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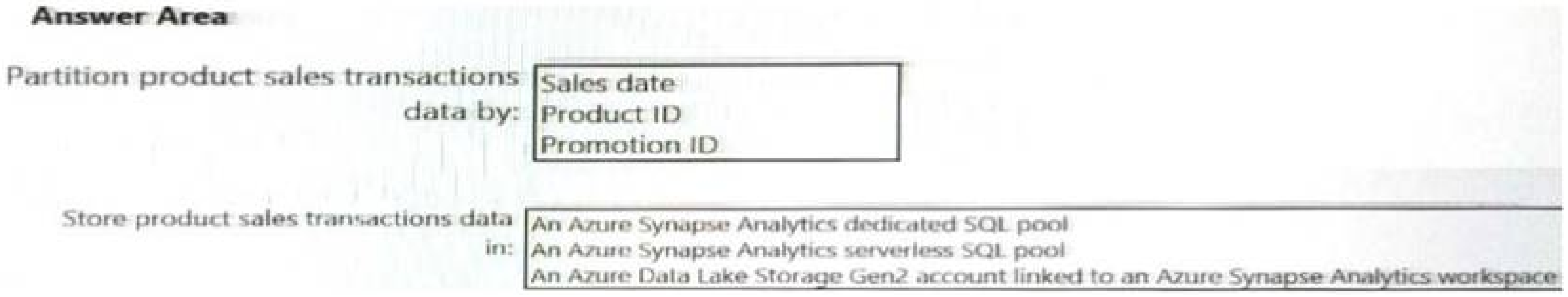
Exam Questions DP-203

Data Engineering on Microsoft Azure

NEW QUESTION 1
- (Exam Topic 1)
You need to design the partitions for the product sales transactions. The solution must mee 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.



Answer Area

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

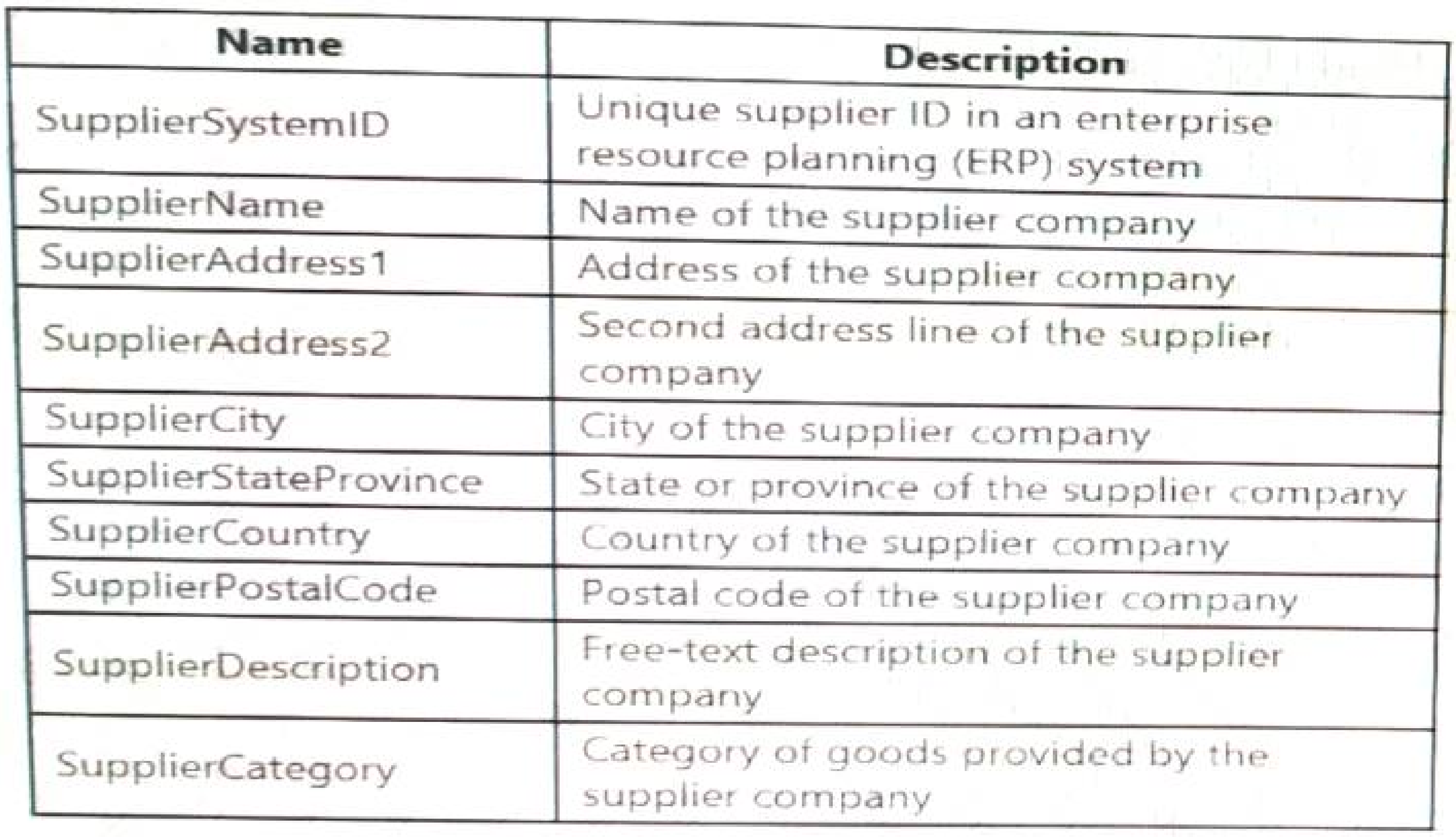
Answer: A

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 2
- (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: BCF

NEW QUESTION 3
- (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 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 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 4
- (Exam Topic 3)
You need to schedule an Azure Data Factory pipeline to execute when a new file arrives in an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container.
Which type of trigger should you use?

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

Answer: D

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.
Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/how-to-create-event-trigger

NEW QUESTION 5
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have an Azure Data Lake Storage account that has a virtual network service endpoint configured.
You plan to use Azure Data Factory to extract data from the Data Lake Storage account. The data will then be loaded to a data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics by using PolyBase.
Which authentication method should you use to access Data Lake Storage?

A. shared access key authentication
B. managed identity authentication
C. account key authentication
D. service principal authentication

Answer: B

Explanation:
Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/connector-azure-sql-data-warehouse#use-polybase-to-load-d

NEW QUESTION 6
- (Exam Topic 3)
What should you recommend using to secure sensitive customer contact information?

A. data labels
B. column-level security
C. row-level security
D. Transparent Data Encryption (TDE)

Answer: B

Explanation:
Scenario: All cloud data must be encrypted at rest and in transit.

