



Microsoft

Exam Questions DP-203

Data Engineering on Microsoft Azure

NEW QUESTION 1

- (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

Which five actions should you perform in sequence next in is Databricks notebook? 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.
- Perform transformations on the file.
- Specify a temporary folder to stage the data.
- Write the results to Data Lake Storage.
- Read the file into a data frame.
- Drop the data frame.
- Perform transformations on the data frame.

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

- 1) mount onto DBFS
- 2) read into data frame
- 3) transform data frame
- 4) specify temporary folder
- 5) write the results to table in in Azure Synapse <https://docs.databricks.com/data/data-sources/azure/azure-datalake-gen2.html>
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/scenarios/databricks-extract-load-sql-data-warehouse>

NEW QUESTION 2

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Databricks workspace that contains a Delta Lake dimension table named Table1. Table1 is a Type 2 slowly changing dimension (SCD) table. You need to apply updates from a source table to Table1. Which Apache Spark SQL operation should you use?

- A. CREATE
- B. UPDATE
- C. MERGE
- D. ALTER

Answer: C

Explanation:

The Delta provides the ability to infer the schema for data input which further reduces the effort required in managing the schema changes. The Slowly Changing Data(SCD) Type 2 records all the changes made to each key in the dimensional table. These operations require updating the existing rows to mark the previous values of the keys as old and then inserting new rows as the latest values. Also, Given a source table with the updates and the target table with dimensional data, SCD Type 2 can be expressed with the merge.

Example:

```
// Implementing SCD Type 2 operation using merge function customersTable
as("customers") merge(
stagedUpdates.as("staged_updates"), "customers.customerId = mergeKey")
whenMatched("customers.current = true AND customers.address <> staged_updates.address") updateExpr(Map(
"current" -> "false",
"endDate" -> "staged_updates.effectiveDate")) whenNotMatched()
insertExpr(Map(
"customerId" -> "staged_updates.customerId", "address" -> "staged_updates.address", "current" -> "true",
"effectiveDate" -> "staged_updates.effectiveDate", "endDate" -> "null"))
execute()
}
```

Reference:

<https://www.projectpro.io/recipes/what-is-slowly-changing-data-scd-type-2-operation-delta-table-databricks>

NEW QUESTION 3

- (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.

```
CREATE TABLE [dbo].FactOnlineSales
([OnlineSalesKey] [int] NOT NULL,
[OrderDateKey] [datetime] NOT NULL,
[StoreKey] [int] NOT NULL,
[ProductKey] [int] NOT NULL,
[CustomerKey] [int] NOT NULL,
[SalesOrderNumber] [varchar](20) NOT NULL,
[SalesQuantity] [int] NOT NULL,
[SalesAmount] [money] NOT NULL,
[UnitPrice] [money] NULL)
WITH (CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX)
PARTITION ([OrderDateKey] RANGE  FOR VALUES
```

▼
RIGHT
LEFT

▼
20090101,20121231
20100101,20110101,20120101
20090101,20100101,20110101,20120101

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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Range Left or Right, both are creating similar partition but there is difference in comparison For example: in this scenario, when you use LEFT and 20100101,20110101,20120101

Partition will be, datecol<=20100101, datecol>20100101 and datecol<=20110101, datecol>20110101 and datecol<=20120101, datecol>20120101

But if you use range RIGHT and 20100101,20110101,20120101

Partition will be, datecol<20100101, datecol>=20100101 and datecol<20110101, datecol>=20110101 and datecol<20120101, datecol>=20120101

In this example, Range RIGHT will be suitable for calendar comparison Jan 1st to Dec 31st Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 4

- (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 5

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics workspace named WS1.

You have an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container that contains JSON-formatted files in the following format.

```
{
  "id": "66532691-ab20-11ea-8b1d-936b3ec64e54",
  "context": {
    "data": {
      "eventTime": "2020-06-10T13:43:34.553Z",
      "samplingRate": "100.0",
      "isSynthetic": "false"
    },
    "session": {
      "isFirst": "false",
      "id": "38619c14-7a23-4687-8268-95862c5326b1"
    },
    "custom": {
      "dimensions": [
        {
          "customerInfo": {
            "ProfileType": "ExpertUser",
            "RoomName": "",
            "CustomerName": "diamond",
            "UserName": "XXXX@yahoo.com"
          }
        },
        {
          "customerInfo": {
            "ProfileType": "Novice",
            "RoomName": "",
            "CustomerName": "topaz",
            "UserName": "XXXX@outlook.com"
          }
        }
      ]
    }
  }
}
```

You need to use the serverless SQL pool in WS1 to read the files.

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

Answer Area

- opendatasource
- openjson
- openquery
- openrowset

```
select*
FROM
  (
    BULK 'https://contoso.blob.core.windows.net/contosodw',
    FORMAT= 'CSV',
    fieldterminator = '0x0b',
    fieldquote = '0x0b',
    rowterminator = '0x0b'
  )
with (id varchar(50),
contextdateeventTime varchar(50) '$.context.data.eventTime',
contextdatasamplingRate varchar(50) '$.context.data.samplingRate',
contextdataisSynthetic varchar(50) '$.context.data.isSynthetic',
contextsessionisFirst varchar(50) '$.context.session.isFirst',
contextsession varchar(50) '$.context.session.id',
contextcustomdimensions varchar(max) '$.context.custom.dimensions'
) as q
cross apply (contextcustomdimensions)
with ( ProfileType varchar(50) '$.customerInfo.ProfileType',
RoomName varchar(50) '$.customerInfo.RoomName',
CustomerName varchar(50) '$.customerInfo.CustomerName',
UserName varchar(50) '$.customerInfo.UserName'
)
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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Box 1: openrowset

The easiest way to see to the content of your CSV file is to provide file URL to OPENROWSET function, specify csv FORMAT.

Example: SELECT *
 FROM OPENROWSET(
 BULK 'csv/population/population.csv', DATA_SOURCE = 'SqlOnDemandDemo', FORMAT = 'CSV', PARSER_VERSION = '2.0', FIELDTERMINATOR = ',',
 ROWTERMINATOR = '\n'

Box 2: openjson

You can access your JSON files from the Azure File Storage share by using the mapped drive, as shown in the following example:

