). You need to monitor for replication delays that can affect the recovery point objective (RPO). What should you include m the monitoring solution?

- A. Last Sync Time
- B. Average Success Latency
- C. Error errors
- D. availability

Answer: A

Explanation:

Because geo-replication is asynchronous, it is possible that data written to the primary region has not yet been written to the secondary region at the time an outage occurs. The Last Sync Time property indicates the last time that data from the primary region was written successfully to the secondary region. All writes made to the primary region before the last sync time are available to be read from the secondary location. Writes made to the primary region after the last sync time property may or may not be available for reads yet.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/common/last-sync-time-get>

**NEW QUESTION 160**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a financial transactions table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The table will have a clustered columnstore index and will include the following columns:

- > TransactionType: 40 million rows per transaction type
- > CustomerSegment: 4 million per customer segment
- > TransactionMonth: 65 million rows per month
- > AccountType: 500 million per account type

You have the following query requirements:

- > Analysts will most commonly analyze transactions for a given month.
- > Transactions analysis will typically summarize transactions by transaction type, customer segment, and/or account type

You need to recommend a partition strategy for the table to minimize query times. On which column should you recommend partitioning the table?

- A. CustomerSegment
- B. AccountType
- C. TransactionType
- D. TransactionMonth

Answer: C

**Explanation:**

For optimal compression and performance of clustered columnstore tables, a minimum of 1 million rows per distribution and partition is needed. Before partitions are created, dedicated SQL pool already divides each table into 60 distributed databases.  
Example: Any partitioning added to a table is in addition to the distributions created behind the scenes. Using this example, if the sales fact table contained 36 monthly partitions, and given that a dedicated SQL pool has 60 distributions, then the sales fact table should contain 60 million rows per month, or 2.1 billion rows when all months are populated. If a table contains fewer than the recommended minimum number of rows per partition, consider using fewer partitions in order to increase the number of rows per partition.

**NEW QUESTION 161**

- (Exam Topic 3)

From a website analytics system, you receive data extracts about user interactions such as downloads, link clicks, form submissions, and video plays. The data contains the following columns.

Name	Sample value
Date	15 Jan 2021
EventCategory	Videos
EventAction	Play
EventLabel	Contoso Promotional
ChannelGrouping	Social
TotalEvents	150
UniqueEvents	120
SessionWithEvents	99

You need to design a star schema to support analytical queries of the data. The star schema will contain four tables including a date dimension. To which table should you add each column? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

EventCategory:

▼

DimChannel

DimDate

DimEvent

FactEvents

ChannelGrouping:

▼

DimChannel

DimDate

DimEvent

FactEvents

TotalEvents:

▼

DimChannel

DimDate

DimEvent

FactEvents

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**

Table Description automatically generated  
Box 1: DimEvent  
Box 2: DimChannel  
Box 3: FactEvents  
Fact tables store observations or events, and can be sales orders, stock balances, exchange rates, temperatures, etc  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/power-bi/guidance/star-schema>

**NEW QUESTION 162**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a slowly changing dimension (SCD) for supplier data in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. You plan to keep a record of changes to the available fields. The supplier data contains the following columns.

Name	Description
SupplierSystemID	Unique supplier ID in an enterprise resource planning (ERP) system
SupplierName	Name of the supplier company
SupplierAddress1	Address of the supplier company
SupplierAddress2	Second address line of the supplier company
SupplierCity	City of the supplier company
SupplierStateProvince	State or province of the supplier company
SupplierCountry	Country of the supplier company
SupplierPostalCode	Postal code of the supplier company
SupplierDescription	Free-text description of the supplier company
SupplierCategory	Category of goods provided by the supplier company

Which three additional columns should you add to the data to create a Type 2 SCD? Each correct answer presents part of the solution.  
 NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. surrogate primary key
- B. foreign key
- C. effective start date
- D. effective end date
- E. last modified date
- F. business key

**Answer:** CDF

**Explanation:**

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/integration-services/data-flow/transformations/slowly-changing-dimension>

#### NEW QUESTION 164

- (Exam Topic 3)

You plan to implement an Azure Data Lake Gen2 storage account.

You need to ensure that the data lake will remain available if a data center fails in the primary Azure region. The solution must minimize costs.

Which type of replication should you use for the storage account?

