

Dell Inc.

# TPC Express Benchmark<sup>™</sup> AI Full Disclosure Report

# Dell EMC PowerEdge R6625

with 1x PowerEdge R6625; 10x PowerEdge R6625 using

Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud

## Base Edition

running on

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8.6/8.7

TPCx-AI Version Report Edition Report Submitted 1.0.2 First June 13, 2023

#### First Edition - June 2023

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## Abstract

Dell conducted the TPC Express Benchmark<sup>™</sup> AI (TPCx-AI) on the Dell EMC PowerEdge R6625. The software used included Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud Base Edition. This report provides full disclosure of the results. All testing was conducted in conformance with the requirements of the TPCx-AI Standard Specification, Revision 1.0.2.

**Configuration Overview** 

Test Sponsor	Node(s)	Operating System
Dell	1x PowerEdge R6625 (Master Node) 10x PowerEdge R6625 (Worker Node)	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8.6/8.7

#### Metrics Overview

Total System CostPerformancePrice/PerformanceAvailability Date\$872,988 USD3,258.01<br/>AIUCpm@1000267.96 USD<br/>\$/AIUCpm@1000June 13, 2023

## Executive Summary

The <u>Executive Summary</u> follows on the next several pages.

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Servers: Total Processors	/Cores/Thr	eads	11 22 / 704 / 1,34	4				
Server Type	1x PowerE	Edge R66	25 (Master Node	)	10x Powe	rEdge R6625 (	Worker Node)	
Processors		PYC 935	4 32-Core Proces	ssor		PYC 9354 32-	Core Processor	
Memory	768 GiB				768 GiB			
Storage Controller Storage Device 1x PERC H755 RA 1x 800 GB SAS SS 1x 960 GB SAS SS 2x Dell Ent. 1.92 TE		D		2x 800 GE	H755 RAID Co 3 SAS SSD (7 3 SAS SSD (3	nodes)		
olorage Device					4x 3.84 TI	B SAS SSD (al it. 1.92 TB NVI	l nodes)	
Network Controller	2x Dell En	t. 1.92 TE	3 NVMe		4x 3.84 TI 2x Dell Er	3 SAS SSD (al	l nodes) Me (all nodes)	

