

Introduction to Virtualization Technologies (4 Days)

Description

In this 4-day class participants will learn about virtualization technology products offered by Microsoft, VMware, and Citrix. This course is approximately 50% lab and demo and 50% lecture. Students will be working on real hardware in a remote datacenter.

Course Outline

- 1. What is virtualization?
- 2. Hypervisors
 - a. Vendors
 - i. Microsoft
 - ii. VMware
 - iii. Citrix
 - b. Type 1 vs Type 2
 - c. Enterprise
 - i. Virtual RAM
 - ii. Virtual Disk
 - iii. Virtual Network
 - d. Desktop
 - i. Test/Dev
 - ii. Small Shop
 - iii. Hardware independence
 - iv. Application building
- 3. Challenges and types of processor virtualization
 - a. Intel-VT
 - b. AMD-V
- 4. Virtualization of hardware (non-processor)
 - a. HAL
 - b. Drivers
- 5. Virtual Machines
 - a. Guest O/S
 - b. Desktop Virtualization
 - c. Server Virtualization

- 6. Application Support
 - a. Legacy
 - b. 32/64 bit
 - c. Application Patching
 - d. Application building and testing
 - e. Application Training
- 7. Build Virtual Machines
 - a. Manual
 - b. Automation
 - c. Copy vs Clone
- 8. Backup and Restore Virtual Machines
 - a. Manual
 - b. Backup Software
 - c. Shadow Copies
- 9. Physical to Virtual/Virtual to Virtual
- 10. Snapshots
- 11. Hypervisor management
- 12. Hypervisor and Virtual Machine Clustering and Fault tolerance
- 13. Workload manipulation
 - a. vMotion/Live Motion
 - b. Load Balancing
- 14. Deploy
 - a. VMware Player/Workstation
 - b. Windows 8 Hyper-V
 - c. vSphere 5.1
 - d. Hyper-V 2012
 - e. XenServer
- 15. Virtualization Architecture and Design
- 16. Hypervisor comparison VMware/Microsoft/Citrix