- A. geo-redundant storage (GRS)
- B. zone-redundant storage (ZRS)
- C. locally-redundant storage (LRS)
- D. geo-zone-redundant storage (GZRS)

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Locally redundant storage (LRS) copies your data synchronously three times within a single physical location in the primary region. LRS is the least expensive replication option

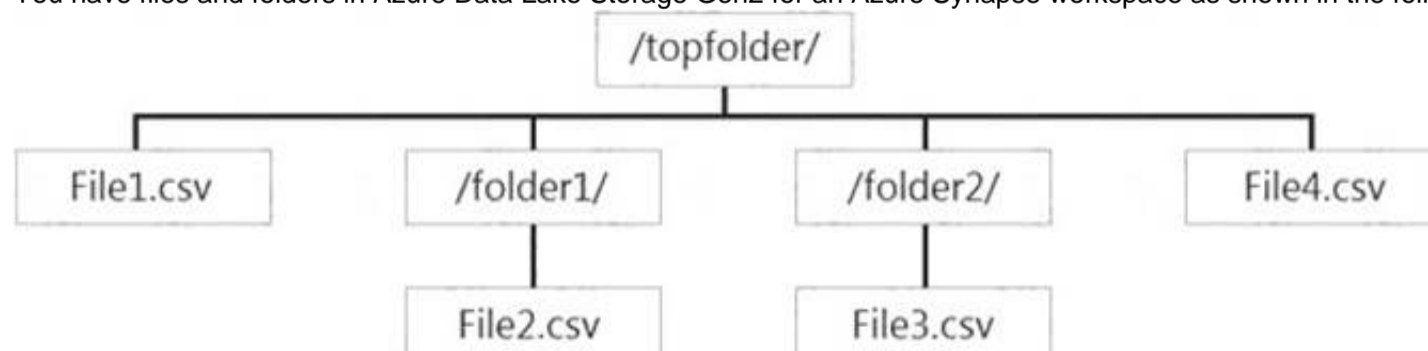
Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/common/storage-redundancy>

#### NEW QUESTION 168

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have files and folders in Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 for an Azure Synapse workspace as shown in the following exhibit.



You create an external table named ExtTable that has LOCATION='/topfolder/'.

When you query ExtTable by using an Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool, which files are returned?

- A. File2.csv and File3.csv only
- B. File1.csv and File4.csv only
- C. File1.csv, File2.csv, File3.csv, and File4.csv
- D. File1.csv only

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

To run a T-SQL query over a set of files within a folder or set of folders while treating them as a single entity or rowset, provide a path to a folder or a pattern (using wildcards) over a set of files or folders. Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/query-data-storage#query-multiple-files-or-folders>

#### NEW QUESTION 171

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a streaming data solution that will ingest variable volumes of data. You need to ensure that you can change the partition count after creation. Which service should you use to ingest the data?

- A. Azure Event Hubs Dedicated
- B. Azure Stream Analytics
- C. Azure Data Factory
- D. Azure Synapse Analytics

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

You can't change the partition count for an event hub after its creation except for the event hub in a dedicated cluster.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/event-hubs/event-hubs-features>

#### NEW QUESTION 172

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen 2 account named storage1.

You need to recommend a solution for accessing the content in storage1. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- List and read permissions must be granted at the storage account level.
- Additional permissions can be applied to individual objects in storage1.
- Security principals from Microsoft Azure Active Directory (Azure AD), part of Microsoft Entra, must be used for authentication.

What should you use? To answer, drag the appropriate components to the correct requirements. Each component may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

**Components**

Access control lists (ACLs)

Role-based access control (RBAC) roles

Shared access signatures (SAS)

Shared account keys

**Answer Area**

To grant permissions at the storage account level:

To grant permissions at the object level:

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

#### Explanation:

Box 1: Role-based access control (RBAC) roles

List and read permissions must be granted at the storage account level.

Security principals from Microsoft Azure Active Directory (Azure AD), part of Microsoft Entra, must be used for authentication.

Role-based access control (Azure RBAC)

Azure RBAC uses role assignments to apply sets of permissions to security principals. A security principal is an object that represents a user, group, service principal, or managed identity that is defined in Azure Active Directory (AD). A permission set can give a security principal a "coarse-grain" level of access such as read or write access to all of the data in a storage account or all of the data in a container.

Box 2: Access control lists (ACLs)

Additional permissions can be applied to individual objects in storage1. Access control lists (ACLs)

ACLs give you the ability to apply "finer grain" level of access to directories and files. An ACL is a permission construct that contains a series of ACL entries. Each ACL entry associates security principal with an access level.

Reference: <https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/blobs/data-lake-storage-access-control-model>

#### NEW QUESTION 174

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription.

You plan to build a data warehouse in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named pool1 that will contain staging tables and a dimensional model.

Pool1 will contain the following tables.

Name	Number of rows	Update frequency	Description
Common. Date	7,300	New rows inserted yearly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Contains one row per date for the last 20 years</li><li>Contains columns named Year, Month, Quarter, and IsWeekend</li></ul>
Marketing.WebSessions	1,500,500,000	Hourly inserts and updates	Fact table that contains counts of and updates sessions and page views, including foreign key values for date, channel, device, and medium
Staging.WebSessions	300,000	Hourly truncation and inserts	Staging table for web session data, truncation and including descriptive fields for inserts channel, device, and medium

You need to design the table storage for pool1. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- Maximize the performance of data loading operations to Staging.WebSessions.
- Minimize query times for reporting queries against the dimensional model.

