



Highlights

- Sizing estimates for IBM Power Systems, IBM z Systems, and IBM System Storage products when used for deploying Oracle software
 - New installation sizing estimates—for clients implementing an Oracle product on an IBM platform for the first time
 - Upgrade sizing estimates—for clients upgrading existing installations of an Oracle product on an IBM platform
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IBM sizing estimation for IBM systems running Oracle products

Simple, no-charge, reliable estimates for new installations or upgrades to existing environments

Sizing estimation you can trust

For years, the IBM® Oracle International Competency Center has been testing the performance of Oracle software running on IBM hardware to derive the metrics necessary to build reliable sizing estimation tools. These tools are continuously refined using feedback from clients and from IBM and IBM Business Partner technical specialists with direct experience implementing Oracle products on IBM servers and storage. This continuous testing and feedback helps us create sizing estimation tools that are trustworthy and reliable—helping you derive more accurate project cost estimates.

IBM's sizing estimation tools are built to support sizing estimates for Oracle products running on IBM's leading-edge server and storage offerings—including IBM Power Systems™, IBM z Systems™, and IBM System Storage® products.

Sizing estimates for new installations or upgrade projects

Working with the IBM Digital Techline Center we have designed sizing estimation processes for clients implementing an Oracle software product for the first time, as well as customers upgrading their Oracle solution environments. A list of Oracle products covered by our new and upgrade sizing processes is shown in Table 1. For questions about sizing for Oracle products shown in Table 1, or for any other Oracle product sizing questions, please contact the IBM Oracle International Competency Center at ibmoracle@us.ibm.com.



Oracle Product	New sizing	Upgrade sizing
Oracle E-Business Suite	X	X
Oracle's JD Edwards EnterpriseOne	X	X
Oracle's JD Edwards World	X	X
Oracle's PeopleSoft Enterprise	X	X
Oracle Business Intelligence Enterprise Edition	X	
Oracle Database	X	

Table 1: IBM sizing estimation capabilities by Oracle product

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