

000-418 - IBM Websphere Datastage V.8.0

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QUESTION: 1

A customer's business requirement states that the processing of a file must be aborted immediately if a certain condition is encountered within that file.

How would this be accomplished within a Transformer stage?

- A. Call a non-existent external UNIX function from within a stage variable definition.
- B. Use a constraint and the "Abort After Rows" property on an output link.
- C. Issue a warning message to be picked up by the Job Sequence condition.
- D. Set the \$APT_ABORT_ON_BAD_CONDITION environment variable.

Answer: B

QUESTION: 2

Your customer asks you to identify which stages in a job are consuming the largest amount of CPU time.

Which product feature would help identify these stages?

- A. \$APT_PM_DUMP_SCORE
- B. \$APT_PM_PLAYER_CPU
- C. \$APT_PM_PLAYER_TIMING
- D. \$APT_PM_SHOW_PIDS

Answer: C

QUESTION: 3

Which two statements are correct about XML stages and their usage? (Select two.)

- A. XML Output stage can invoke an XSLT style sheet for XML to tabular transformations.
- B. XML Output stage converts tabular data to XML hierarchical structure.
- C. XML Input stage converts XML data to tabular format.
- D. XML Transformer stage converts XSLT data to tabular format.

Answer: B, C

QUESTION: 4

Which Oracle Enterprise stage read property can be set using db options to tune job performance?

- A. memsize

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- B. arraysize
- C. partitionsize
- D. transactsize

Answer: B

QUESTION: 5

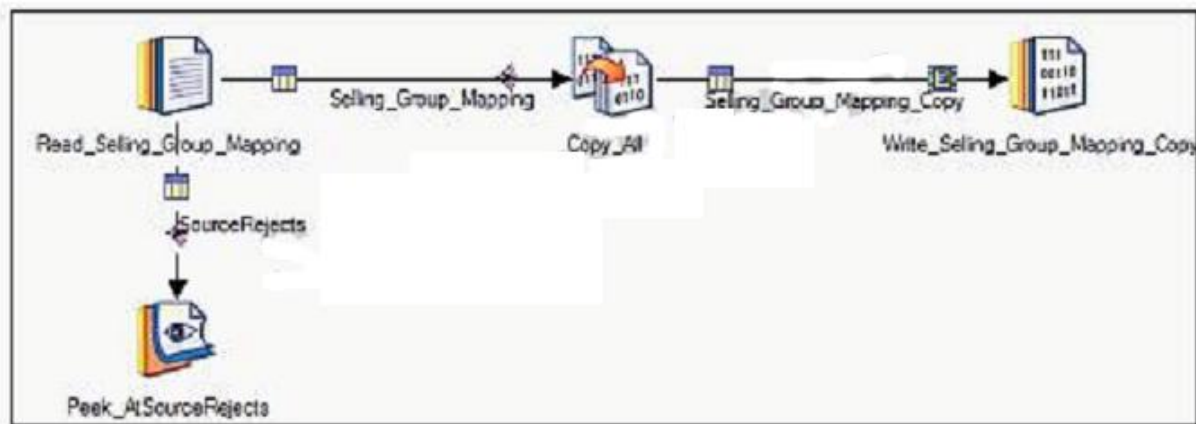
Which two statements are true regarding access to a MQ queue? (Select two.)

- A. MQ stage can be used to read and write messages from a remote MQ message queue.
- B. MQ connector stage is capable of connecting to Queue manager in both Server and Client mode.
- C. MQ stage connects to a queue manager in Client mode only.
- D. MQ stage and MQ connector stages support destructive reads.

Answer: B, D

QUESTION: 6

Exhibit:



In the exhibit, data is being read from a Sequential File stage (Read_Selling_Group_Mapping) and written to a target Data Set stage (Write_Selling_Group_Mapping_Copy). All columns are being mapped source to target in the Copy stage. After the job is executed using a 2-node configuration file, you notice that the Data Set has only one partition.

Which setting should be set to ensure Data Set has two partitions?

- A. Change partitioning method from "Auto" to "SAME" in the Copy stage.
- B. Change partitioning method from "Auto" to "Round Robin" in the Copy stage.
- C. Disable Runtime Column Propagation (RCP) in both the Copy stage and the Data Set stage.
- D. Enable Runtime Column Propagation (RCP).

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Answer: B

QUESTION: 7

Which import option can be used to import metadata from a data modeling tool such as Erwin or Rational Data Architect?

- A. Import using bridges.
- B. Import a table definition using the Connector wizard.
- C. Import DataStage components.
- D. Import a table definition using the Plug-In Meta Data facility.

Answer: A

QUESTION: 8

Which three property areas must be configured when using the ODBC connector stage as a target in your job design? (Select three.)

- A. Define the connection properties to an ODBC data source.
- B. Define columns for the output link.
- C. Specify properties for the input link.
- D. Define columns for the input link data.
- E. Specify the remote server property.

Answer: A, C, D

QUESTION: 9

You desire that no changes be made to your jobs in either QA or production environments.

What are two ways to ensure this? (Select two.)

- A. Mark the project read-only in the Director.
- B. Export only executables from the development environment.
- C. Only give execute permissions to the QA and production users.
- D. Protect the QA and production projects.

Answer: B, D

QUESTION: 10

Your job is using the DB2 Enterprise stage as a target. In this job you are inserting data into a single

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existing table on a remote database. You are using Run-Time Column Propagation (RCP) on all of the links.

Which two job design configuration actions would you consider to effectively use RCP? (Select two.)

- A. In the DB2 Enterprise stage use Connection properties to manage column mappings.
- B. Use a Modify stage prior to the DB2 Enterprise stage in order to drop the columns not found in the table.
- C. Use DB2 partitioning properties on the input link to the DB2 Enterprise stage to control column layout in partitions.
- D. In the DB2 Enterprise stage set the option named "Silently Drop Columns Not In Table" to "True".

Answer: B, D