Which type of table distribution should you use for each table? To answer, drag the appropriate table distribution types to the correct tables. Each table distribution type may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Table distribution types

Hash

Replicated

Round-robin

Answer Area

Common.Data:

Marketing.Web.Sessions:

Staging. Web.Sessions:

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: Replicated  
The best table storage option for a small table is to replicate it across all the Compute nodes. Box 2: Hash  
Hash-distribution improves query performance on large fact tables. Box 3: Round-robin  
Round-robin distribution is useful for improving loading speed.  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-distribu>

NEW QUESTION 179

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You are developing an application that uses Azure Data Lake Storage Gen 2.  
You need to recommend a solution to grant permissions to a specific application for a limited time period. What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) identities
- B. shared access signatures (SAS)
- C. account keys
- D. role assignments

Answer: B

Explanation:

A shared access signature (SAS) provides secure delegated access to resources in your storage account. With a SAS, you have granular control over how a client can access your data. For example:  
What resources the client may access.  
What permissions they have to those resources. How long the SAS is valid.  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/common/storage-sas-overview>

NEW QUESTION 184

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure data factory named ADM that contains a pipeline named Pipeline1. Pipeline1 must execute every 30 minutes with a 15-minute offset. You need to create a trigger for Pipeline1. The trigger must meet the following requirements:

- Backfill data from the beginning of the day to the current time.
- If Pipeline1 fails, ensure that the pipeline can re-execute within the same 30-minute period.
- Ensure that only one concurrent pipeline execution can occur.
- Minimize development and configuration effort. Which type of trigger should you create?

- A. schedule
- B. event-based
- C. manual
- D. tumbling window

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 186

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are developing an Azure Synapse Analytics pipeline that will include a mapping data flow named Dataflow1. Dataflow1 will read customer data from an external source and use a Type 1 slowly changing dimension (SCD) when loading the data into a table named DimCustomer1 in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

You need to ensure that Dataflow1 can perform the following tasks:

- \* Detect whether the data of a given customer has changed in the DimCustomer table.
- Perform an upsert to the DimCustomer table.

Which type of transformation should you use for each task? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

#### Answer Area

Detect whether the data of a given customer has changed in the DimCustomer table:

- Aggregate
- Derived column
- Surrogate key

Perform an upsert to the DimCustomer table:

- Alter row
- Assert
- Cast

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**

#### Answer Area

Detect whether the data of a given customer has changed in the DimCustomer table:

- Aggregate
- Derived column**
- Surrogate key

Perform an upsert to the DimCustomer table:

- Alter row**
- Assert
- Cast

#### NEW QUESTION 187

- (Exam Topic 3)

You use PySpark in Azure Databricks to parse the following JSON input.

```
{
  "persons": [
    {
      "name": "Keith",
      "age": 30,
      "dogs": ["Fido", "Fluffy"]
    },
    {
      "name": "Donna",
      "age": 40,
      "dogs": ["Spot"]
    }
  ]
}
```

You need to output the data in the following tabular format.

owner	age	dog
Keith	30	Fido
Keith	30	Fluffy
Donna	46	Spot

How should you complete the PySpark code? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Values

alias

array\_union

createDataFrame

explode

select

translate

Answer Area

dbutils.fs.put("/tmp/source.json", source\_json, True)

source\_df = spark.read.option("multiline", "true").json("/tmp/source.json")

persons = source\_df. 

Value

Value

 ("persons").alias("persons")

persons\_dogs = persons.select(col("persons.name").alias("owner"), col("persons.age").alias("age"),

explode 

Value

 ("dog"))

("persons.dogs").

display(persons\_dogs)

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Graphical user interface, text, application Description automatically generated

Box 1: select

Box 2: explode

Box 3: alias

pyspark.sql.Column.alias returns this column aliased with a new name or names (in the case of expressions that return more than one column, such as explode).

Reference: <https://spark.apache.org/docs/latest/api/python/reference/api/pyspark.sql.Column.alias.html> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/sql/language-manual/functions/explode>

NEW QUESTION 190

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse serverless SQL pool.

You need to read JSON documents from a file by using the OPENROWSET function.

