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NEW QUESTION: 1

Refer to the Exhibit.

```
[root@ds-lab-vsant12:~] esxcli storage nmp psp roundrobin deviceconfig set --useano=0 -d naa.6000000
```

An administrator is configuring a storage device as shown in the Exhibit.

What is the expected effect on the stated device after running the command?

- A. I/O will rotate on all storage targets regardless of port group state.
- B. I/O will rotate on all storage targets that are Active Optimized state only.
- C. I/O will rotate on all storage targets that are Active Unoptimized state only.
- D. I/O will rotate on all storage targets that are on Available Nodes only.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Command	Description	Options help
storage nmp psp roundrobin device-config set	Allow setting of the Round Robin path options on a given device controlled by the Round Robin Selection Policy.	<p>--bytes -B When the --type option is set to 'bytes' this is the value that will be assigned to the byte limit value for this device.</p> <p>--device -d The device you wish to set the Round Robin settings for. This device must be controlled by the Round Robin Path Selection Policy</p> <p>--help -h Show the help message.</p> <p>--iops -I When the --type option is set to 'iops' this is the value that will be assigned to the I/O operation limit value for this device.</p> <p>--type -t Set the type of the Round Robin path switching that should be enabled for this device. Valid values for type are: bytes: Set the trigger for path switching based on the number of bytes sent down a path. default: Set the trigger for path switching back to default values. iops: Set the trigger for path switching based on the number of I/O operations on a path.</p> <p>--useano -U Set useano to true, to also include non-optimized paths in the set of active paths used to issue I/Os on this device, otherwise set it to false</p>

Reference: https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcli.ref.doc_50%2Fesxcli_storage.html

NEW QUESTION: 2

An administrator enables High Availability (HA) on a Virtual SAN cluster.

There are four vmkernel port groups with the following IP addresses assigned:

Management: 192.168.12.10

vMotion: 192.168.13.10

Virtual SAN: 192.168.14.10

Fault Tolerance: 192.168.15.10

Which IP address will HA use for traffic?

- A. 192.168.12.10
- B. 192.168.13.10
- C. 192.168.14.10
- D. 192.168.15.10

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Give the VMKernel port a label (e.g. iSCSI - if it will purley be used for iSCSI).

Enter the VLAN ID if the pNICs connected to the vSwitch are trunk ports and you have a specific VLAN for this traffic (e.g. a dedicated storage VLAN).

Now if the port will only be used for storage services (iSCSI and NFS).

If the port will be used for all VMkernel services (iSCSI, NFS, vMotion and FT), tick the additional boxes to allow this port to be used also for those services, Assigned the FT (IP Address) Clustering is configured to give you, the administrator of an environment, a form of fault tolerance, and VMware has taken this concept to a whole other level. Although VMware does not call FT clustering, it functions the same in that FT will failover the primary virtual machine to a secondary virtual machine.

VMware Fault Tolerance (FT) is based on vLockstep technology and provides zero downtime, zero data loss, and continuous availability for your applications.

Next,

* Always assign a reasonably high relative share for the Fault Tolerance resource pool because FT is a very latency-sensitive traffic type.

NEW QUESTION: 3

An administrator is troubleshooting a CPU issue for a virtual machine. The following is seen in esxtop:

CPU0 is at 100% usage

▪ The remaining logical CPUs are close to 0%

▪ %RDY value is consistently above 10%

What is likely the cause of the CPU issue?

- A. The virtual machine has a CPU limit configured.
- B. The virtual machine's guest operating system is configured for SMP.
- C. The virtual machine has CPU affinity configured.
- D. The virtual machine is configured with a CPU reservation.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Using CPU Affinity

By specifying a CPU affinity setting for each virtual machine, you can restrict the assignment of virtual machines to a subset of the available processors in multiprocessor systems. By using this feature, you can assign each virtual machine to processors in the specified affinity set.

CPU affinity specifies virtual machine-to-processor placement constraints and is different from the relationship created by a VM-VM or VM-Host affinity rule, which specifies virtual machine-to-virtual machine host placement constraints.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp?topic=/>

NEW QUESTION: 4

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator has configured Distributed Resource Scheduler (DRS) groups and Affinity Rules as shown in the Exhibit.

Based on the exhibit, which two statements are true? (Choose two.)

- A. If ESXi-A and ESXi-D failed, VM-A and VM-B would not failover.
- B. A new conflicting affinity rule will be disabled by default.
- C. VM-B and VM-D can run on the same hosts.
- D. The administrator must disable Rule3 in order to enable Rule4.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

B-) NOTE If you use the Specify Failover Hosts admission control policy and designate multiple failover hosts, DRS does not attempt to enforce VM-VM affinity rules for virtual machines that are running on failover hosts.

D-) vSphere HA and DRS Affinity Rules If you create a DRS affinity rule for your cluster, you can specify how vSphere HA applies that rule during a virtual machine failover. The two types of rules for which you can specify vSphere HA failover behavior are the following: n VM anti-affinity rules force specified virtual machines to remain apart during failover actions. n VM-Host affinity rules place specified virtual machines on a particular host or a member of a defined group of hosts during failover actions. When you edit a DRS affinity rule, select the checkbox or checkboxes that enforce the desired failover behavior for vSphere HA.

n HA must respect VM anti-affinity rules during failover -- if VMs with this rule would be placed together, the failover is aborted.

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-availability-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 5

Which three logs can be reviewed to troubleshoot a vCenter Server upgrade failure? (Choose three.)

- A. vminst.log
- B. vim-vcs-msi.log
- C. pkgmgr.log
- D. vc-upgrade.log
- E. firstboot.log

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Retrieve Installation Logs Manually

You can retrieve the installation log files manually for examination.

Procedure

1 Navigate to the installation log file locations.

■ %PROGRAMDATA%\VMware\vCenterServer\logs directory, usually

C:\ProgramData\VMware\vCenterServer\logs

■ %TEMP% directory, usually C:

\Users\username\AppData\Local\Temp

The files in the %TEMP% directory include vminst.log, pkgmgr.log, pkgmgr-comp-msi.log, and vim-vcs-msi.log.

2 Open the installation log files in a text editor for examination.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.install.doc%2FGUID-CF80C555-BFB1-4FF1-B4E6-6935D424838E.html>

NEW QUESTION: 6

An administrator wants to prevent a priority virtual machine that resides in a vSphere DRS cluster from migrating to other hosts in the cluster.

What configuration step will accomplish this without affecting other virtual machines?

- A. Set VM Overrides to Partially Automated.
- B. Set VM Overrides to Manual.
- C. Configure a VM/Host Rule with the setting Must run on hosts in group.
- D. Configure a VM/Host Rule with the setting Should run on hosts in group.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Option

Manual

Description

Placement and migration recommendations are displayed, but do not run until you manually apply the recommendation.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.resmgmt.doc%2FGUID-E83A6B62-37F8-46D0-8D0A-D6A9181979F2.html>

NEW QUESTION: 7

A virtual machine is exhibiting these symptoms:

▪ Memory usage is constantly high (94% or greater) or constantly low (24% or less).

▪ Free memory is consistently 6% or less and swapping frequently occurs

Which three solutions could correct this problem? (Choose three.)

- A. Verify that VMware Tools is installed on each virtual machine.
- B. Decrease the memory reservation setting, if higher than active memory.
- C. Add physical memory to the host.
- D. Disable the balloon driver in each virtual machine.
- E. Create a memory limit for each virtual machine.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Problem

▪ Memory usage is constantly high (94% or greater) or constantly low (24% or less).

▪ Free memory consistently is 6% or less and swapping frequently occurs.

Cause

▪ The host probably is lacking the memory required to meet the demand. The active memory size is the same as the granted memory size, which results in memory resources that are not sufficient for the workload. Granted memory is too much if the active memory is constantly low.

▪ Host machine memory resources are not enough to meet the demand, which leads to memory reclamation and degraded performance.

▪ The active memory size is the same as the granted memory size, which results in memory resources that are not sufficient for the workload.

Solution

▪ Verify that VMware Tools is installed on each virtual machine. The balloon driver is installed with VMware Tools and is critical to performance.

▪ Verify that the balloon driver is enabled. The VMkernel regularly reclaims unused virtual machine memory by ballooning and swapping. Generally, this does not impact virtual machine performance.

Reduce the memory space on the virtual machine, and correct the cache size if it is too large. This frees up memory for other virtual machines.

If the memory reservation of the virtual machine is set to a value much higher than its active memory, decrease the reservation setting so that the VMkernel can reclaim the idle memory for other virtual machines on the host.

Migrate one or more virtual machines to a host in a DRS cluster.

Add physical memory to the host.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.monitoring.doc%2FGUID-115861E6-810A-43BB-8CDB-EE99CF8F3250.html>

NEW QUESTION: 8

An administrator runs the command `esxcli storage core device list` and sees the following output:

```
mpx.vmhba1:C0:T0:L0 Display Name: RAID 5 (mpx.vmhba1:C0:T0:L0) Has Settable Display Name: false
Size: 40960 Device Type: Direct-Access Multipath Plugin: NMP Devfs Path: /vmfs/devices/disks/mpx.vmhba1:C0:T0:L0
Status: off Is Local: true
```

What can be determined by this output?

- A. The device is being used for vFlash Read Cache.
- B. The device is in a Permanent Device Loss (PDL) state.
- C. The device is a local Solid State Device (SSD).
- D. The device is in an All Paths Down (APD) state.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2004684

NEW QUESTION: 9

An administrator would like to use a passphrase for their ESXi 6.x hosts which has these characteristics:

Minimum of 21 characters

Minimum of 2 words

Which advanced options must be set to allow this passphrase configuration to be used?

- A. `retry=3 min=disabled, disabled, 7, 21, 7 passphrase=2`
- B. `retry=3 min=disabled, disabled, 21, 7, 7 passphrase=2`
- C. `retry=3 min=disabled, disabled, 2, 21, 7`
- D. `retry=3 min=disabled, disabled, 21, 21, 2`

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

B-) ESXi Passwords and Account Lockout

For ESXi hosts, you have to use a password with predefined requirements. You can change the required length and character class requirement or allow pass phrases using the Security.PasswordQualityControl advanced option. ESXi uses the Linux PAM module pam_passwdqc for password management and control. See the manpages for pam_passwdqc for detailed information. ESXi Passwords: ESXi enforces password requirements for direct access from the Direct Console User Interface, the ESXi Shell, SSH, or the vSphere Client. When you create a password, include a mix of characters from four character classes: lowercase letters, uppercase letters, numbers, and special characters such as underscore or dash. (link : <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-DC96FFDB-F5F2-43EC-8C73-05ACDAE6BE43.html>)

NEW QUESTION: 10

What is the name of the command line utility that checks for VMFS5 metadata corruption?

- A. vmkfstools --check
- B. voma
- C. vmfsanalyzer
- D. esxcli vmfs check

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

In ESXi 5.1, VMware introduced the vSphere On-disk Metadata Analyzer (VOMA) for performing VMFS file system metadata checks. This utility scans the VMFS volume metadata and highlights any inconsistencies to which you may be required to open a support request.

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2036767

NEW QUESTION: 11

An administrator is troubleshooting a performance problem with a virtual machine (VM). The VM and ESXi host configuration is as follows:

The application which runs within the virtual machine is highly sensitive to memory latency, but has low processor utilization.

The virtual machine has 6 vCPUs.

The ESXi host CPU topology has 2 Physical CPU Sockets, each with 8 Logical CPUs.

The ESXi host CPU has Hyper Threading enabled.

The administrator would like to improve CPU performance for this VM. Other VMs on the host have no performance issues. Which action should the administrator take to resolve the issue?

- A. Set the Advanced Parameter numa.vcpu.preferHT = TRUE in the virtual machine configuration file.
- B. Set the Advanced Parameter numa.vcpu.preferHT = FALSE in the virtual machine configuration file.
- C. Set the Advanced Parameter numa.PreferHT = 1 in the ESXi host configuration file.

D. Set the Advanced Parameter numa.PreferHT = 0 in the ESXi host configuration file.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

On systems with hyper-threading enabled, a wide-VM that makes use of full processor cores across NUMA nodes but has less vCPUs configured than the number of logical processors (hardware threads) in each physical NUMA node might benefit from using logical processors with local memory rather than using full cores with remote memory. This can be configured by setting the numa.vcpu.preferHT option to TRUE in the specific VM's advanced configuration.

Reference:

https://books.google.co.in/books?id=GnVvAwAAQBAJ&pg=PA78&lpg=PA78&dq=Advanced+Parameter+numa.vcpu.preferHT&source=bl&ots=-o9dp9BqWj&sig=XT1BXwxJ6qeTg__zHfO8uLnZNTto&hl=en&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjUy-eejcrNAhWGqY8KHQCKBzwQ6AEIVjAH#v=onepage&q&f=false

NEW QUESTION: 12

Which two statements are true regarding VMFS3 volumes in ESXi 6.x? (Choose two.)

- A. Creation of VMFS3 volumes is unsupported.
- B. Upgrading VMFS3 volumes to VMFS5 is supported.
- C. Existing VMFS3 volumes are unsupported.
- D. Upgrading VMFS3 volumes to VMFS5 is unsupported.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Understanding VMFS Datastores

To store virtual disks, ESXi uses datastores, which are logical containers that hide specifics of physical storage from virtual machines and provide a uniform model for storing virtual machine files. Datastores that you deploy on block storage devices use the vSphere VMFS format, a special high-performance file system format that is optimized for storing virtual machines.

Several versions of the VMFS file system have been released since its introduction. The following table shows host-to-VMFS version relationships.

Table 16-1. Host access to VMFS version

VMFS	ESX/ESXi 3.x host	ESX/ESXi 4.x host	ESXi 5.x host	ESXi 6.0 host
VMFS2	RO	RO	N	N
VMFS3	RW	RW	RW	RW
				NOTE You can continue to use existing VMFS3 datastores, but you cannot create new ones. If you have existing VMFS3 datastores, upgrade them to VMFS5.
VMFS5	N	N	RW	RW

- **RW:** Complete read and write support. You can create and power on virtual machines.
- **RO:** Read only support. You cannot create or power on virtual machines.
- **N:** No access. ESXi 5.x and later hosts do not support VMFS2. If your datastore was formatted with VMFS2, first upgrade the datastore to VMFS3 using legacy hosts.

Use the vSphere Web Client to set up a VMFS datastore in advance on a block-based storage device that your ESXi host discovers. A VMFS datastore can be extended to span several physical storage extents, including SAN LUNs and local storage. This feature allows you to pool storage and gives you flexibility in creating the datastore necessary for your virtual machines.

NOTE Pooling ATS-capable hardware creates a spanned VMFS datastore that can use ATS-only locking mechanism. If any device is not ATS-capable, the datastore cannot be ATS-only, but uses ATS+SCSI locking.

You can increase the capacity of a datastore while virtual machines are running on the datastore. This ability lets you add new space to your VMFS datastores as your virtual machine requires it. VMFS is designed for concurrent access from multiple physical machines and enforces the appropriate access controls on virtual machine files.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 13

An administrator is troubleshooting network communications between the vCenter Server and the ESXi 6.x host.

Which log shows the interaction events between these components?

- A. /var/log/syslog.log
- B. /var/log/hostd.log
- C. /var/log/vpxa.log
- D. /var/log/fdm.log

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

When an ESXi 5.1 / 5.5 host is managed by vCenter Server 5.1 and 5.5, two components are installed, each with its own logs:

`/var/log/vpxa.log`: vCenter Server vpxa agent logs, including communication with vCenter Server and the Host Management hostd agent.

`/var/log/fdm.log`: vSphere High Availability logs, produced by the fdm service. For more information, see the vSphere HA Security section of the vSphere Availability Guide.

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2032076

NEW QUESTION: 14

An administrator is troubleshooting a virtual machine performance issue using vRealize Operations. Which two badges would help to identify possible resource contention concerns? (Choose two.)

- A. Health > Workload
- B. Health > Faults
- C. Risk > Time Remaining
- D. Risk > Stress

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

The Workload badge shows how hard an object is working. A higher workload score indicates that an object is doing more work. Obviously, you don't want objects out there doing zero work, as that is waste but, as the same time, you also don't want objects completely maxed out with a workload score of 100 either. Workload is an absolute measurement that calculates the demand for a resource divided by the capacity of an object. Resources might include CPU, memory, disk I/O, or network I/O. vC Ops will help you to balance workload across your resource objects effectively.

Stress badge reports the stress that an object is under. Just as your stress level is related to your workload, so is the stress score in vC Ops. The stress score is based on long-term high workload (where the workload score is instantaneous workload). Stress in the virtual infrastructure might come from VMs that are undersized, hosts that are overloaded, or datastores with consistently high I/O latency. Stress is reported between 0 and 100 with 100 being very high stress and 0 being no stress.

Reference:

<http://blogs.vmware.com/management/2014/04/david-davis-on-vcenter-operations-post-8-understanding-vcenter-operations-badges.html>

NEW QUESTION: 15

What are two use cases for Fibre Channel Zoning in a vSphere environment? (Choose two.)

- A. Increases the number of targets presented to an ESXi host.

- B. Controls and isolates paths in a fabric.
- C. Controls and isolates paths to an NFS share.
- D. Can be used to separate different environments.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : Using Zoning with Fibre Channel SANs

Zoning provides access control in the SAN topology. Zoning defines which HBAs can connect to which targets. When you configure a SAN by using zoning, the devices outside a zone are not visible to the devices inside the zone.

Zoning has the following effects:

Reduces the number of targets and LUNs presented to a host.

- Controls and isolates paths in a fabric.

- Can prevent non-ESXi systems from accessing a particular storage system, and from possibly destroying VMFS data.

- Can be used to separate different environments, for example, a test from a production environment.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 16

Which statement is true for the Path Selection Plug-In VMW_PSP_MRU?

- A. VMW_PSP_MRU is default for a majority of active-active and active-passive arrays.
- B. VMW_PSP_MRU will remain on the selected path even if the state were to change.
- C. VMW_PSP_MRU is recommended for Virtual SAN.
- D. VMW_PSP_MRU will have no preferred path setting for the Plug-In.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

VMW_PSP_MRU

The host selects the path that it used most recently. When the path becomes unavailable, the host selects an alternative path. The host does not revert back to the original path when that path becomes available again. There is no preferred path setting with the MRU policy. MRU is the default policy for most active- passive storage devices.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-B7AD0CA0-CBE2-4DB4-A22C-AD323226A257.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 17

Which VMware Single Sign-On component issues Security Assertion Markup Language (SAML) tokens?

- A. VMware Security Token Service
- B. Administration Server
- C. VMware Directory Service
- D. Identity Management Service

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

The STS service issues Security Assertion Markup Language (SAML) tokens. These security tokens represent the identity of a user in one of the identity source types supported by vCenter Single Sign-On. The SAML tokens allow both human users and solution users who authenticate successfully to vCenter Single Sign-On to use any vCenter service that vCenter Single Sign-On supports without authenticating again to each service.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.install.doc%2FGUID-90C1E3DC-4397-4BF0-808E-DF3802E56BC6.html>

NEW QUESTION: 18

What is the command to list multipathing modules on an ESXi 6.x host?

- A. esxcli storage core list plugin --plugin-class=MP
- B. esxcli storage core list plugin --class-plugin=MP
- C. esxcli storage core plugin list --plugin-class=MP
- D. esxcli storage core plugin list --class-plugin=MP

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Command	Description	Options help
storage core plugin list	List loaded PSA plugins on the system.	--help -h Show the help message. --plugin-class -N Indicate the class of plugin to limit the list to. Allowed values are : Filter: Filter plugins MP: MultiPathing plugins VAAI: VAAI plugins all: All PSA Plugins (default)

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcli.ref.doc_50%2Fesxcli_storage.html

NEW QUESTION: 19

Attempting to update an ESXi 6.x host using the following command:

```
esxcli software vib update -d update.zip
```

Generates the following error:

Could not download from depot at /tmp/index.xml, skipping (('/tmp/index.xml', ", "[Errno 4] IOError: <urlopen error [Errno 2] No such file or directory: '/tmp/index.xml'>")) url = /tmp/index.xml What action should be taken to correct the problem?

- A. Add the full file path to the command.
- B. Use the update option instead of install.
- C. Use the switch -d instead of -v.
- D. Replace esxcli with esxupdate.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Put the full path to the .zip even if you're in the same directory

ex: `esxcli software vib install -d /tmp/ESXi600-201504001.zip`

Also make sure you're in maintenance mode

How to perform next/related steps: Check:----<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc/GUID-22A4B153-CB21-47B4-974E-2E5BB8AC6874.html?resultof=%2522>

NEW QUESTION: 20

Which file determines the location of the installation script during a scripted upgrade?

- A. boot.cfg
- B. ks.cfg
- C. script.cfg
- D. upgrade.cfg

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

About the boot.cfg File

The boot loader configuration file boot.cfg specifies the kernel, the kernel options, and the boot modules that the mboot.c32 boot loader uses in an ESXi installation.

The boot.cfg file is provided in the ESXi installer. You can modify the kernelopt line of the boot.cfg file to specify the location of an installation script or to pass other boot options.

The boot.cfg file has the following syntax:

```
# boot.cfg -- mboot configuration file
```

```
#
# Any line preceded with '#' is a comment.
title=STRING
kernel=FILEPATH
kernelopt=STRING
modules=FILEPATH1 --- FILEPATH2... --- FILEPATHn
# Any other line must remain unchanged.
The commands in boot.cfg configure the boot loader.
Reference: https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=
%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc
%2FGUID-1DE4EC58-8665-4F14-9AB4-1C62297D866B.html
```

NEW QUESTION: 21

An administrator is attempting to enable Legacy Fault Tolerance (FT) on a virtual machine and observes the following in the vSphere Web Client:

Fault Tolerance has not been licensed on host <hostname>.

What is the minimum licensed edition that supports this configuration?

- A. Standard
- B. Enterprise
- C. Enterprise Plus
- D. Essentials Plus

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Licensing

The number of vCPUs supported by a single fault tolerant VM is limited by the level of licensing that you have purchased for vSphere. Fault Tolerance is supported as follows:

vSphere Standard and Enterprise. Allows up to 2 vCPUs

▪
vSphere Enterprise Plus. Allows up to 4 vCPUs

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.avail.doc%2FGUID-57929CF0-DA9B-407A-BF2E-E7B72708D825.html>

NEW QUESTION: 22

How does vSphere High Availability calculate the memory slot size of a virtual machine?

- A. Virtual machine memory reservation + overhead of largest virtual machine
- B. Virtual machine memory reservation - overhead of largest virtual machine
- C. Virtual machine memory reservation + overhead of smallest virtual machine
- D. Virtual machine memory reservation - overhead of smallest virtual machine

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Virtual machine memory reservation + overhead of largest virtual machine Metrics Example: Suppose if :

Memory (2048MB)

Memory Overhead (110.63MB)

The first one, Memory, is an easy one. This is the amount of memory you provisioned your VM with, in this case 2048MB. The second field is Memory Overhead. Memory Overhead is the amount of memory the VMkernel thinks it will need to run the virtualized workload, in this case 110.63MB. This typically would include things like page tables, frame buffers etc.

<https://www.vmware.com/files/pdf/.../VMware-PerfBest-Practices-vSphere6-0.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 23

Which two statements are true regarding iSCSI adapters? (Choose two.)

- A. Software iSCSI adapters require vmkernel networking.
- B. Independent Hardware iSCSI adapters offload processing from the ESXi host.
- C. Dependent Hardware iSCSI adapters do not require vmkernel networking.
- D. Independent Hardware iSCSI adapters require vmkernel networking.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : Software iSCSI Adapter

A software iSCSI adapter is a VMware code built into the VMkernel. It allows your host to connect to the iSCSI storage device through standard network adapters. The software iSCSI adapter handles iSCSI processing while communicating with the network adapter. With the software iSCSI adapter, you can use iSCSI technology without purchasing specialized hardware.

Hardware iSCSI Adapter A hardware iSCSI adapter is a third-party adapter that offloads iSCSI and network processing from your host. Hardware iSCSI adapters are divided into categories.

Dependent Hardware iSCSI Adapter

Depends on VMware networking, and iSCSI configuration and management interfaces provided by VMware. This type of adapter can be a card that presents a standard network adapter and iSCSI offload functionality for the same port. The iSCSI offload functionality depends on the host's network configuration to obtain the IP, MAC, and other parameters used for iSCSI sessions. An example of a dependent adapter is the iSCSI licensed Broadcom 5709 NIC.

Independent Hardware iSCSI Adapter

Implements its own networking and iSCSI configuration and management interfaces. An example of an independent hardware iSCSI adapter is a card that either presents only iSCSI offload functionality or iSCSI offload functionality and standard NIC functionality. The iSCSI offload functionality has independent configuration management that assigns the IP, MAC, and other parameters used for the iSCSI sessions.

An example of a independent adapter is the QLogic QLA4052 adapter.

Hardware iSCSI adapters might need to be licensed. Otherwise, they will not appear in the client or vSphere CLI. Contact your vendor for licensing information Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 24

An administrator is upgrading a vCenter Server Appliance and wants to ensure that all the prerequisites are met.

What action must be taken before upgrading the vCenter Server Appliance?

- A. Install the Client Integration Plug-in.
- B. Install the database client.
- C. Install the ODBC connector.
- D. Install the Update Manager Plug-in.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Prerequisites

- Verify that the clocks of all machines on the vSphere network are synchronized. See Synchronizing Clocks on the vSphere Network.
- Verify that the target ESXi host on which you deploy the vCenter Server Appliance is not in lockdown or maintenance mode.
- Verify that you have sufficient free disk space on the vCenter Server Appliance that you want to upgrade to accommodate the data for the upgrade.
- Verify that port 22 is open on the vCenter Server Appliance that you want to upgrade. The upgrade process establishes an inbound SSH connection to download the exported data from existing appliance.
- Verify that port 443 is open on the source ESXi host on which the vCenter Server Appliance that you want to upgrade resides. The upgrade process establishes an HTTPS connection to the source ESXi host to verify that the vCenter Server Appliance is ready for upgrade and to set up an SSH connection between the new and the existing appliance.
- Verify that the vCenter Server SSL certificate for your existing vCenter Server Appliance is configured correctly. See VMware Knowledge Base article 2057223.
- If you use an external database, back up the vCenter Server Appliance database.
- Create a snapshot of the vCenter Server Appliance that you want to upgrade.
- Install the new version of the Client Integration Plug-In. See [Install the Client Integration Plug-In](#).

