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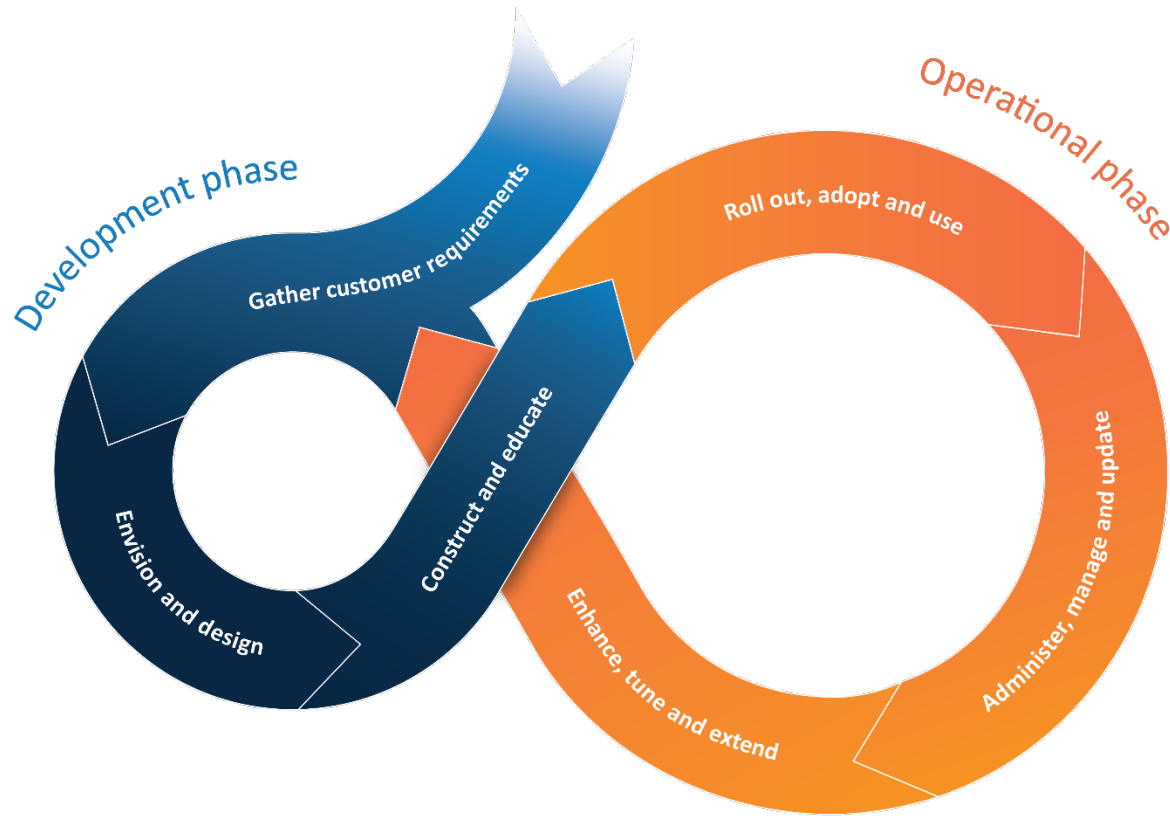
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# SGF Administration Paper Review



# SAS® Administration Lifecycle





# Envision and Design



# Managing Complex SAS® Metadata Security Using Nested Groups to Organize Logical Roles

Stephen Overton, Overton Technologies – [1789-2018](#)

- Scalable security schema
  - Nested groups + logical roles
- Authentication vs. Authorization
- Controlling access
  - Data
  - Functionality
  - Folders
- Template security model
- Naming standards