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Description	Part Number	Source	List Price	Qty Exte	ended Price 1-Y	
lardware PowerEdge R6625 Server - Primary Node	210-BFXO	1	\$90,673.91	1	\$90,673.91	
-	321-BIIO	1		1	\$90,673.91	
5" Chassis with up to 10 SAS4/SATA Drives including 4	321-BIIU	1	\$0.00	T		
niversal Slots, Front PERC 11		1	ć0.00	1		
AS/SATA/NVMe Capable Backplane	379-BDSW	1	\$0.00	1		
Io Rear Storage Io GPU Enablement	379-BDTE 379-BDSR					
rusted Platform Module 2.0 V3		1	¢0.00	1		
	461-AAIG	1	\$0.00			
MD EPYC 9354 3.25GHz, 32C/64T, 256M Cache (280W) DDR5- 800	338-CGXN	1	\$0.00	1		
dditional Processor Selected	379-BDCO	1	\$0.00	1		
leatsink for 2 CPU configuration	412-ABEE	1	\$0.00	1		
erformance Optimized	370-AHLL	1	\$0.00	1		
800MT/s RDIMMs	370-AHCL	1	\$0.00	1		
2GB RDIMM, 4800MT/s Dual Rank	370-AGZP	1	\$0.00 \$0.00	24		
	780-BCDS	1		24 1		
nconfigured RAID			\$0.00			
ERC H755 SAS Front	405-AAZB	1	\$0.00	1 1		
ront PERC Mechanical Parts, rear load	750-ADRI	1	\$0.00			
00GB SSD SAS ISE, MU, up to 24Gbps 512e 2.5in Hot-Plug, AG	345-BEPV	1	\$0.00	1		
Prive		1	ć0.00	1		
60GB SSD vSAS 12Gbps SED RI 512e 2.5in Hot-plug 1WPD	345-BHXD	1	\$0.00			
.92TB Enterprise NVMe Read Intensive AG Drive U.2 Gen4	400-BKGW	1	\$0.00	2		
/ith carrier			<u>éo oo</u>			
erformance BIOS Settings	384-BBBL	1	\$0.00	1		
IEFI BIOS Boot Mode with GPT Partition	800-BBDM	1	\$0.00	1		
ligh Performance Fan x4	384-BDHQ	1	\$0.00	1		
ingle, Hot-plug, Power Supply Non-Redundant (1+0), 1400W, ⁄lixed Mode	450-AIQW	1	\$0.00	1		
:13 to C14, PDU Style, 12 AMP, 6.5 Feet (2m) Power Cord, Iorth America	492-BBDI	1	\$0.00	2		
	220 PCCV	1	¢0.00	1		
liser Config 1, 1 x16 LP + 2 x16 LP	330-BCCX	1	\$0.00	1		
owerEdge R6625 Motherboard	329-BHQD	1	\$0.00	1		
Broadcom 57414 Dual Port 10/25GbE SFP28, OCP NIC 3.0	540-BCOC	1	\$0.00	1		
Broadcom 5720 Dual Port 1GbE Optional LOM	540-BDKD	1	\$0.00	1		
RAY,W/LBLS,X8/X10,R6625	321-BIGJ	1	\$0.00			
lo Bezel	350-BBBW	1	\$0.00	1		
OSS Blank	403-BCID	1	\$0.00	1		
nterprise Linux OS, Non Factory Installed, Requires	605-BBFL	1	\$0.00	1		
ubscription Selection		4	ć0.00	4		
lo Media Required	605-BBFN	1	\$0.00	1		
HEL, 1-2SKT, Physical Node, 3YR Premium Sub, 1 Virtual	528-CHFH	1	\$0.00	1		
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DRAC9, Enterprise 16G	528-CTIC	1	\$0.00	1		
ecured Component Verification	528-COYT	1	\$0.00	1		
lo Quick Sync	350-BBXM	1	\$0.00	1		
DRAC, Factory Generated Password	379-BCSF	1	\$0.00	1		
DRAC Group Manager, Disabled	379-BCQY	1	\$0.00	1		
eadyRails Sliding Rails Without Cable Management Arm or train Relief Bar	770-BECD	1	\$0.00	1		
lo Systems Documentation, No OpenManage DVD Kit	631-AACK	1	\$0.00	1		
owerEdge R6625 Shipping	340-DDEC	1	\$10.00	1	\$10.00	
owerEdge R6625 Shipping Material 4	340-DDCC	1	\$99.00	1	\$99.00	
owerEdge R6625 CCC Marking, No CE Marking	470-AFOR	1	\$0.00	1		
asic Next Business Day 36 Months	709-BBFM	1	\$186.76	1		\$186.7
roSupport and Next Business Day Onsite Service Initial, 36	865-BBMY	1	\$8,559.30	1		\$8,559.3
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escription	Part Number	Source List	Price Qty	Exte	nded Price 1-Yr	Maintenance
owerEdge R6625 Server - Worker Nodes Type 1	210-BFXO	1 \$11	7,263.33	3	\$351,789.99	
5 Chassis	379-BDTF	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
AS/SATA/NVMe Capable Backplane	379-BDSW	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
o Rear Storage	379-BDTE	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
o GPU Enablement	379-BDSR	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
rusted Platform Module 2.0 V3	461-AAIG	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
5" Chassis with up to 10 SAS4/SATA Drives including 4 niversal Slots, Front PERC 11	321-BIIO	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
