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VM-VS-DM-62	24 Hours (3 days)	\$2,550.00

Description

During this three-day course, you will focus on deploying and managing a software-defined storage solution with VMware Virtual SAN™ 6.2. You will learn how Virtual SAN functions as an important component in the VMware software-defined data center (SDDC). You will gain practical experience with Virtual SAN concepts through the completion of hands-on lab exercises.

Objectives

- Describe the Virtual SAN architecture and use cases
- Configure Virtual SAN networking components
- Configure a Virtual SAN cluster
- Deploy virtual machines on a Virtual SAN datastore
- Configure virtual machine storage policies
- Perform ongoing Virtual SAN management tasks
- Outline the tasks for upgrading from Virtual SAN 5 to Virtual SAN 6.2
- Describe Virtual SAN interoperability with VMware vSphere® features and other products
- Use the Virtual SAN health service to monitor Virtual SAN health and performance
- Use the command line to monitor Virtual SAN
- Configure a stretched cluster and observe failover scenarios
- Plan and design a Virtual SAN cluster

Audience

Storage and virtual infrastructure administrators who want to use software-defined storage with Virtual SAN

Prerequisites

Storage administration experience on block or file storage devices
Understanding of concepts presented in the VMware vSphere: Install, Configure, Manage [V6] course
Experience with working at the command line is helpful
The course material presumes that a student can perform the following tasks with no assistance or guidance before enrolling in this course:
Use VMware vSphere® Web Client
Create and manage VMware vCenter Server® objects, such as data centers and clusters
Create and modify a standard switch
Connect an VMware ESXi™ host to NAS, iSCSI, or Fibre Channel storage
Create a VMware vSphere® VMFS datastore
Use a wizard or a template to create a virtual machine
Migrate a virtual machine with VMware vSphere® vMotion®
Migrate a virtual machine with VMware vSphere® Storage vMotion®
If you are unable to complete all of these tasks, VMware recommends that you complete the VMware vSphere: Install, Configure, Manage [V6] course before enrolling in VMware Virtual SAN: Deploy and Manage.

Programme

- 1 Course Introduction
 - Introductions and course logistics
 - Course objectives
 - Describe the software-defined data center

2 Storage Fundamentals

- Define common storage technologies
- Identify common SAN architectures
- Identify characteristics of storage devices: magnetic and flash-based devices
- Identify and explain the differences between file, block, and object-oriented storage architectures
- Identify SAN performance factors
- Compare and contrast local, centralized, and distributed storage architectures

3 Introduction to Virtual SAN

- Describe the Virtual SAN architecture and components
- Describe the differences between the Virtual SAN hybrid and all-flash architectures
- Describe the space efficiency features of Virtual SAN

4 Virtual SAN Configuration

- Identify physical network configuration requirements
- Configure Virtual SAN networking
- Configure a Virtual SAN cluster
- Test and validate the Virtual SAN configuration and functionality

6 Managing and Operating Virtual SAN

- Manage hardware storage devices
- Manage hardware device failures
- Identify vCenter Server alarms for Virtual SAN events
- Configure fault domains
- Upgrade from Virtual SAN 5.5 to Virtual SAN 6.2

7 Interoperability with vSphere Features

- Identify vSphere features and VMware products that interoperate with Virtual SAN
- Describe how Virtual SAN interoperates with VMware vSphere® Enterprise Edition™ features
- Describe how Virtual SAN interoperates with third-party products and solutions

8 Monitoring and Troubleshooting Virtual SAN

- Identify tools to troubleshoot Virtual SAN
- Use the Virtual SAN health service to monitor health and performance
- Monitor Virtual SAN with VMware vRealize® Operations Manager™
- Monitor Virtual SAN with Ruby vSphere Console and Virtual SAN Observer

9 Stretched Clustering and Two-Node Models

- Compare a stretched cluster and a two-node cluster configuration
- Configure a stretched cluster using a two-node configuration
- Demonstrate stretched cluster failover scenarios

5 Virtual SAN Policies and Virtual Machines

- Explain how storage policies work with Virtual SAN
- Define and create a virtual machine storage policy
- Apply and modify virtual machine storage policies
- Explain the considerations for vsanSparse snapshots
- Discuss the vsanSparse snapshot format

10 Designing a Virtual SAN Deployment

- Understand the Virtual SAN design basics
- Plan and design Virtual SAN clusters
- Consider the Virtual SAN hybrid and all-flash designs
- Describe the Virtual SAN use case design considerations
- Identify the design and sizing tools for Virtual SAN

Session Dates

On request. Please [Contact Us](#)

Additional Information

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