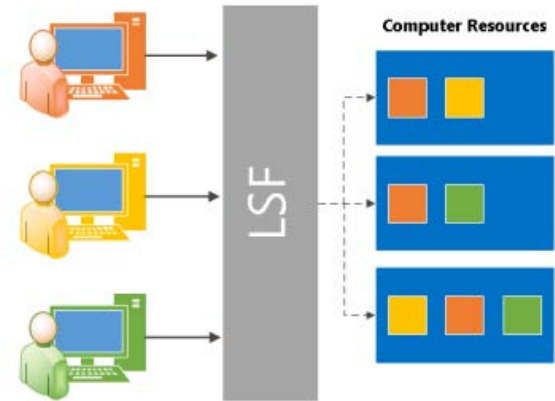
	Logical Role (User Group)										
	[A] Administrator	[A] AML Administrator	[A] AML Scenario Administrator	[A] ECM Developer	[A] BSA Manager	[A] CTR Manager	[A] SAR Manager	[A] CDD/EDD Manager	[A] SAR Supervisor	[A] CTR Supervisor	[A] CDD/EDD Supervisor
Inherited Group											
[ECM-WF] BSA Manager				X	X						
[ECM-WF] SAR Process				X	X	X	X				
[ECM-WF] CTR Process				X	X	X	X	X	X		
[ECM-WF] Watchlist				X	X		X	X			
[ECM-WF] CDD/EDD				X	X			X			X
(F) Analyst										X	X
(F) Investigator										X	X
(F) Supervisor								X	X	X	
(F) Manager					X	X	X	X			
(F) Report Consumer					X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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(F) Report Developer											
(F) ECM Developer	X			X							
(F) eFiler					X		X	X		X	X
(F) Portal Administrator	X										
(F) User Administrator	X										
(F) Administrator	X										
(F) Scenario Administrator		X	X								
(ECM-UI) Internal Employee	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	
(ECM-UI) Restricted Customers	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	
(ECM-UI) Case Assignment	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	
(ECM-UI) Scenario Admin	X	X	X		X						
(DR) ECM Application		X		X							
(DR) FCS Reporting		X		X							
(DR) FCF Core		X	X	X					X		X
(DW) FCF Core Staging		X		X							
(DR) FCF Knowledge Center		X	X	X					X		X



# Frequently Asked Questions about Getting Started with SAS® Grid

*Andy Peredery, Nick Welke, and Ivan Gomez, Zencos Consulting—[2752-2018](#)*

- What is SAS Grid?
- How does it compare to Hadoop?
- What about SAS MP Connect?
- What is the SAS Grid architecture
- Why add SAS Grid to my environment?
- What should I consider when...
  - planning for SAS Grid?
  - educating my users?

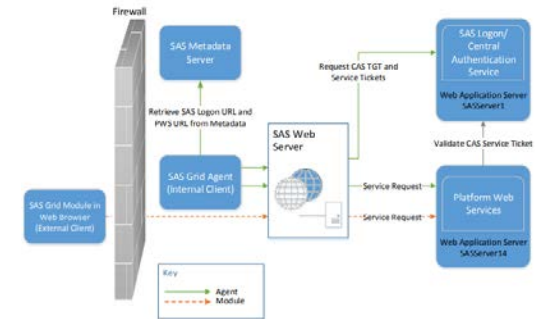




# The Ins and Outs of Internal and External Host Names with SAS® Grid Manager

*Paula Kavanagh, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1775-2018](#)*

- Internal hostname <> external hostname = *potential trouble*
  - SAS Grid Manager
  - SAS Environment Manager
- Overview of Grid components
- Communication flow
- Central Authentication Service (CAS) <> “CAS”
- 2 Problems:
  - External Grid Module client → internal hostnames
  - Internal Agent → external hostnames

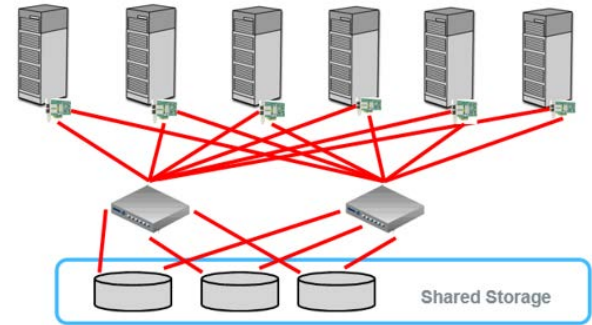




# SAS® Grid Manager for High Availability: Implementation Best Practices

*Edoardo Riva, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2155-2018](#)*