How should you complete the query? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Answer Area

SELECT \*

FROM OPENROWSET

(

BULK

'https://sourcedatalake.blob.core.windows.net/public/docs.json',

FORMAT = 

'JSON'

'CSV'

'DELTA'

'JSON'

'PARQUET'

FIELDTERMINATOR = '0x0b',

FIELDQUOTE = 

'0x0b'

'0x09'

'0x0a'

'0x0b'

'0x0c'

ROWTERMINATOR = '0x09'

)

WITH (jsondoc nvarchar(1024) ON Documents)

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Answer Area

```
SELECT *
FROM OPENROWSET
(
    BULK
    'https://sourcedatalake.blob.core.windows.net/public/docs.json',
    FORMAT = 'JSON',
    FIELDTERMINATOR = '0x0b',
    FIELDQUOTE = '0x0b',
    ROWTERMINATOR = '0x0a'
)
WITH (jsondoc nvarchar(1024)) as jsonDocuments
```

NEW QUESTION 194

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You have an Azure Synapse Analytics SQL pool named Pool1 on a logical Microsoft SQL server named Server1. You need to implement Transparent Data Encryption (TDE) on Pool1 by using a custom key named key1. Which five actions should you perform in sequence? To answer, move the appropriate actions from the list of actions to the answer area and arrange them in the correct order.

Actions

Enable TDE on Pool1.

Assign a managed identity to Server1.

Configure key1 as the TDE protector for Server1.

Add key1 to the Azure key vault.

Create an Azure key vault and grant the managed identity permissions to the key vault.

Answer Area

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- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**  
Graphical user interface, text, application Description automatically generated  
Step 1: Assign a managed identity to Server1  
You will need an existing Managed Instance as a prerequisite.  
Step 2: Create an Azure key vault and grant the managed identity permissions to the vault Create Resource and setup Azure Key Vault.  
Step 3: Add key1 to the Azure key vault  
The recommended way is to import an existing key from a .pfx file or get an existing key from the vault. Alternatively, generate a new key directly in Azure Key Vault.  
Step 4: Configure key1 as the TDE protector for Server1 Provide TDE Protector key  
Step 5: Enable TDE on Pool1 Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-sql/managed-instance/scripts/transparent-data-encryption-byok-po>

NEW QUESTION 199

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You are planning the deployment of Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2. You have the following two reports that will access the data lake:  
➤ Report1: Reads three columns from a file that contains 50 columns.  
➤ Report2: Queries a single record based on a timestamp.  
You need to recommend in which format to store the data in the data lake to support the reports. The solution must minimize read times.  
What should you recommend for each report? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Report1: 

▼

Avro

CSV

Parquet

TSV

Report2: 

▼

Avro

CSV

Parquet

TSV

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Report1: CSV  
CSV: The destination writes records as delimited data. Report2: AVRO  
AVRO supports timestamps.  
Not Parquet, TSV: Not options for Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2. Reference:  
<https://streamsets.com/documentation/datacollector/latest/help/datacollector/UserGuide/Destinations/ADLS-G2>

NEW QUESTION 200

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You are responsible for providing access to an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account.  
Your user account has contributor access to the storage account, and you have the application ID and access key.  
You plan to use PolyBase to load data into an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics. You need to configure PolyBase to connect the data warehouse to storage account.  
Which three components should you create in sequence? To answer, move the appropriate components from the list of components to the answer area and arrange them in the correct order.

Components

a database scoped credential

an asymmetric key

an external data source

a database encryption key

an external file format

Answer Area

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- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Components

a database scoped credential

an asymmetric key

an external data source

a database encryption key

an external file format

Answer Area

a database scoped credential

an external data source

an external file format

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NEW QUESTION 202

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You need to trigger an Azure Data Factory pipeline when a file arrives in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container. Which resource provider should you enable?

- A. Microsoft.Sql
- B. Microsoft-Automation
- C. Microsoft.EventGrid
- D. Microsoft.EventHub

Answer: C

**Explanation:**  
Event-driven architecture (EDA) is a common data integration pattern that involves production, detection, consumption, and reaction to events. Data integration scenarios often require Data Factory customers to trigger pipelines based on events happening in storage account, such as the arrival or deletion of a file in Azure Blob Storage account. Data Factory natively integrates with Azure Event Grid, which lets you trigger pipelines on such events.  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/how-to-create-event-trigger> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/concepts-pipeline-execution-triggers>

NEW QUESTION 207

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You plan to create a table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. Data in the table will be retained for five years. Once a year, data that is older than five years will be deleted. You need to ensure that the data is distributed evenly across partitions. The solution must minimize the amount of time required to delete old data. How should you complete the Transact-SQL statement? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Values