```
SELECT book.* FROM  

OPENROWSET(BULK N't:\books\books.json', SINGLE_CLOB) AS json CROSS APPLY OPENJSON(BulkColumn)  

WITH( id nvarchar(100), name nvarchar(100), price float, pages_i int, author nvarchar(100)) AS book
```

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/query-single-csv-file> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/relational-databases/json/import-json-documents-into-sql-server>

NEW QUESTION 6

- (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 7

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are building an Azure Analytics query that will receive input data from Azure IoT Hub and write the results to Azure Blob storage.

You need to calculate the difference in readings per sensor per hour.

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 sensorId,  

    growth = reading -
```

▼
LAG
LAST
LEAD

```
(reading) OVER (PARTITION BY sensorId
```

▼
LIMIT DURATION
OFFSET
WHEN

```
(hour, 1))  

FROM input
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: LAG

The LAG analytic operator allows one to look up a “previous” event in an event stream, within certain constraints. It is very useful for computing the rate of growth of a variable, detecting when a variable crosses a threshold, or when a condition starts or stops being true.

Box 2: LIMIT DURATION

Example: Compute the rate of growth, per sensor: SELECT sensorId,

growth = reading

LAG(reading) OVER (PARTITION BY sensorId LIMIT DURATION(hour, 1)) FROM input

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 8

- (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"> Contains one row per date for the last 20 years Contains columns named Year, Month, Quarter, and IsWeekend
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	Answer Area
Hash	Common.Data: <input type="text"/>
Replicated	Marketing.Web.Sessions: <input type="text"/>
Round-robin	Staging. Web.Sessions: <input type="text"/>

- 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 9

- (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	<input type="text"/> Logic Apps Azure Data Factory Azure Automation
Store	<input type="text"/> Azure Data Lake Storage Azure Blob storage Azure files
Prepare and Train	<input type="text"/> HDInsight Apache Spark cluster Azure Databricks HDInsight Apache Storm cluster
Model and Serve	<input type="text"/> HDInsight Apache Kafka cluster Azure Synapse Analytics Azure Data Lake Storage

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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NEW QUESTION 10

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have the following Azure Data Factory pipelines

- ingest Data from System 1
- Ingest Data from System2
- Populate Dimensions
- Populate facts

ingest Data from System1 and Ingest Data from System1 have no dependencies. Populate Dimensions must execute after Ingest Data from System1 and Ingest Data from System* Populate Facts must execute after the Populate Dimensions pipeline. All the pipelines must execute every eight hours.

What should you do to schedule the pipelines for execution?

- A. Add an event trigger to all four pipelines.
- B. Create a parent pipeline that contains the four pipelines and use an event trigger.
- C. Create a parent pipeline that contains the four pipelines and use a schedule trigger.
- D. Add a schedule trigger to all four pipelines.

Answer: C

Explanation:

Schedule trigger: A trigger that invokes a pipeline on a wall-clock schedule. Reference: <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/concepts-pipeline-execution-triggers>

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are building a database in an Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pool. You have data stored in Parquet files in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container. Records are structured as shown in the following sample.

```
{
  "id": 123,
  "address_housenumber": "19c", "address_line": "Memory Lane", "applicant1_name": "Jane", "applicant2_name": "Dev"
}
```

The records contain two applicants at most.

You need to build a table that includes only the address fields.

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

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Answer Area

```

▼ applications
CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE
CREATE TABLE
CREATE VIEW
WITH (
    LOCATION = 'applications/',
    DATA_SOURCE = applications_ds,
    FILE_FORMAT = applications_file_format
)
AS
SELECT id, [address_housenumber] as addresshousenumber, [address_line1] as addressline1
FROM
    (BULK 'https://contosol.dfs.core.windows.net/applications/year=*/*.parquet',
    CROSS APPLY
    OPENJSON
    OPENROWSET
    FORMAT='PARQUET') AS [r]
GO

```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE

An external table points to data located in Hadoop, Azure Storage blob, or Azure Data Lake Storage. External tables are used to read data from files or write data to files in Azure Storage. With Synapse SQL, you can use external tables to read external data using dedicated SQL pool or serverless SQL pool.

Syntax:

```

CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE { database_name.schema_name.table_name | schema_name.table_name | table_name }
( <column_definition> [ ,...n ] ) WITH (
LOCATION = 'folder_or_filepath', DATA_SOURCE = external_data_source_name, FILE_FORMAT = external_file_format_name

```

Box 2. OPENROWSET

When using serverless SQL pool, CETAS is used to create an external table and export query results to Azure Storage Blob or Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2.

Example: AS