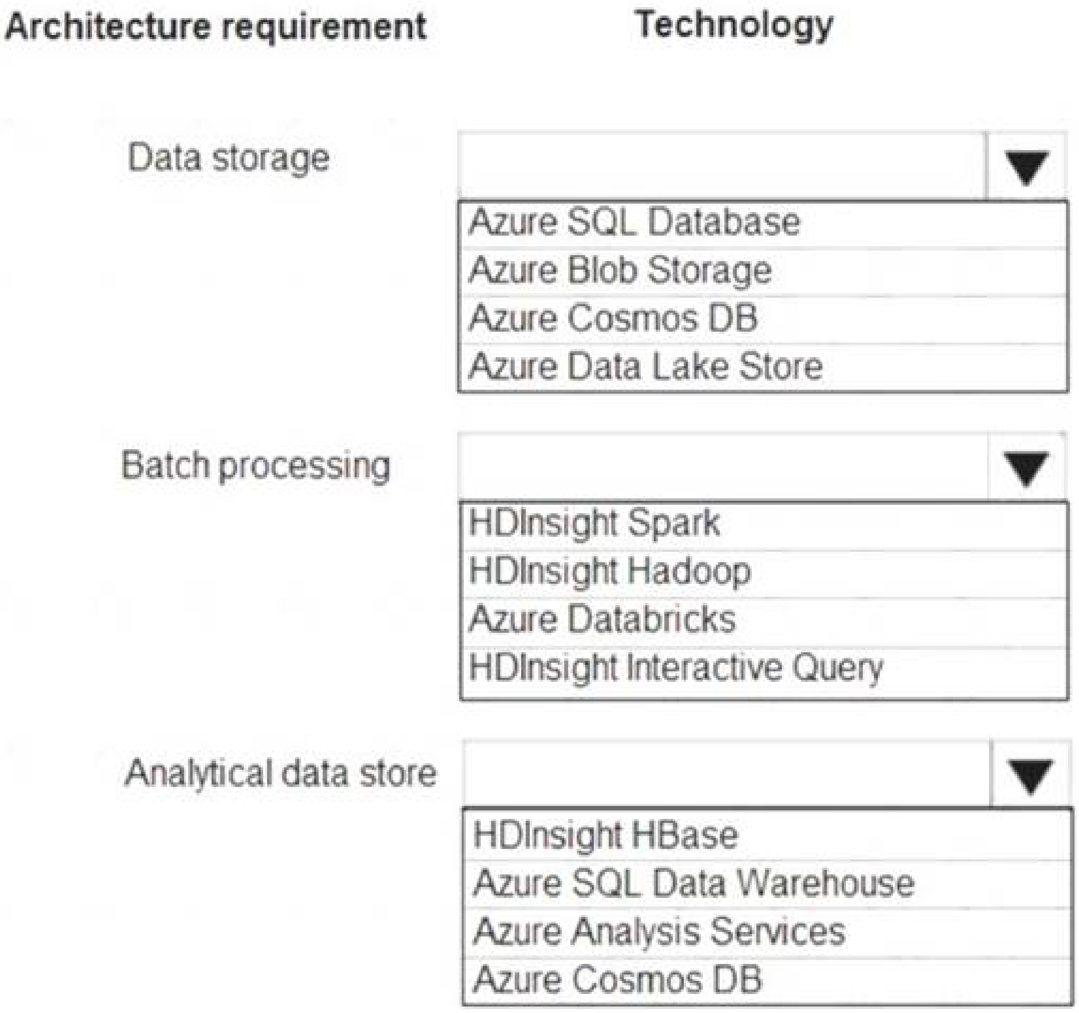
Always Encrypted is a feature designed to protect sensitive data stored in specific database columns from access (for example, credit card numbers, national identification numbers, or data on a need to know basis). This includes database administrators or other privileged users who are authorized to access the database to perform management tasks, but have no business need to access the particular data in the encrypted columns. The data is always encrypted, which means the encrypted data is decrypted only for processing by client applications with access to the encryption key.
References:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-database/sql-database-security-overview

NEW QUESTION 7
- (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 8
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are developing a solution using a Lambda architecture on Microsoft Azure. The data at test layer must meet the following requirements:
Data storage:
•Serve as a repository (or high volumes of large files in various formats.
•Implement optimized storage for big data analytics workloads.
•Ensure that data can be organized using a hierarchical structure. Batch processing:
•Use a managed solution for in-memory computation processing.
•Natively support Scala, Python, and R programming languages.
•Provide the ability to resize and terminate the cluster automatically. Analytical data store:
•Support parallel processing.
•Use columnar storage.
•Support SQL-based languages.
You need to identify the correct technologies to build the Lambda architecture.
Which technologies should you use? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.



Architecture requirement | Technology

Data storage
- Azure SQL Database
- Azure Blob Storage
- Azure Cosmos DB
- Azure Data Lake Store

Batch processing
- HDInsight Spark
- HDInsight Hadoop
- Azure Databricks
- HDInsight Interactive Query

Analytical data store
- HDInsight HBase
- Azure SQL Data Warehouse
- Azure Analysis Services
- Azure Cosmos DB

A. Mastered
B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:
Data storage: Azure Data Lake Store
A key mechanism that allows Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 to provide file system performance at object storage scale and prices is the addition of a hierarchical namespace. This allows the collection of objects/files within an account to be organized into a hierarchy of directories and nested subdirectories in the same way that the file system on your computer is organized. With the hierarchical namespace enabled, a storage account becomes capable of providing the scalability and cost-effectiveness of object storage, with file system semantics that are familiar to analytics engines and frameworks.
Batch processing: HD Insight Spark
Aparch Spark is an open-source, parallel-processing framework that supports in-memory processing to boost the performance of big-data analysis applications.

HDInsight is a managed Hadoop service. Use it deploy and manage Hadoop clusters in Azure. For batch processing, you can use Spark, Hive, Hive LLAP, MapReduce.
Languages: R, Python, Java, Scala, SQL Analytic data store: SQL Data Warehouse
SQL Data Warehouse is a cloud-based Enterprise Data Warehouse (EDW) that uses Massively Parallel Processing (MPP).
SQL Data Warehouse stores data into relational tables with columnar storage. References:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/storage/blobs/data-lake-storage-namespace https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/architecture/data-guide/technology-choices/batch-processing https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-overview-what-is

NEW QUESTION 9
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are designing a solution that will copy Parquet files stored in an Azure Blob storage account to an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 account.
The data will be loaded daily to the data lake and will use a folder structure of {Year}/{Month}/{Day}/.
You need to design a daily Azure Data Factory data load to minimize the data transfer between the two accounts.
Which two configurations should you include in the design? Each correct answer presents part of the solution. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.