MD EPYC 9354 3.25GHz, 32C/64T, 256M Cache (280W) DDR5- 300	338-CGXN	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
dditional Processor Selected	379-BDCO	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
eatsink for 2 CPU configuration	412-ABEE	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
erformance Optimized	370-AHLL	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
BOOMT/s RDIMMs	370-AHCL	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
2GB RDIMM, 4800MT/s Dual Rank	370-AGZP	1	\$0.00	72	\$0.00	
nconfigured RAID	780-BCDS	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
ERC H755 SAS Front	405-AAZB	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
ront PERC Mechanical Parts, rear load	750-ADRI	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
50GB SSD vSAS 12Gbps SED RI 512e 2.5in Hot-plug 1WPD	345-BHXD	1	\$0.00	6	\$0.00	
84TB SSD vSAS Mixed Use 12Gbps 512e 2.5in Hot-Plug ,AG rive SED, 3DWPD	345-BCVR	1	\$0.00	12	\$0.00	
92TB Enterprise NVMe Read Intensive AG Drive U.2 Gen4 ith carrier	400-BKGW	1	\$0.00	6	\$0.00	
erformance BIOS Settings	384-BBBL	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
EFI BIOS Boot Mode with GPT Partition	800-BBDM	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
igh Performance Fan x4	384-BDHQ	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
ual, Hot-plug, Power Supply Redundant (1+1), 1400W, Mixed lode, NAF		1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
13 to C14, PDU Style, 12 AMP, 6.5 Feet (2m) Power Cord, orth America	492-BBDI	1	\$0.00	6	\$0.00	
iser Config 1, 1 x16 LP + 2 x16 LP	330-BCCX	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
owerEdge R6625 Motherboard	329-BHQD	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
roadcom 57414 Dual Port 10/25GbE SFP28, OCP NIC 3.0	540-BCOC	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
roadcom 5720 Dual Port 1GbE Optional LOM	540-BDKD	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
RAY,W/LBLS,X8/X10,R6625	321-BIGJ	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
o Bezel	350-BBBW	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
OSS Blank	403-BCID	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
nterprise Linux OS, Non Factory Installed, Requires	605-BBFL	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
ubscription Selection		-	+	2	+ 5100	
o Media Required	605-BBFN	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
HEL, 1-2SKT, Physical Node, 3YR Premium Sub, 1 Virtual uest, Digitally Fulfilled	528-CHFH	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
DRAC9, Enterprise 16G	528-CTIC	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
ecured Component Verification	528-COYT	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
o Quick Sync	350-BBXM	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
RAC, Factory Generated Password	379-BCSF	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
RAC Group Manager, Disabled	379-BCQY	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
eadyRails Sliding Rails Without Cable Management Arm or rain Relief Bar	770-BECD	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
o Systems Documentation, No OpenManage DVD Kit	631-AACK	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
owerEdge R6625 Shipping	340-DDEC	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
owerEdge R6625 Shipping Material 4	340-DDCC	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
owerEdge R6625 CCC Marking, No CE Marking	470-AFOR	1	\$0.00	3	\$0.00	
asic Next Business Day 36 Months	709-BBFM	1	\$186.76	3		\$560.2
roSupport and Next Business Day Onsite Service Initial, 36 Ionth(s)	865-BBMY		\$8,559.30	3		\$25,677.9