- Levels of High Availability in a Grid
  - Hardware
  - LSF software
  - SAS Services
  - SAS programs
- SAS Environment Manager
  - SAS Grid Manager module
- HA Configuration Manager
- Tips





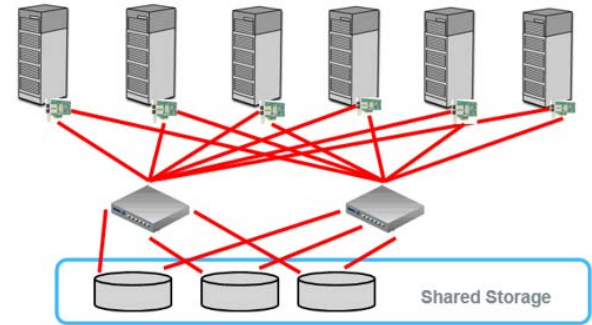


# High-availability services in enterprise environment with SAS® Grid Manager

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*Andrey Turlov, Allianz Technology SE; Nikolaus Hartung, SAS – [1726-2018](#)*

- HA in SAS Components
- Use Case: EBI + Grid
  - Topology
  - IBM® Platform LSF® & EGO® Configuration
  - Metadata Server Configuration
  - SAS Services metadata
- Dynamic LSF and static metadata





# Optimizing Red Hat GFS2® on SAS® Grid

*Tony Brown, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1929-2018](#)*

- Red Hat Global File System 2
- Performance Architecture Reviews
- Limitations
- Installation
- Host Node Tuning
- Distributed Lock Manager tuning
- Hardware Connection





# Deploying SAS® Grid Systems on VMware ESXi Virtually Provisioned Storage

*Tony Brown, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1931-2018](#)*

- BIOS Settings
- Physical Host Issues
- VM Configuration
- SAN Storage
- LUN Specifics

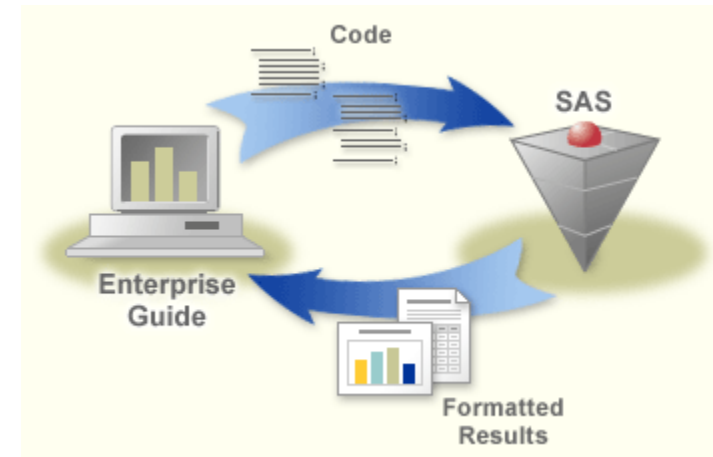




# Creating a Multi-Tenant Environment using SAS® Enterprise Guide® and SAS Grid®

*Tim Acton, General Dynamics Health Solutions— [2642-2018](#)*

- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Chronic Condition Warehouse Virtual Research Data Center (CMS CCW VRDC)
- External user access to data
- Why EG and Grid?
- CCW infrastructure
- EG as a service
- Grid-launched workspace servers
- CCW-specific autoexec tuning





# Planning for Migration from SAS® 9.4 to SAS® Viya®

*Don B. Hayes, DLL Consulting Inc.; Spencer Hayes & Michael Shealy, Cached Consulting LLC;  
Rebecca Hayes, Green Peach Consulting Inc. – [2391-2018](#)*

