

IBM i2 iBase Designer Course Overview

Duration: 5 days

“My colleague who created the database is leaving and I have been asked to take over. I need a course that will give me the knowledge to create and or make changes to an existing iBase database structure.”

Description

Learn how to implement and administer i2 iBase databases. This course helps students plan, create, and test iBase databases that are used to hold and analyse large amounts of data. It also covers iBase specific administration processes and helps students to put into practice the creation of users with different security settings. Although the course does have a few small technical aspects, those who shy away from technical IT areas need not be afraid! We make sure that you fully understand which aspects of the administration and publishing processes should be left to the technical people.

The course uses a variety of information to ensure that students deal with familiar data: such as communication records, financial records, and a variety of standard intelligence reports. It also exposes students to new and useful ideas that can help them in their everyday analytical role.

Objectives

By the end of the course students will be able to:

- plan, create and test iBase databases.
- set up users with passwords and profiles.
- administrate and configure functions such as Search 360, History and Alerting.

Course Content

- Planning an iBase database
- Creating and testing a database
- Security and administration
- Dealing with SQL, and activation of specialist functions

Prerequisites

We strongly recommend that the students attending this course have completed the iBase Standard course or equivalent, or are familiar with using iBase through regular use. Our experience shows that those who understand how iBase works from a user perspective get far more from the course than those who do not. Students must also be familiar with using Microsoft Windows, in particular managing folders. All courses are conducted in English so students should have a good understanding of spoken and written English. Please note translators can be used on closed courses.

Is this the right course for you?

This course is specifically for users who are required to design and create an iBase database. It will also suit people who will be involved in continuing the evolution of an existing iBase database. Analysts who are familiar with the concepts of Entitles and Links are ideal for this course. Classic database designers and database administrators will also find this course helpful if they are tasked with designing an iBase database, however please note this is not a technical course and potential students should talk to users in their own organisation about the role of the analyst before attending the course.

Where Next?

Many people discover gaps in their knowledge of both Analyst's Notebook and iBase when attending this course. Please ask the trainer for advice on any useful next steps in training throughout the week.