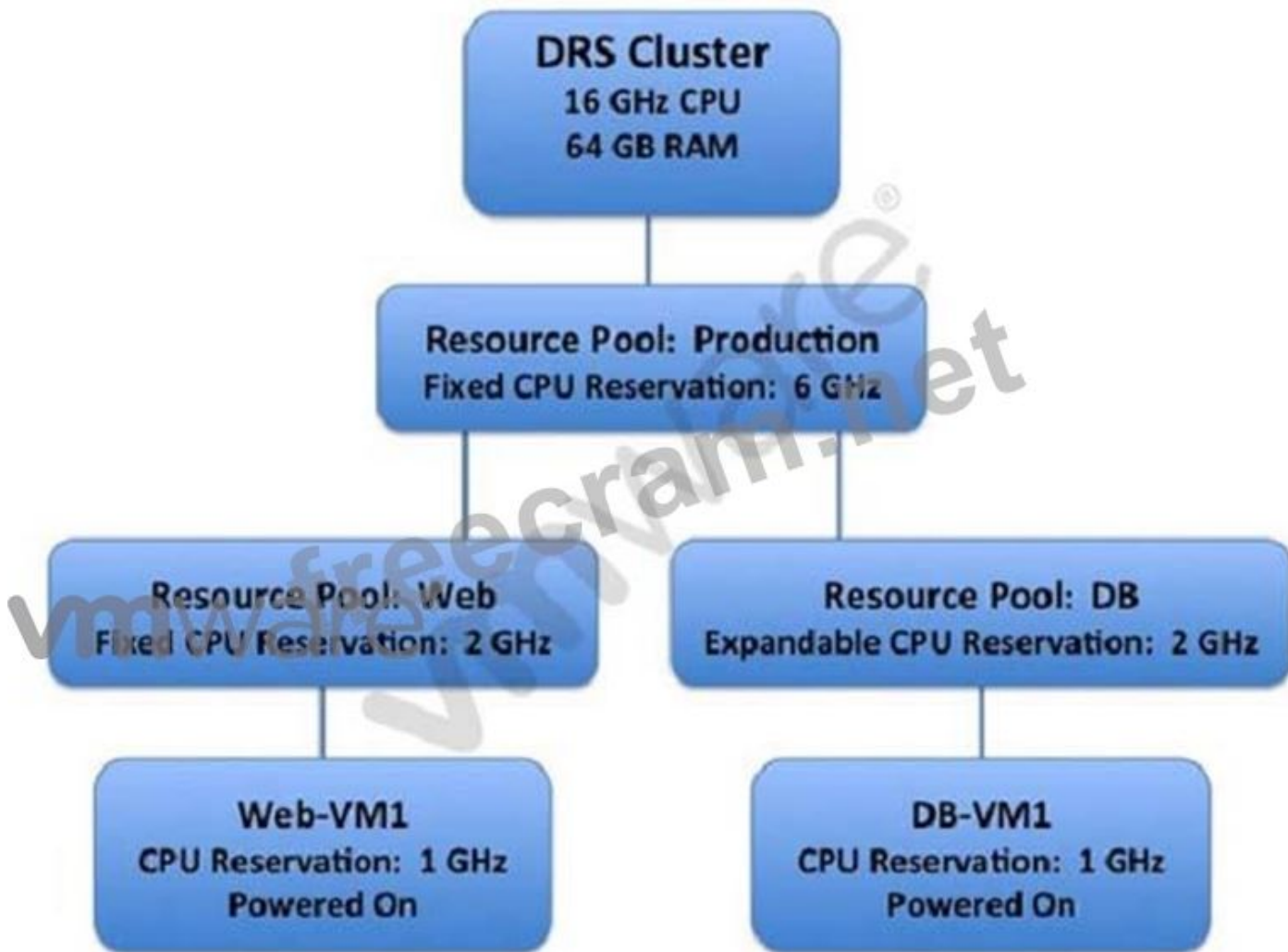
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NEW QUESTION: 25

Refer to the Exhibit.



A vSphere 6.x DRS cluster is configured as shown in the Exhibit.

Based on the exhibit, which statement is true?

- A. A virtual machine can be powered on in the Web Resource Pool with a 3 GHz CPU Reservation.
- B. A virtual machine can be powered on in the Web Resource Pool with a 4 GHz CPU Reservation.
- C. A virtual machine can be powered on in the DB Resource Pool with a 3 GHz CPU Reservation.
- D. A virtual machine can be powered on in the DB Resource Pool with a 4 GHz CPU Reservation.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Scaling out (not up) your VMs ie: Don't have one 8 vCPU SQL DB server, use 4 smaller 2vCPU VMs. If there is resource contention, RP-QA receives 4GHz and 2GB of memory, and RP-Marketing 2GHz and 1GB.

Otherwise, they can receive more than this allotment. Those resources are then available to the virtual machines in the respective resource pools.

So now you know better than to use reservations to solve CPU contention.

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-6.0>

NEW QUESTION: 26

What are two ways to view the DNS settings for an ESXi 6.x host? (Choose two.)

- A. Use the vicfg-dns command from the vSphere Management Appliance.
- B. View the /etc/resolv.conf file on the ESXi host.
- C. Use vicfg-dns command on the ESXi host.
- D. View the /etc/dns.conf file on the ESXi host.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: To verify that the DNS information in /etc/resolv.conf is correct for your environment, run the command:

```
[root@server root]# cat /etc/resolv.conf
```

Run vicfg-dns without command-specific options to display DNS properties for the specified server.

```
vicfg-dns <conn_options>
```

The information includes the host name, domain name, DHCP setting (true or false), and DNS servers on the ESXi host.

Reference: https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcli.examples.doc%2Fcli_manage_networks.11.8.html

[https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1003796)

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NEW QUESTION: 27

Which Platform Service Controller Password Policy determines the number of days a password can exist before the user must change it?

- A. Maximum Lifetime
- B. Password Age
- C. Maximum Days
- D. Password Lifetime

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Configure SSO policies

Password Policy: You can configure the following parameters:

-
- Description - Password policy description. Required.
- Maximum lifetime - Maximum number of days that a password can exist before it has to be changed.
- Restrict re-use - Number of the user's previous passwords that cannot be set again.
- Maximum length - Maximum number of characters that are allowed in the password.
- Minimum length - Minimum number of characters required in the password.
- Character requirements - Minimum number of different character types required in the password.
- Identical adjacent characters - Maximum number of identical adjacent characters allowed in the password.

Reference:

<http://davidstamen.com/certification/section-1-configure-and-administer-vsphere-6x-security/>

NEW QUESTION: 28

Which three connection types are supported between a remote site and vCloud Air? (Choose three.)

- A. Secure Internet Connectivity
- B. Private Connect
- C. Direct Connect
- D. Internet Connectivity
- E. Secure VPN

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

VPN and Remote Networks

Another aspect of network security is the connectivity you establish between your on premise data center and the vCloud Air cloud. Based on the workload, a virtual machine can have various connectivity needs.

vCloud Air supports Internet, secure VPN, and Direct Connect secure connections between your remote site and the vCloud Air cloud.

Each type of connection has different security features:

- Secure Internet connectivity with firewall rules (a gateway service)
See “[About Firewall Rules](#),” on page 31 in this guide for information.
- Secure VPN:
 - IPsec VPN—secure site-to-site VPN
See “[About IPsec VPN](#),” on page 33 and “[Set up an IPsec VPN Connection to a Remote Site](#),” on page 35 in this guide for information.
 - SSL VPN (Data Center Extension)—extension of your existing IP address range from your on-premise data center into the cloud with Layer 2 extension
See “[SSL VPN for Data Center Extension](#),” on page 36 in this guide for information.
- Direct Connect—private connectivity providing a dedicated, connection (ideal for regulated applications)

Reference:

http://pubs.vmware.com/vca/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vcloud_air_networking_guide.pdf

NEW QUESTION: 29

When troubleshooting a performance related issue, an administrator sees the following warning message on an ESXi Console:

Significant imbalance between NUMA nodes detected. Performance may be impacted.

Which action should the administrator take to correct this problem?

- A. Ensure that the RAM modules are evenly balanced between processor sockets in the physical server.
- B. Ensure that all memory banks associated with CPU Socket 0 in the physical server are completely filled.
- C. Ensure that the physical server has the maximum amount of RAM modules that it can support.

D. Ensure that all RAM modules in the host are Error-correcting code (ECC) modules.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

This message displays when memory is not evenly distributed between processor sockets.

Each CPU socket has its own RAM slots. To resolve this issue, evenly balance RAM modules between processor sockets. That is, ensure that each bank of RAM slots has the same amount of RAM.

For example, if CPU socket 1 has a total of 8 GB of RAM, ensure that CPU socket 2 also has 8 GB of RAM.

Ensure that memory on the nodes are balanced. For more information and assistance, contact your vendor.

Note: Damaged or faulty physical RAM modules can also cause this issue.

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1018754

NEW QUESTION: 30

Which two groups of settings should be reviewed when attempting to increase the security of virtual machines (VMs)? (Choose two.)

- A.** Disable hardware devices
- B.** Disable unexposed features
- C.** Disable VMtools devices
- D.** Disable VM Template features

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Securing Virtual Machines

The guest operating system that runs in the virtual machine is subject to the same security risks as a physical system. Secure virtual machines as you would secure physical machines.

Subtopics

General Virtual Machine Protection

Configuring Logging Levels for the Guest Operating System

Limiting Exposure of Sensitive Data Copied to the Clipboard

Disable Unexposed Features

Limiting Guest Operating System Writes to Host Memory

Removing Unnecessary Hardware Devices

Prevent a Virtual Machine User or Process from Disconnecting Devices

Prevent a Virtual Machine User or Process from Disconnecting Devices in the vSphere Web Client

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.security.doc/GUID-CF45F448-2036->

NEW QUESTION: 31

To reduce the attack vectors for a virtual machine, which two settings should an administrator set to false?

(Choose two.)

- A. ideX:Y.present
- B. serial.present
- C. ideX:Y.enabled
- D. serial.enabled

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Removing Unnecessary Hardware Devices

Any enabled or connected device represents a potential attack channel. Users and processes without privileges on a virtual machine can connect or disconnect hardware devices, such as network adapters and CD-ROM drives. Attackers can use this capability to breach virtual machine security. Removing unnecessary hardware devices can help prevent attacks.

Use the following guidelines to increase virtual machine security.

- Ensure that unauthorized devices are not connected and remove any unneeded or unused hardware devices.
- Disable unnecessary virtual devices from within a virtual machine. An attacker with access to a virtual machine can connect a disconnected CD-ROM drive and access sensitive information on the media left in the drive, or disconnect a network adapter to isolate the virtual machine from its network, resulting in a denial of service.
- Ensure that no device is connected to a virtual machine if it is not required. Serial and parallel ports are rarely used for virtual machines in a datacenter environment, and CD/DVD drives are usually connected only temporarily during software installation.
- For less commonly used devices that are not required, either the parameter should not be present or its value must be false. Ensure that the following parameters are either not present or set to false unless the device is required.

Parameter	Value	Device
floppyX.present	false	floppy drives
serialX.present	false	serial ports
parallelX.present	false	parallel ports
usb.present	false	USB controller
ideX:Y.present	false	CD-ROM

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-822B2ED3-D8D2-4F57-8335-CA46E915A729.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 32

An administrator tries to run esxtop to troubleshoot CPU performance issues, but no output is displayed.

How can the issue be resolved?

- A. esxtop is deprecated in vSphere 6.x, resxtop must be used to produce the desired output.
- B. In esxtop, press f and place an asterisk next to each field that should be displayed.
- C. sudo should be run in front of esxtop to give the administrator the proper permissions.
- D. The esxtop command must be run from the /proc directory to produce output.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Press F (Field Order) to modify fields which you want to display. Then hit Enter to validate.

The image shows a terminal window with the esxtop command. The output lists various fields for monitoring: A: DEVICE = Device Name, B: ID = Path/World/Partition Id, C: NUM = Num of Objects, D: SHARES = Shares, E: BLKSZ = Block Size (bytes), F: QSTATS = Queue Stats, G: IOSTATS = I/O Stats, H: RESVSTATS = Reserve Stats, I: LATSTATS/cmd = Overall Latency Stats (ms), J: LATSTATS/rd = Read Latency Stats (ms), K: LATSTATS/wr = Write Latency Stats (ms), L: ERRSTATS/s = Error Stats, M: PAESTATS/s = PAE Stats, N: SPLITSTATS/s = SPLIT Stats, O: VAAIStats- VAAI Stats, P: VAAILATSTATS/cmd = VAAI Latency Stats (ms). At the bottom, it says 'Toggle fields with a-p, any other key to return:'. There is a green cursor on the 'p' key. The background has a VMware logo and 'freecram.net' watermark.

Reference:

<http://www.vladan.fr/storage-performance-troubleshooting-with-esxtop-guide/>

NEW QUESTION: 33

An administrator is writing a kickstart script to upgrade an ESXi 6.x host.

In which three locations can the script reside? (Choose three.)

- A. NFS
- B. USB
- C. HTTP
- D. TFTP
- E. PXE

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Scripted ESXi installation

Running a script is an efficient way to deploy multiple ESXi hosts with an unattended installation.

The installation script contains the configuration data for the ESXi hosts that you want to install. You can apply the script to all hosts that you want to have a similar configuration.

Notes:

▪ The script must be created using supported commands.

▪ Ensure you consider all disks that are connected to the host at the time of installation to avoid inadvertently overwriting data. Disk names can vary from machine to machine, one of the settings that you may want to configure and double check in a script is the disk selection for the ESXi installation.

▪ The host installation script must be stored in a location that the host can access by FTP, HTTP, HTTPS, NFS, USB flash drive, or CD-ROM drive. The installation media can be mounted on the host locally, remotely, or through PXE boot.

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2109708#Script

NEW QUESTION: 34

What are three recommended prerequisites before upgrading virtual machine hardware? (Choose three.)

- A. Create a backup or snapshot of the virtual machine.
- B. Upgrade VMware Tools to the latest version.
- C. Verify that the virtual machine is stored on VMFS3, VMFS5, or NFS datastores.
- D. Detach all CD-ROM/ISO images from the virtual machines.
- E. Set the Advanced Parameter virtualHW.version = 11

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Before you upgrade the virtual hardware:

1. Create a backup or snapshot of the virtual machine. For more information, see:

▪ Take a Snapshot in the vSphere Web Client section in the vSphere 5.1 Virtual Machine Administration guide.

▪ Take a Snapshot in the vSphere Client section in the vSphere 5.1 Virtual Machine Administration guide.

2. Upgrade VMware Tools. On Microsoft Windows virtual machines, if you upgrade the virtual hardware before you upgrade VMware Tools, the virtual machine might lose its network settings.

3. Verify that all .vmdk files are available to the ESXi/ESX hosts on a VMFS 3, VMFS 5, or NFS datastore.

4. Verify that the virtual machines are stored on VMFS 3, VMFS 5 or NFS datastores.

5. Determine the version of the virtual hardware by selecting the virtual machine from the vSphere Client or vSphere Web Client and clicking the Summary tab. The VM Version label in the Compatibility field displays the virtual hardware version Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1010675

NEW QUESTION: 35

Refer to the Exhibit.

The number of vSphere HA heartbeat datastores for this host is 1, which is less than required: 2

An administrator receives the error message shown in the Exhibit.

Which two actions can be taken to clear the warning? (Choose two.)

- A. Add a Virtual SAN datastore and configure it for High Availability heartbeating.
- B. Set the advanced High Availability parameter Das.heartbeatdsperhost to 1.
- C. Set the advanced High Availability parameter Das.ignoreInsufficientHbDatastore to true.
- D. Add a shared datastore and reconfigure High Availability.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To disable the HA error message:

1. Log in to vCenter Server.
2. Right-click the cluster and click Edit Settings.
3. Click vSphere HA > Advanced Options.
4. Under Option, add an entry for das.ignoreInsufficientHbDatastore.
5. Under Value, type true.
6. Click Cluster Features.
7. De-select Turn on vSphere HA and click OK.
8. Wait for all the hosts in the cluster to deconfigure HA, then right-click the cluster and click Edit Settings.
9. Click Cluster Features.
10. Click Turn on vSphere HA.
11. Click OK.

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2004739

NEW QUESTION: 36

Which two identification sources can a vSphere Auto Deploy rule use to identify target hosts? (Choose two.)

- A. Processor Serial Number
- B. Security Identifier
- C. SMBIOS information
- D. BIOS UUID

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: You specify the behavior of the Auto Deploy server by using a set of rules written in Power CLI. The Auto Deploy rule engine checks the rule set for matching host patterns to decide which items (image profile, host profile, or vCenter Server location) to provision each host with.

The rule engine maps software and configuration settings to hosts based on the attributes of the host. For example, you can deploy image profiles or host profiles to two clusters of hosts by writing two rules, each matching on the network address of one cluster. The rule engine includes rules and rule sets.

Rules

Rules can assign image profiles and host profiles to a set of hosts, or specify the location (folder or cluster) of a host on the target vCenter Server system. A rule can identify target hosts by boot MAC address, SMBIOS information, BIOS UUID, Vendor, Model, or fixed DHCP IP address. In most cases, rules apply to multiple hosts. You create rules by using Auto Deploy PowerCLI cmdlets. After you create a rule, you must add it to a rule set. Only two rule sets, the active rule set and the working rule set, are supported. A rule can belong to both sets, the default, or only to the working rule set. After you add a rule to a rule set, you can no longer change the rule. Instead, you copy the rule and replace either items or patterns. By default, Auto Deploy uses the name of the rule for the copy and hides the original rule.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.install.doc_50%2FGUID-EB22DCFF-C606-43CB-A7BC-068AC79A6237.html

NEW QUESTION: 37

Deletion of an NFS datastore generates the following error:

Sysinfo error on operation returned the following status: Busy

Which step can be performed that will allow the deletion to complete successfully?

- A. Storage vMotion any virtual machines on the datastore to another location.
- B. Remove the datastore from the Storage DRS cluster in which it resides.
- C. Verify the value of the NFS.HeartbeatDelta is not set to 0.
- D. Suspend any running virtual machines and unmount the NFS datastore.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To resolve this issue, temporarily stop the VSA plug-in so that the locks on the datastore are released.

To temporarily stop the VSA plug-in:

1. Ensure that no process is locking any files on the datastore:
 - a. Connect to the host using SSH. For more information, see Using ESXi Shell in ESXi 5.x (2004746).
 - b. Check for file locks on the datastore, see Investigating virtual machine file locks on ESXi/ESX (10051).

If the datastore is free of locks continue to step 2. If there are active file locks in place, resolve them and attempt to unmount the NFS mount again.

2. Disable the VSA plug-in from the vSphere Web Client:

- a. From the Home page of the vSphere Web Client, click Administration.
 - b. Under Solutions, click Client Plug-Ins.
 - c. Right-click the VSA plug-in and click Disable.
3. Stop the VSA service on vCenter Server.
 4. Restart the management agents on the host. For more information, see [Restarting the Management agents on an ESXi or ESX host \(1003490\)](#).
 5. Unmount the datastore using the vSphere Client.
 6. Start the VSA service on vCenter Server.
 7. Re-enable the VSA plug-in in the vSphere Web Client:
 - a. From the Home page of the vSphere Web Client, click Administration.
 - b. Under Solutions, click Plug-In Management.
 - c. Right-click the VSA plug-in and click Enable.
- Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2102598

NEW QUESTION: 38

An administrator notices that 8 out of 10 virtual machines have memory ballooning and swapping. However, virtual machine 9 is not ballooning or swapping and virtual machine 10 is not ballooning but is swapping.

Which two statements explain the behavior of virtual machine 9 and virtual machine 10? (Choose two.)

- A.** Virtual machine 9 has a 100% memory reservation.
- B.** Virtual machine 10 has a memory limit configured.
- C.** Virtual machine 9 has memory shares set to HIGH.
- D.** Virtual machine 10 does not have VMware Tools enabled or installed.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

If the memory usage value is high, and the host has high ballooning or swapping, check the amount of free physical memory on the host. A free memory value of 6% or less indicates that the host cannot handle the demand for memory. This leads to memory reclamation, which might degrade performance. If the host has enough free memory, check the resource shares, reservation, and limit settings of the virtual machines and resource pools on the host. Verify that the host settings are adequate and not lower than those set for the virtual machines.

D-) Verify that VMware Tools is installed on each virtual machine. The balloon driver is installed with VMware Tools and is critical to performance. If VMware tools are not installed/outdated showing on summary tab Ballooning will not work hence swapping will work because it has nothing to do with ballooning.

Fact: If memory is not available the memory can be mapped to the .vswp file on a vmfs or nfs datastore.

The virtual machine has no knowledge if the memory is mapped to physical memory or to a disk. This is called hypervisor swapping, and this is the last resort for the vmkernel to use this mechanism. (Internal

vmware KB article but for external you may check VMBlog or external links: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1003470)

NEW QUESTION: 39

Refer to the Exhibit.

Rule-Set 1
Select rules to create your VM storage policy.
• The VM storage policy will match datastores that satisfy any of the rule sets.
• A rule set will match datastores that satisfy all of the selected rules.

Rules based on common capabilities
<Add capability>

Rules based on vendor-specific capabilities VSAN

Number of failures to tolerate 2

Number of disk stripes per object 3

<Add capability>

Rules based on tags
Add tag-based rule...

Storage Consumption Model
A virtual disk with size 100 GB would consume:
Storage space 300.00 GB
Initially reserved storage space 0.00 B
Reserved flash space 0.00 B

A Storage Policy for a Virtual SAN is set to the default policy, as shown in the Exhibit.

Which change would reduce the storage consumption by one third?

- A. Number of failures to tolerate = 1
- B. Number of disk stripes per object = 2
- C. Number of failures to tolerate = 3
- D. Number of disk stripes per object = 1

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

The new policy is added to the list.

What to do next:

Apply this policy to a virtual machine and its virtual disks. Virtual SAN will place the virtual machine objects in accordance with the requirements specified in the policy. For information about using and editing storage policies, see About Virtual Machine Storage Policies.

Also Check:

Policies Rules: Defines the number of host, disk, or network failures a virtual machine object can tolerate.

For n failures tolerated, n+1 copies of the virtual machine object are created and 2n+1 hosts with storage are required.

Default value is 1. Maximum value is 3.

To understand more check the link:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-C8E919D0-9D80-4AE1-826B-D180632775F3.html>

NEW QUESTION: 40

Which two statements are correct regarding vSphere certificates? (Choose two.)

- A. ESXi host upgrades do not preserve the SSL certificate and reissue one from the VMware Certificate Authority (VMCA).
- B. ESXi host upgrades preserve the existing SSL certificate.
- C. ESXi hosts have assigned SSL certificates from the VMware Certificate Authority (VMCA) during install.
- D. ESXi hosts have self-signed SSL certificates by default.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

B-) ESXi hosts that are upgraded from vSphere 5.x to vSphere 6.0 will continue using their Certificate Authority signed certificates if they were replaced in the previous versions. However, ESXi 5.x hosts that were running self-signed certificates and then upgraded to vSphere 6.0 will have their certificates regenerated using VMware-signed.

For more info link:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2113926

C-) In vSphere 6.0, VMware tried to address SSL certificates in a different manner. It introduced a new component called the "Platform Services Controller." The Platform Services Controller includes a fully-functional certificate authority, called the VMware Certification Authority (VMCA), that automatically manages the certificates used in vCenter and the ESXi hosts.

There are two steps to complete. First, you need to retrieve the root certificate from vCenter and convert it into something usable. Once you've done that, you need to deploy it as a Trusted Root Certificate. The easiest way to do this with multiple computers is to use Group Policy. Here are the steps to retrieve the certificate:

1. Open your Web browser.
2. Navigate to <https://<fqdn of vcenter>>
3. In the lower right-hand corner, click the Download Trusted Root CA link.----- for more:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.security.doc/GUID-C91AFFAD-A830-4BBE-BF7C-F779A3AD03F1.html?resultof=%2522%2573%2573%256c%2522%2520>

NEW QUESTION: 41

Which two statements are true regarding Virtual SAN Fault Domains? (Choose two.)

- A. They enable Virtual SAN to tolerate the failure of an entire physical rack.
- B. Virtual SAN ensures that no two replicas are provisioned on the same domain.
- C. Virtual SAN ensures that all replicas are provisioned on the same domain.
- D. They require VMware High Availability (HA) to ensure component distribution across domains.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Managing Fault Domains in Virtual SAN Clusters

If your Virtual SAN cluster spans across multiple racks or blade server chassis in a data center and you want to make sure that your hosts are protected against rack or chassis failure, you can create fault domains and add one or more hosts to each fault domain.

A fault domain consists of one or more Virtual SAN hosts grouped together according to their physical location in the data center. When configured, fault domains enable Virtual SAN to tolerate failures of entire physical racks as well as failures of a single host, capacity device, network link or a network switch dedicated to a fault domain.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.virtualsan.doc%2FGUID-8491C4B0-6F94-4023-8C7A-FD7B40D0368D.html>

NEW QUESTION: 42

Which two considerations should an administrator keep in mind when booting from Software Fiber Channel over Ethernet (FCoE)? (Choose two.)

- A. Software FCoE boot configuration can be changed from within ESXi.
- B. Software FCoE boot firmware cannot export information in FBFT format.
- C. Multipathing is not supported at pre-boot.
- D. Boot LUN cannot be shared with other hosts even on shared storage.