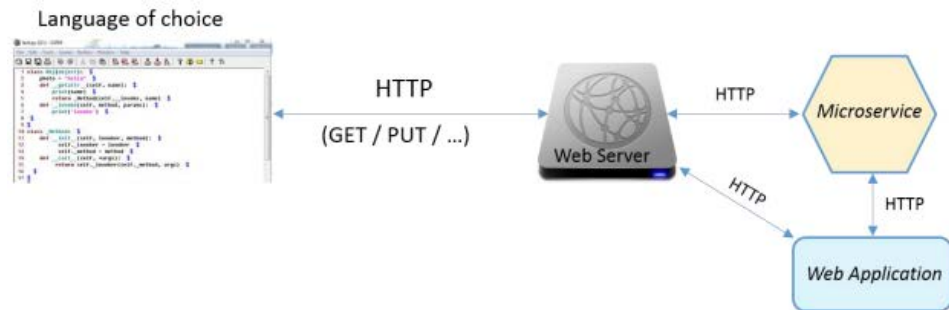
- SAS 9 vs. SAS Viya architecture
- Supported OSes
- Pre-installation
- Installation
  - SDW vs. Ansible
- Administration
- Libraries
- Upgrades/Migration



# SAS® Viya® Service Layer Architecture Overview

*Eric Bourn, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2272-2018](#)*

- SAS Viya architecture
- Microservices
- Service registration and config
- REST communication
- SAS Message Broker
- SAS Infrastructure Data Server
- Scaling & High Availability
- SAS Environment Manager & CLIs





# SAS® Viya®: Architect for High Availability Now and Users Will Thank You Later

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*Jerry Read, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1835-2018](#)*

- What is H/A?
- Load balancing...
  - CAS
  - Programming Runtime Servers
  - Microservices
  - Infrastructure Servers



# Construct, Roll Out, Manage, and Update





# Automated Management of UNIX/Linux Multi-Tiered SAS® Services: The Enhanced SAS\_Ism Utility

*Clifford J. Meyers, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1921-2018](#)*

- SAS\_Ism ([SAS0339-2017](#))
- Multi-tier SAS Environment
- Start / Stop / Status
- Deploying SAS\_Ism
- Configuration File
- Example 3-Tier Config
- Use-cases





# External Databases: Tools for the SAS® Administrator

*Mathieu Gaouette, Prospective MG inc. – [2357-2018](#)*

- DB library config levels
- SAS Management Console
- Creating libraries
  - Required options
  - Advanced options
- Validating access
- Other considerations



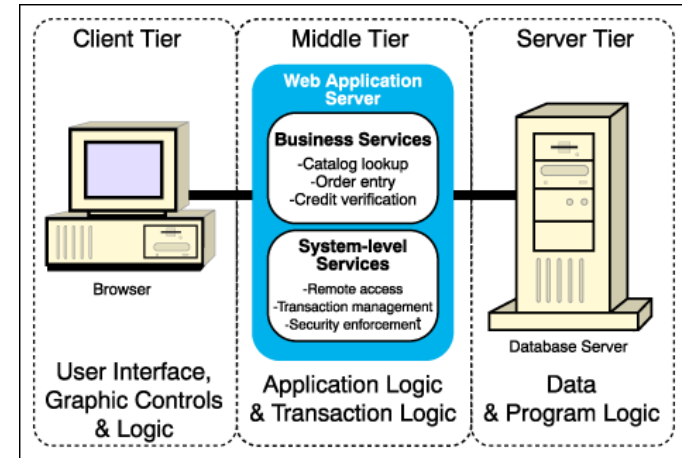


# Recent SAS® 9.4 Middle-Tier Platform Updates for Fun and Profit

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*Zhiyong Li and Qing Gong, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1918-2018](#)*

- Middle Tier updates since SGF 2017
- Middle Tier primer
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party updates in 9.4M4 and 9.4M5
- Horizontal cluster updates
- OpenSSL security
- Preservation of SSL & reverse proxy settings
- Security hardening
- SAS Environment Manager updates