A. Delete the files in the destination before loading new data.
B. Filter by the last modified date of the source files.
C. Delete the source files after they are copied.
D. Specify a file naming pattern for the destination.

Answer: BC

Explanation:
Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/data-factory/connector-azure-data-lake-storage

NEW QUESTION 10
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are designing a partition strategy for a fact table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The table has the following specifications:
• Contain sales data for 20,000 products.
• Use hash distribution on a column named ProduclID,
• Contain 2.4 billion records for the years 20l9 and 2020.
Which number of partition ranges provides optimal compression and performance of the clustered columnstore index?

A. 40
B. 240
C. 400
D. 2,400

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 10
- (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:

NEW QUESTION 11
- (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

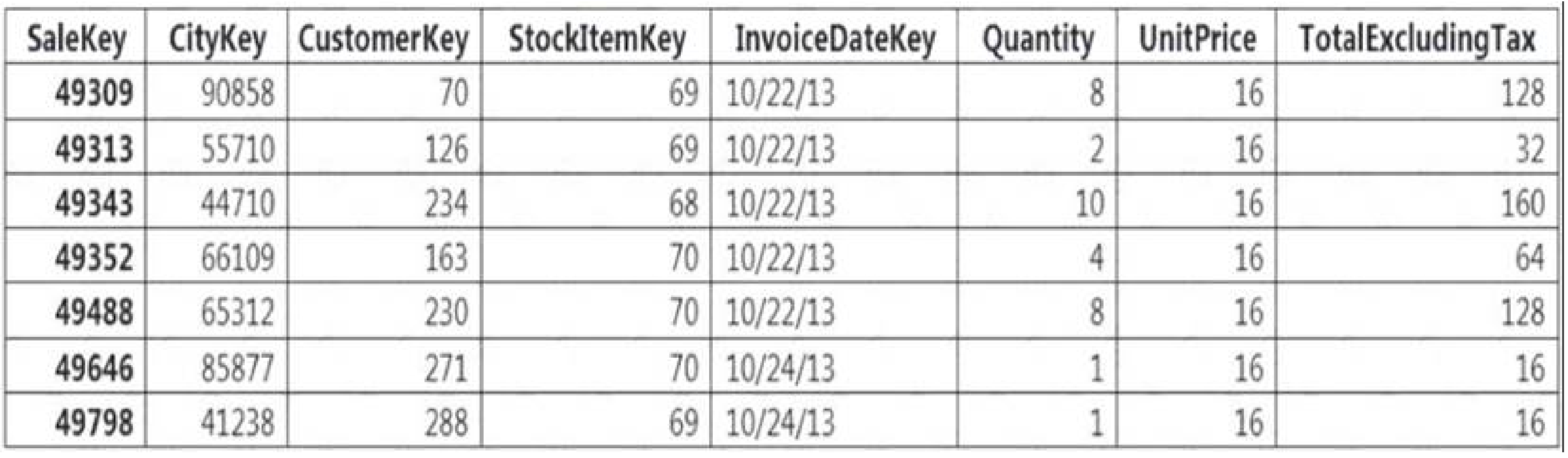
NEW QUESTION 12
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have an Azure data factory.
You need to examine the pipeline failures from the last 60 days. What should you use?

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 13
- (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

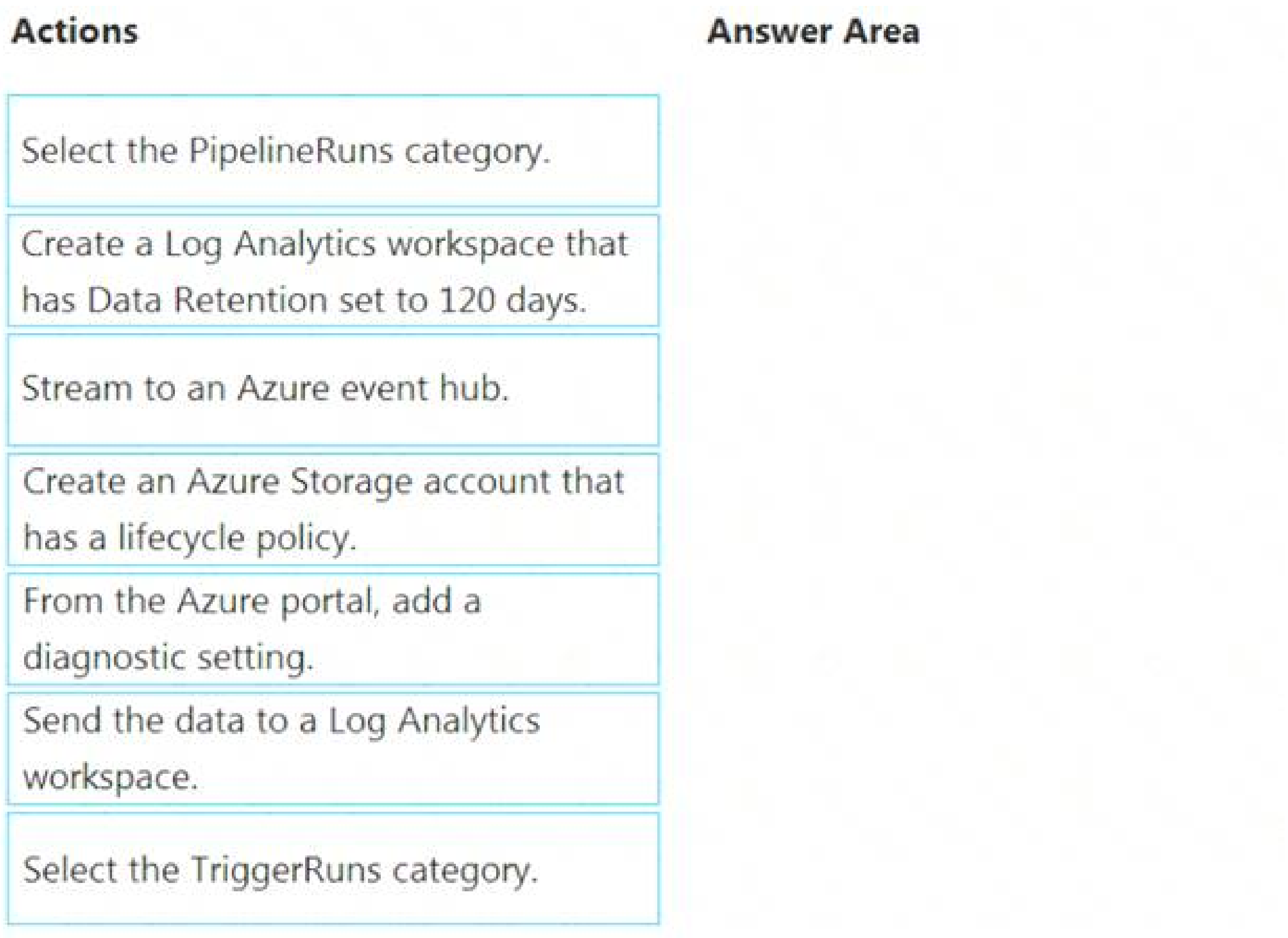
You need to distribute the large fact table across multiple nodes to optimize performance of the table. Which technology should you use?