Answer: C,D (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : Considerations

You cannot change software FCoE boot configuration from within ESX

▪ Coredump is not supported on any software FCoE LUNs, including the boot LUN.

▪ Multipathing is not supported at pre-boot.

▪ Boot LUN cannot be shared with other hosts even on shared storage

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 43

A vSphere 6 High Availability cluster has been configured with default settings. Four virtual machines in the cluster have been configured with these priorities:

Prod-DB. High

▪ Prod-Email: High

▪ Prod-VC. Medium

▪ Dev-VDI: Low

How many VM Overrides would need to be defined at the cluster level to meet the restart priorities?

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

After you create a vSphere HA cluster, you can override the default cluster settings for Restart Priority and Isolation Response for specific virtual machines. Such overrides are useful for virtual machines that are used for special tasks. For example, virtual machines that provide infrastructure services like DNS or DHCP might need to be powered on before other virtual machines in the cluster.

VM Overrides the default or defined to meet the restart priorities : 2 are HIGH and medium, low respectively hence its 2 overrides at cluster level.

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-availability-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 44

In a vSphere High Availability cluster, what is the VM Monitoring I/O stats interval default value?

- A. 60 seconds
- B. 90 seconds
- C. 120 seconds
- D. 180 seconds

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: The I/O stats interval determines if any disk or network activity has occurred for the virtual machine during the previous two minutes (120 seconds). If not, the virtual machine is reset. This default value (120 seconds) can be changed using the advanced attribute das.iostatsinterval.

Reference: https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.avail.doc_50%2FGUID-62B80D7A-C764-40CB-AE59-752DA6AD78E7.html

NEW QUESTION: 45

A device's vStorage API for Array Integration (VAAI) support status command line output shows:

naa.500253825002a865 VAAI Plugin Name: ATS Status: unsupported Clone Status: unsupported Zero Status: supported Delete Status: unsupported What is the corresponding VAAI support status in the vSphere Web Client?

- A. Unknown
- B. Supported
- C. Not supported
- D. Unsupported

Answer: A ([LEAVE A REPLY](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : If you go to Host > Configuration > Storage, you can see the Hardware Acceleration Status in the panel on the right side.

For each storage device and datastore, the vSphere Client displays the hardware acceleration support status in the Hardware Acceleration column of the Devices view and the Datastores view.

The status values are Unknown, Supported, and Not Supported. The initial value is Unknown. The status changes to Supported after the host successfully performs the offload basic operations. If the offload operation fails, the status changes to Not Supported.

To determine if your storage device supports VAAI, test the Full Copy VAAI primitive:

1. Using the vSphere Client, browse the datastore and locate a virtual disk (VMDK) of at least 4 MB that is not in use.
2. Copy the virtual disk to a new file.
3. Check the Hardware Acceleration status to verify that it changes from Unknown to either Supported or Not Supported.

Note: VAAI primitives can also be tested by creating a virtual machine with at least one new virtual disk, or cloning a virtual machine.

Can I check the VAAI status from the command line?

On ESXi 5.x

To check the VAAI status, run this command:

```
# esxcli storage core device vaai status get
```

You see output similar to:

```
mpx.vmhba1:C0:T1:L0
```

```
VAAI Plugin Name:
```

```
ATS Status: unsupported
```

```
Clone Status: unsupported
```

```
Zero Status: unsupported
```

```
Delete Status: unsupported
```

```
mpx.vmhba1:C0:T0:L0
```

```
VAAI Plugin Name:
```

```
ATS Status: unsupported
```

```
Clone Status: unsupported
```

```
Zero Status: unsupported
```

```
Delete Status: unsupported
```

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1021976

NEW QUESTION: 46

An administrator needs to create an Integrated Windows Authentication (IWA) Identity Source on a newly deployed vCenter Server Appliance (VCSA).

Which two actions will accomplish this? (Choose two.)

A. Use a Service Principal Name (SPN) to configure the Identity Source.

- B. Use a Domain administrator to configure the Identity Source.
- C. Join the VCSA to Active Directory and configure the Identity Source with a Machine Account.
- D. Create a computer account in Active Directory for the VCSA and configure the Identity Source.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) Configuring Active Directory as Identity Source for use with SSO 6.0 can be done in 2 ways a. Use the Machine Account(Any AD Account) b. Use with Service Principal Name b. Prerequisites :1. A domain account with domain administrator privileges is required when assigning a SPN to an account. 2. A domain account with domain user privileges is a minimum requirement for the account to be used as the SPN account.

c. <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.security.doc/GUID-4D24C6E8-63F5-4E35-862E-B59A03703254.html?resultof=%2522%2573%2570%256e%2522%2520>

C-) VCSA- If you want to configure permissions for users and groups from an Active Directory domain to access the vCenter Server components, you must join its associated embedded or external Platform Services Controller instance to the Active Directory domain.

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.vcsa.doc%2FGUID-08EA2F92-78A7-4EFF-880E-2B63ACC962F3.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 47

An administrator wants to monitor virtual machines on a host and send notifications when memory usage reaches 80%.

What should the administrator create in vCenter Server to accomplish this?

- A. A host alarm that will monitor virtual machine memory usage and set a trigger to email the notification.
- B. A vCenter Server alarm that will monitor virtual machine memory usage and set an action to email the notification.
- C. A host alarm that will monitor virtual machine memory usage and set an action to email the notification.
- D. A vCenter Server alarm that will monitor virtual machine memory usage and set a trigger to email the notification.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Alarm Actions

Alarm actions are operations that occur in response to triggered alarms. For example, email notifications are alarm actions.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.dcadm.doc_41/vc_client_help/working_with_alarms/c_alarm_actions.html

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.solutions.doc/GUID-2888F032-22A4-49C1-B27E-45F073E7C785.html>

NEW QUESTION: 48

An administrator needs to migrate a legacy physical application server to a virtual machine within a vSphere 6 cluster. As part of the conversion, the administrator must reduce the size of the virtual disks. What action should the administrator take to create a virtual machine with smaller virtual disks than the original physical server?

- A. Shut down the physical server and use VMware Converter cold cloning with volume-based cloning at the disk level.
- B. Use VMware Converter hot cloning with volume-based cloning at the block level.
- C. Shut down the physical server and use VMware Converter cold cloning with volume-based cloning at the file level.
- D. Use VMware Converter hot cloning with volume-based cloning at the file level.

Answer: D (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: When reducing the disk volume size, the cloning operation switches from a Block level clone to a File level clone operation, meaning each individual file on the filesystem is copied over to the virtual machines hard drive rather than a block by block image of the drive.

This can cause issues if the filesystem on the source machine is not in good health (for example, if it is severely fragmented, the physical drive has unrecorded bad sectors, or system files are damaged or missing in the index tables of the NTFS file system).

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1014872

NEW QUESTION: 49

A failed upgrade from vCenter Server version 5.x to version 6.0 produces the following error: [00800 error 'Default'] Database version id '600' is incompatible with this release of VirtualCenter. What is the cause of the upgrade failure?

- A. There was a database schema upgrade failure during the installation.
- B. The VMWAREVCMSDS service was upgraded before the vCenter Server service.
- C. The VMware Directory Service database failed during the installation.
- D. There was an incompatible ODBC driver version for the database.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Attempts to upgrade the VMware vCenter Server from 5.x to 6.0 might fail when validating the database. Upgrading VMware vCenter Server with an Oracle Database from 5.x to 6.0 might fail.

This error occurs when you install a vCenter Server against an external Microsoft SQL database. You need to create the database schema manually by referencing to the information in DB_and_schema_creation_scripts_mssql.txt in the DB scripts folder. An error message similar to the following is displayed:

The user associated with the DSN has insufficient privileges.

This issue is resolved in this release. VMware vCenter Server 6.0 Update 1 check release notes whitepaper on vmware.com Upgrading from vSphere 5.x to vSphere 6.0 Best Practices (2130664) [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/search.do?cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&docTypeID=DT_KB_1_1&externalId=2130664)

[cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&docTypeID=DT_KB_1_1&externalId=2130664](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/search.do?cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&docTypeID=DT_KB_1_1&externalId=2130664)

NEW QUESTION: 50

Which two statements regarding Distributed Resource Scheduler (DRS) affinity rules are true? (Choose two.)

- A. When two VM-VM affinity rules conflict, the older one takes precedence and the newer rule is disabled.
- B. Using Specify Failover Hosts admission control policy, VM-VM affinity rules are not supported.
- C. DRS gives higher precedence to preventing violations of anti-affinity rules than violations of affinity rules.
- D. It is not possible to create an affinity rule that conflicts with the other rules being used.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

VM-VM Affinity Rule Conflicts

You can create and use multiple VM-VM affinity rules, however, this might lead to situations where the rules conflict with one another.

If two VM-VM affinity rules are in conflict, you cannot enable both. For example, if one rule keeps two virtual machines together and another rule keeps the same two virtual machines apart, you cannot enable both rules. Select one of the rules to apply and disable or remove the conflicting rule.

When two VM-VM affinity rules conflict, the older one takes precedence and the newer rule is disabled. DRS only tries to satisfy enabled rules and disabled rules are ignored. DRS gives higher precedence to preventing violations of anti-affinity rules than violations of affinity rules.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.resgmt.doc/GUID-69C738B6-5FC8-4189-9CB5-DD90A5A05979.html>

NEW QUESTION: 51

An administrator is observing slow performance of the vCenter Inventory Service and observes the entries from the wrapper.log file:

Exception in thread "tomcat-exec-2" java.lang.OutOfMemoryError: Java heap space
Exception in thread "http-bio-0.0.0.0-10443-Acceptor-0" java.lang.OutOfMemoryError: Java heap space
What should the administrator do to resolve the problem?

- A. Increase the memory resources of the vCenter Server.
- B. Increase the values using cloudvm-ram-size.
- C. Increase the memory resources of the Platform Services Controller.
- D. Increase the wrapper.java.maxmemory value in wrapper.conf.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Cause

This issue occurs if the allocated JVM maximum memory heap is too low for the VMware Inventory service, VMware Profile-Driven Storage service, or VMware VirtualCenter Web Management service. Several core vCenter Server services use individual configuration files (wrapper.conf) to determine the JVM maximum heap size that each service can use. The VMware Inventory service, VMware Profile-Driven Storage service, and VMware VirtualCenter Web Management service rely on the JVM maximum memory heap configured in their individual wrapper.conf file and play a critical role in the functionality of vCenter Server.

Note: If vCenter Server 5.5 has recently been updated beyond 5.5 U2, see Upgrading VMware vCenter Server 5.5 to 5.5 U2 or later reduces the JVM maximum memory heap size (2114669).

Resolution

This is a known issue affecting vCenter Server 5.x.

To resolve this issue, manually set the inventory size.

To change the JVM maximum memory heap size for a Windows installed vCenter Server 5.x, see, see Configuring Tomcat server settings in VMware vCenter Server 5.1 and 5.5 (2021302).

To manually set the inventory size in vCenter Server Appliance 5.x:

1. Log in to vCenter Server Appliance administration interface (VAMI) URL:

https://vCenter_Server_FQDN/IP:5480

2. Click the Services tab.

3. Change the Inventory Size to Medium or Large, depending on your environment.

Note: The system memory may need to be increased when changing this setting. For more information on environment sizing, see the Configure Inventory Size for the VMware vCenter Server Appliance section of the Configuring Hosts and vCenter Server guide.

4. Restart the VMware Profile-Driven Storage Service and VMware Inventory Service. For more information, see Stopping, starting, or restarting vCenter Server Appliance services (2054085).

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2126282

NEW QUESTION: 52

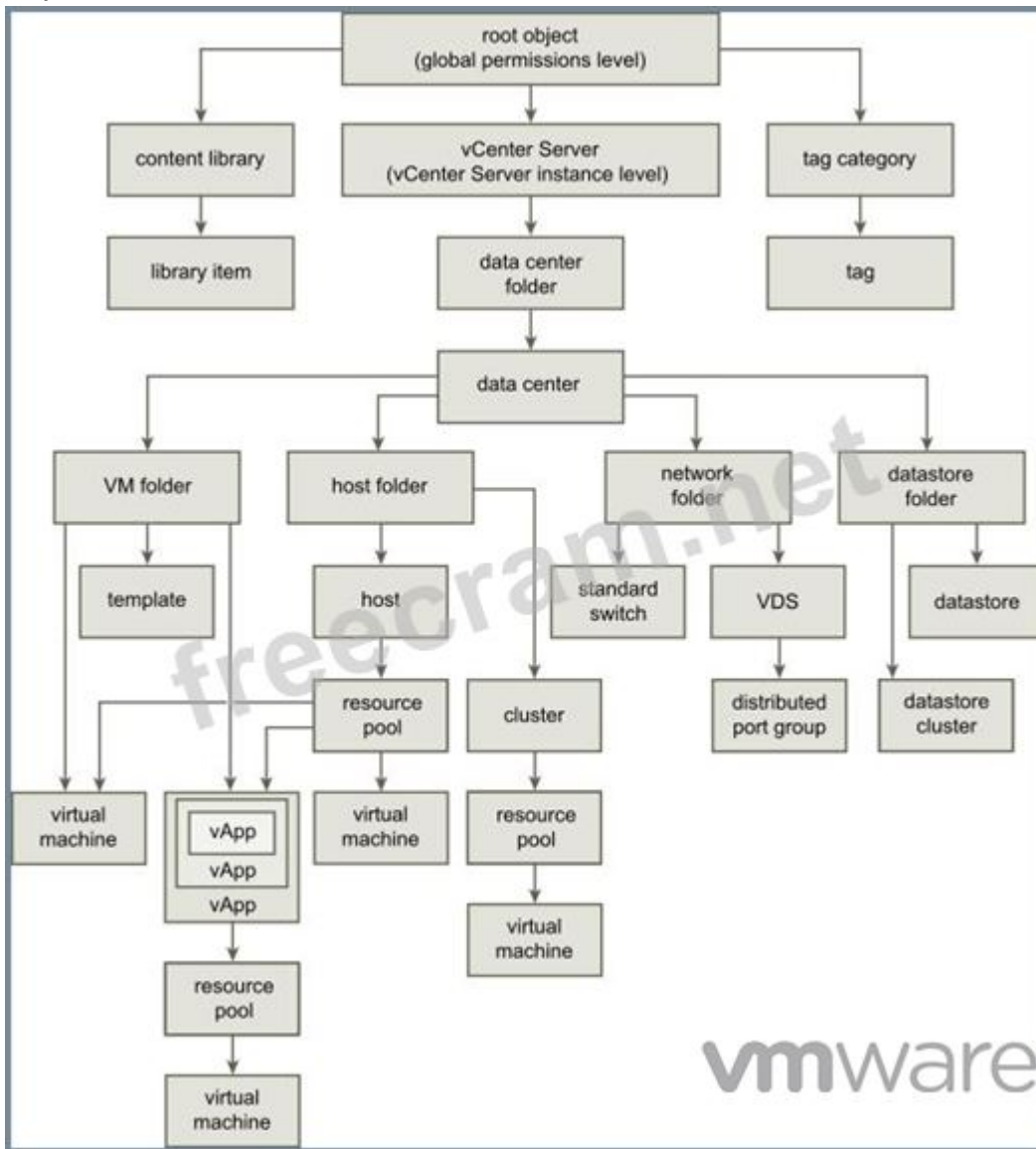
A user notifies an administrator that Content Libraries are not visible.
What is a possible solution?

- A. Assign the user the read-only role at the global permission level.
- B. Assign the user the read-only role at the vCenter Server root level.
- C. Assign the user the read-only role at the vCenter Server data center level.
- D. Assign the user the read-only role at the vCenter Server cluster level.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:



Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.vm_admin.doc%2FGUID-18F4B892-D685-4473-AC25-3195D68DFD90.html

NEW QUESTION: 53

Which two statements are true regarding Storage Multipathing Plug-Ins? (Choose two.)

- A. The default Path Selection Policy is VMW_PSP_MRU for iSCSI or FC devices.
- B. The default Path Selection Policy is VMW_PSP_FIXED for iSCSI or FC devices.
- C. VMW_PSP_MRU is typically selected for ALUA arrays by default.
- D. VMW_PSP_FIXED is typically selected for ALUA arrays by default.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : By default, the VMware NMP supports the following PSPs:

VMW_PSP_MRU

The host selects the path that it used most recently. When the path becomes unavailable, the host selects an alternative path. The host does not revert back to the original path when that path becomes available again. There is no preferred path setting with the MRU policy. MRU is the default policy for most active- passive storage devices.

Displayed in the vSphere Client as the Most Recently Used (VMware) path selection policy.

VMW_PSP_FIXED

The host uses the designated preferred path, if it has been configured. Otherwise, it selects the first working path discovered at system boot time. If you want the host to use a particular preferred path, specify it manually. Fixed is the default policy for most active-active storage devices.

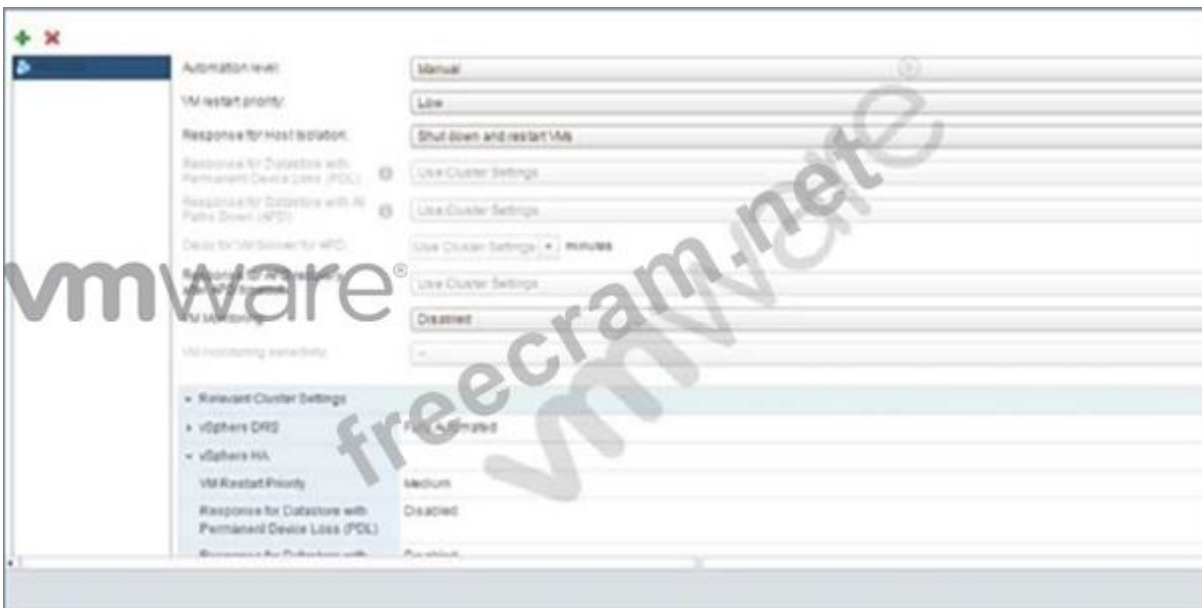
Note

If the host uses a default preferred path and the path's status turns to Dead, a new path is selected as preferred. However, if you explicitly designate the preferred path, it will remain preferred even when it becomes inaccessible.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-B7AD0CA0-CBE2-4DB4-A22C-AD323226A257.html>

NEW QUESTION: 54

Refer to the Exhibit.



The Prod-DB virtual machine has a VM Override as shown in the Exhibit.

What step, if taken, would require all virtual machines in the cluster to migrate automatically?

- A. Deselect the virtual machine from VM Overrides.
- B. Add all virtual machines to the VM Overrides.
- C. Change Response for Host Isolation to Use Cluster Settings.
- D. Change the Automation level to Use Cluster Settings.

Answer: D ([LEAVE A REPLY](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To migrate virtual machine in the cluster automatically, you need to change the automation level to use cluster settings. The automation level will then use cluster settings to automatically migrate virtual machines in the cluster.

NEW QUESTION: 55

An administrator is troubleshooting a CPU performance issue for a virtual machine.

Which three esxstop counters may demonstrate CPU contention? (Choose three.)

- A. %RDY
- B. %RUN
- C. %MLMTD
- D. %WAIT
- E. %CSTP

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

"%RDY"

▪
The percentage of time the world was ready to run.

A world in a run queue is waiting for CPU scheduler to let it run on a PCPU. %RDY accounts the percentage of this time. So, it is always smaller than 100%.

+Q: How do I know CPU resource is under contention?+

+A: %RDY is a main indicator. But, it is not sufficient by itself.+

+If a "CPU Limit" is set to a VM's resource settings, the VM will be deliberately held from scheduled to a PCPU when it uses up its allocated CPU resource. This may happen even when there is plenty of free CPU cycles. This time deliberately held by scheduler is shown by "%MLMTD", which will be describe next.

Note that %RDY includes %MLMTD. For, for CPU contention, we will use "%RDY - %MLMTD". So, if "% RDY - %MLMTD" is high, e.g., larger than 20%, you may experience CPU contention.+

+What is the recommended threshold? Well, it depends. As a try, we could start with 20%. If your application speed in the VM is OK, you may tolerate higher threshold. Otherwise, lower.+

+Q: How do we break down 100% for the world state times?+

+A: A world can be in different states, either scheduled to run, ready to run but not scheduled, or not ready to run (waiting for some events).+

100% = %RUN + %READY + %CSTP + %WAIT.

+Check the description of %CSTP and %WAIT below.+

+Q: What does it mean if %RDY of a VM is high?+

+A: It means the VM is possibly under resource contention. Check "%MLMTD" as well. If "%MLMTD" is high, you may raise the "CPU limit" setting for the VM. If "%RDY - %MLMTD" is high, the VM is under CPU contention.+

"%MLMTD"

▪
The percentage of time the world was ready to run but deliberately wasn't scheduled because that would violate the "CPU limit" settings.

Note that %MLMTD is included in %RDY.

+Q: What does it mean if %MLMTD of a VM is high?+

+A: The VM cannot run because of the "CPU limit" setting. If you want to improve the performance of this VM, you may increase its limit. However, keep in mind that it may reduce the performance of others.+

"%CSTP"

▪
The percentage of time the world spent in ready, co-deschedule state. This co-deschedule state is only meaningful for SMP VMs. Roughly speaking, ESX CPU scheduler deliberately puts a VCPU in this state, if this VCPU advances much farther than other VCPUs.

+Q: What does it mean if %CSTP is high?+

+A: It usually means the VM workload does not use VCPUs in a balanced fashion. The VCPU with high % CSTP is used much more often than the others. Do you really need all those VCPUs? Do you pin the guest application to the VCPUs?+ Reference:

<https://communities.vmware.com/docs/DOC-9279>

NEW QUESTION: 56

Which two are valid compliance results that indicate the need to apply a Host Profile? (Choose two.)

- A. Non-compliant
- B. Inconsistent
- C. Unknown
- D. Disconnected

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Check Compliance You can confirm the compliance of a host or cluster to its attached Host Profile and determine which, if any, configuration parameters on a host are different from those specified in the Host Profile.

Procedure

1 Navigate to a Host Profile. The Objects tab lists all Host Profiles, the number of hosts attached to that Host Profile, and summarized results of the last compliance check.

2 Click the Check Host Profile Compliance icon ().

In the Objects tab, the compliance status is updated as Compliant, Unknown, or Non-compliant. A non-compliant status indicates a discovered and specific inconsistency between the profile and the host. To resolve this, you should remediate the host. And unknown status indicates that the compliance of the host could not be verified; to resolve the issue, remediate the host through the Host Profile.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-host-profiles-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 57

Which two reasons would prevent Storage Distributed Resource Scheduler (SDRS) from operating on a datastore? (Choose two.)

- A. The datastore has Storage I/O Control disabled.
- B. The datastore is connected to an unsupported host.
- C. The datastore is hosted on an NFS server.
- D. The datastore is hosted on an iSCSI server.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Storage DRS to datastores is like DRS to hosts. It moves VMDKs from heavily utilized to less utilized datastores according to preset space and I/O metrics, making efficient storage management more achievable.

Storage DRS can run in automatic mode, but most admins are using it in manual mode. This is understandable as we must keep in mind that Storage vMotion is not as light as vMotion, and hence should not be taken lightly.

Storage DRS does use other storage management technologies like Storage I/O Control (SIOC), and can benefit from others like Profile-Driven Storage and vSphere API for Storage Awareness (VASA).

NEW QUESTION: 58

An administrator plans to use VMware Converter Standalone to convert a virtual machine to a vSphere environment. The source virtual machine has these properties:

Running Windows 2008 R2

▪ Contains one NTFS formatted volume

During conversion, how many virtual disks can the administrator add to the destination virtual machine?

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 3

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

After adding virtual disk on Windows 2008 and Windows 2008 R2, you cannot make disk online
Windows 2008 and Windows 2008 R2 virtual machine is configured with Virtual Hardware version 7
You see this error within Windows under Disk Management:

The disk is offline because of policy set by an administrator so the virtual disk will show 0.

Make disk online how follow the KB:

[https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?
language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2000767](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2000767)

NEW QUESTION: 59

Which two settings are required for Virtual Machine Component Protection (VMCP) to protect from All Paths Down (APD) and Permanent Device Loss (PDL)? (Choose two.)

- A. Host Monitoring
- B. VM Restart Priority
- C. Virtual machine Monitoring
- D. Response for Host Isolation

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

If either the Host Monitoring or VM Restart Priority settings are disabled, VMCP cannot perform virtual machine restarts. Storage health can still be monitored and events can be issued, Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.avail.doc%2FGUID-F01F7EB8-FF9D-45E2-A093-5F56A788D027.html>

NEW QUESTION: 60

When attempting to log in with the vSphere Web Client, users have reported the error:
Incorrect Username/Password

The administrator has configured the Platform Services Controller Identity Source as:

Type. Active Directory as an LDAP Server

Domain: vmware.com

Alias: VMWARE

Default Domain: Yes

Which two statements would explain why users cannot login to the vSphere Web Client? (Choose two.)

