

Monitoring and Performance Tuning T-SQL Queries

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Who the course is for

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After completing this course, students will be able to:

- Describe query lifecycle
- Monitor queries and analyze performance problems
- Design and optimize index strategy
- Understand query plans
- Describe transactions and concurrency

Required skills

- Basic knowledge of the Microsoft Windows operating system and its core functionality
- Working knowledge of Transact-SQL
- Experience with database design

Course Outline

Query lifecycle

- SQL Server architecture
- Query lifecycle
- Query optimization process
- SQLOS, Memory, CPU, Threads
- Performance killers

Monitor queries and analyze performance problems

- Performance Monitor
- SQL Profiler
- Dynamic Management Views
- Activity monitor
- Data Collector
- Extended Events
- Performance problem analysis

Index strategy

- Deep index description
- Index design
- Statistics
- Index maintenance
- Index monitoring

Execution plans

- What is execution plan ?
- Plan reading and analysis
- Plan caching
- Adhoc and procedure plans

Concurrency control

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- Transactions and concurrency control
- Locks
- Transaction Isolation Level

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