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 18
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have an Azure data factory.
You need to ensure that pipeline-run data is retained for 120 days. The solution must ensure that you can query the data by using the Kusto query language.
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

Answer Area

Select the PipelineRuns category.

Create a Log Analytics workspace that has Data Retention set to 120 days.

Stream to an Azure event hub.

Create an Azure Storage account that has a lifecycle policy.

From the Azure portal, add a diagnostic setting.

Send the data to a Log Analytics workspace.

Select the TriggerRuns category.

A. Mastered
B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:
Step 1: Create an Azure Storage account that has a lifecycle policy
To automate common data management tasks, Microsoft created a solution based on Azure Data Factory. The service, Data Lifecycle Management, makes frequently accessed data available and archives or purges other data according to retention policies. Teams across the company use the service to reduce storage costs, improve app performance, and comply with data retention policies.
Step 2: Create a Log Analytics workspace that has Data Retention set to 120 days.
Data Factory stores pipeline-run data for only 45 days. Use Azure Monitor if you want to keep that data for a longer time. With Monitor, you can route diagnostic logs for analysis to multiple different targets, such as a Storage Account: Save your diagnostic logs to a storage account for auditing or manual inspection. You can use the diagnostic settings to specify the retention time in days.
Step 3: From Azure Portal, add a diagnostic setting. Step 4: Send the data to a log Analytics workspace,
Event Hub: A pipeline that transfers events from services to Azure Data Explorer. Keeping Azure Data Factory metrics and pipeline-run data.
Configure diagnostic settings and workspace.
Create or add diagnostic settings for your data factory.

- In the portal, go to Monitor. Select Settings > Diagnostic settings.
- Select the data factory for which you want to set a diagnostic setting.
- If no settings exist on the selected data factory, you're prompted to create a setting. Select Turn on diagnostics.
- Give your setting a name, select Send to Log Analytics, and then select a workspace from Log Analytics Workspace.
- Select Save. Reference:

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

NEW QUESTION 20
- (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 23
- (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:
• EventDate: 1 million per day
• EventTypeID: 10 million per event type
• WarehouseID: 100 million per warehouse
• ProductCategoryTypeiD: 25 million per product category type You identify the following usage patterns:
Analyst 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 recommend partitioning the table?

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

Answer: D

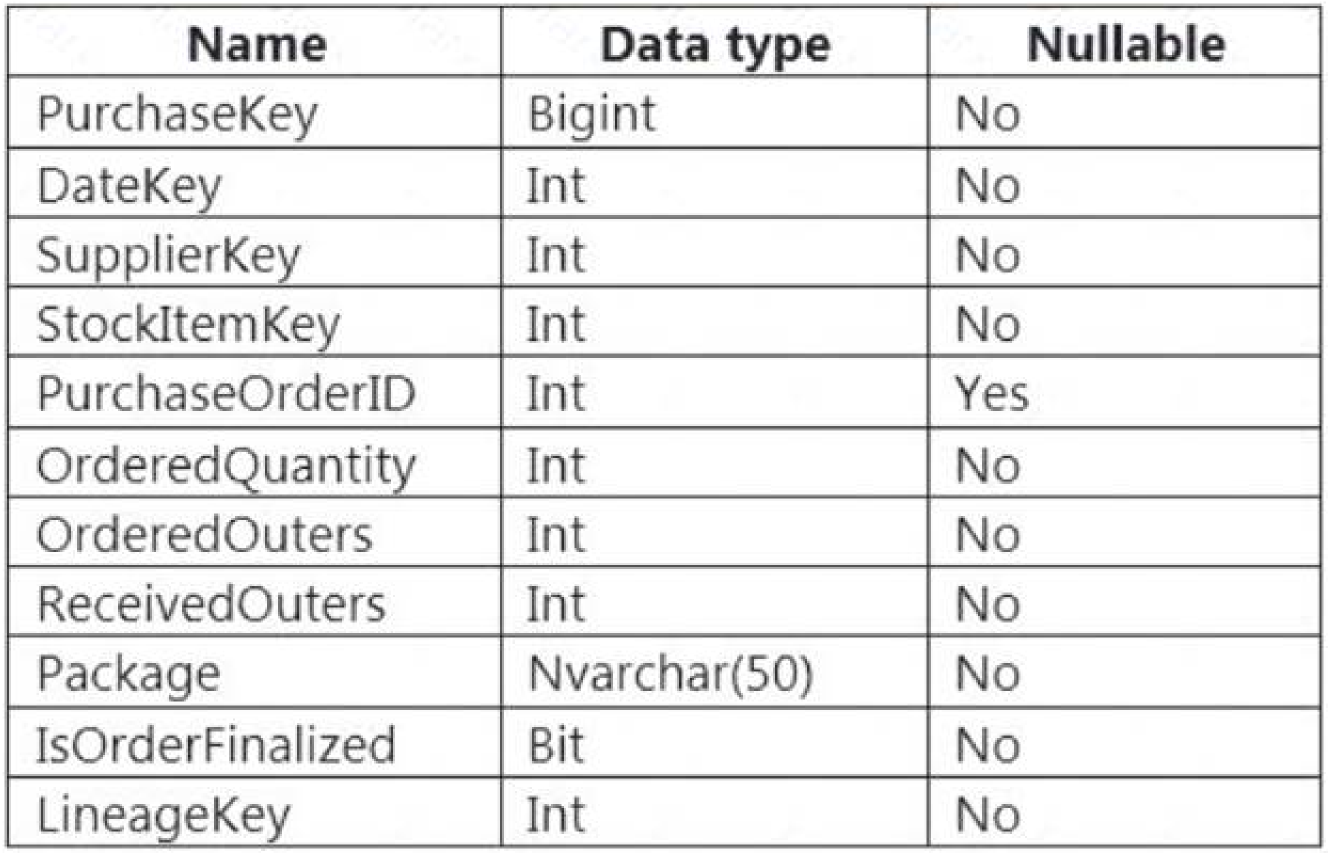
NEW QUESTION 28
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are designing an enterprise data warehouse in Azure Synapse Analytics that will contain a table named Customers. Customers will contain credit card information.
You need to recommend a solution to provide salespeople with the ability to view all the entries in Customers. 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 29
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are designing a fact table named FactPurchase in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool. The table contains purchases from suppliers for a retail store. FactPurchase will contain the following columns.