- A. Users are typing the password incorrectly.
- B. Users are in a forest that has 1-way trust.
- C. Users are in a forest that has 2-way trust.
- D. Users are logging into vCenter Server with incorrect permissions.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) As written in the KB 2034608 (Unlocking and resetting the VMware vCenter Single Sign-On administrator password) you can have this problem also in a case of multiple login failure (by default the account get locked if the password is incorrectly entered three times).

For VMware Platform Services Controller 6.0, if you want just to unlock the password:

FAQ'S: VMware Platform Services Controller (PSC) for vSphere 6.0. The PSC contains common infrastructure services such as vCenter Single Sign-On (SSO), VMware Certificate Authority (VMCA), licensing, and server reservation and registration services. https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2113115

B-) Depending on the type of Microsoft Active Directory trusts used in an environment, some features, such as Active Directory user querying and user authentication, may be limited from the vSphere Client and vSphere Web Client. For more info: [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2064250)

[language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2064250](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2064250)

NEW QUESTION: 61

An administrator is configuring virtual machines to use Worldwide Port Names (WWPNs) to access the storage.

Which two conditions are required? (Choose two.)

- A. The switches in the fabric must be N-Port ID Virtualization aware.
- B. The virtual machines must be using passthrough Raw Disk Mapping (RDMp).
- C. The virtual machines must be using Virtual Machine Disk (VMDK).
- D. The switches in the fabric must be Storage I/O Control aware.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: N-Port ID Virtualization

N-Port ID Virtualization (NPIV) is an ANSI T11 standard that describes how a single Fibre Channel HBA port can register with the fabric using several worldwide port names (WWPNs). This allows a fabric-attached N-port to claim multiple fabric addresses. Each address appears as a unique entity on the Fibre Channel fabric. How NPIV-Based LUN Access Works NPIV enables a single FC HBA port to register several unique WWNs with the fabric, each of which can be assigned to an individual virtual machine.

SAN objects, such as switches, HBAs, storage devices, or virtual machines can be assigned World Wide Name (WWN) identifiers. WWNs uniquely identify such objects in the Fibre Channel fabric. When virtual machines have WWN assignments, they use them for all RDM traffic, so the LUNs pointed to by any of the RDMs on the virtual machine must not be masked against its WWNs. When virtual machines do not have WWN assignments, they access storage LUNs with the WWNs of their host's physical HBAs. By using NPIV, however, a SAN administrator can monitor and route storage access on a per virtual machine basis.

The following section describes how this works.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/>

[index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.config_fc.doc_40/esx_san_config/managing_san_systems/c_n-port_id_virtualization.html](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.config_fc.doc_40/esx_san_config/managing_san_systems/c_n-port_id_virtualization.html)

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NEW QUESTION: 62

An administrator created a six node Virtual SAN cluster, created a fault domain, and moved three of the six nodes into that domain.

A node that is a member of the fault domain fails.

What is the expected result?

- A. The remaining two fault domain members are treated as failed.
- B. The remaining two fault domain members stay protected by the domain.
- C. One of the non-member nodes will be automatically added to the fault domain.
- D. VMware High Availability will restart virtual machines on remaining nodes in the domain.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Defines the number of host and device failures a virtual machine object can tolerate. For n failures tolerated, $n+1$ copies of the virtual machine object are created and $2*n+1$ hosts contributing storage are required. When provisioning a virtual machine, if you do not choose a storage policy, Virtual SAN assigns this policy as the default virtual machine storage policy.

Default value is 1. Maximum value is 3. If fault domains are configured, $2n+1$ fault domains with hosts contributing capacity are required. A host, which is not part of any fault domain is considered as its own single host fault domain.

Default value is 1. Maximum value is 3.

NOTE If you do not want Virtual SAN to protect a single mirror copy of virtual machine objects, you can specify the Number of failures to tolerate=0. However, the host might experience unusual delays when entering maintenance mode. The delay occurs because Virtual SAN has to evacuate the object from the host for the maintenance operation to complete successfully. Setting the Number of failures to tolerate=0 means that your data is unprotected, and you might lose data when the Virtual SAN cluster encounters a device failure.

NOTE When creating a new storage policy, if you do not specify any value for Number of failures to tolerate, by default, Virtual SAN creates a single mirror copy of the virtual machine objects and tolerates only one failure. However, in the event of a multiple component failures your data might be at risk.

link: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/virtual-san-60-administration-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 63

An administrator tries to capture network traffic for a virtual machine, but cannot see the expected traffic in the packet capture tool.

Which step can resolve the problem?

- A. Migrate the virtual machine to a Distributed Virtual Switch.
- B. Enable Promiscuous Mode on the relevant port group.
- C. Modify the default value of MAC Address changes.
- D. Enable Forged Transmits on the virtual machine.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: When promiscuous mode is enabled at the portgroup level, objects defined within that portgroup have the option of receiving all incoming traffic on the vSwitch. Interfaces and virtual machines within the portgroup will be able to see all traffic passing on the vSwitch, but all other portgroups within the same virtual switch do not.

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1002934

NEW QUESTION: 64

An administrator is unable to patch an ESXi 6.x host using VMware Update Manager.

What is an alternative option for patching a host?

- A. Upload the offline bundle to a datastore and execute the command `esxcli software vib install -d` to apply it manually.
- B. Upload the vib to a datastore and execute the command `esxcli software vib install -d` to apply it manually.
- C. Upload the offline bundle to a datastore and execute the command `esxupdate install -v` to apply it manually.
- D. Upload the vib to a datastore and execute the command `esxupdate install -v` to apply it manually.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Update a Host with Individual VIBs

You can update a host with VIBs stored in a software depot that is accessible through a URL or in an offline ZIP depot.

Important

If you are updating ESXi from a zip bundle in a VMware-supplied depot, either online from the VMware Web site or downloaded locally, VMware supports only the update method specified for VMware-supplied depots in the topic Upgrade or Update a Host with Image Profiles.

The `esxcli software vib update` and `esxcli software vib install` commands are not supported for upgrade operations. See Differences Between vSphere Upgrades and Updates and Upgrade or Update a Host with Image Profiles Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-1E773360-CB1C-4BC2-B2A4-B73AB5706FAF.html>

NEW QUESTION: 65

An administrator is concerned about possible vCPU over-commitment for an ESXi 6.x host. Which two Performance Counters should be reviewed in the vSphere Web Client Performance Charts to confirm if there is contention on the host? (Choose two.)

- A. Wait
- B. Ready
- C. Core Utilization
- D. Co-Stop

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To check vCPU over commitment for an Esxi 6.0 host>>>>performance Tab>>>>Graph etc.

Ready - Amount of time the virtual machine was ready to run, waiting in a queue to be scheduled.

Co-Stop - Amount of time a SMP virtual machine was ready to run, but incurred delay due to co-vCPU scheduling contention.

These performance metrics can be reviewed using the Performance tab in the vSphere Client or using the esxtop or resxtop command-line utilities. Choose the most appropriate method for your environment. Make note of the four metrics displayed. Each is measured in milliseconds

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1017926

NEW QUESTION: 66

What are two reasons why a local flash device would be unavailable for use with Virtual SAN? (Choose two.)

- A. It has a VMFS datastore present.
- B. It is in use by the vFlash Read Cache feature.
- C. It is smaller than the minimum capacity required for Virtual SAN usage.
- D. It does not have any partitions created.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Local Flash Devices Are Unavailable for Use with Virtual SAN or Virtual Flash A local flash device becomes unavailable for virtual flash resource or Virtual SAN configuration when it is formatted with VMFS or any other file system.

Problem

When you attempt to configure either Virtual SAN or virtual flash resource, a local flash disk does not appear on the list of disks to be used.

Cause

This problem might occur when a local flash intended for use with either feature has been already formatted with VMFS. Neither Virtual SAN nor virtual flash can share the flash disk with VMFS or any other file system.

Also, because virtual flash and Virtual SAN are mutually exclusive consumers of flash disks, both features cannot share the same flash disk. If the flash disk is already claimed by one feature, for example Virtual SAN, you are not be able to use it for another, such as virtual flash, unless you release the disk.

Solution

Use only unformatted flash disks for virtual flash resource and Virtual SAN configuration.

Avoid formatting the flash disks with VMFS during ESXi installation or Auto Deploy.

If the flash disk is already formatted with VMFS, remove the VMFS datastore. For information see the vSphere Storage documentation.

To use the flash disk as a virtual flash resource, do not claim this disk for Virtual SAN. If the disk is claimed by Virtual SAN, remove the disk from Virtual SAN. The flash disk is released from Virtual SAN and becomes available on the list of disks to use with virtual flash. For information about removing disks from Virtual SAN, see the Administering VMware Virtual SAN documentation.

If you intend to use the flash disk with Virtual SAN, do not use the disk for a virtual flash resource. If the flash disk is used as the virtual flash resource, remove the virtual flash configuration. The disk becomes available for Virtual SAN. See the vSphere Storage documentation.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-A17F5D39-C1F3-47B1-9645-5C247412F370.html>

NEW QUESTION: 67

Which three are requirements for configuring Storage I/O Control (SIOC)? (Choose three.)

- A. The datastore must consist of only one extent.
- B. The datastore is managed by a single vCenter Server.
- C. Auto-tiered storage must be compatible with SIOC.
- D. Auto-tiered storage must be SSD or SATA.
- E. The datastore must be VMFS.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : Storage I/O Control Requirements Storage

I/O Control has several requirements and limitations.

Datastores that are Storage I/O Control-enabled must be managed by a single vCenter Server system.

Storage I/O Control is supported on Fibre Channel-connected and iSCSI-connected storage. NFS datastores and Raw Device Mapping (RDM) are not supported.

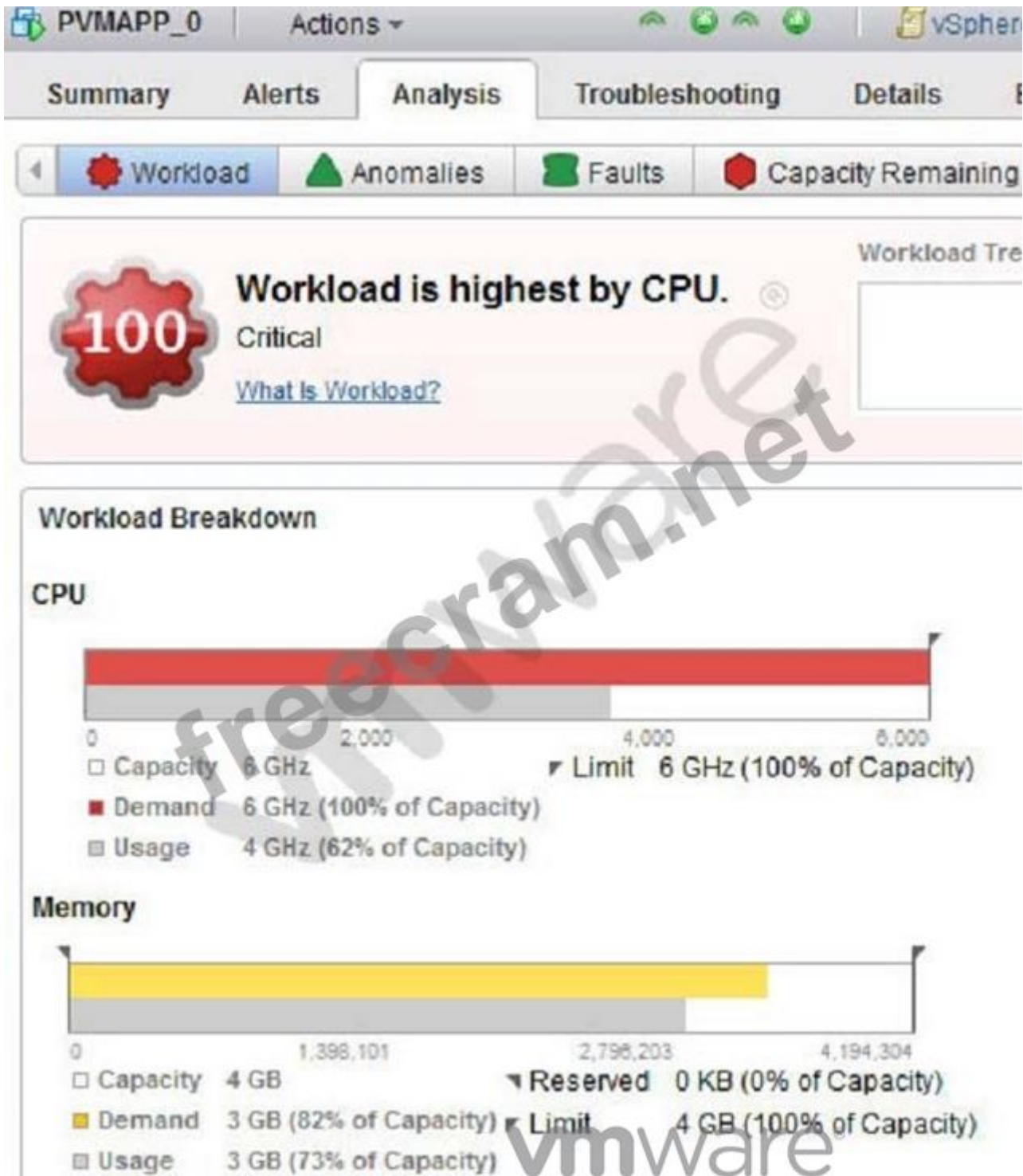
Storage I/O Control does not support datastores with multiple extents.

Before using Storage I/O Control on datastores that are backed by arrays with automated storage tiering capabilities, check the VMware Storage/SAN Compatibility Guide to verify whether your automated tiered storage array has been certified to be compatible with Storage I/O Control. Automated storage tiering is the ability of an array (or group of arrays) to migrate LUNs/volumes or parts of LUNs/volumes to different types of storage media (SSD, FC, SAS, SATA) based on user-set policies and current I/O patterns. No special certification is required for arrays that do not have these automatic migration/tiering features, including those that provide the ability to manually migrate data between different types of storage media.

Reference: http://www.vmware.com/pdf/vsphere4/r41/vsp_41_resource_mgmt.pdf

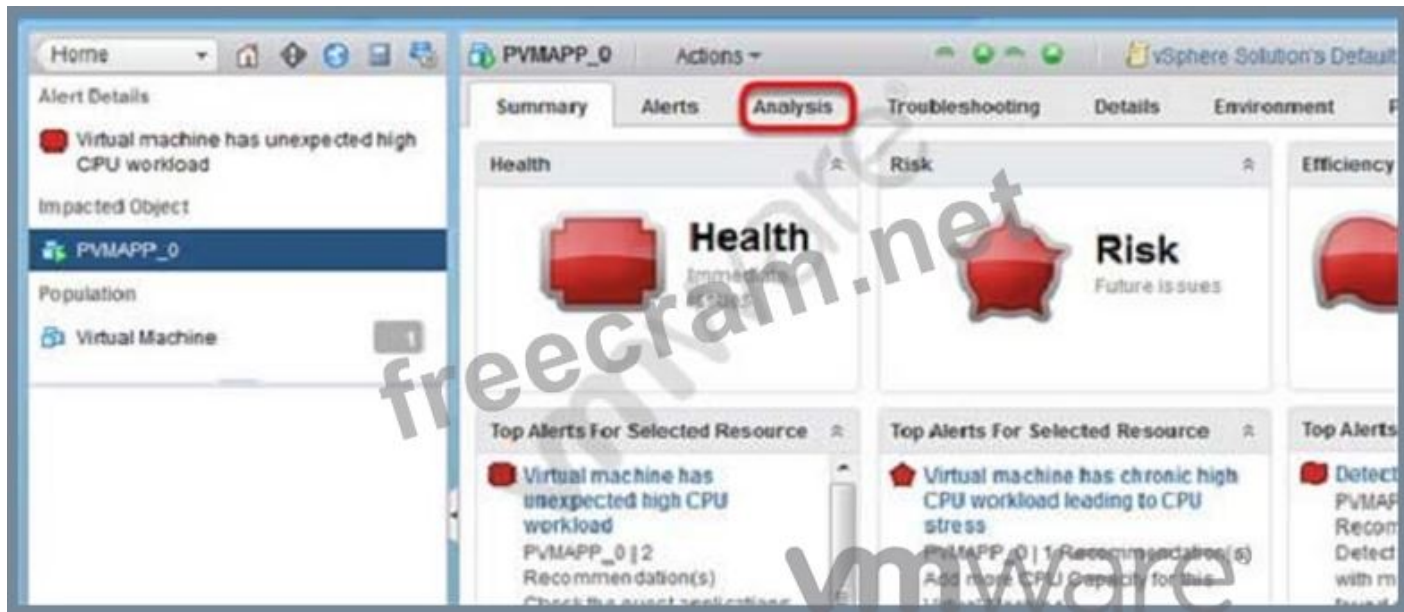
NEW QUESTION: 68

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator receives vRealize Operations alerts for the Health of the virtual machine PVMAPP_0 as shown in Exhibit 1:

The administrator clicks on the Analysis pane, as shown in Exhibit 2:



Based on the exhibits, what action would correctly address the performance problems observed?

- A. Increase the number of vCPUs for PVMAPP_0.
- B. Increase the allocation of memory for PVMAPP_0.
- C. Increase the Memory limit for PVMAPP_0.
- D. Increase the reservation in MHz for vCPUs for PVMAPP_0.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

The default Hardware Version of the vRealize Operations Manager virtual machine is 7, limiting the maximum vCPUs selection to 8. You can upgrade the Hardware Version of the Analytics machine to increase the vCPU limit.

Theoretically, the performance of PVM should be similar or better than HVM. But, this trend tends to break when the vCPU count increases from 20 vCPUS. This problem is counter intuitive and is only observed in case of vCPUs being greater than 20 physical cores. We classify this problem as sleepy lock anomaly, which occurs due to the usage of paravirtual interface in the ticket spinlock implementation that has been introduced to solve the Lock Holder Preemption problem without the architectural support (i.e. Pause Loop Exiting).

Take steps to analyze the scalability behavior of VMs with high core count (till 80 core). Our preliminary study suggests that besides cache contention bottleneck, the usage of ticket spinlock is another culprit for the degradation. We will take a step further and will try to analyze the scalability characteristics of these monster VMs by running other benchesuites from Mosbench.

<https://www.vmware.com/support/pubs/vrealize-automation-pubs.htm>

NEW QUESTION: 69

After configuring a Virtual SAN cluster, an administrator using the vSphere Web Client notices that the Virtual SAN datastore is smaller than expected. The cluster contains:

- Three ESXi hosts
- Each host has one 10GB SDD
-

Each host has one 100GB HDD

Why would the Virtual SAN datastore show as 100GB instead of 300GB?

- A. There is a network problem with the Virtual SAN vmkernel ports.
- B. The Virtual SAN VASA provider is disabled.
- C. vSphere High Availability is enabled on the Virtual SAN cluster.
- D. The Virtual SAN cluster must be managed using the vSphere Web Client.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Here we have three ESXi hosts (each with 100GB HDD) which makes the complete storage to 300 GB. It generally shows 100GB instead of 300GB because the three hosts are not able to connect properly due to network issues.

NEW QUESTION: 70

An administrator subscribes to the vCloud Air Disaster Recovery service. Which replicated objects can be directly monitored and managed?

- A. Virtual machine Snapshots
- B. vApps
- C. Virtual machines
- D. ESXi Hosts

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

VMware provides a disaster recovery service that lets you protect your workloads from a disaster or disruptive event by replicating them to the cloud. You can replicate virtual machines from your vSphere-based source site to vCloud Air, and recover and use the replicated virtual machines in the cloud if the source site is unavailable.

The Disaster Recovery service is based on vSphere Replication, an extension to VMware vSphere that provides hypervisor-based virtual machine replication and recovery.

You use vSphere Replication at your source site to configure your environment and replicate virtual machines to vCloud Air. You can use vSphere Replication, the vCloud Air portal, or the vCloud Air plug-in to monitor and manage the replicated virtual machines in the cloud.

Reference:

<http://pubs.vmware.com/vchspugin-15/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vchspugin.doc%2FGUID-92B7E03C-8DDE-4F91-A64C-8E5AF7BD0F66.html>

NEW QUESTION: 71

An administrator notices that there is an all paths down (APD) event occurring for the software FCoE storage.

What is a likely cause?

- A. Spanning Tree Protocol is enabled on the network ports.
- B. Spanning Tree Protocol is disabled on the network ports.

C. Spanning Tree Protocol is enabled on the storage processors.

D. Spanning Tree Protocol is disabled on the storage processors.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : Configuration Guidelines for Software FCoE

When setting up your network environment to work with ESXi software FCoE, follow the guidelines and best practices that VMware offers.

Network Switch Guidelines

Follow these guidelines when you configure a network switch for software FCoE environment:

On the ports that communicate with your ESXi host, disable the Spanning Tree Protocol (STP). Having the STP enabled might delay the FCoE Initialization Protocol (FIP) response at the switch and cause an all paths down (APD) condition. The FIP is a protocol that FCoE uses to discover and initialize FCoE entities on the Ethernet.

Turn on Priority-based Flow Control (PFC) and set it to AUTO.

Make sure that you have a compatible firmware version on the FCoE switch.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 72

An administrator needs to recover disk space on a previously-used thin provisioned virtual disk. The volumes where the administrator needs to recover the disk blocks are on VAAI-compliant storage arrays.

Which two actions should the administrator take accomplish this task? (Choose two.)

A. Perform a Storage vMotion to another volume in order to force free space recovery to occur. This recreates the volume in a new location and recovers all unused space.

B. Use VMware Converter to migrate the virtual machine to a new datastore. This will recreate the volumes and recover all unused space.

C. Issue the `vmkfstools -vmfs unmap` command within the VMFS volume directory on the ESXi host console.

D. Execute the `esxcli storage vmfs unmap` command.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To reclaim unused storage blocks on a VMFS datastore for a thin-provisioned device, run this command:

```
esxcli storage vmfs unmap --volume-label=volume_label|--volume-uuid=volume_uuid --reclaim-unit=number
```

The command takes these options:

-l|--volume-label=volume_label

The label of the VMFS volume to UNMAP. This is a mandatory argument. If you specify this argument,

do not use -u|--volume-uuid=volume_uuid.

-u|--volume-uuid=volume_uuid

The UUID of the VMFS volume to UNMAP. This is a mandatory argument. If you specify this argument, do not use -l|--volume-label=volume_label.

-n|--reclaim-unit=number

The number of VMFS blocks to UNMAP per iteration. This is an optional argument. If it is not specified, the command uses a default value of 200.

Reference: [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2057513)

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NEW QUESTION: 73

An administrator wants to upgrade to vCenter Server 6.x.

The vCenter Server:

Is hosted on a virtual machine server running Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2, with 8 vCPUs and 16GB RAM.

Will have an embedded Platform Services Controller.

Hosts a Large Environment with 1,000 ESXi hosts and 10,000 Virtual Machines.

Why does the vCenter Server not meet the minimum requirements?

- A. Windows Server 2008 R2 is not a supported Operating System for vCenter Server.
- B. The virtual machine has insufficient resources for the environment size.
- C. The environment is too large to be managed by a single vCenter Server.
- D. The Platform Services Controller must be changed to an External deployment.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

vCenter Server for Windows Hardware Requirements

When you install vCenter Server on a virtual machine or physical server running Microsoft Windows server, your system must meet specific hardware requirements.

<https://kb.vmware.com/kb/2107948>

VMware vCenter Server 6.0 Deployment Guide - White Paper ...

<https://www.vmware.com/files/pdf/.../vmware-vcenter-server6-deployment-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 74

An administrator is deploying ESXi 6.x hosts using Auto Deploy and wants the image profile to be available, even after closing and opening a new PowerCLI window.

Which command can be used to ensure that image profiles are preserved across PowerCLI sessions?

- A. Set-EsxImageProfile
- B. Export-EsxImageProfile
- C. Save-EsxImageProfile

D. Preserve-EsxImageProfile

Answer: B (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Detailed Description

Exports an Image Profile object as either an ESXi ISO image that can be booted up and used as an ESXi installer, or an offline depot ZIP file that contains metadata plus the VIB packages. In both cases, downloads the VIB binaries and validates the VIB signatures.

You can perform the following tasks with the offline depot ZIP file:

- *Import the ZIP into VMware Update Manager for patch remediation
- *Download the ZIP to an ESXi host and used with esxcli for installation
- *Re-import the ZIP into ImageBuilder itself using Add-EsxSoftwareDepot

You can specify either -ExportToIso or -ExportToBundle but not both.

NAME

ImageProfile

TYPE

ImageProfile

DESCRIPTION

(pipeline input, prompt) Specifies the image profile to export.

Takes one of the following forms:

- *Name of an image profile, as displayed in the Name column of Get-EsxImageProfile, or the Name property of any ImageProfile object
- *ImageProfile object

REQUIRED?

True

PIPELINE INPUT

true (ByValue, ByPropertyName)

Reference: <https://www.vmware.com/support/developer/PowerCLI/PowerCLI501/html/Export-EsxImageProfile.html>

NEW QUESTION: 75

Which two solutions require Physical Mode Raw Device Mapping (RDM)? (Choose two.)

- A. Direct access to the storage array device
- B. Virtual Machine Snapshots
- C. Hardware Acceleration
- D. Guest Clustering across ESXi hosts

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: A-) Note: RDM is not available for direct-attached block devices or certain RAID devices.

You cannot map a disk partition as RDM. RDMs require the mapped device to be a whole LUN.(storage array device) D-) Guest Clustering----- Physical mode is useful while running SAN management agents or other SCSI target-based software in the virtual machine.