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Description	Part Number	Source Li	st Price Qt	y E	Extended Price 1-Yr.	. Maintenance
PowerEdge R6625 Server - Worker Nodes Type 2	210-BFXO	1 \$	118,791.37	7	\$831,539.59	
2.5 Chassis	379-BDTF	1		7	\$0.00	
SAS/SATA/NVMe Capable Backplane	379-BDSW	1		7	\$0.00	
No Rear Storage	379-BDTE	1		7	\$0.00	
No GPU Enablement	379-BDSR	1		7	\$0.00	
Trusted Platform Module 2.0 V3	461-AAIG	1		7	\$0.00	
2.5" Chassis with up to 10 SAS4/SATA Drives including 4	321-BIIO	1		7	\$0.00	
Universal Slots, Front PERC 11 AMD EPYC 9354 3.25GHz, 32C/64T, 256M Cache (280W) DDR5	- 338-CGXN	1		7	\$0.00	
4800						
Additional Processor Selected	379-BDCO	1		7	\$0.00	
Heatsink for 2 CPU configuration	412-ABEE	1		7	\$0.00	
Performance Optimized	370-AHLL	1		7	\$0.00	
4800MT/s RDIMMs	370-AHCL	1		7	\$0.00	
32GB RDIMM, 4800MT/s Dual Rank	370-AGZP	1		168	\$0.00	
Unconfigured RAID	780-BCDS	1		7	\$0.00	
PERC H755 SAS Front	405-AAZB	1		7	\$0.00	
Front PERC Mechanical Parts, rear load	750-ADRI	1		, 7	\$0.00	
SanDisk 16GB Ultra Flair USB 3.0 Flash Drive	SDCZ73-016G-G46	3	\$7.49	3	\$22.47	
800GB SSD SAS ISE, MU, up to 24Gbps 512e 2.5in Hot-Plug, A Drive		1	÷	14	\$0.00	
3.84TB SSD vSAS Mixed Use 12Gbps 512e 2.5in Hot-Plug ,AG Drive SED, 3DWPD	345-BCVR	1S		28	\$0.00	
1.92TB Enterprise NVMe Read Intensive AG Drive U.2 Gen4 with carrier	400-BKGW	1		14	\$0.00	
Performance BIOS Settings	384-BBBL	1		7	\$0.00	
UEFI BIOS Boot Mode with GPT Partition	800-BBDM	1		7	\$0.00	
High Performance Fan x4	384-BDHQ	1		7	\$0.00	
Dual, Hot-plug, Power Supply Redundant (1+1), 1400W, Mix	ed 450-AIQZ	1		7	\$0.00	
Mode, NAF C13 to C14, PDU Style, 12 AMP, 6.5 Feet (2m) Power Cord, North America	492-BBDI	1		14	\$0.00	
Riser Config 1, 1 x16 LP + 2 x16 LP	330-BCCX	1		7	\$0.00	
PowerEdge R6625 Motherboard	329-BHQD	1		7	\$0.00	
Broadcom 57414 Dual Port 10/25GbE SFP28, OCP NIC 3.0	540-BCOC	1		7	\$0.00	
Broadcom 5720 Dual Port 1GbE Optional LOM	540-BDKD	1		7	\$0.00	
TRAY,W/LBLS,X8/X10,R6625	321-BIGJ	1		7	\$0.00	
No Bezel	350-BBBW	1		7	\$0.00	
BOSS Blank	403-BCID	1		7	\$0.00	
Enterprise Linux OS, Non Factory Installed, Requires	405-BBFL	1		, 7	\$0.00	
Subscription Selection No Media Required	605-BBFN	1		7	\$0.00	
RHEL, 1-2SKT, Physical Node, 3YR Premium Sub, 1 Virtual	528-CHFH	1		7	\$0.00	
Guest, Digitally Fulfilled						
iDRAC9, Enterprise 16G	528-CTIC	1		7	\$0.00	
Secured Component Verification	528-COYT	1		7	\$0.00	
No Quick Sync	350-BBXM	1		7	\$0.00	
iDRAC, Factory Generated Password	379-BCSF	1		, 7	\$0.00	
iDRAC Group Manager, Disabled	379-BCQY	1		7	\$0.00	
ReadyRails Sliding Rails Without Cable Management Arm or		1		7	\$0.00 \$0.00	
Strain Relief Bar	//0-DECD					
No Systems Documentation, No OpenManage DVD Kit	631-AACK	1		7	\$0.00	
PowerEdge R6625 Shipping	340-DDEC	1		7	\$0.00	
PowerEdge R6625 Shipping Material 4	340-DDCC	1		7	\$0.00	
PowerEdge R6625 CCC Marking, No CE Marking	470-AFOR	1		7		
Basic Next Business Day 36 Months	709-BBFM	1	\$186.76	7		\$1,307.32
ProSupport and Next Business Day Onsite Service Initial, 36 Month(s)	865-BBMY	1	\$8,559.30	7		\$59,915.10
Keyboard and Optical Mouse, USB, Black, English	570-AAKV, 580-ADJC	1	\$12.00	1	\$12.00	
Dell 24 Monitor	210-AIWG	1	\$169.99	1	\$169.99	
Mellanox MSN3420-CB2F 25GbE/100GbE Switch	920-9N213-00F7-0X0	2 3	\$16,661.00	1	\$16,661.00	
NVIDIA ENT Business Critical Support ServNVIDIA ENT Business Critical Support	780-C34N4Z+P2CMI12	2	\$2,667.00	1		\$2,667.00
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Clauders CEL Date Distance Drivets Claud Date Ed	AB242979	1 \$15,0	00.00	1	\$15,000.00	
Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud Base Ed Subscription per compute node, Business Level S Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud Base Ed	upport AB352445	1 \$15,2	29.50	10	\$152,295.00	
Subscription per storage node, Business Level Su RHEL, 1-25KT, Physical Node, 1YR Premium Sub, 1 Guest, Digitally Fulfilled	•	1 \$1,2	99.00	11	\$14,289.00	
			Subt	otal	\$181,584.00	\$0.00
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Pricing: 1 = Dell; 2 = NVIDIA; 3 = Amazo	n	Total Sy	stem C	Cost	(USD):	\$872,988
* Discount applies to all line items where total system cost as purchased by a regu			AIUC	;pm@	@1000:	3,258.01
S: One or more components of the meas substituted in the priced configuration. S	ured configuration have been		S/AIUC	;pm@	@1000:	\$267.96
Audited by Doug John Prices used in TPC benchmarks reflect t Individually negotiated discounts are not permitted. All discounts reflect standard TPC Benchmark Standard. If you find the pricing @tpc.org. Thank you.	he actual prices a customer wou permitted. Special prices based pricing policies for the listed Line	l on assumptions a e Items. For comple	bout pas ete detai	st or fu ls, se	uture purcha e the pricing	ses are not section of the

