



Database Options & Packs

Description

One of the most regularly discussed topic during our Oracle Unlimited License Agreement (ULA) advisory engagements is always about the database options and the management packs.

The discussions are regarding:

- Which database options or pack **to include or not include** in the list of ULA programs?
- What are the **compliance issues** that are possible by non-inclusion of the different options at the time of ULA Certification or renewal ?
- What are the **cost implications** of different options & packs ?

So we made a ready reckoner of the features and availability of the database options and packs.

Currently Available Options & Packs		
Option or Management Pack	Brief Functionality	Included in
Enterprise Edition	Provides comprehensive tools to monitor and optimize the engine, manageability, availability, and security.	Oracle EE
Enterprise Pack	Tools to enhance and extend the Oracle Enterprise Edition and Oracle Exadata Database Cloud Service.	Oracle EE
Exalogic Pack	Tools to optimize Oracle Exalogic Cloud Service performance, availability, and security.	Oracle EE
Advanced Security	Tools to enhance Oracle Database security, including encryption, auditing, and data redaction.	Oracle EE
Real Application Clusters	Tools to enhance Oracle RAC performance, availability, and security.	Oracle EE
SQL Access Analyzer/Performance (SQLAP)	Tools to analyze and optimize SQL performance.	Oracle EE
SQLGuard	Tools to protect Oracle Database from SQL injection attacks.	Oracle EE
Database Patch	Tools to manage Oracle Database patches and updates.	Oracle EE
Database in Memory	Tools to enhance Oracle Database performance using in-memory column store.	EE
Real Application Testing	Tools to simulate and test Oracle Database workloads.	Oracle EE
Database Lifecycle Management Pack	Tools to manage the Oracle Database lifecycle, including patching, backup, and recovery.	EE
Oracle Analytics Cloud	Tools to integrate Oracle Analytics Cloud with Oracle Database.	Oracle EE
Advanced Compression	Tools to enhance Oracle Database storage efficiency using advanced compression.	Oracle EE
Cloud Management Pack for Oracle Database	Tools to manage Oracle Database in the Oracle Cloud environment.	EE
SQL Patch Pack	Tools to manage Oracle Database SQL patches.	EE
SQLGuard	Tools to protect Oracle Database from SQL injection attacks.	EE
Oracle Analytics Cloud	Tools to integrate Oracle Analytics Cloud with Oracle Database.	EE



We have also provided a list of options and packs that are now obsolete. Their functionality will have been

- Deprecated
- Bundled into the database features
- Included into another option or pack