Physical mode also allows virtual-to-physical clustering for cost-effective high availability. Virtual Machine Snapshots are not available when the RDM is used in physical compatibility mode. You can use this mode for Physical-to-virtual clustering and cluster-across-boxes. VMFS5 supports greater than 2 TB disk size for RDMs in physical compatibility mode only. These restrictions apply:

You cannot relocate larger than 2 TB RDMs to datastores other than VMFS5.

You cannot convert larger than 2 TB RDMs to virtual disks, or perform other operations that involve RDM to virtual disk conversion. Such operations include cloning.

FAQ: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1037959

NEW QUESTION: 76

An administrator has decided to create 10 ESXi 6.x hosts via Auto Deploy for a new Test/Dev cluster. The hosts are configured to obtain their networking configuration via DHCP.

Which Direct Console User Interface option should the administrator use to renew the DHCP lease for the hosts?

- A. Restore Network Settings
- B. Test Management Network
- C. Restart Management Network
- D. Network Restore Options

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Restart the Management Network

Restarting the management network interface might be required to restore networking or to renew a DHCP lease.

Restarting the management network will result in a brief network outage that might temporarily affect running virtual machines.

If a renewed DHCP lease results in a new network identity (IP address or host name), remote management software will be disconnected.

Procedure

- 1 . From the direct console, select Restart Management Network and press Enter.
- 2 . Press F11 to confirm the restart.

Reference: [https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-50/index.jsp?topic=%](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.install.doc_50%2FGUID-E46F9F62-D1BB-4485-815D-08DBAE320CC3.html)

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NEW QUESTION: 77

Which two advanced features should be disabled for virtual machines that are only hosted on a vSphere system? (Choose two.)

- A. isolation.tools.unity.push.update.disable
- B. isolation.tools.ghi.launchmenu.change
- C. isolation.tools.bbs.disable
- D. isolation.tools.hgfsServerSet.enable

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Disable Unexposed Features

VMware virtual machines are designed to work on both vSphere systems and hosted virtualization platforms such as Workstation and Fusion. Certain VMX parameters do not need to be enabled when you run a virtual machine on a vSphere system. Disable these parameters to reduce the potential for vulnerabilities.

Prerequisites

Turn off the virtual machine.

Procedure

1 Find the virtual machine in the vSphere Web Client inventory.

- A To find a virtual machine, select a datacenter, folder, cluster, resource pool, or host.
- B Click the **Related Objects** tab and click **Virtual Machines**.

2 Right-click the virtual machine and click **Edit Settings**.

3 Select **VM Options**.

4 Click **Advanced** and click **Edit Configuration**.

5 Add or edit the following parameters.

Name	Value
isolation.tools.unity.push.update.disable	TRUE
isolation.tools.ghi.launchmenu.change	TRUE
isolation.tools.memSchedFakiSampleStats.disable	TRUE
isolation.tools.getCreds.disable	TRUE
isolation.tools.ghi.autologon.disable	TRUE
isolation.bios.bbs.disable	TRUE
isolation.tools.hgfsServerSet.disable	TRUE

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-60E83710-8295-41A2-9C9D-83DEBB6872C2.html>

NEW QUESTION: 78

During a vCenter Server upgrade, an ESXi 6.x host in a High Availability (HA) cluster fails. Which statement is true?

- A.** HA will fail the virtual machines over to an available host during the vCenter Server upgrade process.
- B.** HA is unavailable during the vCenter Server upgrade process.
- C.** HA will fail the virtual machines over to an available host after the vCenter Server upgrade completes.
- D.** HA will successfully vMotion the virtual machines during the host failure.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

During a vCenter Upgrade the VMware HA Agent on all of the ESXi hosts will be updated. ... it's very likely that the HA agent will fail to initialize the first time when the host restarts.

During a vCenter Upgrade the VMware HA Agent on all of the ESXi hosts will be updated. After this happens the "require reboot" flag is set on the hosts, as explained in VMware KB 2034945.

NEW QUESTION: 79

Which secondary Private VLAN (PVLAN) type can communicate and send packets to an Isolated PVLAN?

- A.** Community
- B.** Isolated
- C.** Promiscuous
- D.** Primary

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Private VLANs

Private VLANs are used to solve VLAN ID limitations and waste of IP addresses for certain network setups.

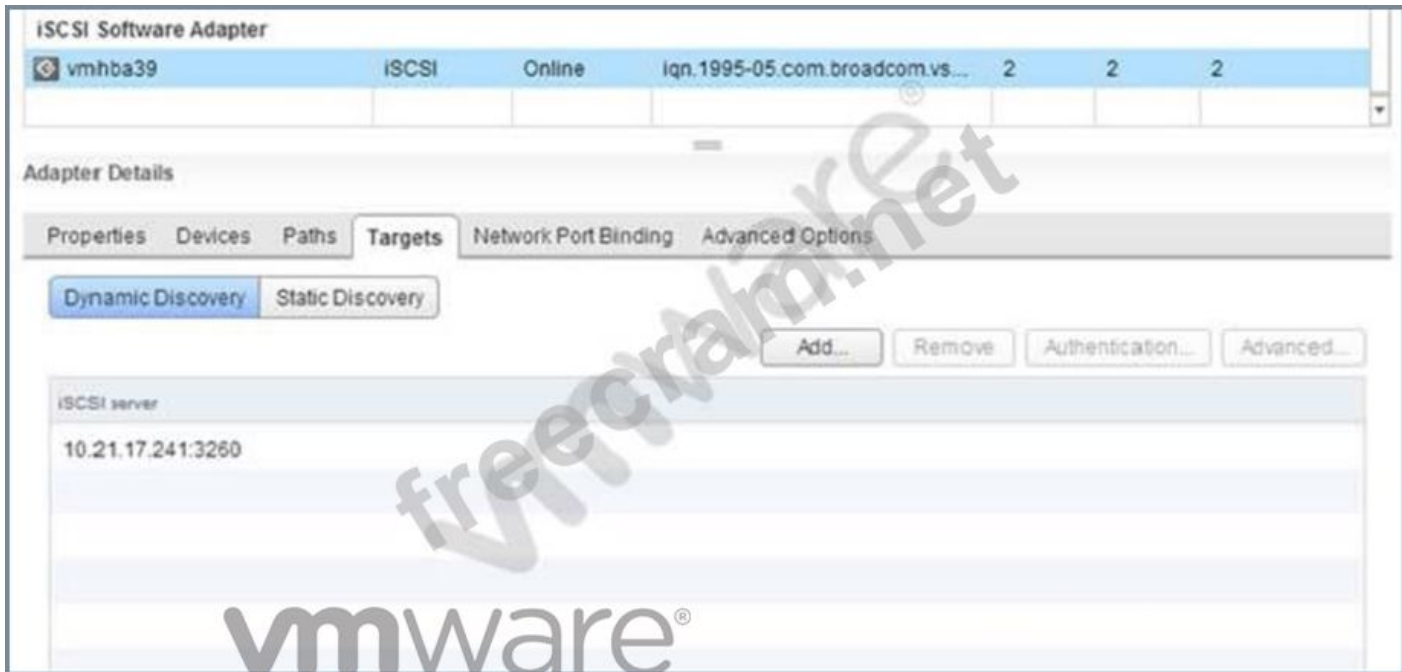
A private VLAN is identified by its primary VLAN ID. A primary VLAN ID can have multiple secondary VLAN IDs associated with it. Primary VLANs are Promiscuous, so that ports on a private VLAN can communicate with ports configured as the primary VLAN. Ports on a secondary VLAN can be either Isolated, communicating only with promiscuous ports, or Community, communicating with both promiscuous ports and other ports on the same secondary VLAN.

Reference:

[https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-60E83710-8295-41A2-9C9D-83DEBB6872C2.html)

NEW QUESTION: 80

Refer to the Exhibit.



Which tab shows the Hardware Acceleration support status?

- A. Devices
- B. Properties
- C. Paths
- D. Advanced Options

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

To know the detailed info about the tab:

If you go to Host > Configuration > Storage, you can see the Hardware Acceleration Status in the panel on the right side.

For each storage device and datastore, the vSphere Client displays the hardware acceleration support status in the Hardware Acceleration column of the Devices view and the Datastores view.

The status values are Unknown, Supported, and Not Supported. The initial value is Unknown. The status changes to Supported after the host successfully performs the offload basic operations. If the offload operation fails, the status changes to Not Supported.

Check link KB: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1021976

NEW QUESTION: 81

Refer to the Exhibit.

This host currently has no management network redundancy

An administrator is changing the settings on a vSphere Distributed Switch (vDS). During this process, the ESXi Management IP address is set to an address which can no longer communicate with the vCenter Server.

What is the most likely outcome of this action?

- A. The host will disconnect from the vCenter Server and remain disconnected.
- B. The host will automatically detect the communication issue and revert the change.
- C. The host will stay connected with the change, but show an alert.
- D. The host will disconnect and migrate the vDS portgroup to a standard switch.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Procedure

1. Connect to the DCUI of the host.
2. From the Network Restore Options menu, select Restore vDS.
3. Configure the uplinks and optionally the VLAN for the management network.
4. Apply the configuration.

The DCUI creates a local ephemeral port and applies the values you provided for the VLAN and uplinks.

The DCUI moves the VMkernel adapter for the management network to the new local port to restore connectivity to vCenter Server.

Next Steps:

After the connection of the host to vCenter Server is restored, correct the configuration of the distributed port group and re-add the VMkernel adapter to the group.

For information about networking rollback, recovery, and restore, see the vSphere Networking documentation: Wait until vCenter Server applies the settings within the next 24 hours.

NEW QUESTION: 82

A vSphere Web Client task fails while creating a VMFS datastore on a disk with these characteristics:

The disk was formatted with a Master Boot Record (MBR) partition table

▪

The disk was not erased

▪

The disk is visible in the vSphere Web Client

▪

What action needs to be performed to resolve the issue?

- A. Delete the partitions manually with partedUtil.
- B. Create a VMFS3 file system first, then upgrade it.
- C. Create a VMFS5 file system with the command esxcli storage filesystem add.
- D. Delete the data with the vmkfstools command.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Deleting a partition

A single partition can be deleted from a partition table on a block disk device using the partedUtil command line utility.

To delete a partition, run this command:

```
partedUtil delete "/vmfs/devices/disks/DeviceName" PartitionNumber
```

Reference: [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1036609#)

[language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1036609#](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1036609#) Deleting a partition

NEW QUESTION: 83

Which two are valid Identity Sources when configuring vCenter Single Sign-On? (Choose two.)

- A. Radius
- B. NIS
- C. OpenLDAP
- D. LocalOS

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Option	Description
OpenLDAP	The identity source is an OpenLDAP server. OpenLDAP versions 2.4 and later are supported.
Active Directory	The identity source is a Microsoft Active Directory server. Active Directory versions 2003 and later are supported.
Local Operating System	Users local to the operating system where Single Sign On is installed (for example, Windows). There can be only one local operating system identity source.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-B23B1360-8838-4FF2-B074-71643C4CB040.html>

NEW QUESTION: 84

An administrator creates a Private VLAN with a Primary VLAN ID of 2. The administrator then creates three Private VLANs as follows:

- Marketing
- PVLAN ID. 4
- PVLAN Type. Isolated
- Accounting

PVLAN ID. 5

PVLAN Type. Community

Secretary

PVLAN ID. 17

PVLAN Type. Isolated

Users in the Accounting PVLAN are reporting problems communicating with servers in the Marketing PVLAN.

Which two actions could the administrator take to resolve this problem? (Choose two.)

A. Change the PVLAN type for the Accounting network to Promiscuous.

B. Change the PVLAN ID for the Accounting network to 2.

C. Change the PVLAN type for Marketing network to Promiscuous.

D. Change the PVLAN ID for Accounting network to 4.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Please refer to this link for understanding network connectivity issues in detail: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1004109

NEW QUESTION: 85

Which group in the vsphere.local domain will have administrator privileges for the VMware Certificate Authority (VMCA)?

A. SolutionUsers

B. CAAdmins

C. DCAAdmins

D. SystemConfiguration.Administrators

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Members of the CAAdmins group have administrator privileges for VMCA. Adding members to these groups is not usually recommended.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-87DA2F34-DCC9-4DAB-8900-1BA35837D07E.html>

NEW QUESTION: 86

Which three options are available for replacing vCenter Server Security Certificates? (Choose three.)

A. Replace with Certificates signed by the VMware Certificate Authority.

B. Make VMware Certificate Authority an Intermediate Certificate Authority.

- C. Do not use VMware Certificate Authority, provision your own Certificates.
- D. Use SSL Thumbprint mode.
- E. Replace all VMware Certificate Authority issued Certificates with self-signed Certificates.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

ESXi Certificate Replacement

For ESXi hosts, you can change certificate provisioning behavior from the vSphere Web Client.

VMware Certificate Authority mode (default)

When you renew certificates from the vSphere Web Client, VMCA issues the certificates for the hosts. If you changed the VMCA root certificate to include a certificate chain, the host certificates include the full chain.

Custom Certificate Authority mode

Allows you to manually update and use certificates that are not signed or issued by VMCA.

Thumbprint mode

Can be used to retain 5.5 certificates during refresh. Use this mode only temporarily in debugging situations.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.install.doc%2FGUID-4469A6D3-048A-471C-9CB4-518A15EA2AC0.html>

NEW QUESTION: 87

Which two options are available in the Virtual Machine Component Protection (VMCP) setting Response for Datastore with All Paths Down (APD)? (Choose two.)

- A. Issue Events
- B. Power off and restart virtual machines
- C. Reset virtual machines
- D. Leave Powered On

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

PDL failures

A virtual machine is automatically failed over to a new host unless you have configured VMCP only to Issue events.

APD events

The response to APD events is more complex and accordingly the configuration is more fine-grained. After the user-configured Delay for VM failover for APDperiod has elapsed, the action taken depends on the policy you selected. An event will be issued and the virtual machine is restarted conservatively or aggressively. The conservative approach does not terminate the virtual machine if the success of the failover is unknown, for example in a network partition. The aggressive approach does terminate the

virtual machine under these conditions. Neither approach terminates the virtual machine if there are insufficient resources in the cluster for the failover to succeed.

If APD recovers before the user-configured Delay for VM failover for APD period has elapsed, you can choose to reset the affected virtual machines, which recovers the guest applications that were impacted by the IO failures.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.avail.doc%2FGUID-F01F7EB8-FF9D-45E2-A093-5F56A788D027.html>

NEW QUESTION: 88

Which password meets ESXi 6.x host password requirements?

- A. 8kMVnn2x!
- B. zNgtnJBA2
- C. Nvgt34kn44
- D. !b74wr

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

ESXi Passwords

By default, ESXi enforces requirements for user passwords.

Your user password must meet the following length requirements.

Passwords containing characters from one or two character classes must be at least eight characters long.

Passwords containing characters from three character classes must be at least seven characters long.

Passwords containing characters from all four character classes must be at least six characters long.

When you create a password, include a mix of characters from four character classes: lowercase letters, uppercase letters, numbers, and special characters such as an underscore or dash.

The password cannot contain the words root, admin, or administrator in any form.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-DC96FFDB-F5F2-43EC-8C73-05ACDAE6BE43.html>

NEW QUESTION: 89

An administrator wants to configure a High Availability cluster to allow virtual machines a 10 minute window to shut down in the event of a Host Isolation incident.

What two configuration settings would satisfy this requirement? (Choose two.)

- A. Set the advanced option das.isolationshutdowntimeout = 10.
- B. Set the advanced option das.isolationshutdowntimeout = 600.
- C. Configure Host Isolation Response to Shut Down and Restart VMs.
- D. Configure Host Isolation Response to Power Off and Restart VMs.

Answer: B,C (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

das.isolationShutdownTimeout

The number of seconds an FDM waits for a virtual machine to power off after initiating a guest shutdown before the FDM issues a power off. If the option is unset, 300s is used.

Reference: [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2033250)

[language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2033250](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2033250)

NEW QUESTION: 90

An administrator wants to reduce the memory overhead for a 3D graphics enabled virtual machine (VM).

What advanced feature can be added to the VM configuration file to reduce memory overhead?

- A. vga.vgaOnly=TRUE
- B. vga.svgaEnable=FALSE
- C. svgaEnabled=FALSE
- D. svgaDisable=TRUE

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Reduce Memory Overhead for Virtual machines with 3D graphics Option

Virtual machines with the 3D graphics option enabled can have higher memory consumption than other virtual machines. You can reduce the memory overhead by editing the configuration file (.vmx file) of your virtual machines and disabling certain memory related settings. Reducing the memory overhead of virtual machines can help you increase the number of virtual machines per host.

Prerequisites

Verify that your virtual machines are using hardware version 10 or later.

Procedure

- 1 Shut down the virtual machine on which the 3D graphics option is enabled.
- 2 Disable the Accelerate 3D Graphics option.
- 3 Upgrade your ESXi host to use the features available in hardware version 10 or later.
- 4 Set the maximum size of your display to the size you need.
- 5 Locate the configuration file (.vmx) of your virtual machine.
- 6 Open the virtual machine configuration file in a text editor and add the line, vga.vgaOnly=TRUE. This option removes all graphics and SVGA functionality from your SVGA device, but does not remove the settings that allow BIOS to enter VGA mode.
- 7 Save the changes and exit the text editor.
- 8 Power on your virtual machine and check the display console.
- 9 Verify the memory reservation settings in the vmware.log file.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.vm_admin.doc%2FGUID-FAB0E2C3-3474-461D-99BC-549F7E21FE85.html

NEW QUESTION: 91

When attempting to remove a host from a vSphere Distributed Switch (vDS), an administrator observes the error message:

The resource '16' is in use

What are two reasons why this error would be displayed? (Choose two.)

- A. VMkernel network adapters on the vDS are in use.
- B. Virtual machine network adapters are connected to the vDS.
- C. Network I/O Control has been configured on the vDS.
- D. There is active network traffic on the vDS.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Cause

You cannot remove the host from the distributed switch or delete the host proxy switch because of the following reasons.

There are VMkernel adapters on the switch that are in use.

There are virtual machine network adapters connected to the switch.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-038AC93F-D710-48ED-8E3B-258A23FB2930.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 92

An administrator has migrated a vCenter Server Appliance from version 5.5 to version 6.x. During the migration, the administrator selected DHCP for the appliance and obtained a hostname from the DHCP server. The administrator adjusts the hostname after the migration and uses a static IP and hostname. What should the administrator do immediately after this change to prevent service failures?

- A. Regenerate the SSL certificates.
- B. Re-register components to Single Sign-On.
- C. Update the /etc/hosts file.
- D. Execute the command `services.restart vmware-vpxd`.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

This is a known issue affecting vCenter Server 6.0.

Currently, there is no resolution.

To work around this issue, regenerate the SSL certificates on the vCenter Server 5.x before upgrading to

6.0.

To regenerate the SSL certificates on the vCenter Server 5.x before upgrading to 6.0, LinkKB:

[https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2110943)

[language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2110943](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2110943)

NEW QUESTION: 93

An administrator observes the following symptoms for a virtual machine:

■ CPU usage is consistently above 90%

■ CPU ready value is consistently above 20%.

■ Application performance is impacted.

Which two actions should the administrator take to improve the performance of this virtual machine?

(Choose two.)

A. Increase the number of vCPUs assigned to this virtual machine.

B. Decrease the number of vCPUs assigned to this virtual machine.

C. Verify that VMware Tools is installed on every virtual machine on the host.

D. Increase the CPU shares assigned to the virtual machine.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Solutions for Consistently High CPU Usage

Temporary spikes in CPU usage indicate that you are making the best use of CPU resources.

Consistently high CPU usage might indicate a problem. You can use the vSphere Client CPU performance charts to monitor CPU usage for hosts, clusters, resource pools, virtual machines, and vApps.

Problem

■ Host CPU usage constantly is high. A high CPU usage value can lead to increased ready time and processor queuing of the virtual machines on the host.

■ Virtual machine CPU usage is above 90% and the CPU ready value is above 20%. Application performance is impacted.

Cause

The host probably is lacking the CPU resources required to meet the demand.

Solution

■ Verify that VMware Tools is installed on every virtual machine on the host.

- Compare the CPU usage value of a virtual machine with the CPU usage of other virtual machines on the host or in the resource pool. The stacked bar chart on the host's Virtual Machine view shows the CPU usage for all virtual machines on the host.
- Determine whether the high ready time for the virtual machine resulted from its CPU usage time reaching the CPU limit setting. If so, increase the CPU limit on the virtual machine.
- Increase the CPU shares to give the virtual machine more opportunities to run. The total ready time on the host might remain at the same level if the host system is constrained by CPU. If the host ready time doesn't decrease, set the CPU reservations for high-priority virtual machines to guarantee that they receive the required CPU cycles.
- Increase the amount of memory allocated to the virtual machine. This action decreases disk and or network activity for applications that cache. This might lower disk I/O and reduce the need for the host to virtualize the hardware. Virtual machines with smaller resource allocations generally accumulate more CPU ready time.
- Reduce the number of virtual CPUs on a virtual machine to only the number required to execute the workload. For example, a single-threaded application on a four-way virtual machine only benefits from a single vCPU. But the hypervisor's maintenance of the three idle vCPUs takes CPU cycles that could be used for other work.
- If the host is not already in a DRS cluster, add it to one. If the host is in a DRS cluster, increase the number of hosts and migrate one or more virtual machines onto the new host.
- Upgrade the physical CPUs or cores on the host if necessary.
- Use the newest version of hypervisor software, and enable CPU-saving features such as TCP Segmentation Offload, large memory pages, and jumbo frames.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.monitoring.doc%2FGUID-5F8147A1-6416-4D29-BA3D-E4CED3966016.html>

NEW QUESTION: 94

Which Advanced Setting should be created for the vCenter Server to change the expiration policy of the vpxuser password?

- A. VimPasswordExpirationInDays
- B. VimExpirationPasswordDays
- C. VimPassExpirationInDays
- D. VimPasswordRefreshDays

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Important

To preclude the possibility that vCenter Server is locked out of the ESXi host, the password aging policy must not be shorter than the interval that automatically changes the vpxuser password.

Procedure

- 1 To change the password length policy, edit the `vpxd.hostPasswordLength` parameter in the vCenter Server configuration file on the vCenter Server that is running.

Operating System	Default Location
Windows	C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Application Data\VMware VirtualCenter\
Linux	/etc/vmware-vpx/vpxd.cfg

- 2 To change the password aging requirement, use the Advanced Settings dialog box in the vSphere Web Client.
 - a Browse to the vCenter Server system in the vSphere Web Client inventory.
 - b Click the **Manage** tab and click **Settings**.
 - c Select **Advanced Settings** and locate the `VirtualCenter.VimPasswordExpirationInDays` parameter.
- 3 Restart vCenter Server.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-96210743-0C17-4AE9-89FC-76778EC9D06E.html>

NEW QUESTION: 95

An administrator is troubleshooting a virtual machine that has unexpectedly powered off. Which two logs should be used to troubleshoot the issue? (Choose two.)

- A. shell.log
- B. syslog.log
- C. hostd.log
- D. vmware.log

Answer: C,D (LEAVE A REPLY)

NEW QUESTION: 96

An administrator is having a problem configuring Storage I/O Control on a Datastore. Which two conditions could explain the issue? (Choose two.)

- A. A host is running ESXi 4.0.
- B. An ESXi host does not have appropriate licensing.
- C. The vCenter Server version is 5.0.
- D. The vCenter Server License is Standard.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) Storage I/O Control was introduced in vSphere 4.1, taking storage resource controls built into vSphere to a much broader level. In vSphere 5, Storage I/O Control has been enhanced with support for NFS data stores and clusterwide I/O shares. Check vmware.com esxi versions enhancements, for further troubleshooting <https://kb.vmware.com/kb/1022091> B-) If hosts are not licensed at the appropriate level, the option to enable Storage I/O control is grayed out.
Check: <https://kb.vmware.com/kb/2021530>

NEW QUESTION: 97

Where is a Virtual SAN Fault Domain configured?


- A. VMware Virtual SAN Cluster configuration
- B. VMware High Availability Cluster configuration
- C. Distributed Resource Scheduler configuration
- D. Datacenter Advanced Settings configuration

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Procedure

- 1 Navigate to the Virtual SAN cluster in the vSphere Web Client.
 - 2 Click the Manage tab and click Settings.
 - 3 Under Virtual SAN, click Fault Domains and Stretched Cluster.
 -  4 Click the Create a new fault domain icon ().
 - 5 Type the fault domain name.
 - 6 From the Show drop-down menu, select Hosts not in fault domain to view the list of hosts that are not assigned to a fault domain or select Show All Hosts to view all hosts in the cluster.
 - 7 Select one or more hosts to add to the fault domain.
- A fault domain cannot be empty. You must select at least one host to include in the fault domain.
- 8 Click OK.

The selected hosts appear in the fault domain

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.virtualsan.doc%2FGUID-C365ACE8-7485-4463-A12C-71D1917A4930.html>

NEW QUESTION: 98

An administrator has been instructed to secure existing virtual machines in vCenter Server. Which two actions should the administrator take to secure these virtual machines? (Choose two.)

- A. Disable native remote management services
- B. Restrict Remote Console access
- C. Use Independent Non-Persistent virtual disks
- D. Prevent use of Independent Non-Persistent virtual disks

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

PARAMETER ELEMENT	DESCRIPTION
Code	VMX22
Name	Avoid using Independent nonpersistent disks.
Description	<p>The security issue with nonpersistent disk mode is that successful attackers, with a simple shutdown or reboot, might undo or remove any traces that they were ever on the machine.</p> <p>To safeguard against this risk, you should set production virtual machines to use either persistent disk mode or nonpersistent disk mode; additionally, make sure that activity within the virtual machine is logged remotely on a separate server, such as a syslog server or equivalent Windows-based event collector.</p>
Threat	Without a persistent record of activity on a virtual machine, administrators might never know whether they have been attacked or hacked.
Recommendation Level	DMZ
Parameter Setting	<p>If remote logging of events and activity is not configured for the guest, scsiX:Y mode should be either:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Not present 2. Not set to independent nonpersistent
Effect on Functionality	Won't be able to make use of nonpersistent mode, which allows rollback to a known state when rebooting the virtual machine.

