Modern Data Engineering with Microsoft Fabric

Course Description:

This immersive course provides a comprehensive introduction to Microsoft Fabric, focusing on data engineering experiences, Apache Spark, Delta Lakes, and cloud-scale analytics with Azure Databricks. Participants will gain hands-on experience through practical labs and use cases, learning how to manage data, optimize performance, and integrate various tools and platforms. By the end of this course, attendees will be equipped with the knowledge and skills to effectively implement and manage data engineering solutions using Microsoft Fabric and Azure Databricks.

Duration: 3 days

Pre-requisites

- Basic understanding of data engineering concepts
- Familiarity with cloud computing and data platforms
- Experience with programming and scripting languages (e.g., Python, SQL)

Target Audience

- Data Engineers
- Data Scientists
- IT Professionals
- Cloud Architects
- Anyone interested in learning about Microsoft Fabric and Azure Databricks

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