

## SAS DI (Data integration) Course Content

### **Overview of SAS DI (Data integration)**

- ❖ 1. Define the architecture of the platform for SAS Business Analytics.
- ❖ 2. Describe the available interfaces.
- ❖ 3. Define the change management feature of SAS Data Integration Studio.

### **Creating Metadata for Source and Target Data**

- ❖ 1. Define administrative tasks to be performed for SAS Data Integration Studio.
- ❖ 2. Describe the New Library Wizard.
- ❖ 3. Use Register Tables wizard to register source data.
- ❖ 4. Use Register Tables wizard to register metadata for a Microsoft Access database table using ODBC.
- ❖ 5. Register metadata for a comma-delimited external file.
- ❖ 6. Import and Export Metadata.

### **Creating Metadata for Target Data and Jobs**

- ❖ 1. Describe features of the New Tables wizard.
- ❖ 2. Explain SAS packages.
- ❖ 3. Explain importing and exporting of relational metadata.
- ❖ 4. Explain components of SQL Join's Designer window.
- ❖ 5. Investigate mapping and propagation.
- ❖ 6. Work with performance statistics.
- ❖ 7. Generate reports on metadata for tables and jobs.
- ❖ 8. Define Impact and Reverse Impact Analysis.

### **Defining Generated Transformations**

- ❖ 1. Define SAS code transformation templates.
- ❖ 2. Create a custom transformation

### **Deploying Jobs**

- ❖ 1. Explain the types of job deployment available for SAS Data Integration Studio Jobs.
- ❖ 2. Provide an overview of the scheduling process.
- ❖ 3. Explain the types of scheduling servers.
- ❖ 4. Explain the Schedule Manager in SAS Management Console.
- ❖ 5. List the applications that can be used to

### **Working with Transformations**

- ❖ 1. Explain and work on the Extract and Summary Statistics transformation.
- ❖ 2. Explain and work on the Loop transformations.
- ❖ 3. Investigate where status handling is available.
- ❖ 4. Explain and work on the Data Validation transformation.
- ❖ 5. Explain and work on the Rank, Transpose, Append, List and Sort transformations.
- ❖ 6. Explain and work on the Apply Lookup Standardization transformation.
- ❖ 7. Define the Concept of a Checkpoint.

### **Working with Tables and the Table Loader Transformation**

- ❖ 1. Explain reasons to use the Table Loader transformation.
- ❖ 2. Explain various load styles provided by the Table Loader transformation.
- ❖ 3. Explain various types of keys and how to define in SAS Data Integration Studio.
- ❖ 4. Explain indexes and how to define in SAS Data Integration Studio.
- ❖ 5. Explain Table Loader options for keys and indexes.

### **Working with Slowly Changing Dimensions**

- ❖ 1. List the functions of the SCD Type 2 transformation.
- ❖ 2. Work on business keys, surrogate and retained keys.
- ❖ 3. Detect and track changes.
- ❖ 4. Explain the Lookup transformation.

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<p>create and execute stored processes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ 6. Describe deployment of SAS Data Integration Studio jobs as a SAS Stored Process.</li><li>❖ 7. Import SAS code.</li></ul>	
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