IOT Database Services - 2023

Who We Are:

An 18-member team (8 SQL/1 DB2, 5 Oracle, 4 contractors) that manages all database infrastructure for all state agencies.

Our Mission:

Provide multi-platform database, Oracle database and Oracle application services which maximizes uptime while protecting data using the latest technologies.

Department: 493016

Manager: Faisal Khan

What We Do:

Maintain and support SQL Server, Oracle database, and Oracle applications, including, but not limited to, licensing, monitoring, and patching. Providing limited support of Database programming (PL/SQL).

Our Products:

1049 Database Maintenance Services

1114 Database Hosting

1114A Database Size Overage 1GB+

1114B Exadata Hosting

1191 Oracle Application Hosting

1196 Oracle WCC

Our Tools:

ASM Ticket Management and SLA Measurement
Citrix Allows connection to servers in restricted zones
Enterprise Mgr/Cloud Control Web browser-based monitoring/administration tool
FileZilla Transferring files to/from agencies/vendors via secured FTP
Idera Diagnostic Manager Monitoring and alerting and researching SQL servers

MS Remote Desktop / RoyalTS rdp client for connecting to Windows servers
MS Visual Studio Managing Integration Services packages

Notepad, Notepad ++, Wordpad Viewing and editing text files

Putty/SSH Client for connecting to AIX/Unix/Linux (Exadata) servers
RedGate Backup Pro Compressing/encrypting backups for older versions of SQL

SQL Server Management Studio Managing SQL servers SQL plus Connecting to databases

System Center Operations Mgr Monitoring and alerting on SQL servers Toad for Oracle Monitoring/administration tool

TreeSize Professional 4 Server file admin (finding outdated/large/hidden files)
WinSCP Transfer Oracle software and patching to servers
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MobaXterm SSH Client for connecting to Unix based systems and providing GUI integration tools

SQL Developer GUI based client to manage and administer Oracle databases

SQL Server Integration Services Platform for building data integration and data transformation solutions.

SQL Server Patch Advisor In-house built SQL patch detection and deployment tool.

Our Metrics:

Mon-Fri 6am-6pm excluding state holidays

Resolve customer issues within 32 IOT business hours 90%+ G; 87%+ Y; <87% R
Database Server Availability 99.9%+ G; 96.9%+ Y; <96.9% R

Our Customers:

Executive Branch, Judicial Branch and Secretary of State.

Our Budget:

\$8.5 million

Our Growth:

SQL Databases Supported: 3826 as of 12/13 Oracle Database Supported: 718 as of 12/13

Recent Major Accomplishments:

- Establishment of Oracle VM farm for databases
- SQL 2008 end of life migration to supported versions
- Implementation of Exadata Cloud@Customer

Current Projects:

- Enterprise patching tool for SQL 2.0
- Migration of all Oracle servers to Linux
- Automating patching for Oracle servers
- 2012 Server Migration