Name	Data type	Nullable
PurchaseKey	Bigint	No
DateKey	Int	No
SupplierKey	Int	No
StockItemKey	Int	No
PurchaseOrderID	Int	Yes
OrderedQuantity	Int	No
OrderedOuters	Int	No
ReceivedOuters	Int	No
Package	Nvarchar(50)	No
IsOrderFinalized	Bit	No
LineageKey	Int	No

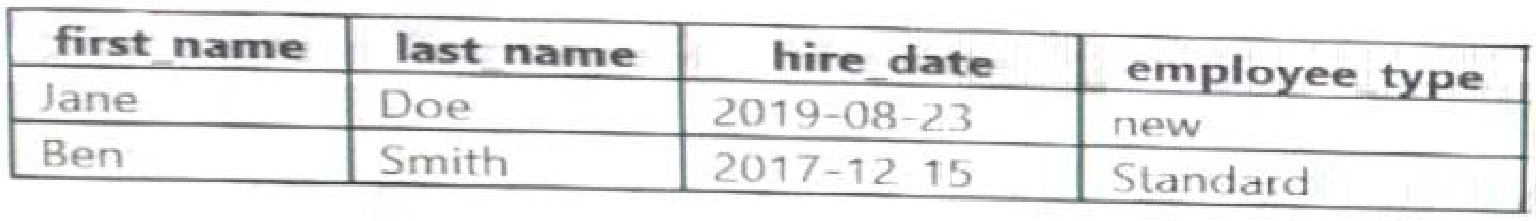
FactPurchase will have 1 million rows of data added daily and will contain three years of data. Transact-SQL queries similar to the following query will be executed daily.
SELECT
SupplierKey, StockItemKey, COUNT(*)
FROM FactPurchase
WHERE DateKey >= 20210101
AND DateKey <= 20210131
GROUP By SupplierKey, StockItemKey
Which table distribution will minimize query times?

A. round-robin
B. replicated
C. hash-distributed on DateKey
D. hash-distributed on PurchaseKey

Answer: D

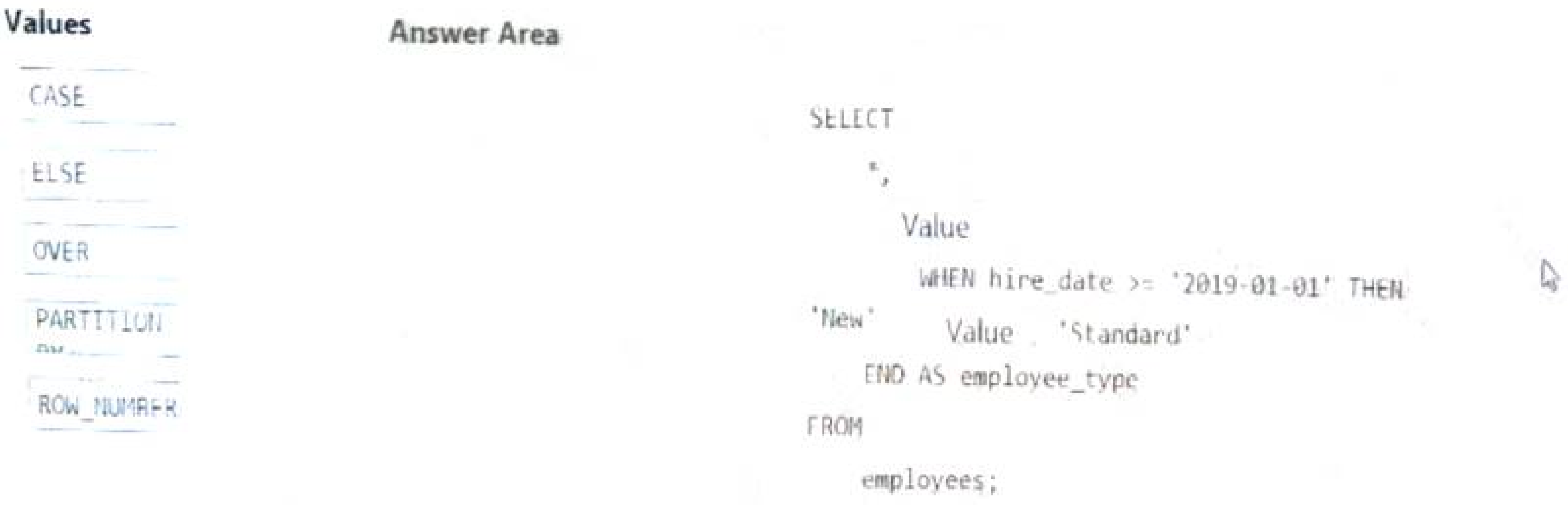
Explanation:
Hash-distributed tables improve query performance on large fact tables, and are the focus of this article. Round-robin tables are useful for improving loading speed.
Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/sql-data-warehouse/sql-data-warehouse-tables-distribu

NEW QUESTION 32
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have the following table named Employees.



first_name	last_name	hire_date	employee_type
Jane	Doe	2019-08-23	new
Ben	Smith	2017-12 15	Standard

You need to calculate the employee _type value based on the hire date value.
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