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Execution Status	Pass	T <sub>PST</sub>		.36		
Accuracy Status	Pass	Τ <sub>ττ</sub>	43	.93		
	Test T	imes				
Overall Run St	art Time	2023-06-0	7 22:35:25.028			
Overall Run Er	nd Time	2023-06-08	8 04:20:10.222			
Overall Run Ela	apsed Time		20,685.194			
Load Test Star		2023-06-07 23:17:13.748				
Load Test End		2023-06-07 23:32:43.409				
Load Test Elap	osed Time		929.661			
Power Training	Start Time	2023-06-07 23:32:43.411				
Power Training	I End Time	2023-06-08	8 02:54:56.659			
Power Training	Elapsed Time		12,133.248			
Power Serving	1 Start Time	2023-06-08 02:54:56.662				
Power Serving	1 End Time	2023-06-08 03:17:56.895				
Power Serving	1 Elapsed Time		1,380.233			
Power Serving	2 Start Time	2023-06-08	8 03:17:56.898			
Power Serving	2 End Time	2023-06-08	2023-06-08 03:41:00.813			
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Scoring Start T	ïme	2023-06-08	8 03:45:30.011			
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UC09 UC10 Use Case 300 500 500 400	818.	635	28.326	28.190	g 1 ■ Ser		
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UC09 UC10 Use Case 800 700 500 500 400 800 200	818.	635	28.326	28.190	g 1 Ser		
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## Clause 0 – Preamble