CustomerKey

HASH

ROUND\_ROBIN

REPLICATE

OrderDateKey

SalesOrderNumber

Answer Area

```
CREATE TABLE [dbo].[FactSales]
(
    [ProductKey]          int          NOT NULL
,   [OrderDateKey]       int          NOT NULL
,   [CustomerKey]        int          NOT NULL
,   [SalesOrderNumber]   nvarchar ( 20 ) NOT NULL
,   [OrderQuantity]      smallint     NOT NULL
,   [UnitPrice]          money        NOT NULL
)
WITH
(
    CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX
,   DISTRIBUTION = Value ([ProductKey])
,   PARTITION ( [ Value ] RANGE RIGHT FOR VALUES
                (20170101,20180101,20190101,20200101,20210101)
            )
)
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

**Explanation:**  
Box 1: HASH  
Box 2: OrderDateKey

In most cases, table partitions are created on a date column.

A way to eliminate rollbacks is to use Metadata Only operations like partition switching for data management. For example, rather than execute a DELETE statement to delete all rows in a table where the order\_date was in October of 2001, you could partition your data early. Then you can switch out the partition with data for an empty partition from another table.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/t-sql/statements/create-table-azure-sql-data-warehouse> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/best-practices-dedicated-sql-pool>

### NEW QUESTION 209

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Databricks workspace named workspace1 in the Standard pricing tier.

You need to configure workspace1 to support autoscaling all-purpose clusters. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- Automatically scale down workers when the cluster is underutilized for three minutes.
- Minimize the time it takes to scale to the maximum number of workers.
- Minimize costs. What should you do first?

- A. Enable container services for workspace1.
- B. Upgrade workspace1 to the Premium pricing tier.
- C. Set Cluster Mode to High Concurrency.
- D. Create a cluster policy in workspace1.

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

For clusters running Databricks Runtime 6.4 and above, optimized autoscaling is used by all-purpose clusters in the Premium plan

Optimized autoscaling:

Scales up from min to max in 2 steps.

Can scale down even if the cluster is not idle by looking at shuffle file state. Scales down based on a percentage of current nodes.

On job clusters, scales down if the cluster is underutilized over the last 40 seconds.

On all-purpose clusters, scales down if the cluster is underutilized over the last 150 seconds.

The spark.databricks.aggressiveWindowDownS Spark configuration property specifies in seconds how often a cluster makes down-scaling decisions. Increasing the value causes a cluster to scale down more slowly. The maximum value is 600.

Note: Standard autoscaling

Starts with adding 8 nodes. Thereafter, scales up exponentially, but can take many steps to reach the max. You can customize the first step by setting the spark.databricks.autoscaling.standardFirstStepUp Spark configuration property.

Scales down only when the cluster is completely idle and it has been underutilized for the last 10 minutes. Scales down exponentially, starting with 1 node.

Reference: <https://docs.databricks.com/clusters/configure.html>

### NEW QUESTION 212

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool that contains a table named Table1. You have files that are ingested and loaded into an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container named container1.

You plan to insert data from the files into Table1 and azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container named container1.

You plan to insert data from the files into Table1 and transform the data. Each row of data in the files will produce one row in the serving layer of Table1.

You need to ensure that when the source data files are loaded to container1, the DateTime is stored as an additional column in Table1.

Solution: You use a dedicated SQL pool to create an external table that has a additional DateTime column. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

**Answer: A**

### NEW QUESTION 214

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

Groups will have access to sensitive data in the pool as shown in the following table.

Name	Enhanced access
Executives	No access to sensitive data
Analysts	Access to in-region sensitive data
Engineers	Access to all numeric sensitive data

You have policies for the sensitive data. The policies vary by region as shown in the following table.

Region	Data considered sensitive
RegionA	Financial, Personally Identifiable Information (PII)
RegionB	Financial, Personally Identifiable Information (PII), medical
RegionC	Financial, medical

You have a table of patients for each region. The tables contain the following potentially sensitive columns.

Name	Sensitive data	Description
CardOnFile	Financial	Debit/credit card number for charges
Height	Medical	Patient's height in cm
ContactEmail	PII	Email address for secure communications

You are designing dynamic data masking to maintain compliance.  
For each of the following statements, select Yes if the statement is true. Otherwise, select No.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Statements	Yes	No
Analysts in RegionA require dynamic data masking rules for [Patients_RegionA].	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineers in RegionC require a dynamic data masking rule for [Patients_RegionA], [Height]	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineers in RegionB require a dynamic data masking rule for [Patients_RegionB], [Height]	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:  
Text Description automatically generated  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-sql/database/dynamic-data-masking-overview>

NEW QUESTION 218

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You are designing an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 structure for telemetry data from 25 million devices distributed across seven key geographical regions. Each minute, the devices will send a JSON payload of metrics to Azure Event Hubs.  