- CASE
- ELSE
- OVER
- PARTITION BY
- ROW_NUMBER

Answer Area

```
SELECT
    *,
      Value
       WHEN hire_date >= '2019-01-01' THEN
'New'     Value   'Standard'
     END AS employee_type
FROM
     employees;
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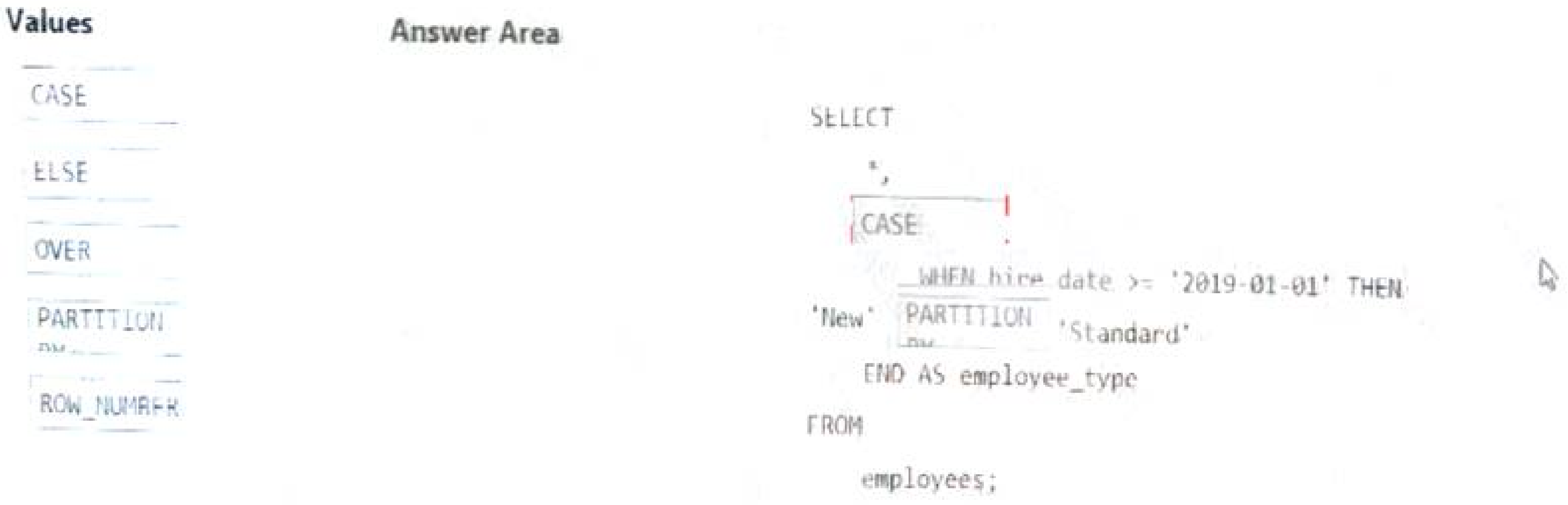
A. Mastered
B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:



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Answer Area

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     CASE
       WHEN hire_date >= '2019-01-01' THEN
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     END AS employee_type
FROM
     employees;
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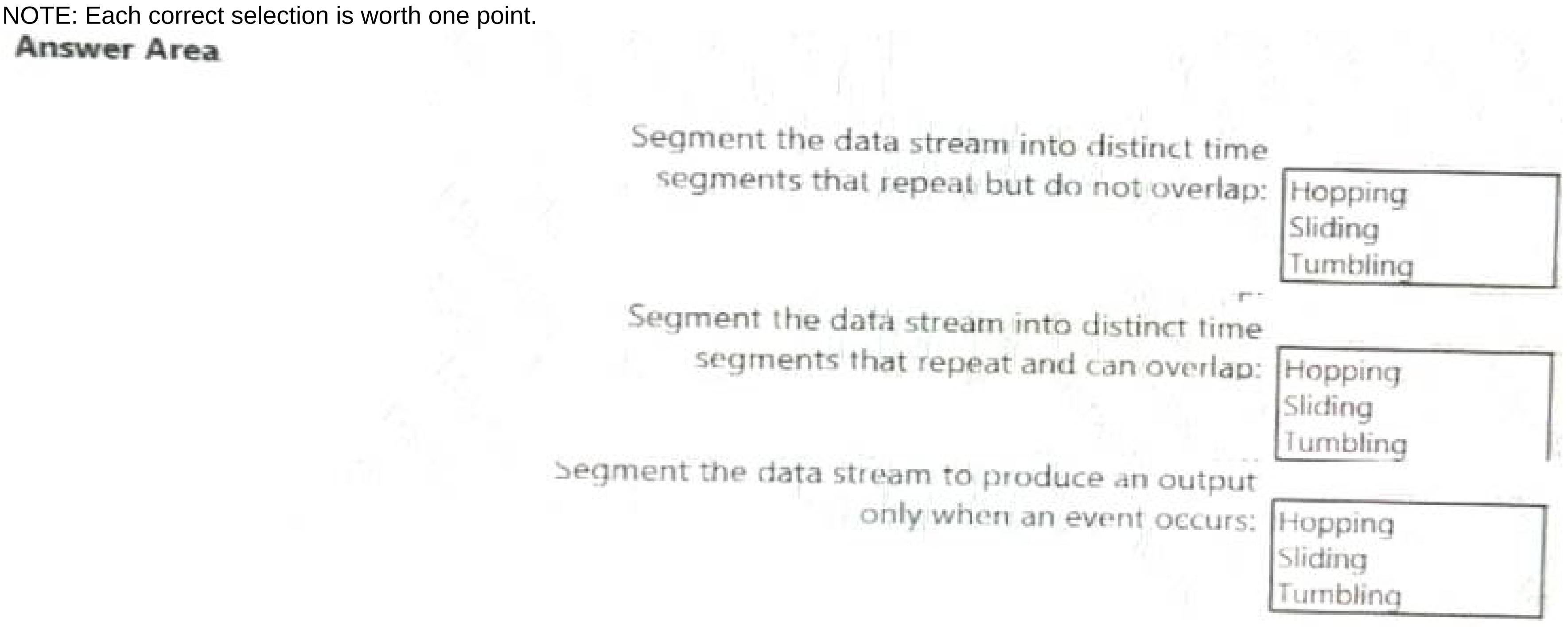
NEW QUESTION 37
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are implementing Azure Stream Analytics windowing functions.
Which windowing function should you use for each requirement? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area.
NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point.



Answer Area

Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat but do not overlap: Hopping / Sliding / Tumbling

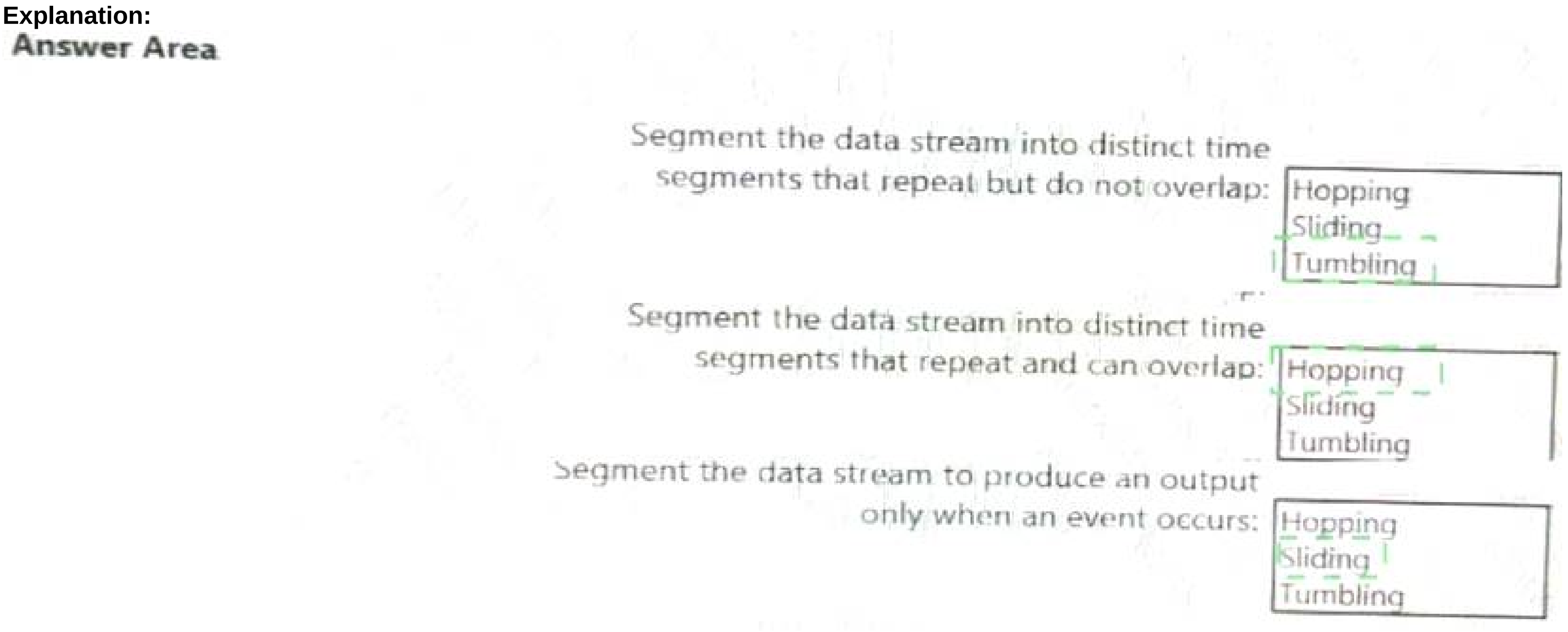
Segment the data stream into distinct time segments that repeat and can overlap: Hopping / Sliding / Tumbling

Segment the data stream to produce an output only when an event occurs: Hopping / Sliding / Tumbling

A. Mastered
B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:



Answer Area

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Hopping
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Tumbling

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

NEW QUESTION 40
- (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 theGet-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 41
- (Exam Topic 3)
You plan to implement an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container that will contain CSV files. The size of the files will vary based on the number of events that occur per hour.
File sizes range from 4.KB to 5 GB.
You need to ensure that the files stored in the container are optimized for batch processing. What should you do?

A. Compress the files.
B. Merge the files.
C. Convert the files to JSON
D. Convert the files to Avro.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 42
- (Exam Topic 3)
You are designing the folder structure for an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container.
Users will query data by using a variety of services including Azure Databricks and Azure Synapse Analytics serverless SQL pools. The data will be secured by subject area. Most queries will include data from the current year or current month.
Which folder structure should you recommend to support fast queries and simplified folder security?

A. /{SubjectArea}/{DataSource}/{DD}/{MM}/{YYYY}/{FileData}_{YYYY}_{MM}_{DD}.csv
B. /{DD}/{MM}/{YYYY}/{SubjectArea}/{DataSource}/{FileData}_{YYYY}_{MM}_{DD}.csv
C. /{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{SubjectArea}/{DataSource}/{FileData}_{YYYY}_{MM}_{DD}.csv
D. /{SubjectArea}/{DataSource}/{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{FileData}_{YYYY}_{MM}_{DD}.csv

Answer: D

Explanation:

There's an important reason to put the date at the end of the directory structure. If you want to lock down certain regions or subject matters to users/groups, then you can easily do so with the POSIX permissions. Otherwise, if there was a need to restrict a certain security group to viewing just the UK data or certain planes, with the date structure in front a separate permission would be required for numerous directories under every hour directory. Additionally, having the date structure in front would exponentially increase the number of directories as time went on.