```

SELECT decennialTime, stateName, SUM(population) AS population FROM
OPENROWSET(BULK
'https://azureopendatastorage.blob.core.windows.net/censusdatacontainer/release/us_population_county/year=*/'
FORMAT='PARQUET') AS [r]
GROUP BY decennialTime, stateName GO

```

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 12

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have a SQL pool in Azure Synapse that contains a table named dbo.Customers. The table contains a column name Email. You need to prevent nonadministrative users from seeing the full email addresses in the Email column. The users must see values in a format of aXXX@XXXX.com instead. What should you do?

- A. From Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio, set an email mask on the Email column.
- B. From the Azure portal, set a mask on the Email column.
- C. From Microsoft SQL Server Management studio, grant the SELECT permission to the users for all the columns in the dbo.Customers table except Email.
- D. From the Azure portal, set a sensitivity classification of Confidential for the Email column.

Answer: D

Explanation:

From Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio, set an email mask on the Email column. This is because "This feature cannot be set using portal for Azure Synapse (use PowerShell or REST API) or SQL Managed Instance." So use Create table statement with Masking e.g. CREATE TABLE Membership (MemberID int IDENTITY PRIMARY KEY, FirstName varchar(100) MASKED WITH (FUNCTION = 'partial(1,"XXXXXXX",0)') NULL, . .

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

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NEW QUESTION 14

- (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 Role1 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 15

- (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:

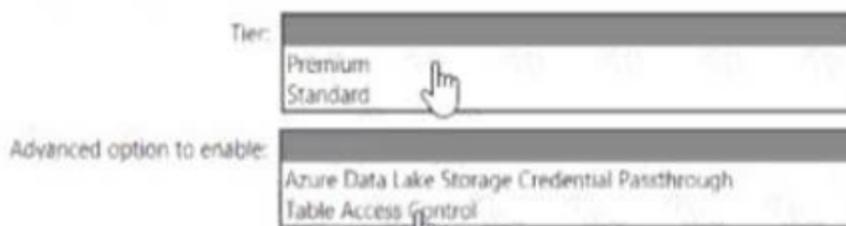
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/event-hubs/event-hubs-features>

NEW QUESTION 16

- (Exam Topic 3)

You need to implement an Azure Databricks cluster that automatically connects to Azure Data lake Storage Gen2 by using Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) integration. How should you configure the new clutter? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answers area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Answer Area



- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

<https://docs.azuredatabricks.net/spark/latest/data-sources/azure/adls-passthrough.html>

NEW QUESTION 20

- (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 24

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Data Factory pipeline that performs an incremental load of source data to an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account. Data to be loaded is identified by a column named LastUpdatedDate in the source table. You plan to execute the pipeline every four hours. You need to ensure that the pipeline execution meets the following requirements:

- > Automatically retries the execution when the pipeline run fails due to concurrency or throttling limits.
- > Supports backfilling existing data in the table.

Which type of trigger should you use?

- A. event
- B. on-demand
- C. schedule
- D. tumbling window

Answer: D

Explanation:

In case of pipeline failures, tumbling window trigger can retry the execution of the referenced pipeline automatically, using the same input parameters, without the user intervention. This can be specified using the property "retryPolicy" in the trigger definition.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 29

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

You need to Create a fact table named Table1 that will store sales data from the last three years. The solution must be optimized for the following query operations:

Show order counts by week.

- Calculate sales totals by region.
- Calculate sales totals by product.
- Find all the orders from a given month.

Which data should you use to partition Table1?

- A. region
- B. product
- C. week
- D. month

Answer: D

Explanation:

Table partitions enable you to divide your data into smaller groups of data. In most cases, table partitions are created on a date column.

Benefits to queries

Partitioning can also be used to improve query performance. A query that applies a filter to partitioned data can limit the scan to only the qualifying partitions. This method of filtering can avoid a full table scan and only scan a smaller subset of data. With the introduction of clustered columnstore indexes, the predicate elimination performance benefits are less beneficial, but in some cases there can be a benefit to queries.

For example, if the sales fact table is partitioned into 36 months using the sales date field, then queries that filter on the sale date can skip searching in partitions that don't match the filter.

Note: Benefits to loads

The primary benefit of partitioning in dedicated SQL pool is to improve the efficiency and performance of loading data by use of partition deletion, switching and merging. In most cases data is partitioned on a date column that is closely tied to the order in which the data is loaded into the SQL pool. One of the greatest benefits of using partitions to maintain data is the avoidance of transaction logging. While simply inserting, updating, or deleting data can be the most

straightforward approach, with a little thought and effort, using partitioning during your load process can substantially improve performance.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 33

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are creating dimensions for a data warehouse in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. You create a table by using the Transact-SQL statement shown in the following exhibit.