You need to recommend a folder structure for the data. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- > Data engineers from each region must be able to build their own pipelines for the data of their respective region only.
- > The data must be processed at least once every 15 minutes for inclusion in Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pools.

How should you recommend completing the structure? To answer, drag the appropriate values to the correct targets. Each value may be used once, more than once, or not at all. You may need to drag the split bar between panes or scroll to view content.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Values

{deviceID}

{mm}/{HH}/{DD}/{MM}/{YYYY}

{regionID}/{deviceID}

{regionID}/raw

{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{HH}

{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{HH}/{mm}

raw/{deviceID}

raw/{regionID}

Answer Area

/ 

Value

 / 

Value

 / 

Value

 .json

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:  
Box 1: {YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{HH}  
Date Format [optional]: if the date token is used in the prefix path, you can select the date format in which your files are organized. Example: YYYY/MM/DD  
Time Format [optional]: if the time token is used in the prefix path, specify the time format in which your files are organized. Currently the only supported value is HH.  
Box 2: {regionID}/raw  
Data engineers from each region must be able to build their own pipelines for the data of their respective region only.  
Box 3: {deviceID} Reference:  
<https://github.com/paolosavatori/StreamAnalyticsAzureDataLakeStore/blob/master/README.md>

NEW QUESTION 220

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace.

You need to recommend a solution to provide double encryption of all the data at rest.

Which two components should you include in the recommendation? Each coned answer presents part of the solution

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. an X509 certificate
- B. an RSA key
- C. an Azure key vault that has purge protection enabled
- D. an Azure virtual network that has a network security group (NSG)
- E. an Azure Policy initiative

**Answer:** BC

**Explanation:**

Synapse workspaces encryption uses existing keys or new keys generated in Azure Key Vault. A single key is used to encrypt all the data in a workspace.

Synapse workspaces support RSA 2048 and 3072 byte-sized keys, and RSA-HSM keys.

The Key Vault itself needs to have purge protection enabled. Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/security/workspaces-encryption>

**NEW QUESTION 221**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics that will contain a table named Customers. Customers will contain credit card information.

You need to recommend a solution to provide salespeople with the ability to view all the entries in Customers. The solution must prevent all the salespeople from viewing or inferring the credit card information.

What should you include in the recommendation?

- A. data masking
- B. Always Encrypted
- C. column-level security
- D. row-level security

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

SQL Database dynamic data masking limits sensitive data exposure by masking it to non-privileged users. The Credit card masking method exposes the last four digits of the designated fields and adds a constant string as a prefix in the form of a credit card.

Example: XXXX-XXXX-XXXX-1234

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-database/sql-database-dynamic-data-masking-get-started>

**NEW QUESTION 224**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You plan to create a dimension table in Azure Synapse Analytics that will be less than 1 GB. You need to create the table to meet the following requirements:

- Provide the fastest Query time.
- Minimize data movement during queries. Which type of table should you use?

- A. hash distributed
- B. heap
- C. replicated
- D. round-robin

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

A replicated table has a full copy of the table accessible on each Compute node. Replicating a table removes the need to transfer data among Compute nodes before a join or aggregation. Since the table has multiple copies, replicated tables work best when the table size is less than 2 GB compressed. 2 GB is not a hard limit.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/design-guidance-for-replicated-tab>

**NEW QUESTION 229**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are implementing Azure Stream Analytics windowing functions.

Which windowing function should you use for each requirement? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

**Answer Area**

Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat but do not overlap:

Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat and can overlap:

Segment the data stream to produce an output only when an event occurs:

- A. Mastered  
 B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**  
**Answer Area**

Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat but do not overlap:

Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat and can overlap:

Segment the data stream to produce an output only when an event occurs:

**NEW QUESTION 230**

- (Exam Topic 3)

A company uses Azure Stream Analytics to monitor devices.

The company plans to double the number of devices that are monitored.

You need to monitor a Stream Analytics job to ensure that there are enough processing resources to handle the additional load.

Which metric should you monitor?

- A. Early Input Events  
 B. Late Input Events  
 C. Watermark delay  
 D. Input Deserialization Errors

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

There are a number of resource constraints that can cause the streaming pipeline to slow down. The watermark delay metric can rise due to:

- Not enough processing resources in Stream Analytics to handle the volume of input events.