Note: In IoT workloads, there can be a great deal of data being landed in the data store that spans across numerous products, devices, organizations, and customers. It's important to pre-plan the directory layout for organization, security, and efficient processing of the data for down-stream consumers. A general template to consider might be the following layout:
{Region}/{SubjectMatter(s)}/{yyyy}/{mm}/{dd}/{hh}/

NEW QUESTION 45
- (Exam Topic 3)
You plan to ingest streaming social media data by using Azure Stream Analytics. The data will be stored in files in Azure Data Lake Storage, and then consumed by using Azure Datiabricks and PolyBase in Azure Synapse Analytics.
You need to recommend a Stream Analytics data output format to ensure that the queries from Databricks and PolyBase against the files encounter the fewest possible errors. The solution must ensure that the tiles can be queried quickly and that the data type information is retained.
What should you recommend?

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

Answer: B

Explanation:
The Avro format is great for data and message preservation.Avro schema with its support for evolution is essential for making the data robust for streaming architectures like Kafka, and with the metadata that schema provides, you can reason on the data. Having a schema provides robustness in providing meta-data about the data stored in Avro records which are self- documenting the data.References: http://cloudurable.com/blog/avro/index.html

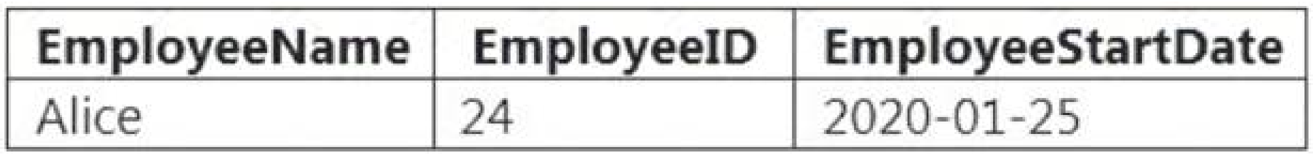
NEW QUESTION 49
- (Exam Topic 3)
Note: This question is part of a series of questions that present the same scenario. Each question in the series contains a unique solution that might meet the stated goals. Some question sets might have more than one correct solution, while others might not have a correct 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 are designing an Azure Stream Analytics solution that will analyze Twitter data.
You need to count the tweets in each 10-second window. The solution must ensure that each tweet is counted only once.
Solution: You use a session window that uses a timeout size of 10 seconds. Does this meet the goal?

A. Yes
B. No

Answer: B

Explanation:
Instead use a tumbling window. Tumbling windows are a series of fixed-sized, non-overlapping and contiguous time intervals. Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/stream-analytics-query/tumbling-window-azure-stream-analytics

NEW QUESTION 54
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have an Azure Synapse workspace named MyWorkspace that contains an Apache Spark database named mytestdb.
You run the following command in an Azure Synapse Analytics Spark pool in MyWorkspace. CREATE TABLE mytestdb.myParquetTable(
EmployeeID int, EmployeeName string, EmployeeStartDate date) USING Parquet
You then use Spark to insert a row into mytestdb.myParquetTable. The row contains the following data.



EmployeeName	EmployeeID	EmployeeStartDate
Alice	24	2020-01-25

One minute later, you execute the following query from a serverless SQL pool in MyWorkspace. SELECT EmployeeID
FROM mytestdb.dbo.myParquetTable WHERE name = 'Alice';
What will be returned by the query?

A. 24
B. an error
C. a null value

Answer: A

Explanation:
Once a database has been created by a Spark job, you can create tables in it with Spark that use Parquet as the storage format. Table names will be converted to lower case and need to be queried using the lower case name. These tables will immediately become available for querying by any of the Azure Synapse workspace Spark pools. They can also be used from any of the Spark jobs subject to permissions.
Note: For external tables, since they are synchronized to serverless SQL pool asynchronously, there will be a delay until they appear.
Reference:
https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/synapse-analytics/metadata/table

NEW QUESTION 58
- (Exam Topic 3)

You have an Azure Synapse Analytics job that uses Scala. You need to view the status of the job.
What should you do?

A. From Azure Monitor, run a Kusto query against the AzureDiagnostics table.
B. From Azure Monitor, run a Kusto query against the SparkLogying1 Event.CL table.
C. From Synapse Studio, select the workspac
D. From Monitor, select Apache Sparks applications.
E. From Synapse Studio, select the workspac
F. From Monitor, select SQL requests.

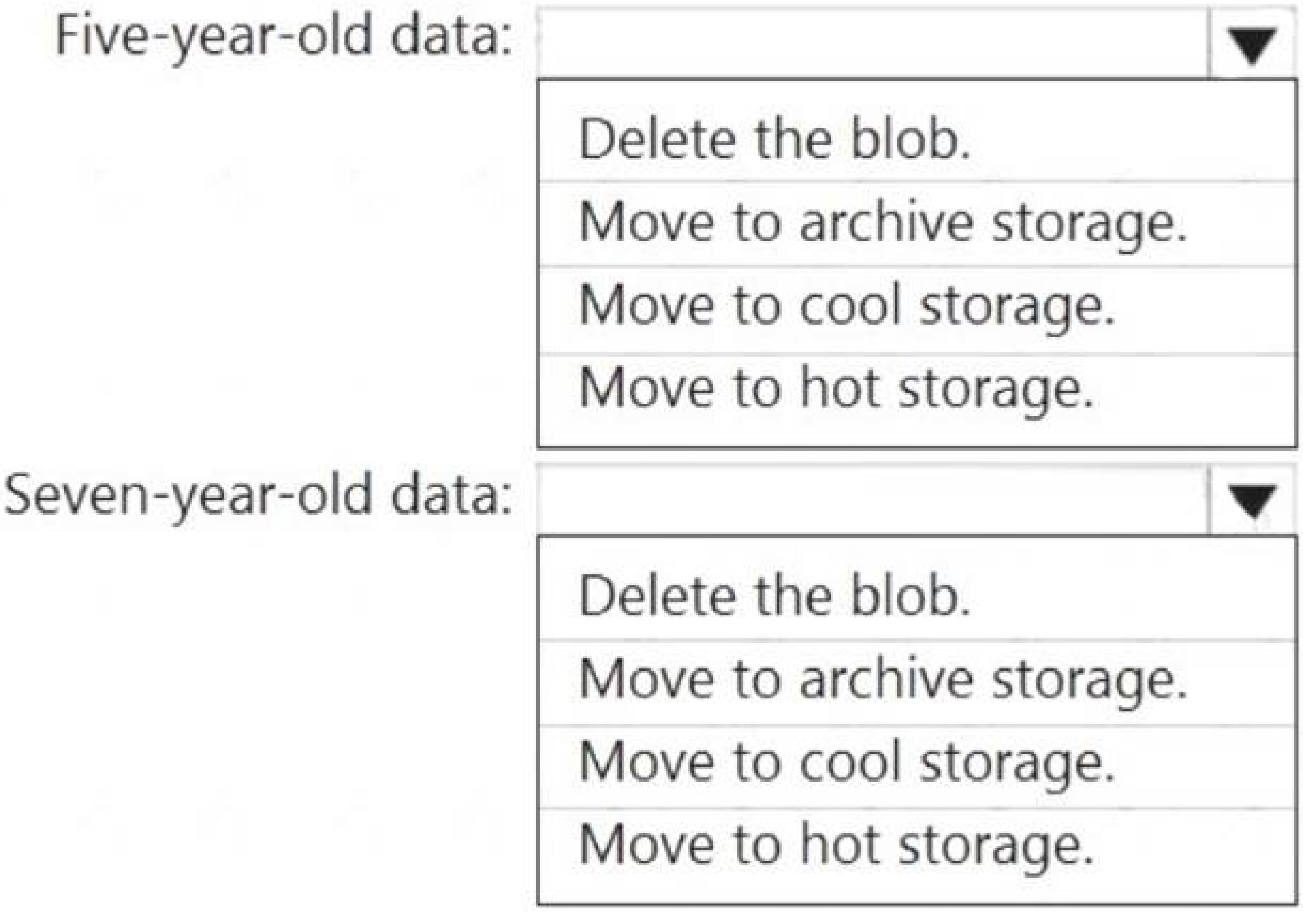
Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 61
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have a partitioned table in an Azure Synapse Analytics dedicated SQL pool.
You need to design queries to maximize the benefits of partition elimination. What should you include in the Transact-SQL queries?

A. JOIN
B. WHERE
C. DISTINCT
D. GROUP BY

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 63
- (Exam Topic 3)
You have an Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 container.
Data is ingested into the container, and then transformed by a data integration application. The data is NOT modified after that. Users can read files in the container but cannot modify the files.
You need to design a data archiving solution that meets the following requirements: ➢ New data is accessed frequently and must be available as quickly as possible.
➢ Data that is older than five years is accessed infrequently but must be available within one second when requested.
➢ Data that is older than seven years is NOT accessed. After seven years, the data must be persisted at the lowest cost possible.
➢ Costs must be minimized while maintaining the required availability.
How should you manage the data? To answer, select the appropriate options in the answer area. NOTE: Each correct selection is worth one point



Five-year-old data:
- Delete the blob.
- Move to archive storage.
- Move to cool storage.
- Move to hot storage.

Seven-year-old data:
- Delete the blob.
- Move to archive storage.
- Move to cool storage.
- Move to hot storage.

A. Mastered
B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:
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Box 1: Replicated
Replicated tables are ideal for small star-schema dimension tables, because the fact table is often distributed on a column that is not compatible with the connected dimension tables. If this case applies to your schema, consider changing small dimension tables currently implemented as round-robin to replicated.
Box 2: Replicated
Box 3: Replicated
Box 4: Hash-distributed
For Fact tables use hash-distribution with clustered columnstore index. Performance improves when two hash tables are joined on the same distribution column.
Reference:
https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/updates/reduce-data-movement-and-make-your-queries-more-efficient-with-th https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/blog/replicated-

tables-now-generally-available-in-azure-sql-data-warehouse/

NEW QUESTION 65
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