```
CREATE TABLE [DBO].[DimProduct] (
    [ProductKey] [int] IDENTITY(1,1) NOT NULL,
    [ProductSourceID] [int] NOT NULL,
    [ProductName] [nvarchar](100) NOT NULL,
    [ProductNumber] [nvarchar](25) NOT NULL,
    [Color] [nvarchar](15) NULL,
    [Size] [nvarchar](5) NULL,
    [Weight] [decimal](8, 2) NULL,
    [ProductCategory] [nvarchar](100) NULL,
    [SellStartDate] [date] NOT NULL,
    [SellEndDate] [date] NULL,
    [RowInsertedDateTime] [datetime] NOT NULL,
    [RowUpdatedDateTime] [datetime] NOT NULL,
    [ETLAuditID] [int] NOT NULL
)
```

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.

DimProduct is a **[answer choice]** slowly changing dimension (SCD).

▼
Type 0
Type 1
Type 2

The ProductKey column is **[answer choice]**.

▼
a surrogate key
a business key
an audit column

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: Type 2

A Type 2 SCD supports versioning of dimension members. Often the source system doesn't store versions, so the data warehouse load process detects and manages changes in a dimension table. In this case, the dimension table must use a surrogate key to provide a unique reference to a version of the dimension member. It also includes columns that define the date range validity of the version (for example, StartDate and EndDate) and possibly a flag column (for example, IsCurrent) to easily filter by current dimension members.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/learn/modules/populate-slowly-changing-dimensions-azure-synapse-analytics>

NEW QUESTION 37

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an activity in an Azure Data Factory pipeline. The activity calls a stored procedure in a data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics and runs daily. You need to verify the duration of the activity when it ran last. What should you use?

- A. activity runs in Azure Monitor
- B. Activity log in Azure Synapse Analytics
- C. the sys.dm_pdw_wait_stats data management view in Azure Synapse Analytics
- D. an Azure Resource Manager template

Answer: A

Explanation:

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/monitor-visually>

NEW QUESTION 39

- (Exam Topic 3)

You develop data engineering solutions for a company.
 A project requires the deployment of data to Azure Data Lake Storage.
 You need to implement role-based access control (RBAC) so that project members can manage the Azure Data Lake Storage resources.
 Which three actions should you perform? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. Assign Azure AD security groups to Azure Data Lake Storage.
- B. Configure end-user authentication for the Azure Data Lake Storage account.
- C. Configure service-to-service authentication for the Azure Data Lake Storage account.
- D. Create security groups in Azure Active Directory (Azure AD) and add project members.
- E. Configure access control lists (ACL) for the Azure Data Lake Storage account.

Answer: ADE

Explanation:

References:
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-lake-store/data-lake-store-secure-data>

NEW QUESTION 41

- (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 45

- (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 48

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an on-premises data warehouse that includes the following fact tables. Both tables have the following columns: DateKey, ProductKey, RegionKey. There are 120 unique product keys and 65 unique region keys.

Table	Comments
Sales	The table is 600 GB in size. DateKey is used extensively in the WHERE clause in queries. ProductKey is used extensively in join operations. RegionKey is used for grouping. Severity-five percent of records relate to one of 40 regions.
Invoice	The table is 6 GB in size. DateKey and ProductKey are used extensively in the WHERE clause in queries. RegionKey is used for grouping.

Queries that use the data warehouse take a long time to complete.

You plan to migrate the solution to use Azure Synapse Analytics. You need to ensure that the Azure-based solution optimizes query performance and minimizes processing skew.

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

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point

Table	Distribution type	Distribution column
Sales:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 2px;">▼</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">Hash-distributed</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">Round-robin</div> </div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 2px;">▼</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">DateKey</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">ProductKey</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">RegionKey</div> </div>
Invoices:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 2px;">▼</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">Hash-distributed</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">Round-robin</div> </div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 2px;">▼</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">DateKey</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">ProductKey</div> <div style="padding: 2px;">RegionKey</div> </div>

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Box 1: Hash-distributed

Box 2: ProductKey

ProductKey is used extensively in joins.

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

Box 3: Round-robin

Box 4: RegionKey

Round-robin tables are useful for improving loading speed.

Consider using the round-robin distribution for your table in the following scenarios:

- > When getting started as a simple starting point since it is the default
- > If there is no obvious joining key
- > If there is not good candidate column for hash distributing the table
- > If the table does not share a common join key with other tables
- > If the join is less significant than other joins in the query
- > When the table is a temporary staging table

Note: A distributed table appears as a single table, but the rows are actually stored across 60 distributions. The rows are distributed with a hash or round-robin algorithm.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 49

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named SQLPool1.

SQLPool1 is currently paused.

You need to restore the current state of SQLPool1 to a new SQL pool. What should you do first?

- A. Create a workspace.
- B. Create a user-defined restore point.
- C. Resume SQLPool1.
- D. Create a new SQL pool.

Answer: B

Explanation:

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 53

- (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:

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Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 56

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool that contains the users shown in the following table.

Name	Role
User1	Server admin
User2	db_datereader

User1 executes a query on the database, and the query returns the results shown in the following exhibit.

