

Oracle Multitenant Character Sets

Question came up regarding using multiple character sets within a container database. The main point is that in 12.1 a PDB's character set must be the same or a binary subset of the CDB's character set. As an example, US7ASCII and WE8ISO8859P1 databases can be consolidated into a WE8MSWIN1252 database, because they are binary subsets. However, in most cases this usually means that the PDB's character set must be the same as the CDB's.

Oracle Database In-Memory

This question came up during round table discussion, but wanted to confirm. The In-Memory Column Store is a component of the SGA. The size of the in-memory column store is controlled by the parameter INMEMORY_SIZE, which is set to 0 bytes by default.

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