- Not enough throughput within the input event brokers, so they are throttled.
- Output sinks are not provisioned with enough capacity, so they are throttled. The possible solutions vary widely based on the flavor of output service being used.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-time-handling>

**NEW QUESTION 235**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing a monitoring solution for a fleet of 500 vehicles. Each vehicle has a GPS tracking device that sends data to an Azure event hub once per minute.

You have a CSV file in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container. The file maintains the expected geographical area in which each vehicle should be.

You need to ensure that when a GPS position is outside the expected area, a message is added to another event hub for processing within 30 seconds. The solution must minimize cost.

What should you include in the solution? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Service:   
An Azure Synapse Analytics Apache Spark pool  
An Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool  
Azure Data Factory  
Azure Stream Analytics

Window:   
Hopping  
No window  
Session  
Tumbling

Analysis type:   
Event pattern matching  
Lagged record comparison  
Point within polygon  
Polygon overlap

- A. Mastered  
B. Not Mastered

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Box 1: Azure Stream Analytics Box 2: Hopping

Hopping window functions hop forward in time by a fixed period. It may be easy to think of them as Tumbling windows that can overlap and be emitted more often than the window size. Events can belong to more than one Hopping window result set. To make a Hopping window the same as a Tumbling window, specify the hop size to be the same as the window size.

Box 3: Point within polygon Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-window-functions>

**NEW QUESTION 236**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You create an Azure Databricks cluster and specify an additional library to install. When you attempt to load the library to a notebook, the library is not found. You need to identify the cause of the issue. What should you review?

- A. notebook logs  
B. cluster event logs  
C. global init scripts logs  
D. workspace logs

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Cluster-scoped Init Scripts: Init scripts are shell scripts that run during the startup of each cluster node before the Spark driver or worker JVM starts. Databricks customers use init scripts for various purposes such as installing custom libraries, launching background processes, or applying enterprise security policies.

Logs for Cluster-scoped init scripts are now more consistent with Cluster Log Delivery and can be found in the same root folder as driver and executor logs for the cluster.

Reference:

<https://databricks.com/blog/2018/08/30/introducing-cluster-scoped-init-scripts.html>

**NEW QUESTION 241**

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace named workspace1. Workspace1 connects to an Azure DevOps repository named repo1. Repo1 contains a collaboration branch named main and a development branch named branch1. Branch1 contains an Azure Synapse pipeline named pipeline1.

In workspace1, you complete testing of pipeline1. You need to schedule pipeline1 to run daily at 6 AM.

Which four actions should you perform in sequence? To answer, move the appropriate actions from the list of actions to the answer area and arrange them in the correct order.

NOTE: More than one order of answer choices is correct. You will receive credit for any of the correct orders you select.

Actions

Create a new branch in Repo1.

Merge the changes from branch1 into main.

Associate the schedule trigger with pipeline1.

Switch to Synapse live mode.

Create a schedule trigger.

Publish the contents of main.

Answer Area

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:  
Timeline Description automatically generated

NEW QUESTION 244

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You have a SQL pool in Azure Synapse.  
A user reports that queries against the pool take longer than expected to complete. You need to add monitoring to the underlying storage to help diagnose the issue.  
Which two metrics should you monitor? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. Cache used percentage
- B. DWU Limit
- C. Snapshot Storage Size
- D. Active queries
- E. Cache hit percentage

Answer: AE

Explanation:  
A: Cache used is the sum of all bytes in the local SSD cache across all nodes and cache capacity is the sum of the storage capacity of the local SSD cache across all nodes.  
E: Cache hits is the sum of all columnstore segments hits in the local SSD cache and cache miss is the columnstore segments misses in the local SSD cache summed across all nodes  
Reference:  
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-concept-resou>

NEW QUESTION 246

- (Exam Topic 3)  
You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.  
You need to monitor the database for long-running queries and identify which queries are waiting on resources Which dynamic management view should you use for each requirement? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.  
NOTE; Each correct answer is worth one point.

Answer Area

Monitor the database for long-running queries:

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sys.dm\_pdw\_exec\_requests  
sys.dm\_pdw\_sql\_requests  
sys.dm\_pdw\_exec\_sessions

Identify which queries are waiting on resources:

▼

sys.dm\_pdw\_waits  
sys.dm\_pdw\_lock\_waits  
sys.resource\_governor\_workload\_groups

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Answer Area

Monitor the database for long-running queries:

sys.dm\_pdw\_exec\_requests  
sys.dm\_pdw\_sql\_requests  
sys.dm\_pdw\_exec\_sessions

Identify which queries are waiting on resources:

sys.dm\_pdw\_waits  
sys.dm\_pdw\_lock\_waits  
sys.resource\_governor\_workload\_groups

NEW QUESTION 247

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have the following Azure Stream Analytics query.

