# Course Lesson Map

PostgreSQL 11 Database Administration

## Day 1

- Introduction to PostgreSQL Server and Advance Features
- Postgres Client Server Architecture
- Getting Started
  - Installing the PostgreSQL Server
  - Setting Environment Variables
  - Creating a Cluster
  - Running Server
- Configuring of PostgreSQL Server
  - Connection Settings
  - Security and Authentication
  - Resource Settings
  - WAL
  - Error Reporting and Logging
  - Autovacuum
  - Runtime Statistics, etc.
- Server Control
  - Postgres hosed based access configuration

## Day 2

- Client and Tools
  - Introduction To PSQL
    - Commands and Parameters
  - Using graphical administration tools- pgAdmin
- Creating and Managing Databases
  - Object Hierarchy
  - Databases and Schemas
  - Tablespaces
  - Exploring Databases
    - Locating the database server's message log
    - Locating the database's system identifier
    - Listing databases on this database server
    - How much disk space does a table use?
    - Which are my biggest tables?
    - How many rows are there in a table?
    - Quickly estimating the number of rows in a table
    - Understanding object dependencies
- Obtaining Metadata
- Transactions & Concurrency Control

#### Day 3

- Database Administration
  - Performing actions on many tables

- Writing a script
- Adding/removing schemas
- Moving objects between schemas
- Adding/removing tablespaces s
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- Using materialized views
- Table Partitioning
- Extensions
  - Accessing objects in other PostgreSQL databases (postgres\_fdw, dblink)
  - ► File\_fdw, hstore, pgcrypto,etc.
- Security
  - User Management
    - Superuser
    - Roles and Users
    - Groups and Access Control
    - Ownership, Etc.
  - Preventing Connections
  - Checking secure password
  - Auditing Changes
  - Encrypting Sensitive data
- Monitoring and Diagnosis
  - Real-time viewing using pgAdmin
  - Checking whether a user is connected
  - Checking which queries are running
  - Checking which queries are active or blocked
  - Knowing who is blocking a query
  - Killing a specific session
  - Knowing when a table was last used
  - Usage of disk space by temporary data
  - Understanding why queries slow down
  - Producing a daily summary of log file errors
  - Analyzing the real-time performance of your queries
- Performance and Concurrency
  - ► Find and Tune Slow Running Queries
  - Collecting regular statistics from pg\_stat\* views
  - Finding out what makes SQL slow
  - Speeding up queries without rewriting them
  - Discovering why a query is not using an index
  - Forcing a query to use an index

#### Day 4

- Regular Maintenance
  - Controlling automatic database maintenance
  - Removing issues that cause bloat
  - Identifying and fixing bloated tables and indexes
  - Monitoring and tuning vacuum
  - Updating Table Statistics

- Vacuuming
- Re-indexing
- Backup and Recovery
  - Planning backups
  - Backup Types
    - Logical
      - Pg\_dump
      - Pg\_dumpall
    - Physical
      - Standalone hot physical database backup
      - Hot physical backup and continuous archiving
      - PgBaseBackup
  - Restore
    - Pg\_restore
    - Recovery to a point in time
    - Restore Physical Backup
    - Recovery of a dropped/damaged table
    - Recovery of a dropped/damaged database
- Moving Data
  - Exporting/Importing Data To/From A Flat File

### Day 5

- Replication and Upgrades
  - Replication
    - Replication best practices
    - Streaming Replication
    - Implement Hot Standby
    - Replication Slots
    - Logical Replication
    - Using repmgr
  - Handling Switchover & Failover
  - Upgrading Best Practices
    - Upgrading minor releases
    - Upgrading major release(pg\_upgrade)
  - Migration from Oracle to Postgres using Ora2PG