#### 0.1 TPC Express Benchmark<sup>TM</sup> AI Overview

Artificial intelligence (AI) has become a key transformational technology of our times. Advances in neural networks and other machine learning techniques have made it possible to use AI on a variety of use cases. From the public sector to aerospace, defense and academia, new and improved ways to use AI techniques are changing the way we harness data and analytics. This along with advances in compute, interconnect and memory technologies have made possible to solve complicated challenges that will ultimately benefit customers in production datacenter and cloud environments.

Abundant volumes of rich data from text, images, audio and video are the essential starting point for creating a benchmark that would represent the myriad of use cases and customers. TPC Express Benchmark™ AI (TPCx-AI) is created in keeping with the TPC tradition of emulating real world AI scenarios and data science use cases. Unlike most other AI benchmarks, the TPCx-AI uses a diverse dataset and is able to scale across a wide range of scale factors. TPCx-AI may later expand with additional use cases and add additional flexibility for a greater variety of implementations.

The benchmark defines and provides a means to evaluate the System Under Test (SUT) performance as a general-purpose data science system that:

- Generates and processes large volumes of data.
- Trains preprocessed data to produce realistic machine learning models.
- Conducts accurate insights for real-world customer scenarios based on the generated models.
- Can scale to large scale distributed configurations.
- Allows for flexibility in configuration changes to meet the demands of the dynamic Al landscape.

The benchmark models real-life examples of companies and public-sector organizations that use a range of analytics techniques, both AI and more traditional machine learning approaches, as well as the potential application of these techniques in situations like those in which they have already been successfully deployed. In addition, the benchmark measures end to end time to provide insights for individual use cases, as well as throughput metrics to simulate multiuser environments for a given hardware, operating system, and data processing system configuration under a controlled, complex, multi-user AI or machine learning data science workload.

The purpose of TPC benchmarks is to provide relevant, objective performance data to industry users. To achieve that purpose, TPC benchmark specifications require benchmark runs be implemented with systems, products, technologies and pricing that:

- Are generally available to users.
- Are relevant to the market segment that the individual TPC benchmark models or represents (e.g., TPCx-AI models and represents complex, high data volume, decision support environments).
- Would plausibly be implemented.

The TPCx-AI kit is available from the TPC website (see www.tpc.org/tpcx-ai/ for more information). Users must sign up and agree to the TPCx-AI End User Licensing Agreement (EULA) to download the kit. All related work (such as collaterals, papers, derivatives) must acknowledge the TPC and include the TPCx-AI copyright. The TPCx-AI kit includes: TPCx-AI Specification document (this document), TPCx-AI Users Guide (README.md) documentation, scripts to set up the benchmark environment, code to execute the benchmark workload, Data Generator, use case related files, and Benchmark Driver.

The use of new systems, products, technologies (hardware or software) and pricing is encouraged so long as they meet the requirements above. Specifically prohibited are benchmark systems, products, technologies or pricing (hereafter referred to as "implementations") whose primary purpose is performance optimization of TPC benchmark results without any corresponding applicability to real-world applications and environments. In other words, all "benchmark special" implementations that improve benchmark results but not real-world performance or pricing, are prohibited.

The rules for pricing are included in the TPC Pricing Specification.

Further information is available at <u>www.tpc.org</u>.

## Clause 1 – General Items

#### 1.1 Test Sponsor

This benchmark was sponsored by Dell Inc..

