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Getting Started with Azure

- **Describe Cloud Concepts for Data**

- Identify the benefits and considerations of using cloud services
- Identify the benefits of cloud computing, such as High Availability, Scalability, Elasticity,
- Agility, and Disaster Recovery
- Identify the differences between Capital Expenditure (CapEx) and Operational
- Expenditure (OpEx)
- Describe the consumption-based model
- Describe the differences between categories of cloud services
- Describe the shared responsibility model
- Describe Infrastructure-as-a-Service (IaaS),
- Describe Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS)
- Describe server less computing
- Describe Software-as-a-Service (SaaS)
- Identify a service type based on a use case
- Describe the differences between types of cloud computing
- Define cloud computing
- Describe Public cloud
- Describe Private cloud
- Describe Hybrid cloud
- Compare and contrast the three types of cloud computing.

- **Describe core solutions and management tools on Azure**

- Describe the benefits and usage of Internet of Things (IoT) Hub, IoT Central
- Describe the benefits and usage of Azure Synapse Analytics, HDInsight, and Azure Data bricks

- **Describe the benefits and usage of server less computing solutions that include Azure**

- Functions and Logic Apps for data
- Describe the benefits and usage of Azure DevOps, GitHub, GitHub Actions, and Azure
- DevTest Labs

- **Develop for Azure storage**

- Understanding Data Lake, Delta Lake for data processing and storage
- Develop solutions that use storage tables
- Design and implement policies for tables
- Query table storage by using code
- Implement partitioning schemes

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Azure Data Platform – RDBMS (SQL Server and PostGre), NoSQL – Cosmo DB

- **Develop solutions that use Cosmos DB storage**
 - Create, read, update, and delete data by using appropriate APIs
 - Implement partitioning schemes
 - Set the appropriate consistency level for operations
- **Develop solutions that use a relational database**
 - provision and configure relational databases
 - configure elastic pools for Azure SQL Database
 - create, read, update, and delete data tables by using code
 - provision and configure Azure SQL Database serverless instances
 - provision and configure Azure SQL and Azure PostgreSQL Hyperscale instances
- **Develop solutions that use blob storage**
 - move items in Blob storage between storage accounts or containers
 - set and retrieve properties and metadata
 - implement blob leasing
 - implement data archiving and retention
 - implement Geo Zone Redundant Storage

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Data Lake – Azure Storage Account – Blobs, Containers, File Share etc

- **Implement access control for data**
 - implement CBAC (Claims-Based Access Control) authorization
 - Implement RBAC (Role-Based Access Control) authorization
 - Create shared access signatures
- **Implement secure data solutions**
 - Encrypt and decrypt data at rest and in transit
 - Create, read, update, and delete keys, secrets, and certificates by using the Key Vault API

Azure Data Factory (Pipeline, ETL Process)

- **Design and Develop Data Processing**
- **Ingest and transform data**
 - Transform data by using Apache Spark
 - Transform data by using Transact-SQL
 - Transform data by using Data Factory
 - Transform data by using Azure Synapse Pipelines
 - Transform data by using Stream Analytics
 - Cleanse data
 - Split data
 - Shred JSON
 - Encode and decode data
 - Configure error handling for the transformation
 - Normalize and deformatize values
 - Transform data by using Scala
 - Perform data exploratory analysis

Azure Data bricks (Clusters, PySpark, Jobs) – ETL Process and Analysis

- **Design and develop a batch processing solution**

- Design and develop a batch processing solution
- develop batch processing solutions by using Data Factory, Data Lake, Spark, Azure
- Synapse Pipelines, PolyBase, and Azure Databricks
- create data pipelines
- design and implement incremental data loads
- design and develop slowly changing dimensions
- handle security and compliance requirements
- scale resources
- configure the batch size
- design and create tests for data pipelines
- integrate Jupyter/Python notebooks into a data pipeline
- handle duplicate data
- handle missing data
- handle late-arriving data
- upsert data
- regress to a previous state
- design and configure exception handling
- configure batch retention
- design a batch processing solution

- **Debug Spark jobs by using the Spark UI develop a stream processing solution by using Stream Analytics**

- Azure Databricks
- Azure Event Hubs
- process data by using Spark structured streaming
- monitor for performance and functional regressions
- design and create windowed aggregates
- handle schema drift
- process time series data
- process across partitions
- process within one partition
- configure checkpoints/watermarking during processing
- scale resources
- design and create tests for data pipelines
- optimize pipelines for analytical or transactional purposes
- handle interruptions
- design and configure exception handling
- upsert data
- replay archived stream data
- design a stream processing solution

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Azure Data Bricks and ADF Integration, Monitoring, troubleshooting, Maintenance

- **Manage batches and pipelines**
 - Trigger batches
 - Handle failed batch loads
 - Validate batch loads
 - Manage data pipelines in Data Factory/Synapse Pipelines
 - Schedule data pipelines in Data Factory/Synapse Pipelines
 - Implement version control for pipeline artifacts
 - Manage Spark jobs in a pipeline
- **Monitor and Optimize Data Storage and Data Processing Monitor data storage and data processing**
 - Implement logging used by Azure Monitor
 - Configure monitoring services
 - Measure performance of data movement
 - Monitor and update statistics about data across a system
 - Monitor data pipeline performance
 - Measure query performance
 - Monitor cluster performance
 - Understand custom logging options

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Azure Automation with ARM Templates

- **Schedule and monitor pipeline tests**
 - Implement logging used by Azure Monitor
 - Configure monitoring services
 - Measure performance of data movement
 - Monitor and update statistics about data across a system
 - Monitor data pipeline performance
 - Measure query performance
 - Monitor cluster performance
 - Understand custom logging options
- **Optimize and troubleshoot data storage and data processing**
 - Compact small files
 - Rewrite user-defined functions (UDFs)
 - Handle skew in data
 - Handle data spill
 - Tune shuffle partitions
 - Find shuffling in a pipeline
 - Optimize resource management
 - Tune queries by using indexers
 - Tune queries by using cache
 - Optimize pipelines for analytical or transactional purposes
 - Optimize pipeline for descriptive versus analytical workloads
 - Troubleshoot a failed spark job
 - Troubleshoot a failed pipeline run