

SAS Online Training Course Content

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(Includes theoretical as well as practical sessions)

- BASICS BEFORE STARTING SAS:
 - DATAWAREHOUSING Concepts
 - What is ETL
 - ETL Concepts
 - What is OLAP
- SAS:
 - What is SAS
 - History of SAS
 - Modules available SAS
- GETTING STARTED WITH SAS SYSTEMS:
 - Basic operating system commands, operating system file structures
 - Managing windows in SAS window environment
 - Use of different kind of SAS products and how to use in SAS application.
 - Difference between the SAS products.
 - Why using the SAS in different sectors.
 - How to use the data step to read and manipulate complex forms of data
 - Write Data and Proc steps.
 - Data step compile and execution
 - To run SAS application on different modes
 - Reading internal reading and printing I raw data into SAS
 - Read any type of external raw data into SAS
 - Reading raw data SAS environment into DATA SET using Input statement & advance INLIFE statement options
 - Working with Data Storage in SAS libraries creation for user defined libraries and multi-engine architecture

- Using a single libref to reference some or all SAS libraries reading and printing mixed records formats.
- Reading packed and zoned decimal data working with EBCDIC and ASCII data
- Reading data from data set to another data set.
- To manage the SAS window environment used with global options.
- Reducing memory requirements with BUFFNO and BUFSIZE working with SAS data set options
- To manage existing data with controlling statements and expressions
- Creating Summary Information, SAS Functions, Transforming Data
- Changing variable types using the PUT and INPUT functions summarizing data files
- Generation data sets to create historical information SAS
- To export data from data sets to delimiter files using with data set block
- Understand error messages in the SAS Log and debug your program
- Use with Error Handling concepts

- PERFORM ITERATIVE PROCESSING ON DATA:
 - Using Do loops for repetitive calculations and processing
 - Using Arrays to process across an observations and processing
 - Using DO WHILE and DO UNTIL statements for conditional looping

- INDEXING TECHNIQUES AND USES:
 - When to use indexes
 - Creating and deleting indexes
 - Index advantages and disadvantages

- UTILITIES TO MANAGE AND WORK WITH DATASETS:
 - Data using append procedure to add date values in existing dataset
 - Using the update statement to update data in existing dataset.
 - Using the MODIFY statements to update and modify data in place
 - Merging concepts
 - Data transformation
 - Concatenation concept in merging
 - Interleaving concept and merging
 - Different kind of match merging using MERGE statement using the contribution (IN=)

option in merge concept

- Using ODS concept to generate reports
- BASE SAS PROCEDURES:
 - Organize and sort SAS data sets and working with duplicates
 - To generate listing output use print
 - Comparing data sets with proc compare
 - To create user defined informat and format statements use format
 - Using proc copy to copy data sets
 - Importance of contents procedure
 - Reading data from dataset for reporting use report
 - Using Proc Datasets to modify data set structure, attributes, how to use permanent formats, Setting up Integrity Constraints to maintain clean data and Setting up indexes
 - Role of ODS concepts to reporting SAS output
 - To generate SAS output in different panels like RTF, HTML,PDF and XML Using ODS
- How to use PROC SQL to retrieve INFORMATION from their Data:
 - Introduction to SQL Concepts
 - The origin of SQL and why we use it.
 - Create new tables, indexes , views and reports
- SIMPLE QUERIES:
 - Understanding to SQL Concepts
 - How to specify columns and subset rows
 - Using functions to summarize and group data
 - Ordering data and formatting out
 - Performing group analysis, remerging and sub queries
- JOINING DATA:
 - What are Cartesian Products, what is join
 - Inner, FULL, OUTER, LEFT and RIGHT Joins
 - Set Operator us such as union and intersection joining multiple tables
 - PROC SQL as compared to the data step

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- WORKING WITH TABLES, VIEWS AND indexes:
 - Creating Indexes and table in SQL
 - Why we use Views in SQL
 - Performance and space ISSUES
- ADVANCED SQL Topics:
 - HOW TO USE SAS MACROS IN SQL
 - How dictionary table and views can simplify programming SQL options
 - How to retrieve Raw data different from DATABASES to SAS environment using SQL Statements
 - To create table in different databases using SAS sql statement
 - To manage in different databases using SAS Sql Statements
- PASS TROUGH FACILITY:
 - Uses of pass through facility
 - How to communicate with other database like Access, Oracle
 - To control and manage other databases fro the SAS.
 - To access required data from other databases
 - To create DATAWAREHOUSING environment
- Basic Statistical Procedures (SAS/STAT) and reporting Procedure:
 - To summary statistical Analysis Summary Procedure
 - Producing Statistical with means Procedure
 - Testing Categorical Data with FREQ PROCEDURE
 - Reporting areas in SAS
 - To generate report use with Proc Report
 - Examining Data with Univariate Procedure
- How to work with SAS/ACCESS & SAS /Connect:
 - To import data from different PC files use import procedure
 - To export data from different source use access procedure
 - To export data from datasets to different PC files use export Procedures

- Uses of DBLoad procedure and how to work
- To transport datasets one environment to another environment and one version to another version (windows to UNIX) use with cprot and cimprot procedures
- How to use Upload Procedure
- How to use Download Procedure

- How to work with MACRO LANGUAGE INTRODUCTION to MACROS:
 - How the SAS macros Language Works
 - What is the role of macro in SAS
 - Introduction to tokening, compiling and executing a SAS program
 - How the macro Processor Works

- Applying MACRO VARIABLES in a SAS PROGRAM:
 - Applying automatic macro variables
 - Designing customized macro variables
 - Submitting the macro variables in SAS Programming
 - Displaying MACRO VARIABLES VALUES in the SAS log
 - Applying quoting functions with macros

- Incorporating SAS Macros in the DATA STEP:
 - Designing macro variables during Data step Execution
 - In directing referencing Macro variables
 - Resolving Macro variables during DATA STEP EXECUTION
 - Under staining the functionality and application of the SYSMGET function and SYSMPUT routine
 - Using the INTO clause to build macro variables during PROC SQL execution

- RUNNING MACRO PROGRAMS IN SAS SOFTWARE:
 - Designing and implementing simple macros and reduce customizing SAS application
 - To Develop Reusable Application use with MACRO
 - Specifying conditional coding inside a macro
 - The macro compilation and execution processes in the macro processor SAS system

options used for debugging macros

- Reviewing error and warning log messages displayed by the macro processor
- Designing and using macros containing parameters within them
- Using positional and keyword parameters in macro calls
- Difference macros and symbol table Hierarchies
- Concepts in MACRO FUNCTIONS, MACRO INTERFACE AND MACRO Quoting Functions and how to use MACRO CODING.

• Techniques for Storing MACROS:

- Understanding the auto call feature
- Permanently storing and using compiled macros
- Writing Efficient macro programs

• DEBUGGING SAS PROGRAMS:

- SAS programs that work
- Fixing Programs that don't work
- Searching for the missing semicolon
- Input statement reaching past the end of line
- Lost card
- Invalid Data
- How to handle different kind of SAS errors
- Missing VALUES were Generated
- Numeric values have been converted to Character
- WRONG results but no error message
- The data step Debugger
- SAS Truncated a character variable
- SAS stops in the middle of the job
- SAS runs pout of memory or disk space