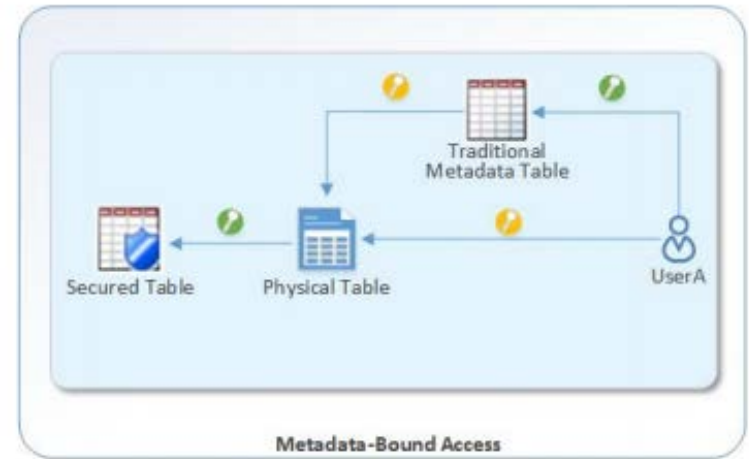


# A Programming Approach to Implementing SAS® Metadata-Bound Libraries for SAS® Data Set Encryption

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*Deepali Rai, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2181-2018](#)*

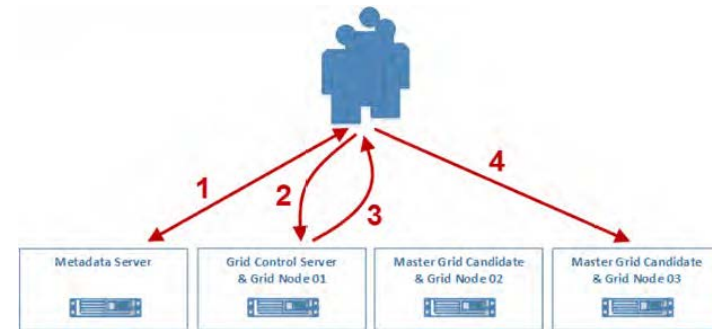
- Metadata-bound libraries
  - Concepts
  - Value
- Administrator/user challenges
- Planning
- Implementation
  - SASMC
  - PROC AUTHLIB
- Monitoring and Maintenance



# Troubleshooting your SAS® Grid Environment

*Jason Hawkins, Amadeus Software Limited* – 2620-2018

- Grid topology
- Grid benefits
- IBM® Spectrum™ LSF®
- Sequence of events for job
- Local vs. Shared installation and config files
- Troubleshooting
  - Logging
  - LSF commands
  - SAS Environment Manager & Enterprise Grid Orchestrator
- Problem resolution





# Taming Change: Bulk Upgrading SAS® 9.4 Environments to a New Maintenance Release

*Javor Evstatiev, EVS; Andrey Turlov, Allianz Technology SE – [1825-2018](#)*

- Maintenance – Why?
- Preparation
  - Mass Upgrading
  - Reusable Tools
  - Testing
  - Depot Management
- Execution
  - UIP
  - Install & Migrate





# Latest and Greatest: Best Practices for Migrating to SAS® 9.4

*Alec Fernandez and Leigh Fernandez, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2117-2018](#)*

- “Migration”
- Ground Rules
- Preparation
- Analyzing Source System
- Packing - SAS Migration Utility
- Unpacking - SAS Deployment Wizard

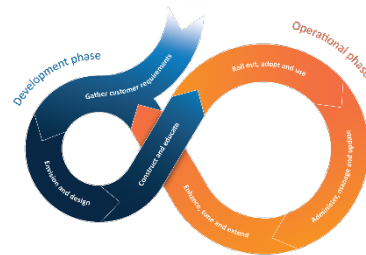




# A “Big Red Button” for SAS® administrators: Myth or Reality?

*Sergey Iglov, SASIT Limited – 1828-2018*

- Simplifying cloud deployment
  - Infrastructure provisioning
  - Installation
  - Configuration
- IaaS vs. PaaS vs. SaaS
- SAS 9 & **SAS Viya**
- AWS example