```

1  SELECT c.name,
2     tbl.name as table_name,
3     typ.name as datatype,
4     c.is_masked,
5     c.masking_function
6  FROM sys.masked_columns AS c
7  INNER JOIN sys.tables AS tbl ON c.[object_id] = tbl.[object_id]
8  INNER JOIN sys.types typ ON c.user_type_id = typ.user_type_id
9  WHERE is_masked = 1;
10

```

Results Messages

	name	table_name	datatype	is_masked	masking_function
1	BirthDate	DimCustomer	date	1	default()
2	Gender	DimCustomer	nvarchar	1	default()
3	EmailAddress	DimCustomer	nvarchar	1	email()
4	YearlyIncome	DimCustomer	money	1	default()

User1 is the only user who has access to the unmasked data.

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.

When User2 queries the YearlyIncome column, the values returned will be [answer choice].

▼
a random number
the values stored in the database
XXXX
0

When User1 queries the BirthDate column, the values returned will be [answer choice].

▼
a random date
the values stored in the database
XXXX
1900-01-01

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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

Box 1: 0

The YearlyIncome column is of the money data type.

The Default masking function: Full masking according to the data types of the designated fields

➤ Use a zero value for numeric data types (bigint, bit, decimal, int, money, numeric, smallint, smallmoney, tinyint, float, real).

Box 2: the values stored in the database

Users with administrator privileges are always excluded from masking, and see the original data without any mask.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 57

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics named DW1 on a server named Server1. You need to verify whether the size of the transaction log file for each distribution of DW1 is smaller than 160 GB.

What should you do?

- A. On the master database, execute a query against the sys.dm_pdw_nodes_os_performance_counters dynamic management view.
- B. From Azure Monitor in the Azure portal, execute a query against the logs of DW1.
- C. On DW1, execute a query against the sys.database_files dynamic management view.
- D. Execute a query against the logs of DW1 by using the Get-AzOperationalInsightSearchResult PowerShell cmdlet.

Answer: A

Explanation:

The following query returns the transaction log size on each distribution. If one of the log files is reaching 160 GB, you should consider scaling up your instance or limiting your transaction size.

-- Transaction log size SELECT

instance_name as distribution_db, cntr_value*1.0/1048576 as log_file_size_used_GB, pdw_node_id

FROM sys.dm_pdw_nodes_os_performance_counters WHERE

instance_name like 'Distribution_%'

AND counter_name = 'Log File(s) Used Size (KB)' References:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-manage-monitor>

NEW QUESTION 58

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Stream Analytics solution that receives instant messaging data from an Azure Event Hub.

You need to ensure that the output from the Stream Analytics job counts the number of messages per time zone every 15 seconds.

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 TimeZone, count (*) AS MessageCount

FROM MessageStream	<table border="1"> <tr><td>▼</td></tr> <tr><td>LAST</td></tr> <tr><td>OVER</td></tr> <tr><td>SYSTEM.TIMESTAMP()</td></tr> <tr><td>TIMESTAMP BY</td></tr> </table>	▼	LAST	OVER	SYSTEM.TIMESTAMP()	TIMESTAMP BY	CreatedAt
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TIMESTAMP BY							
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▼							
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SESSIONWINDOW							
SLIDINGWINDOW							
TUMBLINGWINDOW							

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Table Description automatically generated

Box 1: timestamp by

Box 2: TUMBLINGWINDOW

Tumbling window functions are used to segment a data stream into distinct time segments and perform a function against them, such as the example below. The key differentiators of a Tumbling window are that they repeat, do not overlap, and an event cannot belong to more than one tumbling window.

Timeline Description automatically generated

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 59

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.

You need to ensure that data in the pool is encrypted at rest. The solution must NOT require modifying applications that query the data.

What should you do?

- A. Enable encryption at rest for the Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account.
- B. Enable Transparent Data Encryption (TDE) for the pool.
- C. Use a customer-managed key to enable double encryption for the Azure Synapse workspace.
- D. Create an Azure key vault in the Azure subscription grant access to the pool.

Answer: B

Explanation:

Transparent Data Encryption (TDE) helps protect against the threat of malicious activity by encrypting and decrypting your data at rest. When you encrypt your database, associated backups and transaction log files are encrypted without requiring any changes to your applications. TDE encrypts the storage of an entire database by using a symmetric key called the database encryption key. Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 61

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Databricks cluster that runs user-defined local processes. You need to recommend a cluster configuration that meets the following requirements:

- Minimize query latency.
 - Maximize the number of users that can run queues on the cluster at the same time « Reduce overall costs without compromising other requirements
- Which cluster type should you recommend?

- A. Standard with Auto termination
- B. Standard with Autoscaling
- C. High Concurrency with Autoscaling
- D. High Concurrency with Auto Termination

Answer: C

Explanation:

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

Databricks chooses the appropriate number of workers required to run your job. This is referred to as autoscaling. Autoscaling makes it easier to achieve high cluster utilization, because you don't need to provision the cluster to match a workload.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/databricks/clusters/configure>

NEW QUESTION 62

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Data Lake Storage account that contains a staging zone.

You need to design a dairy process to ingest incremental data from the staging zone, transform the data by executing an R script, and then insert the transformed data into a data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics.

Solution: You use an Azure Data Factory schedule trigger to execute a pipeline that copies the data to a staging table in the data warehouse, and then uses a stored procedure to execute the R script.

Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

Answer: A

Explanation:

If you need to transform data in a way that is not supported by Data Factory, you can create a custom activity with your own data processing logic and use the activity in the pipeline.

Note: You can use data transformation activities in Azure Data Factory and Synapse pipelines to transform and process your raw data into predictions and insights at scale.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 63

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Databricks resource.

You need to log actions that relate to changes in compute for the Databricks resource. Which Databricks services should you log?

- A. clusters
- B. workspace
- C. DBFS
- D. SSHE lobs

Answer: B

Explanation:

Cloud Provider Infrastructure Logs. Databricks logging allows security and admin teams to demonstrate conformance to data governance standards within or from a Databricks workspace. Customers, especially in the regulated industries, also need records on activities like:– User access control to cloud data storage– Cloud Identity and Access Management roles– User access to cloud network and compute

Azure Databricks offers three distinct workloads on several VM Instances tailored for your data analytics workflow—the Jobs Compute and Jobs Light Compute workloads make it easy for data engineers to build and execute jobs, and the All-Purpose Compute workload makes it easy for data scientists to explore, visualize, manipulate, and share data and insights interactively.

NEW QUESTION 64

- (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 68

- (Exam Topic 3)

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

Table	Comment
EventDate	One million records are added to the table each day
EventTypeID	The table contains 10 million records for each event type.
WarehouseID	The table contains 100 million records for each warehouse.
ProductCategoryTypeID	The table contains 25 million records for each product category type.

You identify the following usage patterns:

- > Analysts will most commonly analyze transactions for a warehouse.
- > Queries will summarize by product category type, date, and/or inventory event type. You need to recommend a partition strategy for the table to minimize query

times.

On which column should you partition the table?

- A. ProductCategoryTypeID
- B. EventDate
- C. WarehouseID
- D. EventTypeID

Answer: C

Explanation:

The number of records for each warehouse is big enough for a good partitioning.

Note: Table partitions enable you to divide your data into smaller groups of data. In most cases, table partitions are created on a date column.

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 distributed databases.

NEW QUESTION 72

- (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 scenario, 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 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 more than 1 MB. Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

Answer: A

Explanation:

Instead modify the files to ensure that each row is less than 1 MB. References:

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

NEW QUESTION 73

- (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 76

- (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 High Concurrency cluster for the data engineers, and a High Concurrency cluster for the jobs.

Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

Answer: A

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>

NEW QUESTION 79

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics.

Using PolyBase, you create an external table named [Ext].[Items] to query Parquet files stored in Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 without importing the data to the data warehouse.

The external table has three columns.

You discover that the Parquet files have a fourth column named ItemID.

Which command should you run to add the ItemID column to the external table?

- A.

