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Converged Oracle Database MAA in the world of hybrid cloud and multicloud deployments

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History lesson: Developers built applications using a single development platform and data store



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Modern Apps Are Built Using New Development Methodologies



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Each database offers a convenient data model that fits the purpose and has easy to adopt APIs for developers that seem natural for that data model

Disadvantage



Even small apps need multiple data types and workloads, so you will need multiple single-purpose databases, fragmenting the data

Disadvantage



Fragments development, locks-in app to one single-purpose database

Disadvantage



Every App Requires distributed execution and data movement across multiple fragmented databases

Inherently difficult and causes unavoidable data delays and data divergence

Disadvantage



Developers become focused on Integrating fragmented databases to create a complete, available, secure, and scalable solution, instead of innovating

Disadvantage



Each single purpose database requires specialized skills and unique management

Disadvantage



In addition, each of these specialized databases routinely has a completely different security, high availability, and disaster recovery paradigm creating operational silos into the architecture usually leading to complex maintenance operations, more downtime, and prolonged recovery in the case of a disaster event

How Do you Manage This Level of Complexity?



The Easier Way



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Providing easy to use declarative implementations of the new data uses and types in the core database

Oracle Database – core, user-driven capabilities



High Availability & Application Continuity Manageability Scalability & Multitenant Performance Security



Oracle Database – all-inclusive and converged by design



Oracle's converged database - enabling the data-driven enterprise

Do more with less

A **unified approach** to data management means more opportunity for **data synergies**, and less maintenance overhead

Shorten time to value

Accelerate application development – with easier data access and support for the latest development methodologies

Modernize workloads

Flexible deployment options to meet your specific needs, and **ease of movement** between those deployment options

Oracle Database, The Converged Database is Available Everywhere



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Autonomous Data Warehouse Delivers Fast and Easy Data Driven Insights



Built-In Data Acquisition

Discover and Extract data from hundreds of sources including Object Store, Drag-n-drop tools for Bulk & Real-Time Load and Transformation

Embedded Analytic Engines

Graph Analytics, Spatial Analytics, Cube (Multidimensional) Analytics, Document Analytics, Relational Analytics, and Machine Learning

Automated Analytics

Automatically creates business models, discovers hidden insights, and builds machine learning models

Autonomous with Converged Architecture

Simplicity of automated full stack analytics enables business users and data scientists to quickly unlock value from data

How Does the Converged Database Ensure Business Continuity?

Key terminology



High availability

A system type with redundant components that provides consistent and uninterrupted service, even in the event of hardware or software failures.



Scalability

The ability to add additional nodes to database environments thereby maintaining and achieving improved performance.



Rolling updates/patches

The process where software is developed continuously, and the updates are released in between the major releases. These updates are compatible with earlier versions where complete re-installation of the software is not required.



Disaster Recovery

A method of protecting computer systems from failure, in which standby equipment automatically takes over when the main system fails.



Recovery Point Objective (RPO)

Tolerance for data loss (sec's, hours, days); determines frequency of backups and replication approaches.



Recovery Time Objective (RTO)

The shorter the Recovery Time Objective (RTO) the quicker you get back to business.

Oracle Maximum Availability Architecture (MAA)

Standardized Reference Architectures for Never-Down Deployments



MAA reference architectures

Availability service levels



Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Dev, test, prod	Prod/departmental	Business critical	Mission critical
	Bronze +	Silver +	Gold +
Single instance DB	Database HA with RAC	DB replication with Active	GoldenGate
Restartable	Application Continuity	Data Guara	Edition Based
Backup/restore	Optional - Exadata		Redefinition
Optional - ZDLRA			

BRONZE

Dev, Test, Prod - Single Instance or Multitenant Database with Backups

- Single Instance with Clusterware Restart
- Advanced backup/restore with **RMAN**
 - Optional ZDLRA with incremental forever and near zero RPO
- Storage redundancy and validation with ASM
- Multitenant Database/Resource Management with PDB features
- Online Maintenance
- Some corruption protection
- Flashback technologies



Outage Matrix

Unplanned Outage	RTO / RPO Service Level Objectives (f1)
Recoverable node or instance failure	Minutes to hour (f2)
Disasters: corruptions and site failures	Hours to days. RPO since last backup or near zero with ZDLRA
Planned Maintenance	
Software/hardware updates	Minutes to hour (f2)
Major database upgrade	Minutes to hour
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f2: Exadata systems has RAC but Bronze Exadata configuration with Single Instance database running with Oracle Clusterware has highest consolidation density to reduce costs