PARAMETER ELEMENT	DESCRIPTION
Code	VMX02
Name	Prevent other users from spying on administrator remote consoles.
Description	By default, remote console sessions can be connected to by more than one user at a time. When multiple sessions are activated, each terminal window gets a notification about the new session.
Threat	If an administrator in the virtual machine logs in using a VMware remote console during the session, a nonadministrator in the virtual machine might connect to the console and observe the administrator's actions. This might also result in an administrator's losing console access to a virtual machine. For example, if a jump box is being used for an open console session, and the administrator loses connection to that box, the console session remains open.
Recommendation Level	DMZ
Parameter Setting	RemoteDisplay.maxConnections=1
Effect on Functionality	Only one remote console connection to the virtual machine will be permitted. Other attempts will be rejected until the first session disconnects.

Reference:

<http://www.vmware.com/files/pdf/techpaper/VMW-TWP-vSPHR-SECRTY-HRDNG-USLET-101-WEB-1.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 99

An administrator has a virtual machine configured with the following settings:

ESXi version: 5.1

CPU: vCPUs 6

Memory: 48GB

Hardware version: 7

VMware Tools: Installed

Which two actions must the administrator take in order to utilize vNUMA? (Choose two.)

A. Upgrade the ESXi host to vSphere 5.5 or later.

B. Upgrade to Virtual Hardware version 8.

C. Configure numa.vcpu.min to 5

D. Configure numa.vcpu.min to 6

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Using Virtual NUMA

vSphere 5.0 and later includes support for exposing virtual NUMA topology to guest operating systems, which can improve performance by facilitating guest operating system and application NUMA optimizations.

Virtual NUMA topology is available to hardware version 8 virtual machines and is enabled by default when the number of virtual CPUs is greater than eight. You can also manually influence virtual NUMA topology using advanced configuration options.

You can affect the virtual NUMA topology with two settings in the vSphere Client: number of virtual sockets and number of cores per socket for a virtual machine. If the number of cores per socket (cpuid.coresPerSocket) is greater than one, and the number of virtual cores in the virtual machine is greater than 8, the virtual NUMA node size matches the virtual socket size. If the number of cores per socket is less than or equal to one, virtual NUMA nodes are created to match the topology of the first physical host where the virtual machine is powered on.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.resmgmt.doc/GUID-17B629DE-75DF-4C23-B831-08107007FBB9.html>

-----Explanation note-----

Also, Check Page 21,22 https://www.vmware.com/pdf/Perf_Best_Practices_vSphere5.1.pdf D-) Size your virtual machines so they align with physical NUMA boundaries. For example, if you have a host system with six cores per NUMA node, size your virtual machines with a multiple of six vCPUs (i.e., 6 vCPUs, 12 vCPUs, 18 vCPUs, 24 vCPUs, and so on). Hence answer is D Also, Check Page 41,42

https://www.vmware.com/pdf/Perf_Best_Practices_vSphere5.1.pdf

NEW QUESTION: 100

When upgrading vCenter Server, an administrator notices that the upgrade fails at the vCenter Single Sign-On installation.

What must be done to allow the upgrade to complete?

- A. Verify that the VMware Directory service can stop by manually restarting it.
- B. Verify that the vCenter Single Sign-On service can stop by manually restarting it.
- C. Uninstall vCenter Single Sign-On service.
- D. Uninstall the VMware Directory service.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Prerequisites

- Your current vCenter Single Sign-On must have been installed on a separate virtual machine (VM) or physical server from your vCenter Server instance.
- Verify your configuration meets the upgrade requirements, see vCenter Server for Windows Requirements.
- Complete the preparation to upgrade tasks. See Before Upgrading vCenter Server
- Verify that you have made a backup of your vCenter Server configuration and database.
- To verify that the VMware Directory Service is in a stable state and can stop, manually restart it. The VMware Directory service must be stopped for the vCenter Server upgrade software to uninstall vCenter Single Sign-On during the upgrade process.
- Download the vCenter Server Installer. See Download the vCenter Server for Windows Installer

Reference: [https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-A94C1617-5F15-402A-B462-1AC6A041C73E.html)

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NEW QUESTION: 101

An administrator is configuring the clock tolerance for the Single Sign-On token configuration policy and wants to define the time skew tolerance between a client and the domain controller clock.

Which time measurement is used for the value?

- A. Milliseconds
- B. Seconds
- C. Minutes
- D. Hours

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

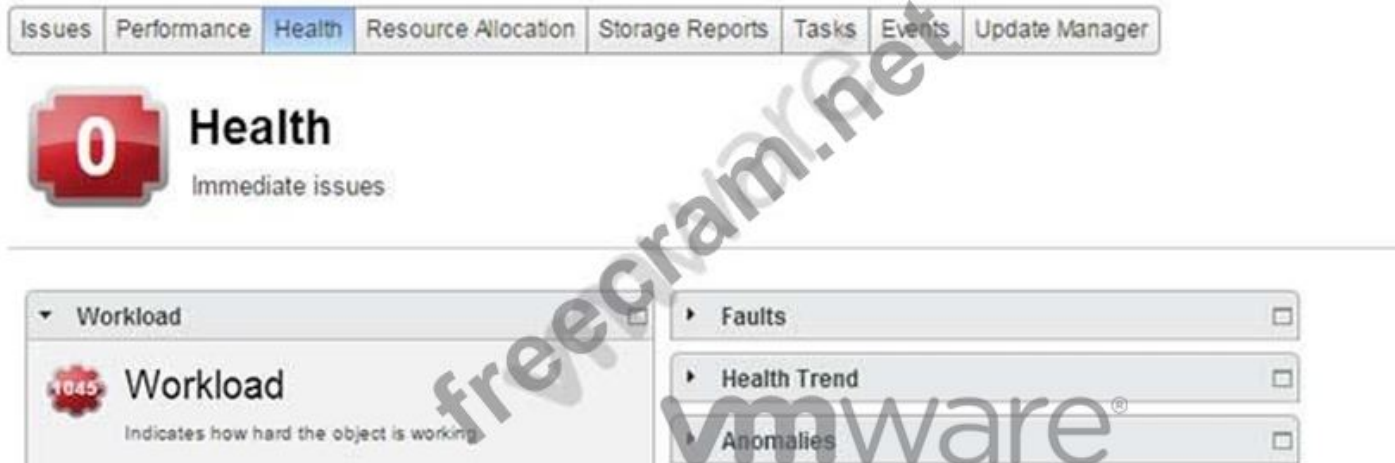
Time difference, in milliseconds, that vCenter Single Sign-On tolerates between a client clock and the domain controller clock. If the time difference is greater than the specified value, vCenter Single Sign-On declares the token invalid.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-50F2D815-4F67-4267-A005-B8158DADCBC9.html>

NEW QUESTION: 102

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator reviews the Health of a virtual machine, as shown in the Exhibit.

Based on the exhibit, which three metrics can be used to determine the virtual machine's Workload characteristics? (Choose three.)

- A. CPU
- B. Memory
- C. Network IO
- D. Threads
- E. vNUMA Stats

Answer: A,B,C (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Virtual Machine Alert Definitions

The vCenter adapter provides alert definitions that are generated on the virtual machines in your environment.

Health/Symptom-based

These alerts have the following impact and criticality information.

Check the Link for detailed info: [http://pubs.vmware.com/vrealizeoperationsmanager-61/index.jsp?topic=%](http://pubs.vmware.com/vrealizeoperationsmanager-61/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcom.core.doc%2FGUID-746FD64E-3380-44A6-A154-0BC63B4624F0.html)

[2Fcom.vmware.vcom.core.doc%2FGUID-746FD64E-3380-44A6-A154-0BC63B4624F0.html](http://pubs.vmware.com/vrealizeoperationsmanager-61/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcom.core.doc%2FGUID-746FD64E-3380-44A6-A154-0BC63B4624F0.html)

NEW QUESTION: 103

Which two features are deprecated in Network I/O Control 3 (NIOC3)? (Choose two.)

- A. Class Of Service (COS) Tagging
- B. Bandwidth Allocation
- C. User-defined network resource pools

D. Admission control

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation : The upgrade of a NIOC to version 3 is disruptive. Certain functionality is available only in NIOC v2 and is removed during the upgrade to version 3:

User-defined network resource pools including all associations between them and existing distributed port groups

You can preserve certain resource allocation settings by transferring the shares from the user-defined network resource pools to shares for individual network adapters.

Existing associations between ports and user-defined network resource pools

In Network I/O Control version 3, you cannot associate an individual distributed port to a network resource pool that is different from the pool assigned to the parent port group.

CoS tagging of the traffic that is associated with a network resource pool

Network I/O Control version 3 does not support marking traffic that has higher QoS demands with CoS tags. After the upgrade, to restore CoS tagging of traffic that was associated with a user-defined network resource pool, use the traffic filtering and marking networking policy.

Reference: <http://www.virtten.net/2015/09/vcp6-delta-part-7-network-enhancements/>

NEW QUESTION: 104

Which three traffic types can be configured for dedicated VMkernel adapters? (Choose three.)

- A. Discovery traffic
- B. vMotion traffic
- C. vSphere Replication NFC traffic
- D. Provisioning traffic
- E. vSphere Custom traffic

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Securing System Traffic

Take appropriate security measures to prevent unauthorized access to the management and system traffic in your vSphere environment. For example, isolate the vMotion traffic in a separate network that includes only the ESXi hosts that participate in the migration. Isolate the management traffic in a network that only network and security administrators are able to access. For more information, see vSphere Security and vSphere Installation and Setup.

System Traffic Types

You should dedicate a separate VMkernel adapter for every traffic type. For distributed switches, dedicate a separate distributed port group for each VMkernel adapter.

Management traffic

Carries the configuration and management communication for ESXi hosts, vCenter Server, and host-to-host High Availability traffic. By default, when you install the ESXi software, a vSphere Standard switch

is created on the host together with a VMkernel adapter for management traffic. To provide redundancy, you can connect two or more physical NICs to a VMkernel adapter for management traffic.

vMotion traffic
Accommodates vMotion. A VMkernel adapter for vMotion is required both on the source and the target hosts. The VMkernel adapters for vMotion should handle only the vMotion traffic. For better performance, you can configure multiple NIC vMotion. To have multi NIC vMotion, you can dedicate two or more port groups to the vMotion traffic, respectively every port group must have a vMotion VMkernel adapter associated with it. Then you can connect one or more physical NICs to every port group. In this way, multiple physical NICs are used for vMotion, which results in greater bandwidth.

Note

vMotion network traffic is not encrypted. You should provision secure private networks for use by vMotion only.

Provisioning traffic

Handles the data that is transferred for virtual machine cold migration, cloning, and snapshot creation. IP storage traffic and discovery

Handles the connection for storage types that use standard TCP/IP networks and depend on the VMkernel networking. Such storage types are software iSCSI, depended hardware iSCSI, and NFS. If you have two or more physical NICs for iSCSI, you can configure iSCSI multipathing. ESXi hosts support only NFS version 3 over TCP/IP. To configure a software FCoE (Fibre Channel over Ethernet) adapter, you must have a dedicated VMkernel adapter. Software FCoE passes configuration information though the Data Center Bridging Exchange (DCBX) protocol by using the Cisco Discovery Protocol (CDP)VMkernel module.

Fault Tolerance traffic

Handles the data that the primary fault tolerant virtual machine sends to the secondary fault tolerant virtual machine over the VMkernel networking layer. A separate VMkernel adapter for Fault Tolerance logging is required on every host that is part of a vSphere HA cluster.

vSphere Replication traffic

Handles the outgoing replication data that the source ESXi host transfers to the vSphere Replication server. Dedicate a VMkernel adapter on the source site to isolate the outgoing replication traffic.

vSphere Replication NFC traffic

Handles the incoming replication data on the target replication site.

Virtual SAN traffic

Every host that participates in a Virtual SAN cluster must have a VMkernel adapter to handle the Virtual SAN traffic.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-D4191320-209E-4CB5-A709-C8741E713348.html>

NEW QUESTION: 105

Refer to the Exhibit.

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6:43:19pm up 46 days 2:17, 502 worlds, 2 VMs, 8 vCPUs: CPU load average: 1.37, 1.35, 1.35
%CPU USED(%): 99 99 100 99 AVG: 99
%CPU UTIL(%): 99 99 99 99 AVG: 99

```

ID	GID NAME	%USED	%RUN	%SYS	%WAIT	%VWAIT	%RDY	%IDLE	%OVRLP	%CSTP	%MINTD	%SWPWT	
20472402	20472402 SlowVM	10	202.81	203.52	0.00	589.94	0.00	163.60	0.00	0.73	61.73	0.00	0.00
20473003	20473003 TestVM	10	199.49	200.02	0.00	599.95	0.07	164.35	0.00	0.64	54.68	0.00	0.00

An administrator is troubleshooting a CPU performance related problem for the SlowVM virtual machine.

Which three actions should the administrator take to improve CPU performance for SlowVM? (Choose three.)

- A. Increase the number of vCPUs assigned to SlowVM.
- B. Decrease the number of vCPUs assigned to SlowVM.
- C. Power off other VMs running on the same ESXi host.
- D. Increase the CPU limit for SlowVM.
- E. Move SlowVM to another ESXi host with more physical CPU resources available.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

CPU Performance Enhancement Advice

- 1 Verify that VMware Tools is installed on every virtual machine on the host.
- 2 Compare the CPU usage value of a virtual machine with the CPU usage of other virtual machines on the host or in the resource pool. The stacked bar chart on the host's Virtual Machine view shows the CPU usage for all virtual machines on the host.
- 3 Determine whether the high ready time for the virtual machine resulted from its CPU usage time reaching the CPU limit setting. If so, increase the CPU limit on the virtual machine.
- 4 Increase the CPU shares to give the virtual machine more opportunities to run. The total ready time on the host might remain at the same level if the host system is constrained by CPU. If the host ready time doesn't decrease, set the CPU reservations for high-priority virtual machines to guarantee that they receive the required CPU cycles.
- 5 Increase the amount of memory allocated to the virtual machine. This decreases disk and or network activity for applications that cache. This might lower disk I/O and reduce the need for the ESX/ESXi host to virtualize the hardware. Virtual machines with smaller resource allocations generally accumulate more CPU ready time.
- 6 Reduce the number of virtual CPUs on a virtual machine to only the number required to execute the workload. For example, a single-threaded application on a four-way virtual machine only benefits from a single vCPU. But the hypervisor's maintenance of the three idle vCPUs takes CPU cycles that could be used for other work.
- 7 If the host is not already in a DRS cluster, add it to one. If the host is in a DRS cluster, increase the number of hosts and migrate one or more virtual machines onto the new host.
- 8 Upgrade the physical CPUs or cores on the host if necessary.
- 9 Use the newest version of ESX/ESXi, and enable CPU-saving features such as TCP Segmentation Offload, large memory pages, and jumbo frames.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp?topic=/com.vmware.vsphere.dcadmin.doc_41/vsp_dc_admin_guide/performance_statistics/c_troubleshoot_cpu.html

NEW QUESTION: 106

An administrator is using Auto Deploy to create several ESXi 6.x hosts that will be connected to a vSphere Distributed Switch. After the hosts are deployed, the administrator notices that LACP packets are not being sent between them.

Which statement best describes why this issue is occurring?

- A. LACP is not enabled on the vCenter Server.
- B. The LACP support settings do not exist in the host profile.
- C. The LACP installation bundle is not included in the image profile.
- D. LACP has not been configured on the Auto Deploy server.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: LACP Limitations on a vSphere Distributed Switch

Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) on a vSphere distributed switch allows network devices to negotiate automatic bundling of links by sending LACP packets to a peer. However, there are some limitations when using LACP with a vSphere distributed switch.

LACP only works with IP Hash load balancing and Link Status Network failover detection.

LACP is not compatible with iSCSI software multipathing.

vSphere only supports one LACP group per distributed switch, and only one LACP group per host.

LACP settings do not exist in host profiles.

LACP between two nested ESXi hosts is not possible.

LACP does not work with port mirroring.

Reference: [https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-3FDE1E96-9217-4FE6-8B76-6E3A64766828.html)

[2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-3FDE1E96-9217-4FE6-8B76-6E3A64766828.html](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-3FDE1E96-9217-4FE6-8B76-6E3A64766828.html)

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NEW QUESTION: 107

An administrator wants to select a Host Power Management Policy for an ESXi 6.x host that will disable most hardware power management features.

Which Host Power Management Policy should be selected to meet this requirement?

- A. High Performance
- B. Balanced
- C. Low Power
- D. Disabled

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

High Performance

The VMkernel detects certain power management features, but will not use them unless the BIOS requests them for power capping or thermal events Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.resmgmt.doc%2FGUID-4D1A6F4A-8C99-47C1-A8E6-EF3865603F5B.html>

NEW QUESTION: 108

A task fails while creating a VMFS5 datastore on a disk with these characteristics:

Was previously used by a Linux server

Was not erased

Is visible with the vSphere Web Client

Which action can be performed to resolve the issue?

- A. Delete the partitions on the disk manually with partedUtil first.
- B. Create a VMFS3 file system first, then upgrade it.
- C. Create the VMFS5 file system manually using vmkfstools.
- D. Delete the data with the vmkfstools command.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Please refer to link to understand more about it:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2046610

NEW QUESTION: 109

Users are reporting CPU related performance problems on the virtual machine Email-Prod throughout the day.

The resource settings for the VM and the ESXi host the VM is running on are shown below:

VM:

Email-Prod

vCPUs: 4

Memory: 96GB

ESXi host:

CPU: 2 x 8 Core Processors

Memory: 128GB

NUMA architecture. 2 Nodes

Which two options would alleviate the observed performance problem for Email-Prod? (Choose two.)

- A. Enable the advanced parameter Numa.PageMigEnable.
- B. Enable the advanced parameter Numa.AutoMemAffinity.
- C. Enable CPU affinity to separate 2 vCPUs for each NUMA node.
- D. Enable CPU affinity to bind all vCPUs to one NUMA node.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

B-) Memory

You can change the amount of RAM that a VM will use like this

memsize = "128"

If you don't assign a value for memory VMware will use the default-setting which is 32MB memsize = "32" Whenever you assign RAM manually make sure the value is a multiple of 4 - otherwise the VM will not start:

memsize = "255"

causes this error-message:

Memory size 255 not a multiple of 4

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vsphere.hostclient.doc/GUID-99E66B59-53A8-42D0-A08F-17DBE7D4A864.html?resultof=%2522>

C-) This is expected behavior based on the current architecture of the scheduler. However, these points help to limit the impact of the issue :Lower the number of vCPUs.

From the example above, you would lower the number of vCPUs from 8 to 6 or less. If the virtual machines are sized such that they are a whole multiple or divisor of the NUMA node size, this helps with the number of virtual machines that you can power on. If 6 vCPU virtual machines are used, you can run up to at least 8 of those virtual machines (with 100% CPU utilization) without incurring substantial ready times.

<https://www.vmware.com/files/pdf/.../VMware-PerfBest-Practices-vSphere6-0.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 110

What are three reasons why a virtual machine might fail to power on? (Choose three.)

- A. The virtual machine is running on an ESXi host which has an expired license.
- B. The virtual machine is running on a datastore which has insufficient disk space for the .vswp file.
- C. The virtual machine is in a cluster with vSphere HA Admission control enabled.
- D. The virtual machine has a disconnected network adapter.

E. The virtual machine does not have a Virtual Hard Disk assigned.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

When a virtual machine fails to power on, a reason may be logged to the vmware.log file for the virtual machine, to the management agent logs, or presented in the client. Review any messages and consider these points:

1. The virtual machine monitor may be asking a question to be answered during startup. A virtual machine may pause the power-on task at 95% to obtain additional information from the administrator. For more information, see [Powering on a virtual machine pauses at 95% while waiting for a question to be answered \(1027096\)](#).

2. Creating a new power-on task may fail if another task for the virtual machine or other component is already in progress, and multiple concurrent tasks on the object are not permitted. For more information, see:

[Collecting information about tasks in VMware ESX and ESXi \(1013003\)](#)

[vCenter operation times out with the error: Operation failed since another task is in progress \(1004790\)](#).

3. A virtual machine may fail to power on if licensing requirements are not met. For more information, see:

[Cannot Power on Virtual Machines, "Not enough licenses installed to perform the operation" Error Message \(7114568\)](#)

[The Managing ESX/ESXi and vCenter Server Licenses section of the Datacenter Administration Guide for vSphere 4 or higher](#)

[The VirtualCenter and ESX Server Licensing Overview section of the Installation Guide for VMware Infrastructure 3](#)

4. The virtual machine may be configured to reserve physical memory on the host, but the host memory is over-committed and the required memory is unavailable. For more information, see:

[Virtual machine does not power on when there is high CPU reservation \(1001637\)](#)

[Powering on a virtual machine fails with the error: memoryAllocation.reservation \(1036914\)](#).

5. The virtual machine may be starting in a VMware High Availability cluster with strict admission control enabled, and there are insufficient resources to guarantee failover for all virtual machines. For more information, see:

[Implications of enabling or disabling VMware HA strict admission control when using DRS and VMware DPM \(1007006\)](#)

[Diagnosing insufficient fail over capacity on a VMware High Availability Cluster \(1003717\)](#)

[Automating High Availability \(HA\) Services with VMware HA whitepaper](#)

6. A file required for starting the virtual machine, such as a virtual disk or swap file, may be unavailable or missing. For more information, see [Investigating virtual machine file locks in ESX/ESXi \(10051\)](#).

7. The virtual machine may have been previously suspended and making use of CPU features which are unavailable or incompatible with the CPU features available on this host. The virtual machine cannot be started without the required features. For more information, see:

- Powering on a virtual machine from a suspend state or reverting to a snapshot fails (1038218)

- Virtual machines fail to power on due to a suspend state from an incompatible CPU type (1000241)

- To retain the suspended state, move the virtual machine back to the host it was originally suspended on and power-on the virtual machine there.

- To discard the suspend state, and power on the virtual machine in a crash-consistent manner, see Unable to power on a suspended virtual machine using vSphere Client (1004606).

8. The virtual machine may require both a VT-capable CPU and the VT feature to be enabled in the host system's BIOS. This is true for all 64-bit virtual machines. If the VT feature is unavailable, the virtual machine may produce the message `msg.cpuid.noLongmode`. For more information, see Enabling VT on Intel EM64T Systems for ESX Server 3 (3282933).

9. The virtual machine may require another CPU feature which is unavailable on this host. The virtual machine may produce a message similar to `msg.cpuid.<FeatureName>`, identifying the specific feature it has been configured to require. Move the virtual machine back to the host which has the required CPU features, or edit the virtual machine's configuration to remove the requirement.

10. The virtual machine may start, but quickly fail with an error during startup. Review the contents of the `vmware.log` file in the virtual machine's directory for any errors or warnings, and search the Knowledge Base for the error or warning. Base your troubleshooting on the specific messages seen in the logs. For more information, see:

- Determining why a virtual machine was powered off or restarted (1019064)

- Interpreting virtual machine monitor and executable failures (1019471)

11. If the virtual machine does successfully power on, but the guest OS doesn't start correctly, there may be an incompatibility between the virtual hardware and drivers within the guest OS. For example, a missing SCSI driver may be required for booting. For more information, see Windows virtual machine configured to use a BusLogic SCSI controller reports that the operating system does not support the controller (2007603).

12. If the guest OS, or a driver or application within the virtual machine experiences a problem during startup, the guest OS may become unresponsive. Continue troubleshooting. For more information, see Troubleshooting unresponsive guest operating system issues (1007818).

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2001005

NEW QUESTION: 111

What are two likely causes for a DRS cluster to become unbalanced? (Choose two.)

A. Migration threshold is too low.

B. Affinity rules are preventing virtual machines from being moved.

C. A device is mounted to a virtual machine preventing vMotion.

D. Migration cost is too low.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Load Imbalance on Cluster

A cluster has a load imbalance of resources.

Problem

A cluster might become unbalanced because of uneven resource demands from virtual machines and unequal capacities of hosts.

Cause

The following are possible reasons why the cluster has a load imbalance:

The migration threshold is too high.

▪

A higher threshold makes the cluster a more likely candidate for load imbalance.

VM/VM or VM/Host DRS rules prevent virtual machines from being moved.

▪

DRS is disabled for one or more virtual machines.

▪

A device is mounted to one or more virtual machines preventing DRS from moving the virtual machine

▪

in order to balance the load.

Virtual machines are not compatible with the hosts to which DRS would move them. That is, at least

▪

one of the hosts in the cluster is incompatible for the virtual machines that would be migrated. For

example, if host A's CPU is not vMotion-compatible with host B's CPU, then host A becomes

incompatible for powered-on virtual machines running on host B.

It would be more detrimental for the virtual machine's performance to move it than for it to run where it

▪

is currently located. This may occur when loads are unstable or the migration cost is high compared to the benefit gained from moving the virtual machine.

vMotion is not enabled or set up for the hosts in the cluster.

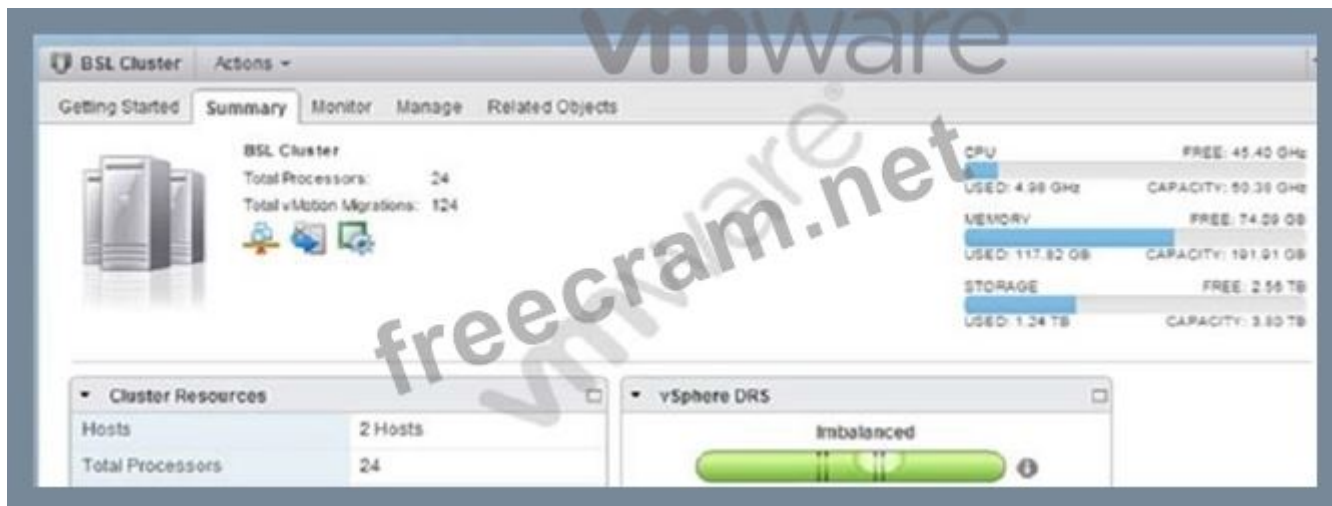
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Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-0C132C85-E7BF-445E-925D-31420A06B01C.html>

NEW QUESTION: 112

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator is reviewing a vSphere Distributed Resource Scheduler (DRS) enabled Cluster and observes unexpected behavior as shown in the Exhibit.

What are three potential causes of the cluster imbalance? (Choose three.)

- A. A local device is mounted to one or more virtual machines.
- B. DRS rules prevent virtual machines from being moved.
- C. vMotion is not configured and enabled.
- D. There are insufficient cluster resources to perform the migration.
- E. DRS has been configured for a conservative migration threshold.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) A device is mounted to one or more virtual machines preventing DRS from moving the virtual machine in order to balance the load.

B-) The migration threshold is too high.

A higher threshold makes the cluster a more likely candidate for load imbalance.

VM/VM or VM/Host DRS rules prevent virtual machines from being moved.

C-) It would be more detrimental for the virtual machine's performance to move it than for it to run where it is currently located. This may occur when loads are unstable or the migration cost is high compared to the benefit gained from moving the virtual machine.

Observe that vMotion is not enabled or set up for the hosts in the cluster, DRS does not move any virtual machines from a host. ... from this host would violate a VM/VM DRS rule or VM/Host DRS rule.

[https:// pubs.vmware.com/](https://pubs.vmware.com/)

NEW QUESTION: 113

Which two features are available for virtual machines configured with DirectPath I/O? (Choose two.)

- A. Fault Tolerance
- B. Suspend and Resume
- C. Virtual Symmetric Multi-Processing (vSMP)
- D. Virtual Non-Uniform Memory Access (vNUMA)

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

DirectPath I/O

DirectPath I/O allows virtual machine access to physical PCI functions on platforms with an I/O Memory Management Unit.

The following features are unavailable for virtual machines configured with DirectPath:

- Hot adding and removing of virtual devices
- Suspend and resume
- Record and replay
- Fault tolerance
- High availability
- DRS (limited availability. The virtual machine can be part of a cluster, but cannot migrate across hosts)
- Snapshots

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-BF2770C3-39ED-4BC5-A8EF-77D55EFE924C.html>

NEW QUESTION: 114

What are two limitations of Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) on a vSphere Distributed Switch? (Choose two.)

- A. IP Hash load balancing is not a supported Teaming Policy.
- B. Software iSCSI multipathing is not compatible.
- C. Link Status Network failover detection must be disabled.
- D. It does not support configuration through Host Profiles.

Answer: B,D (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

LACP Limitations on a vSphere Distributed Switch

Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) on a vSphere distributed switch allows network devices to negotiate automatic bundling of links by sending LACP packets to a peer. However, there are some limitations when using LACP with a vSphere distributed switch.

▪ LACP only works with IP Hash load balancing and Link Status Network failover detection.

▪ LACP is not compatible with iSCSI software multipathing.

▪ vSphere only supports one LACP group per distributed switch, and only one LACP group per host.

▪ LACP settings do not exist in host profiles.

▪ LACP between two nested ESXi hosts is not possible.

▪ LACP does not work with port mirroring.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.networking.doc%2FGUID-3FDE1E96-9217-4FE6-8B76-6E3A64766828.html>

NEW QUESTION: 115

What three supported methods can be used to upgrade a host from ESXi 5.x to ESXi 6.x? (Choose three.)

- A. vSphere Update Manager
- B. vihostupdate
- C. esxcli
- D. vSphere Auto Deploy
- E. esxupdate

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Upgrade Options for ESXi 6.0

VMware provides several ways to upgrade ESXi 5.x hosts to ESXi 6.0 hosts.

The details and level of support for an upgrade to ESXi 6.0 depend on the host to be upgraded and the upgrade method that you use. Verify support for the upgrade path from your current version of ESXi to the version to which you are upgrading. See VMware Product Interoperability Matrixes at http://www.vmware.com/resources/compatibility/sim/interop_matrix.php.

You can upgrade a ESXi 5.x host, asynchronously released driver or other third-party customizations, interactive upgrade from CD or DVD, scripted upgrade, or upgrade with vSphere Update Manager.

When you upgrade an ESXi 5.x host that has custom VIBs to version 6.0, the custom VIBs are migrated.

See [Upgrading Hosts That Have Third-Party Custom VIBs](#).

Methods supported for direct upgrade to ESXi 6.0 are:

- vSphere Update Manager.
- Interactive upgrade from CD, DVD, or USB drive.
- Scripted upgrade.
- vSphere Auto Deploy. If the ESXi 5.x host was deployed by using vSphere Auto Deploy, you can use vSphere Auto Deploy to re provision the host with an ESXi 6.0 image.
- The esxcli command.

Reference: [https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-FE668788-1F32-4CB2-845C-5547DD59EB48.html)

[%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-FE668788-1F32-4CB2-845C-5547DD59EB48.html)

[%2FGUID-FE668788-1F32-4CB2-845C-5547DD59EB48.html](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-FE668788-1F32-4CB2-845C-5547DD59EB48.html)

NEW QUESTION: 116

An administrator has recently audited the environment and found numerous virtual machines with sensitive data written to the configuration files.

To prevent this in the future, which advanced parameter should be applied to the virtual machines?

- A. `isolation.tools.setinfo.disable = true`

- B. isolation.tools.setinfo.enable = true
- C. isolation.tools.setinfo.disable = false
- D. isolation.tools.setinfo.enable = false

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Litmit SETINFO Messages

Now if you read through the hardening guide, you'll come cross a section that covers informational messages, otherwise known as SETINFO messages.

Now my understanding is that currently there is no limitation on the amount of data that can be sent from VMware tools to the host, so you can imagine it wouldn't be hard to write some code to continuously send huge amounts of data. So lets looks at how to limit this to something more acceptable as per the hardening guide.