```
ALTER EXTERNAL TABLE [Ext].[Items]
    ADD [ItemID] int;
```
- B.

```
DROP EXTERNAL FILE FORMAT parquetfile1;
CREATE EXTERNAL FILE FORMAT parquetfile1
WITH (
    FORMAT_TYPE = PARQUET,
    DATA_COMPRESSION = 'org.apache.hadoop.io.compress.SnappyCodec'
);
```
- C.

```
DROP EXTERNAL TABLE [Ext].[Items]
CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE [Ext].[Items]
([ItemID] [int] NULL,
 [ItemName] nvarchar(50) NULL,
 [ItemType] nvarchar(20) NULL,
 [ItemDescription] nvarchar(250))
WITH
(
    LOCATION= '/Items/',
    DATA_SOURCE = AzureDataLakeStore,
    FILE_FORMAT = PARQUET,
    REJECT_TYPE = VALUE,
    REJECT_VALUE = 0
);
```
- D.

```
ALTER TABLE [Ext].[Items]
    ADD [ItemID] int;
```

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

Answer: C

Explanation:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/t-sql/statements/create-external-table-transact-sql>

NEW QUESTION 84

- (Exam Topic 3)

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 - 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 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.
 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>

NEW QUESTION 88

- (Exam Topic 3)
 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	Answer Area
CLUSTERED INDEX	<pre>CREATE TABLE table1 (ID INTEGER, col1 VARCHAR(10), col2 VARCHAR(10)) WITH ([] = HASH(ID), [] (ID RANGE LEFT FOR VALUES (1, 1000000, 2000000)));</pre>
COLLATE	
DISTRIBUTION	
PARTITION	
PARTITION FUNCTION	
PARTITION SCHEME	

- 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 91

- (Exam Topic 3)
 You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Blob Storage account named storage1 and an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named Pool1.
 You need to store data in storage1. The data will be read by Pool1. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- > Enable Pool1 to skip columns and rows that are unnecessary in a query.
- > Automatically create column statistics.
- > Minimize the size of files.

Which type of file should you use?

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

Answer: B

Explanation:

Automatic creation of statistics is turned on for Parquet files. For CSV files, you need to create statistics manually until automatic creation of CSV files statistics is supported.
 Reference:
<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql/develop-tables-statistics>

NEW QUESTION 96

- (Exam Topic 3)
 You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named pool1.
 You plan to implement a star schema in pool1 and create a new table named DimCustomer by using the following code.

