## **Control-M 21.x: Fundamentals Administering**



Learning Path >

Course Code: AUTO-CMFA-9213

Modality	Duration	Applicable Versions	Target Audience
Instructor-Led Training (ILT)	4 Days	Control-M 9.0.21.300	<ul><li>Administrators</li><li>Consultants</li></ul>

### **Course Overview**

This course provides instruction and hands-on practice in administration and customization options of the distributed systems Control-M solution. Control-M is a monitoring and management tool for the enterprise batch-scheduling environment. It allows users to manage job processing across all distributed systems platforms supported by instances of Control-M/Server and Control-M/Agent.

### **Prerequisites**

- Control-M 21.x: Fundamentals Using (WBT)
- Control-M 21.x: Fundamentals Operating (ILT)

### **Recommended Trainings**

NA

### **Learning Objectives**

- Describe the Control-M architecture and the purpose of each component involved in it
- Explain the role of the different Control-M/EM, Control-M/Server and Control-M/Agent processes
- Name and access the different Control-M interfaces
- Start, stop and manage the Control-M components
- Create, load and manage job definitions
- Explain how the New Day Process functions
- Configure Exception and Usage Alerts
- Configure Control-M/EM, Control-M/Server and Control-M/Agent System Parameters
- Send Alerts and Exception Alerts via SNMP
- Create Control-M Users and Roles
- Integrate Control-M with an External Authentication Provider
- Describe the Control-M High Availability architecture and the steps to implement it
- Explain Control-M/Agent security
- List Control-M/Agent connection types
- Describe Host Groups and Agent Restrictions
- Describe Remote Hosts, their enabling technology and how to implement them
- State the purpose of Control-M Application Plug-ins
- Perform the steps to implement Control-M Application Plug-ins
- Integrate Control-M with a CyberArk Vault
- Implement job version management
- Update version management system parameters
- Backup and manage the Control-M databases
- Troubleshoot the Control-M components

### **Course Modules**

#### **Module 1: Architecture and Components**

- · Describe the Control-M architecture
- State the purpose of each component in the Control-M architecture
- · Explain the different Control-M/EM processes
- · List the different Control-M interfaces
- · Access the Control-M interfaces

## Module 2: Starting, Stopping and Checking Status

- Start and stop the Control-M/EM, Control-M/Server, and Control-M/Agent components
- · Check the status of the:
  - Control-M/EM
  - Control-M/Servers
  - Control-M/Agents
  - Databases
- · Monitor the Control-M services

# Module 3: Job Life Cycle and Configuring the Control-M/Server

- · Work with the Control-M GUI
- Create a Workspace
- · Describe the job processing life cycle
- · Create a Viewpoint
- · Create and order jobs for execution
- · Work with Conditions
- Describe the New Day Process

# Module 4: Configuring the Control-M/Enterprise Manager

- Configure EM System Parameters
- · Configure exception and usage alerts
- · Implement and configure SNMP communication

# Module 5: Control-M/Enterprise Manager Security

- Explain Control-M/EM Security
- Explain Control-M Users and Roles
- · Create Control-M Users and Roles
- Configure External Authentication using IdP and LDAP
- Configure Password Rules
- · Configure Emergency Users
- · Change the Control-M/EM DBO Password

### **Module 6: High Availability**

- Implement Control-M software-managed high availability for the:
  - Control-M/Enterprise Manager
  - Control-M/Server

#### Module 7: Control-M/Agent Security

- · Administer Control-M/Agent security in Windows:
  - Configure Windows Local Security Policies
  - Change the Control-M/Agent Windows Service account
  - Use the Logon As parameter
- Administer Control-M/Agent security on Linux/UNIX:
  - Use non-root mode
  - Use root mode
  - Use sudo mode
- · Explain Agent connection modes
- · Define and configure Host Groups
- · Define Agent Restrictions

#### Module 8: Remote Hosts and Application Plug-Ins

- Describe the benefits of enabling remote host job execution
- Implement remote host job execution
- Describe the purpose of Control-M Application Plug-ins
- Explain the relationship between the Control-M/Agent and Control-M
- Application Plug-ins
- Install and configure Control-M Application Plugins
- · Integrate Control-M with a CyberArk Vault

#### **Module 9: Database Backup and Management**

- · Perform job version management
- Perform database maintenance actions
- Backup and restore the Control-M/EM and Control-M/Server databases

#### **Module 10: Troubleshooting Control-M**

- · Troubleshoot the Control-M components
- Access and use the BMC Knowledge Base to research issues and fixes
- Access Control-M user communities
- Use BMC Support to identify and correct issues
  - Download and use product documentation
  - Log support issues

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