

Key Exadata Features and Best Practices

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Distribution of market share among the major industry players, IT & C and EN & T was 74% and 26% percent respectively. A further change in the market scenario in the market will be characterized by a more equal distribution of market share among players.

Projecter

Changes in the activity of active and pending users, uncertainty, reach, new users.



EHCC

Exadata Hybrid Columnar Compression

Oracle compression technology aimed at saving space without the usual performance degradation.

- New Technology
- Exclusive to Exadata.
- 10x to 50x Compression
- Depending on Data and Compression type chosen





Database Resource Manager (DBRM)

Allows for full resource management based on criteria outlined by administrators.

- Set Priority for Users or Groups
- Guarantee Resource for Users or Groups





I/O Resource Manager (IORM)

Allows for i/o resource management based on criteria outlined by administrators.

- Works with Consumer Groups and Resource Plans
- Works within and across multiple databases





Instance Caging

Run multiple Instances on host with an assigned number of CPUs.

- 11g feature, popularized in Exadata
- Promotes Server Consolidation
- Safeguards Production from non-production workloads

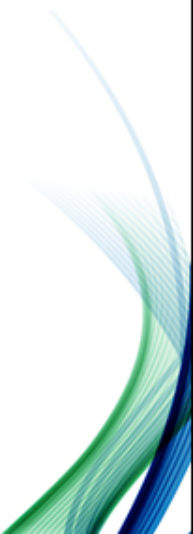




Exadata Smart Flash Cache

Exadata Smart Flash Cache provides a caching mechanism for frequently-accessed data on each Exadata Cell.

- Flash Cache area Automatically created at start up
- Most frequently-accessed data moves to flash from disk
- Exadata software continuously checks if an object needs to be in cache or not





Storage Indexes

A powerful feature of Oracle Exadata Storage Server Software

- Helps avoid I/O Operations
- Works transparently; no administration
- Indexes Automatically Maintained





Oracle Database File System (DBFS)

DBFS is an Oracle 11g feature essential to Exadata

- Runs on ASM
- For users DBFS is a normal file system and can be mounted as NFS
- Use of dedicated database for DBFS is required