```
CREATE TABLE dbo.[DimCustomer](
    [CustomerKey] int NOT NULL,
    [CustomerSourceID] [int] NOT NULL,
    [Title] [nvarchar](8) NULL,
    [FirstName] [nvarchar](50) NOT NULL,
    [MiddleName] [nvarchar](50) NULL,
    [LastName] [nvarchar](50) NOT NULL,
    [Suffix] [nvarchar](10) NULL,
    [CompanyName] [nvarchar](128) NULL,
    [SalesPerson] [nvarchar](256) NULL,
    [EmailAddress] [nvarchar](50) NULL,
    [Phone] [nvarchar](25) NULL,
    [InsertedDate] [datetime] NOT NULL,
    [ModifiedDate] [datetime] NOT NULL,
    [HashKey] [varchar](100) NOT NULL,
    [IsCurrentRow] [bit] NOT NULL
)
WITH
(
    DISTRIBUTION = REPLICATE,
    CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX
);
GO
```

You need to ensure that DimCustomer has the necessary columns to support a Type 2 slowly changing dimension (SCD). Which two columns should you add? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

- A. [HistoricalSalesPerson] [nvarchar] (256) NOT NULL
- B. [EffectiveEndDate] [datetime] NOT NULL
- C. [PreviousModifiedDate] [datetime] NOT NULL
- D. [RowID] [bigint] NOT NULL
- E. [EffectiveStartDate] [datetime] NOT NULL

Answer: AB

NEW QUESTION 100

- (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 105

- (Exam Topic 3)

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

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 106

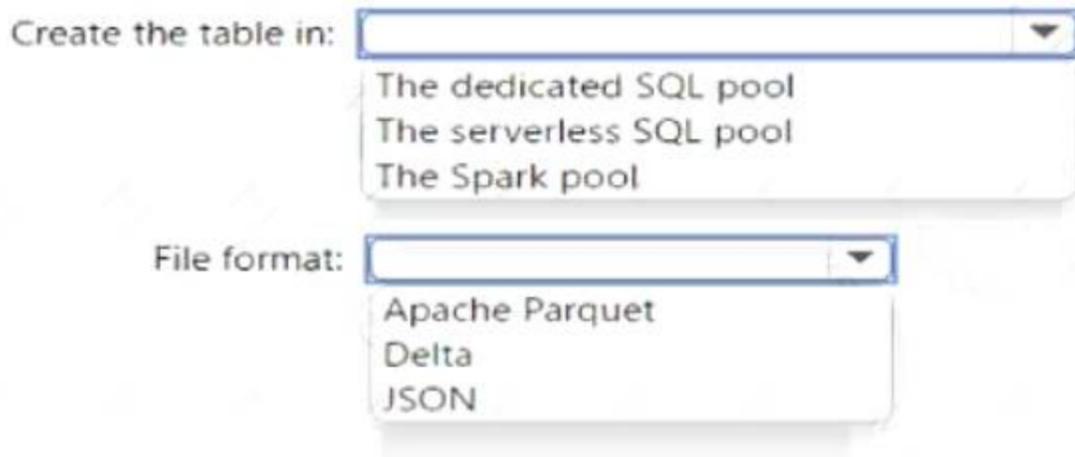
- (Exam Topic 3)

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.



- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

The dedicated SQL pool Apache Parquet

NEW QUESTION 108

- (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 110

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are creating an Azure Data Factory data flow that will ingest data from a CSV file, cast columns to specified types of data, and insert the data into a table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The CSV file contains columns named username, comment and date.

The data flow already contains the following:

- A source transformation
- A Derived Column transformation to set the appropriate types of data
- A sink transformation to land the data in the pool

You need to ensure that the data flow meets the following requirements;

- All valid rows must be written to the destination table.
- Truncation errors in the comment column must be avoided proactively.
- Any rows containing comment values that will cause truncation errors upon insert must be written to a file in blob storage.

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

- A. Add a select transformation that selects only the rows which will cause truncation errors.
- B. Add a sink transformation that writes the rows to a file in blob storage.
- C. Add a filter transformation that filters out rows which will cause truncation errors.
- D. Add a Conditional Split transformation that separates the rows which will cause truncation errors.

Answer: BD

NEW QUESTION 112

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure data factory.

You need to examine the pipeline failures from the last 60 days. What should you use?

- A. the Activity log blade for the Data Factory resource
- B. the Monitor & Manage app in Data Factory
- C. the Resource health blade for the Data Factory resource
- D. Azure Monitor

Answer: D

Explanation:

Data Factory stores pipeline-run data for only 45 days. Use Azure Monitor if you want to keep that data for a longer time.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/monitor-using-azure-monitor>

NEW QUESTION 115

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool named pool1.

You need to perform a monthly audit of SQL statements that affect sensitive data. The solution must minimize administrative effort.

What should you include in the solution?

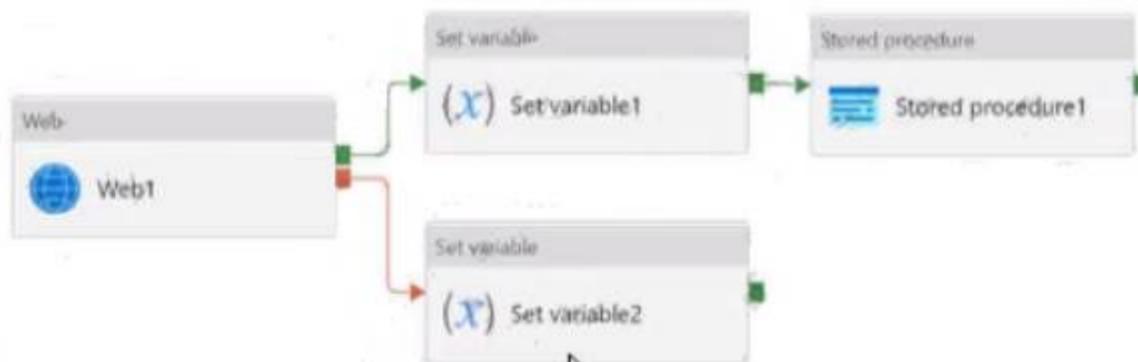
- A. Microsoft Defender for SQL
- B. dynamic data masking
- C. sensitivity labels
- D. workload management

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 120

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Data Factory pipeline that has the activity shown in the following exhibit.



Use the drop-down menus to select the answer choice that completes each statement based on the information presented in the graphic.

Answer Area

Stored procedure1 will execute if Web1 and Set variable1 [answer choice]

incomplete
 fail
 succeed
These are the selections for the statement 'Stored procedure1 will execute if Web1 and Set variable1 [answer choice]'

If Web1 fails and Set variable2 succeeds, the pipeline status will be [answer choice]

Canceled
 Failed
 Succeeded
These are the selections for the statement 'If Web1 fails and Set variable2 succeeds, the pipeline status will be [answer choice]'

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Answer Area

Stored procedure1 will execute if Web1 and Set variable1 [answer choice]

If Web1 fails and Set variable2 succeeds, the pipeline status will be [answer choice]

NEW QUESTION 125

- (Exam Topic 3)

You are designing an Azure Data Lake Storage solution that will transform raw JSON files for use in an analytical workload.

You need to recommend a format for the transformed files. The solution must meet the following requirements:

- > Contain information about the data types of each column in the files.
- > Support querying a subset of columns in the files.
- > Support read-heavy analytical workloads.
- > Minimize the file size.

What should you recommend?

- A. JSON

- B. CSV
- C. Apache Avro
- D. Apache Parquet

Answer: D

Explanation:

Parquet, an open-source file format for Hadoop, stores nested data structures in a flat columnar format. Compared to a traditional approach where data is stored in a row-oriented approach, Parquet file format is more efficient in terms of storage and performance.

It is especially good for queries that read particular columns from a “wide” (with many columns) table since only needed columns are read, and IO is minimized. Reference: <https://www.clairvoyant.ai/blog/big-data-file-formats>

NEW QUESTION 128

- (Exam Topic 3)

You plan to create a real-time monitoring app that alerts users when a device travels more than 200 meters away from a designated location.

You need to design an Azure Stream Analytics job to process the data for the planned app. The solution must minimize the amount of code developed and the number of technologies used.

What should you include in the Stream Analytics job? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.

NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

Input type: ▼

Stream
Reference

Function: ▼

Aggregate
Geospatial
Windowing

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Diagram, table Description automatically generated

Input type: Stream

You can process real-time IoT data streams with Azure Stream Analytics. Function: Geospatial

With built-in geospatial functions, you can use Azure Stream Analytics to build applications for scenarios such as fleet management, ride sharing, connected cars, and asset tracking.

Note: In a real-world scenario, you could have hundreds of these sensors generating events as a stream. Ideally, a gateway device would run code to push these events to Azure Event Hubs or Azure IoT Hubs.

Reference:

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/stream-analytics-get-started-with-azure-stream-analytic> <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/stream-analytics/geospatial-scenarios>

NEW QUESTION 131

- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure subscription that contains an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. You plan to deploy a solution that will analyze sales data and include the following:

- A table named Country that will contain 195 rows
- A table named Sales that will contain 100 million rows
- A query to identify total sales by country and customer from the past 30 days

You need to create the tables. The solution must maximize query performance.

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

Answer Area

