

# Oracle Database 12c R2: Clusterware Administration

**Duration: 4 Days** 

## What you will learn

This Oracle Database 12c R2: Clusterware Administration training will explore general cluster concepts and Oracle Clusterware architecture. Work with expert Oracle University instructors through interactive instruction and hands-on exercises to reinforce your learning. In this course, you will be introduced to Oracle Database Exadata Cloud Service. Learn To:

Perform Grid Infrastructure pre-installation tasks.

Describe available cluster configuration options.

Install Standalone Flex Clusters.

Add and remove nodes from a cluster in addition to upgrading and patching existing Grid Homes.

Manage and administer both Traditional Clusters and Policy-Managed Clusters.

Monitor and Troubleshoot Oracle Clusterware.

Use Oracle Clusterware to make applications highly available.

Benefits to You

Learn how to make applications highly available using Oracle Clusterware. You'll walk away with the ability to install, configure, manage, monitor and troubleshoot standalone flex clusters. Furthermore, you will have developed the skills to upgrade and patch Clusterware environments.

## **Related Training**

## Required Prerequisites

Working knowledge of Oracle Database 11g: Release 2 on Linux Operating System

Suggested Prerequisites

Oracle Database 12c R2: Administration Workshop

Oracle Database 12c R2: Administration Workshop Ed 3

Oracle Database 12c R2: Install and Upgrade Workshop

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Oracle Database 12c R2: Managing Multitenant Architecture

Working knowledge of Oracle Clusterware, ASM & RAC on Linux

# **Course Objectives**

# Configure ASM disk groups

Perform the prerequisite steps for extending a cluster
Delete a node from a cluster
Explain the principles and purposes of clusters
Understand the scope and capabilities of what-if command evaluation
Perform the different types of what-if command evaluation
Install Grid Infrastructure for Standard and Flex clusters
Add a Leaf node and a Hub node to a Flex cluster
Understand Flex Clusters architecture and components
Understand effect of node failure in Flex Clusters
Verify the installation
Describe Cluster hardware best practices
Describe the Oracle Clusterware architecture
Describe Clusterware architecture
Install and configure Flex Clusters
Gain an understanding of the Oracle Database Exadata Cloud Service

## **Introduction to Clusterware**

Cluster in general

**Oracle Clusterware Characteristics** 

Oracle Clusterware Architecture and Cluster Services Overview

Oracle Clusterware Requirements: OS, Public/Private Networks, and IP addresses

Grid Naming Service (GNS), Shared GNS, and Highly Available GNS

**GNS Configuration Options** 

Single Client Access Name (SCAN)

## **Cluster Configuration Options**

**Oracle Standalone Clusters** 

**Oracle Domain Services Cluster** 

Oracle Member Cluster for Oracle Databases

Oracle Member Cluster for Applications

**Oracle Extended Clusters** 

# **Grid Infrastructure Pre-Installation Tasks**

Shared Storage for Oracle Clusterware

Sizing Storage for Oracle Standalone Cluster

Grid Infrastructure Management Repository Details

Checking System Requirements

Single Client Access Name for the Cluster

Redundant Interconnect Usage

Kernel Requirements

Groups and Users

## **Grid Infrastructure Installation**

Performing an image-based Grid Infrastructure Installation

Choosing a Cluster Configuration Option

Grid Plug and Play Support for Flex Cluster Configuration

Configuring Shared GNS

Verifying the Oracle Clusterware Installation

# **Managing Cluster Nodes**

Adding Oracle Clusterware Homes

Prerequisites for running addnode.sh

Adding a Node with addNode.sh

Configuring the node role

Removing a Node from the Cluster

# **Traditional Clusterware Management**

Clusterware Admin Tools Review

Oracle Clusterware startup and shutdown

Administering the Voting Disk file

Administering the Oracle Cluster Registry Disk file

**Network Administration** 

Reasoned What-If Command Evaluation

## **Policy-Based Cluster and Capacity Management**

Policy-Based Cluster Management Overview

Server Categorization
Policy Set
Load-Aware Resource Placement
Server Weight-Based Node Eviction

# **Patching Grid Infrastructure**

Out-of-Place Oracle Clusterware Upgrade
Types of Patches
Obtaining Oracle Clusterware Patches
Rolling Patches
Installing a Rolling Patchset with OUI
OPatch Overview
Installing a Rolling Patch with OPatch
OPatch Automation

# **Monitoring and Troubleshooting Oracle Clusterware**

Using Oracle Autonomous Health Framework Overview Cluster Verify Utility (CVU)
Cluster Health Monitor (CHM)
Cluster Health Advisor (CHA)
Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector
Using the Cluster Resource Activity Log (CALOG)
Using Oracle Clusterware Diagnostic and Alert Log Data Node Eviction

# **Making Applications Highly Available**

Overview of Using Oracle Clusterware to Enable HA
Oracle Clusterware HA Components
Resource Management Options
Server Pools
Overall flow diagram of HA lifecycle
Clusterware Resource Modeling
Creating an Application VIP
Clusterware Resource Group