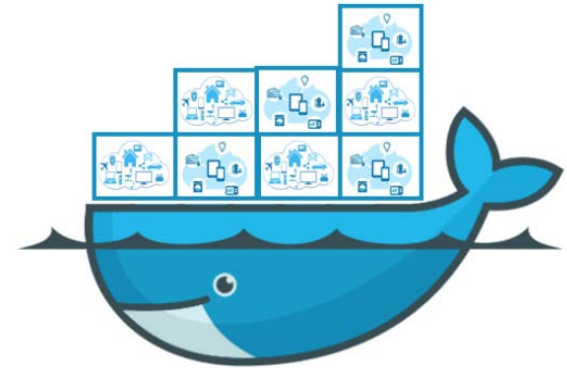




# Docker Toolkit for Data Scientists – How to Start Doing Data Science in Minutes!

*Donna De Capite, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1875-2018](#)*

- Docker containers
- Container orchestrators
- SAS® Analytics for Containers
  - Building
  - Deploying
- Pre-requisites
  - AWS
  - Google Cloud Platform
  - Azure
- AWS EMR Hadoop integration





# SAS® Environment Manager – A SAS® Viya® Administrator's Swiss Army Knife

*Michelle Ryals, Trevor Nightingale, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2260-2018](#)*

- SAS Environment Manager for Viya 3.3
- Dashboard
- Resource Administration
  - Users & Groups
  - User-defined Formats
  - Scheduling
- Monitoring
- Deployment Administration
  - Configuration
  - Licensed Products
  - Backup / Restore

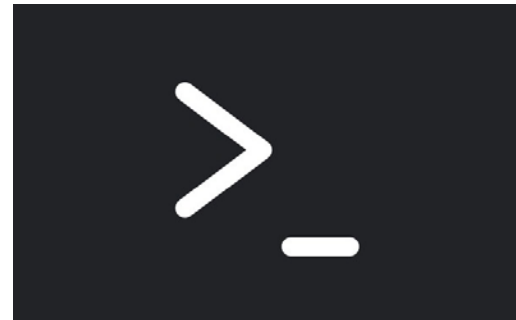




# Command-Line Administration in SAS® Viya®

*Danny Hamrick, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2233-2018](#)*

- CLIs leveraging REST
- Benefits
  - Run-time free
  - Profile mechanism
  - Install where you need it
- Built-in help
- sas-admin examples
  - Folders
  - Rules
  - Configuration
  - CASLIBs
- Automation



# Enhance, Tune, and Extend



# Tracking Down the Culprit of a SAS® Workspace Server Initialization Delay

*Jessica Franklin, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2003-2018](#)*

- Slow Workspace Server startup
- Identifying delay
- Root cause
  - Pre-assigned libraries
  - System hardware
  - Network
    - Linux
    - Windows
- \*Lots\* of diagnostic command examples





# SAS® 9.4 Middle-Tier Performance Optimization

*Glenn Horton, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1663-2018](#)*

- Tuning is site-specific
- *SAS 9.4 Web Applications: Tuning for Performance and Scalability*
- Web Application Server
- Operating System
- Monitor
  - SAS Environment Manager
  - jvisualvm & nmon
  - garbage collection



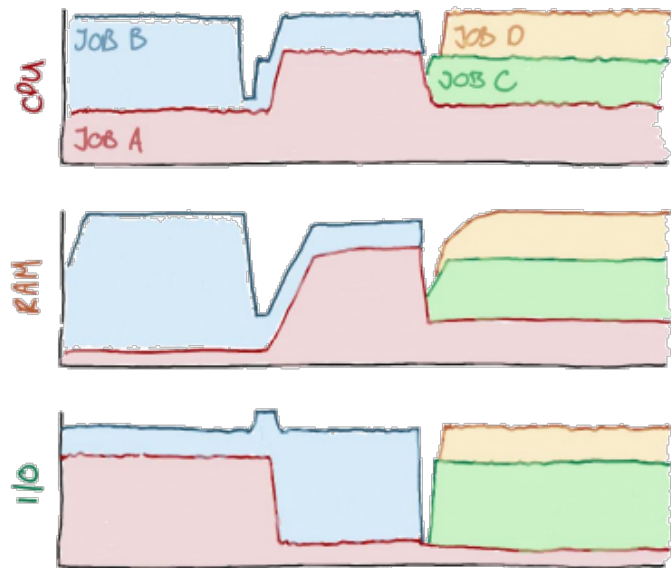


# Fluid and Dynamic: Using measurement-based workload prediction to dynamically provision your Cloud

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*Nikola Marković, Boemska UK – [2057-2018](#)*