```
tools.setInfo.sizeLimit = "1048576"
```

Now you can actually totally disable this using the following

```
isolation.tools.setInfo.disable = "true"
```

But this stops the Virtual Center client from displaying any information about the Virtual Machine, e.g. IP Address, DNS information. So for a production environment I would recommend setting a limit rather than totally disabling.

Reference:

<https://goingvirtual.wordpress.com/2009/07/11/locking-down-vmware-tools/>

NEW QUESTION: 117

An administrator wants to set a non-default isolation address of 192.168.1.2 for High Availability.

Which advanced setting would accomplish this task?

- A. Das.isolationaddress0=192.168.1.2
- B. Das.useisolationaddress0=192.168.1.2
- C. Das.defaultisolationaddress0=192.168.1.2
- D. Das.haisolationaddress0=192.168.1.2

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Details

In VirtualCenter Server 2.0.2 and above, you can specify more than one isolation response address for VMware High Availability (HA). The use of multiple isolation response addresses offers VMware HA a potentially more accurate picture of the network connectivity of a host. There may be situations in which a single isolation address would indicate that a host is in a state of complete isolation from the network, but access to additional isolation addresses would show that only a partial network failure has occurred.

Solution

Multiple isolation response addresses can be specified using the das.isolationaddress0 through das.isolationaddress9options.

To specify the values for these options in Virtual Infrastructure Client:

1. Select the HA cluster.
2. On the Summary tab, click Edit Settings.
3. In the Settings dialog, select VMware HA.
4. Click Advanced Options.
5. In the Advanced Options (HA) dialog, enter the option name and the corresponding value:

Option: `das.isolationaddress0`

Value: A valid IP address other than the default gateway address

Similarly, you can set more isolation response addresses using `das.isolationaddress1` through `das.isolationaddress9`.

6. In the Advanced Options (HA) dialog box, set this option:

Option: `das.usedefaultisolationaddress`

Value: `false`

Notes:

- You must set this option if you are setting multiple isolation response addresses.
- Additionally you should configure `das.usedefaultisolationaddress` to `false` when the default gateway is a device which cannot be pinged.

7. Click OK.
8. Click OK.
9. Edit settings for the cluster again.
10. Disable HA and click OK.
11. Edit settings again.
12. Enable HA and click OK.

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1002117

NEW QUESTION: 118

An administrator is experiencing network connectivity issues between virtual machines. The virtual machines and hosts are configured as follows:

VM1 is running on Host1

VM2 is running on Host2

Both Host1 and Host2 are attached to the vSphere Distributed Switch `dvSwitch1`

Both Host1 and Host2 are using `vmnic0` and `vmnic1` on `dvSwitch1`

Both virtual machines are using the default portgroup for network traffic

What are three settings the administrator should investigate while troubleshooting the connectivity issue?

(Choose three.)

- A.** VLANs of the physical NICs
- B.** Failover order of the uplinks

- C. Virtual NIC connectivity to the dvSwitch
- D. Security policy of the portgroup
- E. Traffic shaping on the portgroup

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Please find link to understand more about the connectivity issues https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1003893

NEW QUESTION: 119

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator recently created a Virtual SAN but no Storage Policies were defined. A few virtual machines were deployed to this cluster. The administrator analyzes the default Virtual SAN policy as shown in the Exhibit.

Based on the exhibit, which two statements are true? (Choose two.)

- A. Losing one cluster node will not affect data availability.
- B. Losing one Hard Disk in a cluster node will not affect data availability.
- C. Creating a virtual machine Swap file will fail if it violates default storage policy.
- D. Creating a virtual machine will succeed even if it violates default storage policy.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Policies Rules: Defines the number of host, disk, or network failures a virtual machine object can tolerate.

For n failures tolerated, n+1 copies of the virtual machine object are created and 2n+1 hosts with storage are required.

Default value is 1. Maximum value is 3.

To understand more check the link:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-C8E919D0-9D80-4AE1-826B-D180632775F3.html>

NEW QUESTION: 120

Which two scenarios would cause a Fault Tolerance-enabled virtual machine to fail to power the Secondary virtual machine? (Choose two.)

- A. The host has entered a Network Partitioned state.
- B. vSphere High Availability (HA) is disabled on the host cluster.
- C. Enhanced vMotion Compatibility (EVC) is enabled on the host cluster.
- D. vSphere Distributed Power Management (DPM) is enabled on the host cluster.

Answer: A,B (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) This issue occurs when the SSL certificate thumbprint presented to the master host is not what the master host is expecting. This is indicated by the thumbprint mismatch error in the fdm.log file of the master host [https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2012649)

[language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2012649](https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2012649)

In general terms, a second virtual machine is created to work in tandem with the virtual machine on which you have enabled Fault Tolerance. This virtual machine resides on a different host in the cluster and runs in virtual lockstep with the primary virtual machine. When a failure is detected, the second virtual machine takes the place of the first one with the least possible interruption of service. More specific information about how this is achieved can be found in the Protecting Mission-Critical Workloads with VMware Fault Tolerance whitepaper.

B-) You may need to complete this process for multiple clusters. VMware HA can be disabled only if there are no virtual machines with VMware Fault Tolerance (FT) enabled. If there are virtual machines with VMware FT enabled in the cluster you are disabling, turn off VMware FT before disabling VMware HA. The process of turning off VMware FT is described in Disabling or Turning Off VMware FT (1008026) .

Note: Virtual Machine Monitoring will also be disabled when HA is disabled.

NEW QUESTION: 121

Which two supported tools can be used to upgrade virtual machine hardware? (Choose two.)

- A. vSphere Web Client
- B. vSphere Update Manager
- C. vmware-vmupgrade.exe
- D. esxcli vm hardware upgrade

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Upgrade Virtual Hardware

You can upgrade the hardware version of virtual machines to the latest version of ESXi. For virtual machines that are running on ESXi 5.x, VMware recommends that you upgrade the virtual hardware to version 8.

Consider the following points:

- When you upgrade from virtual hardware version 4 to version 8 the upgrade is reversible if you take a virtual machine backup or snapshot before performing the upgrade.

- Upgraded virtual machines cannot be powered on by an ESX 2.x host, even if relocated to a VMFS2 datastore.
- To automate this process, consider using Update Manager for virtual machine upgrades. See the Installing and Administering VMware vSphere Update Manager documentation. Update Manager takes automatic snapshots before performing virtual machine upgrades. See Perform an Orchestrated Upgrade of Virtual Machines with vSphere Update Manager.
- When you upgrade virtual hardware, no downtime is required for vCenter Server or ESX/ESXi hosts. For virtual machines, the only significant downtime is the time to reboot the guest operating systems. Reference: https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-50/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc_50%2FGUID-A45CBEE5-C4D2-484E-A699-A5A577244DE0.html

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NEW QUESTION: 122

An administrator is unable to upgrade a vCenter Server Appliance from version 5.1 Update 2 to version 6.0.

What is a likely reason for this?

- A. vCenter Server Appliance 6.0 does not support upgrades from version 5.1 Update 2.
- B. vCenter Server Appliance must be joined to an Active Directory domain before upgrading to version 6.0.
- C. vCenter Server Appliance 5.1 Update 2 uses an incompatible database for upgrading to version 6.0.
- D. vCenter Server Appliance 6.0 must be upgraded using the vSphere Web Client.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

If your current vCenter Server Appliance version is earlier than 5.1 Update 3, you must upgrade to 5.1 Update 3 or later before upgrading to vCenter Server Appliance 6.0.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc_60%2FGUID-66836F60-A095-4749-86C9-1DAFB5D21070.html

NEW QUESTION: 123

Which two scenarios could cause Storage DRS to be disabled on a Virtual Disk (VMDK)? (Choose two.)

- A. The VMDK is an independent disk.
- B. The virtual machine has vSphere Fault Tolerance enabled.
- C. The VMDK is hosted on NFS storage.
- D. The virtual machine has a CD-ROM/ISO image connected.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Storage DRS is Disabled on a Virtual Disk

Even when Storage DRS is enabled for a datastore cluster, it might be disabled on some virtual disks in the datastore cluster.

Problem

You have enabled Storage DRS for a datastore cluster, but Storage DRS is disabled on one or more virtual machine disks in the datastore cluster.

Cause

The following scenarios can cause Storage DRS to be disabled on a virtual disk.

- A virtual machine's swap file is host-local (the swap file is stored in a specified datastore that is on the host). The swap file cannot be relocated and Storage DRS is disabled for the swap file disk.
- A certain location is specified for a virtual machine's .vmx swap file. The swap file cannot be relocated and Storage DRS is disabled on the .vmx swap file disk.
- The relocate or Storage vMotion operation is currently disabled for the virtual machine in vCenter Server (for example, because other vCenter Server operations are in progress on the virtual machine). Storage DRS is disabled until the relocate or Storage vMotion operation is re-enabled in vCenter Server.
- The home disk of a virtual machine is protected by vSphere HA and relocating it will cause loss of vSphere HA protection.
- The disk is a CD-ROM/ISO file.
- If the disk is an independent disk, Storage DRS is disabled, except in the case of relocation or clone placement.
- If the virtual machine has system files on a separate datastore from the home datastore (legacy), Storage DRS is disabled on the home disk. If you use Storage vMotion to manually migrate the home disk, the system files on different datastores will be all be located on the target datastore and Storage DRS will be enabled on the home disk.
- If the virtual machine has a disk whose base/redo files are spread across separate datastores (legacy), Storage DRS for the disk is disabled. If you use Storage vMotion to manually migrate the disk, the files on different datastores will be all be located on the target datastore and Storage DRS will be enabled on the disk.
- The virtual machine has hidden disks (such as disks in previous snapshots, not in the current snapshot). This situation causes Storage DRS to be disabled on the virtual machine.
- The virtual machine is a template.

- The virtual machine is vSphere Fault Tolerance-enabled.
- The virtual machine is sharing files between its disks.
- The virtual machine is being Storage DRS-placed with manually specified datastores Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-B749AAA0-7B67-4A79-BEDC-395DFEC9FC60.html>

NEW QUESTION: 124

An administrator is attempting to enable Fault Tolerance on a virtual machine with 4 vCPUs and observes the following in the vSphere Web Client:

Fault Tolerance has not been licensed on host <hostname>.

What is the minimum licensed edition that supports this configuration?

- A. Enterprise
- B. Enterprise Plus
- C. Standard
- D. Essentials Plus

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Licensing

The number of vCPUs supported by a single fault tolerant VM is limited by the level of licensing that you have purchased for vSphere. Fault Tolerance is supported as follows:

vSphere Standard and Enterprise. Allows up to 2 vCPUs

▪
vSphere Enterprise Plus. Allows up to 4 vCPUs

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.avail.doc%2FGUID-57929CF0-DA9B-407A-BF2E-E7B72708D825.html>

NEW QUESTION: 125

When a Content Library is deleted, what happens to the files contained on the backing storage?

- A. The files will be unchanged.
- B. The files will be deleted.
- C. The files will remain and be marked as orphaned.
- D. The containing folder will be marked as orphaned.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Delete a Content Library

When you no longer need a content library, you can invoke the delete method on either the LocalLibrary or the SubscribedLibraryService depending on the library type.

Procedure

1Access the SubscribedLibrary or the LocalLibrary service by using the vCloud Suite Endpoint.

2Retrieve the library ID you want to delete.

3Call the delete function on the library service and pass the library ID as argument.

All library items cached on the storage backing are removed asynchronously. If this operation fails, you must manually remove the content of the library.

[https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vapi.progguide.doc/GUID-C3A2DD49-](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vapi.progguide.doc/GUID-C3A2DD49-BF41-)

[43CD-9AEC-D6F28A9F3AF4.html?resultof=%2522%](https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp#com.vmware.vapi.progguide.doc/GUID-C3A2DD49-BF41-43CD-9AEC-D6F28A9F3AF4.html?resultof=%2522%)

NEW QUESTION: 126

An administrator observes that virtual machine storage activity on an ESXi 6.x host is negatively affecting virtual machine storage activity on another host that is accessing the same VMFS Datastore. Which action would mitigate the issue?

- A. Enable Storage IO Control.
- B. Configure Storage DRS.
- C. Enable the Dynamic Queue Depth Throttling option.
- D. Configure the Disk.SchedNumReqOutstanding parameter.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

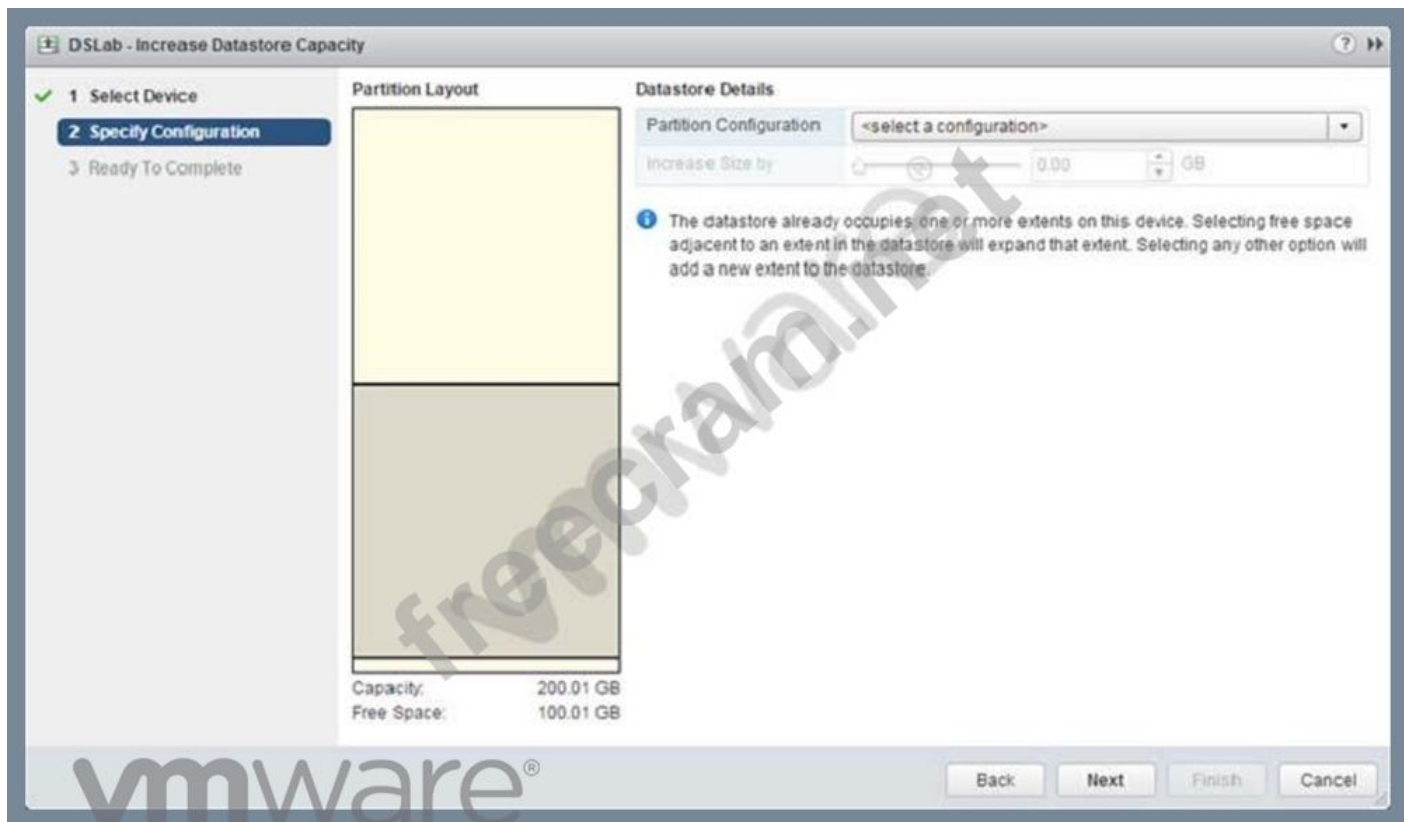
Explanation:

Enable Storage I/O Control. When you enable Storage I/O Control, ESX/ESXi monitors datastore latency and adjusts the I/O load sent to it, if datastore average latency exceeds the threshold. Select a datastore in the vSphere Client inventory and click the Configuration tab.

<https://kb.vmware.com/kb/1022091>

NEW QUESTION: 127

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator wants to increase the capacity of a VMFS5 datastore; but the Increase Size by slider is not available, as shown in the Exhibit.

How should the administrator resolve this problem?

- A. Select a valid partition configuration from the drop-down menu.
- B. Use fdisk utility to manually resize the partition.
- C. Use the mouse to resize the partition indicated in the Partition Layout.
- D. Clicking Next will prompt for available usable space.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Procedure

1. Select the datastore to grow and click the Increase Datastore Capacity icon.
2. Select a device from the list of storage devices.

Your selection depends on whether an expandable storage device is available.

Choose the options from Drop down menu list:

Check the link:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-D57FEF5D-75F1-433D-B337-E760732282FC.html>

NEW QUESTION: 128

An administrator is building a large virtual machine that will require as many vCPUs as the host can support. An ESXi 6.x host has these specifications:

Six 32-core Intel Xeon Processors

▪

256 GB of Memory

512 GB Local disk space using VMFS5

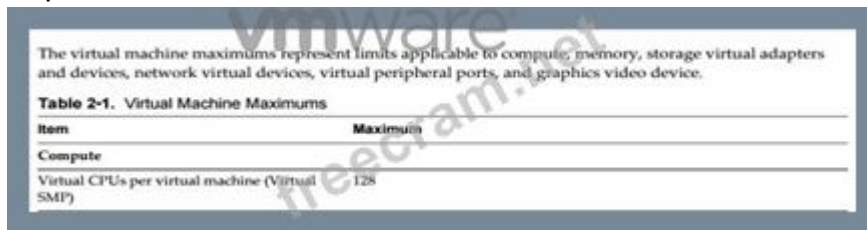
What is the maximum number of virtual CPUs that the virtual machine can be allocated?

- A. 64
- B. 128
- C. 192
- D. 256

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:



The virtual machine maximums represent limits applicable to compute, memory, storage virtual adapters and devices, network virtual devices, virtual peripheral ports, and graphics video device.

Table 2-1. Virtual Machine Maximums

Item	Maximum
Compute	
Virtual CPUs per virtual machine (Virtual SMP)	128

Reference:

<https://www.vmware.com/pdf/vsphere6/r60/vsphere-60-configuration-maximums.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 129

An administrator attempts to place a Storage DRS enabled Datastore into Maintenance Mode. The task never completes, and the Entering Maintenance Mode status remains at 1%.

Which two actions should the administrator take to resolve this problem? (Choose two.)

- A. Set the Storage DRS advanced option IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance = 1.
- B. Set the Storage DRS advanced option IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance = 0.
- C. Disable Storage DRS affinity rules associated with this datastore cluster.
- D. Enable Storage DRS affinity rules associated with this datastore cluster.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Problem

A datastore in a datastore cluster cannot enter maintenance mode. The Entering Maintenance Mode status remains at 1%.

Cause

One or more disks on the datastore cannot be migrated with Storage vMotion. This condition can occur in the following instances.

- Storage DRS is disabled on the disk.
- Storage DRS rules prevent Storage DRS from making migration recommendations for the disk.

Solution

- If Storage DRS is disabled, enable it or determine why it is disabled. See Storage DRS is Disabled on a Virtual Disk for reasons why Storage DRS might be disabled.
- If Storage DRS rules are preventing Storage DRS from making migration recommendations, you can remove or disable particular rules.

1. * In the vSphere Client inventory, right-click the datastore cluster and select Edit Settings.
- * Select Rules and click the rule.
- * Click Remove.
- * Click OK.
- Alternatively, if Storage DRS rules are preventing Storage DRS from making migration recommendations, you can set the Storage DRS advanced option IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance to 1.
- * In the vSphere Client inventory, right-click the datastore cluster and select Edit Settings.
- * Select SDRS Automation and click Advanced Options.
- * Enter 1 in the Value column for IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance.
- * Click OK.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-91D4FBBC-0677-44DA-B0F2-43A3504F8CA0.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 130

Refer to the Exhibit.

Identity source type:

- Active Directory (Integrated Windows Authentication)
- Active Directory as a LDAP Server
- Open LDAP
- Local OS

Identity source settings

Name:

Base DN for users:

Domain name:

Domain alias:

Base DN for groups:

Primary server URL:

Secondary server URL:

Username:

Password:

An administrator is adding an Active Directory over LDAP Identity Source for vCenter Single Sign-On, as indicated in the Exhibit.

What is the correct value to configure for the Domain alias?

- A. The domain's NetBIOS name.
- B. The fully qualified domain name.
- C. vsphere.local
- D. A user defined label.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Domain alias

(Optional) The domain's NetBIOS name.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.security.doc%2FGUID-B23B1360-8838-4FF2-B074-71643C4CB040.html>

NEW QUESTION: 131

Refer to the Exhibit.



What will be the result of selecting the highlighted device?

- A. Datastore will grow up to 200.01GB using the remaining free space on the device.
- B. Datastore will add 200.01GB by adding the device as a second extent.
- C. The device size can be expanded to be larger than 200.01 GB in size.
- D. The device is not suitable for this operation.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

When you need to create new virtual machines on a datastore, or when the virtual machines running on this datastore require more space, you can dynamically increase the capacity of a VMFS datastore.(200 GB) Use one of the following methods:

- Add a new extent. An extent is a partition on a storage device, or LUN. You can add up to 32 new extents of the same storage type to an existing VMFS datastore. The spanned VMFS datastore can use any of all its extents at any time. It does not need to fill up a particular extent before using the next one.
- Grow an extent in an existing VMFS datastore, so that it fills the available adjacent capacity. Only extents with free space immediately after them are expandable.

<https://kb.vmware.com/kb/1017662>

NEW QUESTION: 132

The command `esxcli network vm list` displays four virtual machines connected to the Production vSwitch.

Within the vSphere Web Client, five virtual machines are seen.

What explains this behavior?

- A. The fifth virtual machine is currently powered off.
- B. The fifth virtual machine has two vnic's.
- C. The fifth virtual machine has an invalid IP address.
- D. The fifth virtual machine has an invalid MAC address.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: You can use vCLI network commands to view network statistics and troubleshoot your networking setup. The nested hierarchy of commands allows you to drill down to potential trouble spots.

1. List all virtual machine networks on a host.

