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[Oracle on VMware Technologies Licensing Group Discussion \[VIRT1867GU\]](#)

Wednesday, August 30, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Panelist: Dave Welch, CTO & Chief Evangelist

Following the tradition of the past six years, VMware will facilitate an open discussion, moderated by Don Sullivan, on the subject of Oracle on VMware Technologies Licensing. The three major Oracle on VMware licensing firms (House of Brick, LC, and VLSS) will be present to answer questions in the unrecorded open group discussion.

[Oracle on vSphere License Optimization Expert Roundtable \[MTE4781BU\]](#)

Wednesday, August 30, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

Experts: Nathan Biggs, CEO; David Welch, CTO & Chief Evangelist

Get answers to your enterprise-specific questions on any of these topics: Licensing including On-Prem, Public cloud, License-Privileged cloud, Audit defense, Architecture for scaled and transparent performance/throughput, Operations, Oracle Support realities, RISC -> VMware/x86 replatforming with the VMware Unix to Virtual Linux Migration Service.

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Licensing Oracle Software in Cloud Environments

Article: [Northern California Oracle User Group Journal](#)

Authors: Nathan Biggs, CEO at House of Brick Technologies and Pam Fulmer, Partner Fulmer Ware LLP

House of Brick CEO Nathan Biggs and Pam Fulmer, a partner at Fulmer Ware LLP, co-authored an article addressing some of the complexities of licensing Oracle in virtualized and cloud environments for the August issue of the [NoCOUG Journal](#). In the article, they explore the topic fully by taking a deep look into the intricacies of Oracle licensing in virtualized and cloud environments. The article begins on page four of the *NoCOUG Journal*.

[Read the article now](#)

An Unusual Problem Starting Oracle Clusterware

by Andy Kerber ([@dbakerber](#)), Senior Consultant

A few days ago we ran into a really strange problem at one of our sites. We were putting together a test system, and a mistake was made on our three-node cluster configuration - it was configured with too many HugePages. This resulted in series of crashes before the problem was resolved.

Once resolved, with HugePages set correctly, Oracle Clusterware would only come up completely on two of the three nodes.

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UPDATED: vSphere 6 and Oracle RAC

by Jim Hannan ([@jim_m_hannan](#)), Principal Architect

This week I decided to go back to update this blog. I wrote the blog last year to showcase the new vSphere 6 features for hot adding disks for RAC. The updated screenshots are from vCenter 6.0 Update 2 with ESXi 6.0 Update 2.

Please note: The steps of hot adding a shared VMDK is supported only through the WebUI.

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