- Analytic Workloads
- Cloud Resources
- Workload Requirements
- Orchestrating the Perfect Schedule
- Interactive Workloads





# Important Performance Considerations When Moving SAS® to a Public Cloud

*Margaret Crevar, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1866-2018](#)*

- Performance for SAS 9 and SAS Viya
- Assess SLA for SAS workload
- Determine cloud infrastructure
  - Instance type
  - Storage type
  - SAS Grid shared file system
  - SAS client location
  - Data sources
  - H/A and Security





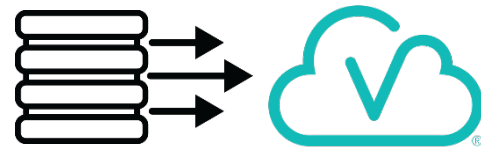


# Five Approaches for High-Performance Data Loading to the SAS® Cloud Analytic Services Server

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*Rob Collum, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1854-2018](#)*

- Parallel vs. Serial
  1. SASHDAT on Hadoop
  2. SAS Data Connect Accelerators
  3. SASHDAT on DNFS
  4. SAS7BDAT in parallel
  5. Multi-node data transfer
- Additional tips



# Security and Auditing



# SAS® 9.4 on Microsoft Windows: Unleashing Kerberos on Apache Hadoop

*Stuart J Rogers, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1878-2018](#)*

- Microsoft Windows focus
- SAS authentication
- IWA
- Configuration Changes
- Challenges
- Troubleshooting
- Testing





# Understanding Security for SAS® Visual Analytics 8.2 on SAS® Viya®

*Antonio Gianni and Faisal Qamar, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2130-2018](#)*

- *Applicable for all SAS Viya offerings*
- Identity Management
- Authentication
- Encryption
- Authorization
  - CAS
  - General
- Case Study





# OpenID Connect Opens the Door to SAS® Viya® APIs

*Mike Roda, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS1737-2018](#)*

- OAuth and OpenID Connect for Authentication
- Overview of SAS Viya's Use
- Client Registration
- Tokens
- SAS Viya APIs

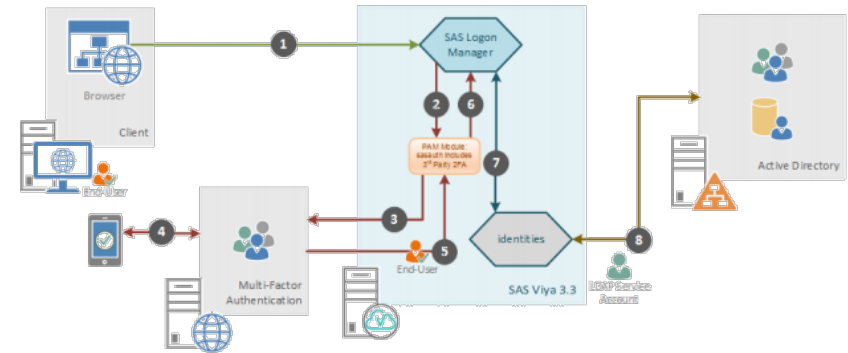




# Multi-Factor Authentication with SAS® and Symantec VIP

*Jody Steadman and Mike Roda, SAS Institute Inc. – [SAS2142-2018](#)*

- SAS 9.4 and SAS Viya MFA
- Symantec VIP
- SAS 9.4 Example
  - Apache 2.4
  - MFA for VA
  - MFA for EG
- SAS Viya Example
  - RADIUS Validation Server
  - MFA for Web Apps



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