```
esxcli network vm list
```

The command returns for each virtual machine the World ID, name, number of ports, and networks, as in the following example.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vcli.examples.doc%2Fcli_manage_networks.11.4.html

NEW QUESTION: 133

An administrator is performing a silent automatic update of VMware Tools on a Windows virtual machine.

What syntax needs to be entered into the Advanced Options box?

- A. `/s /v "/qn" /l "c:\Windows\filename.log"`
- B. `--prefix=/usr/local,/usr/lib,/usr/doc --silent`
- C. `--prefix=c:\Windows,c:\VMtools --silent`
- D. `/fs /v "/qn+" /l "c:\Windows\filename.log"`

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Procedure

- 1 Select **Automatic Tools Upgrade**.
- 2 (Optional) In the **Advanced Options** field, enter advanced options for the guest operating system.

Option	Description
Microsoft Windows Guest Operating Systems	Enter <code>/s /v "/code> </code>
Linux Guest Operating Systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Enter <code>--default</code> to perform the default behavior. Perform upgrade of VMware Tools. Install tools bin, lib and doc file fault /usrdirectory. ■ Enter <code>--prefix=binary_location,lib_location,doc_locatic</code> form a silent upgrade of VMware Tools and install the brary, and document files in the specified locations.

- 3 Click **OK**.

The **VMware Tools** label on the **Summary** tab changes to **OK**.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-B3989445-72A9-4749-A996-CDDCD1FA634D.html>

NEW QUESTION: 134

Refer to the Exhibit.

```

6:16:06pm up 74 days 19:37, 470 worlds, 3 VMs, 4 vCPUs: CPU load average: 0.13, 0.10, 0.09
ADAPTR PATH      NPTH  CKDS/s  READS/s  WRITES/s  MBREAD/s  MBWRTN/s  DAVG/cmd  KAVG/cmd  GAVG/c
vmhba0 -          1    6.68    0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.25     0.03     0.
vmhba1 -          1    0.00    0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.
vmhba32 -         0    0.00    0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.00     0.
vmhba33 -         2  104.6   85.15   17.27    5.31    4.88    160.91    0.01    160.
  
```

An administrator is using the `esxtop` command to troubleshoot storage performance issues on a virtual machine. The `esxtop` capture is shown in the Exhibit.

Based on the exhibit, which two statements are true? (Choose two.)

- A. The iSCSI device is experiencing high latency.
- B. The ESXi kernel is experiencing high latency.
- C. The Guest OS is experiencing high latency and response time.
- D. The NFS device is experiencing high latency.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Using esxtop to identify storage performance issues for ESX / ESXi (multiple versions) (1008205) Note: In ESXi 5.x and later, you may see messages indicating that performance has deteriorated. For more information, see Storage device performance deteriorated (2007236).

NEW QUESTION: 135

An administrator notices that a Windows virtual machine is using 95% CPU in Task Manager. Which two actions should be taken to resolve this issue? (Choose two.)

- A. Increase the memory reservation of the virtual machine.
- B. Increase the CPU Shares on the resource pool where the virtual machine resides.
- C. Decrease the CPU reservation of the virtual machine.
- D. Increase the CPU limit on the resource pool where the virtual machine resides.

Answer: B,D (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Determine whether the high ready time for the virtual machine resulted from its CPU usage time reaching the CPU limit setting. If so, increase the CPU limit on the virtual machine.

Increase the CPU shares to give the virtual machine more opportunities to run. The total ready time on the host might remain at the same level if the host system is constrained by CPU. If the host ready time doesn't decrease, set the CPU reservations for high-priority virtual machines to guarantee that they receive the required CPU cycles.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp?topic=/com.vmware.vsphere.dcadm.doc_41/vsp_dc_admin_guide/performance_statistics/c_troubleshoot_cpu.html

NEW QUESTION: 136

Which two tasks does the Pluggable Storage Architecture (PSA) perform? (Choose two.)

- A. Handles I/O queueing to the logical devices.
- B. Handles physical path discovery, but is not involved in the removal.
- C. Handles physical path discovery and removal.
- D. Handles I/O queueing to FC storage HBAs.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation :

the PSA performs the following tasks:

- Loads and unloads multipathing plug-ins.
- Hides virtual machine specifics from a particular plug-in.
- Routes I/O requests for a specific logical device to the MPP managing that device.
- Handles I/O queueing to the logical devices.

- Implements logical device bandwidth sharing between virtual machines.
- Handles I/O queueing to the physical storage HBAs.
- Handles physical path discovery and removal.
- Provides logical device and physical path I/O statistics.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-55/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.storage.doc%2FGUID-C1C4A725-8BE4-4875-919E-693812961366.html>

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NEW QUESTION: 137

An administrator suspects that the MTU value for a vSphere Standard Switch is misconfigured. Which two commands can determine the value? (Choose two.)

- A. esxcfg-vswitch -l
- B. esxcli network vswitch standard list
- C. esxcfg-vss -l
- D. esxcli network standard vswitch list

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: To display a list of vSwitches on the host, and to check that the configuration of the vSwitch is correct:

Run this command for ESX 3.5 and ESXi/ESX 4.x:

```
■  
# esxcfg-vswitch -l
```

Run this command for ESXi 5.0:

```
■  
# esxcli network vswitch standard list
```

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1007654

NEW QUESTION: 138

An administrator uses the df -h command and notices that an NFS datastore is reporting a capacity of 0 Bytes.

What condition would cause this to occur?

- A. The NFS server on which the datastore resides is down.

- B. The datastore was mounted as Read/Write.
- C. The datastore was mounted as Read-Only.
- D. The datastore was created with NFS version 4.1.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Please refer to this link to understand the situation and how to mitigate it: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2073021

NEW QUESTION: 139

An administrator has upgraded a Distributed vCenter Server environment from 5.5 to 6.0. What is the next step that should be taken?

- A. vCenter Inventory Service must be manually stopped and removed.
- B. vCenter Inventory Service must be changed from manual to automatic.
- C. vCenter Inventory Service must be manually stopped and restarted.
- D. vCenter Inventory Service must be changed from automatic to manual.

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

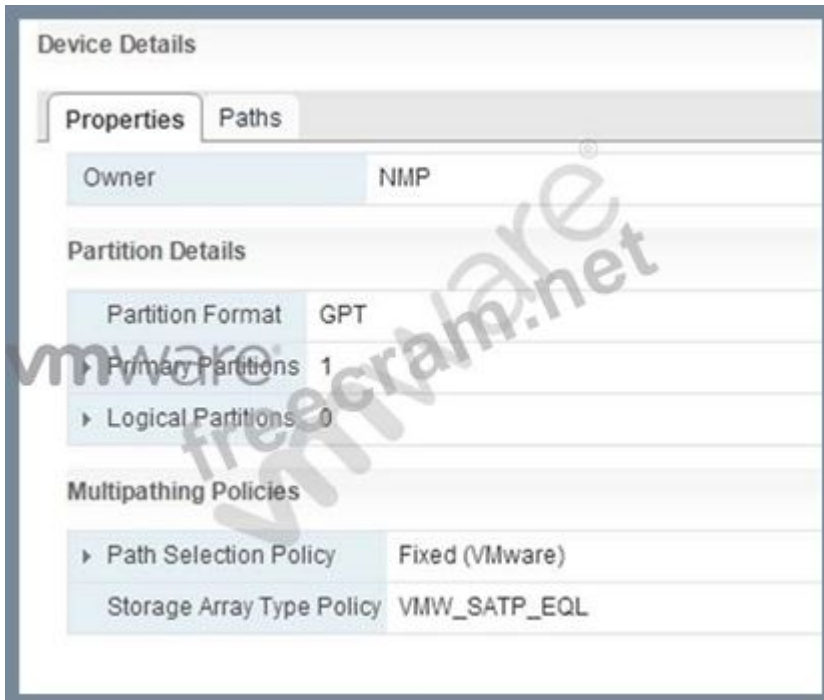
Explanation:

vCenter Server 5.x Distributed Service Migration During Upgrade			
Service Name	Service Location Before Upgrade	Service Location After Upgrade	Post Upgrade Actions
vCenter Inventory Service	Not installed on the vCenter Serversystem	Installed on the vCenter Serversystem	<p>vCenter Inventory Service 5.x data is copied to the Inventory Service 6.0 instance that is installed with vCenter Server 6.0. You do not need to copy it manually.</p> <p>vCenter Inventory Service 5.x is still running but no longer used. It must be manually stopped and removed.</p>

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-4BFB12D8-9FCA-4AB1-A44F-2986966F0AD5.html>

NEW QUESTION: 140

Refer to the Exhibit.



An administrator wishes to provide Load Balanced I/O for the device shown in the Exhibit. To meet this requirement, which setting should be changed?

- A. Storage Array Type Policy = VMW_NMP_RR
- B. Path Selection Policy = Round Robin (VMware)
- C. Storage Array Type Policy = VMW_SATP_RR
- D. Path Selection Policy = MRU (VMware)

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Round Robin (RR): The VMW_PSP_RR policy uses an automatic path selection, rotating through all available paths, enabling the distribution of load across the configured paths.

For Active/Passive storage arrays, only the paths to the active controller will be used in the Round Robin policy.

For Active/Active storage arrays, all paths will be used in the Round Robin policy.

Note: For logical units associated with Microsoft Cluster Service (MSCS) and Microsoft Failover Clustering virtual machines, the Round Robin pathing policy is supported only on ESXi 5.5 and later.

Reference: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1011340

NEW QUESTION: 141

Which three statements are correct regarding Fibre Channel over Ethernet (FCoE)? (Choose three.)

- A. The network switch must have Priority-based Flow Control (PFC) set to AUTO.
- B. The network switch must have Priority-based Flow Control (PFC) set to ON.
- C. Each port on the FCoE card must reside on the same vSwitch.

D. Each port on the FCoE card must reside on a separate vSwitch.

E. The ESXi host will require a reboot after moving an FCoE card to a different vSwitch.

Answer: A,D,E (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Configuration Guidelines for Software FCoE

When setting up your network environment to work with ESXi software FCoE, follow the guidelines and best practices that VMware offers.

Network Switch Guidelines

Follow these guidelines when you configure a network switch for software FCoE environment:

- On the ports that communicate with your ESXi host, disable the Spanning Tree Protocol (STP). Having the STP enabled might delay the FCoE Initialization Protocol (FIP) response at the switch and cause an all paths down (APD) condition.

The FIP is a protocol that FCoE uses to discover and initialize FCoE entities on the Ethernet.

- Turn on Priority-based Flow Control (PFC) and set it to AUTO.
- Make sure that you have a compatible firmware version on the FCoE switch.

Network Adapter Best Practices

If you plan to enable software FCoE adapters to work with network adapters, specific considerations apply.

- Make sure that the latest microcode is installed on the FCoE network adapter.
- If the network adapter has multiple ports, when configuring networking, add each port to a separate vSwitch. This practice helps you to avoid an APD condition when a disruptive event, such as an MTU change, occurs.
- Do not move a network adapter port from one vSwitch to another when FCoE traffic is active. If you need to make this change, reboot your host afterwards.
- If you changed the vSwitch for a network adapter port and caused a failure, moving the port back to the original vSwitch resolves the problem.

Set Up Networking for Software FCoE

Before you activate the software FCoE adapters, you need to create VMkernel network adapters for all physical FCoE NICs installed on your host.

This procedure explains how to create a single VMkernel network adapter connected to a single FCoE physical network adapter through a vSphere standard switch. If your host has multiple network adapters or multiple ports on the adapter, connect each FCoE NIC to a separate standard switch. For more information, see the *vSphere Networking* documentation.

Note ESXi supports the maximum of four network adapter ports used for software FCoE.

Procedure

- 1 Browse to the host in the vSphere Web Client navigator.
- 2 Click **Actions > Add Networking**.
- 3 Select **VMkernel Network Adapter**, and click **Next**.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/topic/com.vmware.ICbase/PDF/vsphere-esxi-vcenter-server-60-storage-guide.pdf>

NEW QUESTION: 142

An administrator is assigning a user the Content Library administrator role. The user will only be creating the library for a single vCenter Server.

What is the lowest level of the permission heirarchy that this role can be granted to the user and still allow them to create a Content Library?

- A. Datacenter
- B. Datacenter Folder
- C. Virtual Center
- D. Global

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

NEW QUESTION: 143

Which three troubleshooting actions should an administrator take to address slow performance when deploying a virtual machine template? (Choose three.)

- A. Increase network throughput by adding additional uplinks to the vSwitch.
- B. Change the destination datastore or volume for the virtual machine template.
- C. Configure a Provisioning Traffic vmkernel port to perform the deployment operation.
- D. Reduce the size of the virtual machine template's virtual disk.
- E. Deploy the virtual machine template to the cluster and allow Distributed Resource Scheduler to register the virtual machine.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Validate that each troubleshooting step below is true for your environment. Each step will provide instructions or a link to a document, in order to eliminate possible causes and take corrective action as necessary. The steps are ordered in the most appropriate sequence to isolate the issue and identify the proper resolution. Do not skip a step.

1. Verify if the slow deployment is specific to one template or if it affects all templates. To properly test this, VMware recommends to create a brand new template and test the deployment. This provides a clean test of the environment. For more information if template deployment is slow for a single template, see [Deploying a single template is slow in vCenter Server \(1004028\)](#).
2. If you are using ESX (not applicable to ESXi), verify that no processes are over utilizing the resources on the ESX Service Console. For more information, see [Checking for resource starvation of the ESX Service Console \(1003496\)](#).
3. Verify that the network configuration on the ESX/ESXi host is optimized for the best performance, including speed and duplex settings. For more information, see [Configuring the speed and duplex of an ESX/ESXi host network adapter \(1004089\)](#).
4. Verify that the firmware on the RAID controller or HBA is up to date. For more information, see [Checking your firmware and BIOS levels to ensure compatibility with ESX/ESXi \(1037257\)](#).

5. Verify that the local storage or SAN array is configured correctly. For more information, see Slow ESX/ ESXi performance caused by misconfigured local storage or SAN array (1006602).

6. Verify on ESX/ESXi 4.1 and above if the storage array devices in the environment support the hardware acceleration functionality and if they are responding correctly to VAAI primitives. If there is no VAAI support on the array cloning or Storage vMotion may fail at 18%. For more information see Cloning or Storage vMotion fails at 18% with the error: Failed to clone: Connection timed out (1029244). For further information on VAAI, see:

- vStorage APIs for Array Integration FAQ (1021976)
- Disabling the VAAI functionality in ESX/ESXi (1033665)

Note: If your problem still exists after trying the steps in this article, please:

- Gather the VMware Support Script Data. For more information, see Collecting diagnostic information for VMware products (1008524).
- File a support request with VMware Support and note this KB Article ID in the problem description. For more information, see How to Submit a Support Request.

Link: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1004002

NEW QUESTION: 144

What is the name of the High Availability agent log?

- A. fdm.log
- B. ha.log
- C. vpxa.log
- D. aam.log

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Logs from vCenter Server Components on ESXi 5.1 and 5.5

When an ESXi 5.1 / 5.5 host is managed by vCenter Server 5.1 and 5.5, two components are installed, each with its own logs:

- /var/log/vpxa.log: vCenter Server vpxa agent logs, including communication with vCenter Server and the Host Management hostd agent.

- /var/log/fdm.log: vSphere High Availability logs, produced by the fdm service. For more information, see the vSphere HA Security section of the vSphere Availability Guide.

Reference:

https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2032076

NEW QUESTION: 145

When attempting to place a datastore in Maintenance Mode, the task remains at 1%.

What are two potential causes for this? (Choose two.)

- A. Storage DRS is disabled on one or more virtual machine(s) disk(s).
- B. Storage DRS rules prevent migration recommendations for the disk.
- C. Storage DRS datastores have insufficient space to accommodate failover.
- D. Storage DRS provisioning network has been limited with I/O control policies.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Datastore Cannot Enter Maintenance Mode

You place a datastore in maintenance mode when you must take it out of usage to service it. A datastore enters or leaves maintenance mode only as a result of a user request.

Problem

A datastore in a datastore cluster cannot enter maintenance mode. The Entering Maintenance Mode status remains at 1%.

Cause

One or more disks on the datastore cannot be migrated with Storage vMotion. This condition can occur in the following instances.

Storage DRS is disabled on the disk.

Storage DRS rules prevent Storage DRS from making migration recommendations for the disk.

Solution

If Storage DRS is disabled, enable it or determine why it is disabled. See Storage DRS is Disabled on a Virtual Disk for reasons why Storage DRS might be disabled.

If Storage DRS rules are preventing Storage DRS from making migration recommendations, you can remove or disable particular rules.

a In the vSphere Client inventory, right-click the datastore cluster and select Edit Settings.

b Select Rules and click the rule.

c Click Remove.

d Click OK.

Alternatively, if Storage DRS rules are preventing Storage DRS from making migration recommendations, you can set the Storage DRS advanced option IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance to 1.

a In the vSphere Client inventory, right-click the datastore cluster and select Edit Settings.

b Select SDRS Automation and click Advanced Options.

c Enter 1 in the Value column for IgnoreAffinityRulesForMaintenance.

d Click OK.

Reference:

<https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.troubleshooting.doc%2FGUID-91D4FBBC-0677-44DA-B0F2-43A3504F8CA0.html>

NEW QUESTION: 146

An administrator is creating a new Content Library. It will subscribe to another remote Content Library without authentication enabled.

What information from the published library will they need in order to complete the subscription?

- A. Subscription URL
- B. A security password from the publishing Content Library
- C. Publisher's Items.json file
- D. Username from the publishing Content Library

Answer: A (LEAVE A REPLY)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Subscribed content library

Creates a content library, which is subscribed to a published content library. You can only sync the subscribed library with the published library to see up-to-date content, but you cannot add or remove content from the subscribed library. Only an administrator of the published library can add, modify, and remove contents from the published library.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.vm_admin.doc%2FGUID-2A0F1C13-7336-45CE-B211-610D39A6E1F4.html

NEW QUESTION: 147

An administrator notices that one virtual machine is in an orphaned state.

What are two reasons that a virtual machine can appear as orphaned? (Choose two.)

- A. A VMware High Availability host failure has occurred.
- B. The virtual machine was unregistered directly on the host.
- C. The ESXi host is disconnected.
- D. The user does not have privilege to access the virtual machine.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation: Please refer to the following link to understand more about the Orphaned State: https://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=1003742

NEW QUESTION: 148

An administrator is upgrading an ESXi host from 5.5 to 6.0 and runs the following command:

```
esxcli software vib list --rebooting-image
```

What does this command show?

- A. VIBs active after a reboot.
- B. VIBs that require a reboot.
- C. VIBs that are in the boot image.

D. VIBs that are third-party.

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Install vCLI or deploy the vSphere Management Assistant (vMA) virtual machine. See Getting Started with vSphere Command-Line Interfaces. For troubleshooting, run esxcli commands in the ESXi Shell.

Procedure

1 Enter one of the following commands.

Option	Description
For VIBs	<code>esxcli --server=server_name software vib list --rebooting-image</code>
For Profiles	<code>esxcli --server=server_name software profile get --rebooting-image</code>

2 Review the output that is returned.

The output displays information for the ESXi image that will become active after the next reboot. If the pending-reboot image has not been created, the output returns nothing.

Reference: <https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-51/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-F0FE86AB-70B1-4E7E-A209-E5C5E0A4E57A.html>

NEW QUESTION: 149

What is the minimum Virtual Hardware version required for vFlash Read Cache?

- A. Version 8
- B. Version 9
- C. Version 10
- D. Version 11

Answer: ([SHOW ANSWER](#))

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Virtual Machines vSphere Flash Read Cache is available only to virtual machines with hardware version 10 (VMX-10). All legacy virtual machine hardware must be upgraded to hardware version 10 to use Virtual Flash Read Cache.

Reference:

https://www.vmware.com/files/pdf/vSphere_55_Flash_Read_Cache_Whats_New_WP.pdf

NEW QUESTION: 150

Refer to the Exhibit.

```
5:43:32pm up 16 days 1:17, 500 worlds, 2 VMs, 2 vCPUs; CPU load average: 0.19 0.11 0.04
PCPU USED(%): 2.8 4.3 4.3 99 AVG: 27
PCPU UTIL(%): 3.0 4.7 4.4 100 AVG: 28
```

ID	QID NAME	HWLD	%USED	%RUN	%SUSP	%WAIT	%VWAIT	%RDY	%IDLE	%OVRLP	%CSTP	%MEMD	%SWPWT
20654089	20654089 FastVM	7	102.97	102.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20654090	20654090 SlowVM	7	102.97	102.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	97.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	97.86	0.00

Examine the esxtop command output shown in the Exhibit.

Which option would improve application performance for the SlowVM virtual machine?

- A. Increase the number of vCPUs provided to SlowVM.
- B. Decrease the number of vCPUs provided to SlowVM.
- C. Move SlowVM to another ESXi host with more physical CPU resources available.
- D. Increase the CPU limit assigned to SlowVM.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

Determine whether the high ready time for the virtual machine resulted from its CPU usage time reaching the CPU limit setting. If so, increase the CPU limit on the virtual machine.

Reference:

https://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere-4-esx-vcenter/index.jsp?topic=/com.vmware.vsphere.dcadm.doc_41/vsp_dc_admin_guide/performance_statistics/c_troubleshoot_cpu.html

NEW QUESTION: 151

An administrator is upgrading an ESXi 5.5 host to ESXi 6.x and gets the following error:

MEMORY_SIZE

What does this indicate?

- A. Insufficient memory on the ESXi host to complete the upgrade.
- B. Insufficient memory for Auto Deploy to complete the upgrade.
- C. Insufficient memory in vCenter Server to complete the upgrade.
- D. Insufficient memory for Update Manager to complete the upgrade.

Answer: (SHOW ANSWER)

Explanation/Reference:

Explanation:

A-) ESXi 6.0 requires the NX/XD bit to be enabled for the CPU in the BIOS.

ESXi requires a minimum of 4GB of physical RAM. It is recommended to provide at least 8 GB of RAM to run virtual machines in typical production environments.

To support 64-bit virtual machines, support for hardware virtualization (Intel VT-x or AMD RVI) must be enabled on x64 CPUs.

<http://pubs.vmware.com/vsphere60/index.jsp?topic=%2Fcom.vmware.vsphere.upgrade.doc%2FGUID-DEB8086A-306B-4239-BF76-E354679202FC.html>

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