```
CREATE TABLE [dbo].[Sales]
(
    [OrderDate]          date          NOT NULL
,   [CustomerId] int NOT NULL
,   [CountryId] int NOT NULL
,   [Total] money NOT NULL
)
WITH
(
    DISTRIBUTION = HASH([CustomerId])
    CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX
    REPLICATE
    ROUND_ROBIN
)
CREATE TABLE [dbo].[Country]
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:
Answer Area

```
CREATE TABLE [dbo].[Sales]
(
    [OrderDate]          date          NOT NULL
,   [CustomerId] int NOT NULL
,   [CountryId] int NOT NULL
,   [Total] money NOT NULL
)
WITH
(
    DISTRIBUTION = HASH([CustomerId])
    CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX
    REPLICATE
    ROUND_ROBIN
)
CREATE TABLE [dbo].[Country]
```

NEW QUESTION 133

- (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 in 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 136

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to design a data ingestion and storage solution for the Twitter feeds. The solution must meet the customer sentiment analytics requirements. What should you include in the solution? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area NOTE: Each correct selection b worth one point.

Answer Area

To increase the throughput of ingesting the Twitter feeds:

<input type="checkbox"/> Configure Event Hubs partitions. <input type="checkbox"/> Enable Auto-Inflate in Event Hubs. <input type="checkbox"/> Use Event Hubs Dedicated.
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To store the Twitter feed data, use:

<input type="checkbox"/> An Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account <input type="checkbox"/> An Azure Databricks high concurrency cluster <input type="checkbox"/> An Azure General-purpose v2 storage account in the Premium tier

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Graphical user interface, text Description automatically generated

Box 1: Configure Event Hubs partitions

Scenario: Maximize the throughput of ingesting Twitter feeds from Event Hubs to Azure Storage without purchasing additional throughput or capacity units.

Event Hubs is designed to help with processing of large volumes of events. Event Hubs throughput is scaled by using partitions and throughput-unit allocations.

Event Hubs traffic is controlled by TUs (standard tier). Auto-inflate enables you to start small with the minimum required TUs you choose. The feature then scales automatically to the maximum limit of TUs you need, depending on the increase in your traffic.

Box 2: An Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account

Scenario: Ensure that the data store supports Azure AD-based access control down to the object level. Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 implements an access control model that supports both Azure role-based access control (Azure RBAC) and POSIX-like access control lists (ACLs).

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 138

- (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:

<input type="checkbox"/> Hash <input type="checkbox"/> Replicated <input type="checkbox"/> Round-robin
--

Table type to store promotional data:

<input type="checkbox"/> Hash <input type="checkbox"/> Replicated <input type="checkbox"/> Round-robin
--

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

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

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 139

- (Exam Topic 1)

You need to implement the surrogate key for the retail store table. The solution must meet the sales transaction dataset requirements. What should you create?

- A. a table that has an IDENTITY property
- B. a system-versioned temporal table

- C. a user-defined SEQUENCE object
- D. a table that has a FOREIGN KEY constraint

Answer: A

Explanation:

Scenario: Implement a surrogate key to account for changes to the retail store addresses.

A surrogate key on a table is a column with a unique identifier for each row. The key is not generated from the table data. Data modelers like to create surrogate keys on their tables when they design data warehouse models. You can use the IDENTITY property to achieve this goal simply and effectively without affecting load performance.

Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 143

- (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 147

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