SILVER

Prod/Departmental

Bronze +

- Real Application Clustering (RAC)
- Application Continuity
- Sharding (Optional)
 - Provides fault isolation, scalability and geographical distribution

Primary Availability Domain RAC Database I Cocal Backup Replicated Backups

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Planned Maintenance	
Software/Hardware updates	Zero (f2)
Major database upgrade	Minutes to hour

Checklist found in MAA OTN

https://www.oracle.com/a/tech/docs/applicationchecklist-for-continuous-availability-for-maa.pdf

f1: RPO=0 unless explicitly specified

f2: To achieve zero downtime or lowest impact, apply application checklist best practices; Batch jobs should be deferred outside planned maintenance window.

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GOLD

Mission Critical

Silver +

- Active Data Guard or Data Guard
 - Comprehensive Data Protection

MAA Architecture:

- At least one standby required across AD or region.
- Primary in one data center(or AD) replicated to a Standby in another data center
- Data Guard Fast-Start Failover (FSFO)
- Local backups on both primary and standby



Outage Matrix

Unplanned Outage	RTO/RPO Service Level Objectives (f1)	
Recoverable node or instance failure	Single digit seconds (f2)	
Disasters: corruptions and site failures	Seconds to 2 minutes. RPO zero or seconds	
Planned Maintenance		
Software/Hardware updates	Zero (f2)	
Major database upgrade	Less than 30 seconds	
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f1: RPO=0 unless explicitly specified

f2: To achieve zero downtime or the lowest impact, apply application checklist best practices; Batch jobs should be deferred outside the planned maintenance window.

PLATINUM

Extreme Critical

Gold +

- GoldenGate Active/Active
 Replication
- Edition-based Redefinition (Alternative)

MAA Architecture:

- Each GoldenGate "primary" replica protected by Exadata, RAC and Active Data Guard
- Primary in one data center (or AD) replicated to another Primary in remote data center (or AD)
- Oracle GG *or* Edition-based Redefinition for zero downtime application upgrade
- Local backups on both sites
- Achieve zero downtime through custom failover to GG replica



Outage Matrix

Unplanned Outage	RTO/RPO Service Level Objectives (f1)	
Recoverable node or instance failure	Zero or single-digit seconds (f2/f3)	
Disasters including corruptions and site failures	Zero (f3)	
Planned Maintenance		
Most common software/hardware updates	Zero (f2)	
Major database upgrade, application upgrade	Zero (f3)	

f1: RPO=0 unless explicitly specified

f2: To achieve zero downtime or lowest impact, apply application checklist best practices

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f3: Application failover is custom or with Global Data Services

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Hybrid Cloud: recommended hybrid sources/destinations







- All Hybrid configurations are achieved manually: no Control Plane automation
- On-premises non-Exadata to ExaDB-C@C/ExaDB-D is possible but beware of exclusive features

Hybrid Data Guard: overview



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- Azure Interconnect available in some regions

Multicloud MAA Platinum Tier Example



- Oracle GoldenGate Hub in a high availability configuration would be manual in Oracle Cloud
- Azure Interconnect available in some regions
- All multicloud configurations are achieved manually: no Control Plane automation

How does the MAA team ensure Oracle Database availability, performance and scalability?

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MAA & Chaos Engineering – Breaking things to ensure your peace of mind



Chaos Engineering is the art form of experimenting (i.e. proactively breaking things) on a system in order to build confidence in a system's resilience to withstand turbulent events in production

In today's digital age, this may include but is not limited to:

- Network, server & storage failures
- Human errors & data corruption
- Data corruption
- Power failures or site failure (i.e. Godzilla attack or hurricane)
- Application, database & server software updates
- Data reorganization or changes
- Application changes and optimizations

Summary



Oracle makes it simple to build Data Driven Apps by providing **Synergistic Data Technologies** for each modern Development Methodologies



One Converged Database for all data types and model engineered so they all work together enables **Cross Data Synergy**

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One Converged Database greatly simplifies development, operations and overall architecture including high availability, disaster recovery and security.