```
WITH

step1 AS (SELECT *
FROM input1
PARTITION BY StateID
INTO 10),
step2 AS (SELECT *
FROM input2
PARTITION BY StateID
INTO 10)

SELECT *
INTO output
FROM step1
PARTITION BY StateID
UNION step2
BY StateID
```

For each of the following statements, select Yes if the statement is true. Otherwise, select No.  
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Statements	Yes	No
The query joins two streams of partitioned data.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The stream scheme key and count must match the output scheme.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Providing 60 streaming units will optimize the performance of the query.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: Yes  
You can now use a new extension of Azure Stream Analytics SQL to specify the number of partitions of a stream when reshuffling the data. The outcome is a stream that has the same partition scheme. Please see below for an example: WITH step1 AS (SELECT \* FROM [input1] PARTITION BY DeviceID INTO 10), step2 AS (SELECT \* FROM [input2] PARTITION BY DeviceID INTO 10) SELECT \* INTO [output] FROM step1 PARTITION BY DeviceID UNION step2 PARTITION BY DeviceID Note: The new extension of Azure Stream Analytics SQL includes a keyword INTO that allows you to specify the number of partitions for a stream when performing reshuffling using a PARTITION BY statement.  
Box 2: Yes  
When joining two streams of data explicitly repartitioned, these streams must have the same partition key and partition count.  
Box 3: Yes

10 partitions x six SUs = 60 SUs is fine.

Note: Remember, Streaming Unit (SU) count, which is the unit of scale for Azure Stream Analytics, must be adjusted so the number of physical resources available to the job can fit the partitioned flow. In general, six SUs is a good number to assign to each partition. In case there are insufficient resources assigned to the job, the system will only apply the repartition if it benefits the job.

Reference:

<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-in/blog/maximize-throughput-with-repartitioning-in-azure-stream-analytics/>

#### NEW QUESTION 251

- (Exam Topic 3)

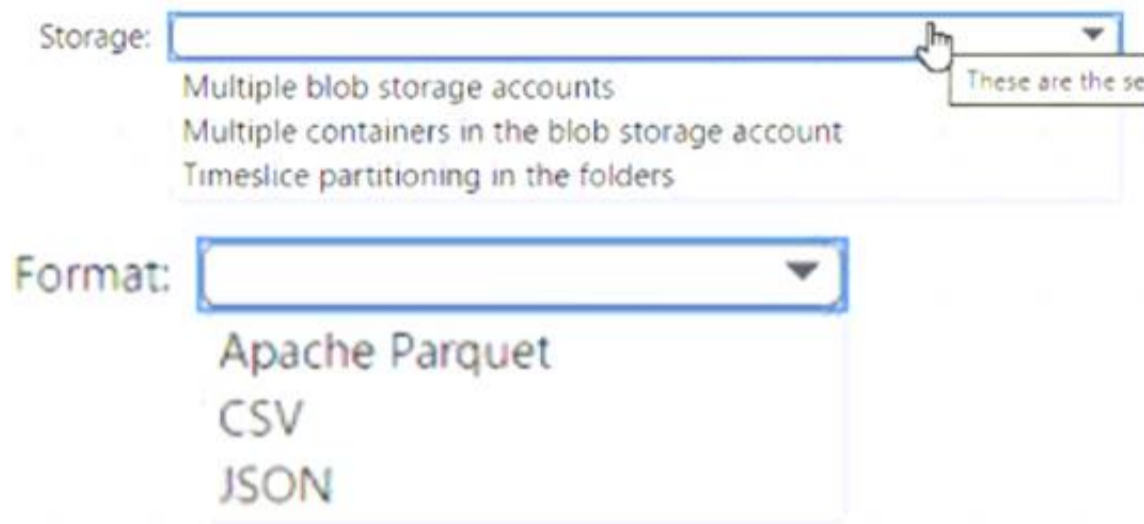
You have an Azure Blob storage account that contains a folder. The folder contains 120,000 files. Each file contains 62 columns.

Each day, 1,500 new files are added to the folder.

You plan to incrementally load five data columns from each new file into an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace.

You need to minimize how long it takes to perform the incremental loads.

What should you use to store the files and format?



The screenshot shows two dropdown menus. The first dropdown is labeled 'Storage:' and has three options: 'Multiple blob storage accounts', 'Multiple containers in the blob storage account', and 'Timeslice partitioning in the folders'. A mouse cursor is hovering over the 'Timeslice partitioning in the folders' option. The second dropdown is labeled 'Format:' and has three options: 'Apache Parquet', 'CSV', and 'JSON'.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

**Answer: A**

#### Explanation:

Box 1 = timeslice partitioning in the folders This means that you should organize your files into folders based on a time attribute, such as year, month, day, or hour. For example, you can have a folder structure like /yyyy/mm/dd/file.csv. This way, you can easily identify and load only the new files that are added each day by using a time filter in your Azure Synapse pipeline. Timeslice partitioning can also improve the performance of data loading and querying by reducing the number of files that need to be scanned.

Box 2 = Apache Parquet This is because Parquet is a columnar file format that can efficiently store and compress data with many columns. Parquet files can also be partitioned by a time attribute, which can improve the performance of incremental loading and querying by reducing the number of files that need to be scanned. Parquet files are supported by both dedicated SQL pool and serverless SQL pool in Azure Synapse Analytics.

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