Databricks SQL



Learning Objectives

- Define Databricks SQL
- Understand permissions management
- Mention Databricks SQL BI workloads



Databricks SQL is an enterprise data warehouse built into Databricks Lakehouse Platform. It provides general compute resources for business intelligence workloads.

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- Ideal for SQL and business intelligence applications
- Its computing engine is a SQL data warehouse (endpoint)
- Its computing engine is always based on Spark clusters

Databricks SQL - managing permissions

- SQL editor via SparkSQL statements
 - GRANT privilege ON data_object TO user_or_group_of_users
 - GRANT SELECT ON TABLE TO user_user@company.com

SQL warehouse data explorer UI

Databricks SQL - business intelligence

- Create dashboards and visualisations
- Query data objects (tables, views)
- Save a SparkSQL query
- Refresh the output of a SparkSQL query
- Create (email) alerts on a SparkSQL query output