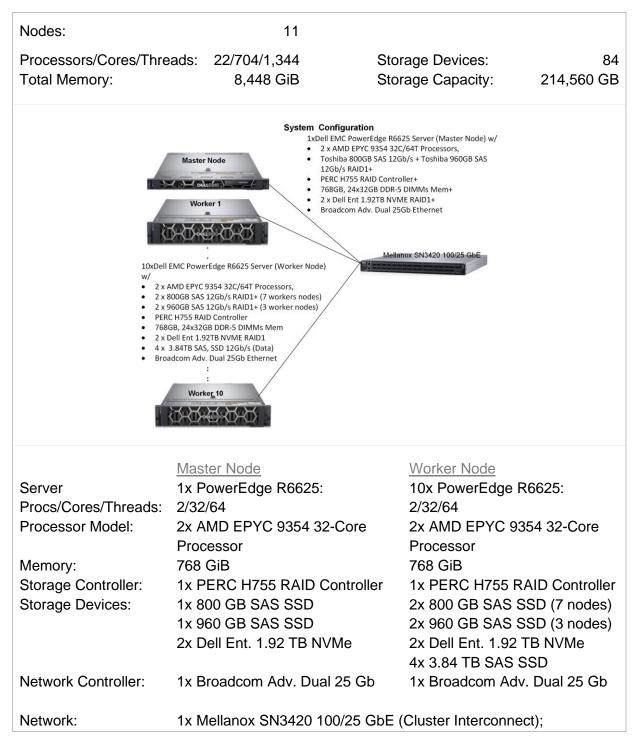
#### 1.2 Parameter Settings

The <u>Supporting Files Archive</u> contains the parameters and options used to configure the components involved in this benchmark.

### 1.3 Configuration Diagrams

The measured configuration diagram is shown below. In addition, any differences between the measured and the priced configurations are described.

#### 1.3.1 Measured Configuration



The distribution of software components over server nodes is detailed in <u>Clause 2</u>.

1.3.2 Differences Between the Measured and the Priced Configurations Node dn5 had three 3.2 TB SAS SSDs in the measured configuration that were substituted with three 3.84 TB SAS SSDs in the priced configuration.

## Clause 2 – SW Components & Data Distribution

### 2.1 Roles and Dataset Distribution

Table 2-1 describes the distribution of the dataset across all media in the SUT.

Server	Host Name	Storage	Contents
1x PowerEdge R6625 Master Node	genoa- masternode alias nn	1x 800 GB SAS SSD 1x Toshiba 960 GB SAS 2x Dell Ent. 1.92 TB NVMe	OS
10x PowerEdge R6625 Worker Nodes	genoadatanode [1-10] alias dn[1-10]	2x 800 GB SAS SSD (7 nodes) 2x 960 GB SAS SSD (3 nodes) 4x 3.84 TB SAS SSD (9 nodes) 1x 3.84 TB SAS SSD (1 node) 3x 3.2 TB SAS SSD (1 node) 2x Dell Ent. 1.92 TB NVMe	OS OS Distributed FS Distributed FS Distributed FS Kit & Metadata

Server	Host Name	SW Services
1x PowerEdge R6625 Master Node	genoa- masternode alias nn	Core Configuration Gateway Core Configuration Storage operations HDFS Balancer HDFS NameNode HDFS SecondaryNameNode Hive Gateway Hive Metastore Server Hive on Tez Gateway Hive on Tez HiveServer2 Cloudera Management Service Reports Manager Cloudera Management Service Alert Publisher Cloudera Management Service Alert Publisher Cloudera Management Service Event Server Cloudera Management Service Host Monitor Cloudera Management Service Host Monitor Cloudera Management Service Monitor YARN Queue Manager Store YARN Queue Manager Webapp Spark Gateway Spark History Server Tez Gateway YARN JobHistory Server YARN ResourceManager ZooKeeper Server
10x PowerEdge R6625 Worker Nodes	genoadatanode [1-10] alias dn[1-10]	Core Configuration Gateway HDFS DataNode Hive Gateway Hive on Tez Gateway Spark Gateway Tez Gateway YARN NodeManager

Table 2-1 Software Components and Dataset Distribution

### 2.2 File System Implementation

A distributed file system provided by Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8.6/8.7 / Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud Base Edition was used for data generation and the Load Test. The data set was not relocated after generation and before the Load Test.

#### 2.3 Execution Engine, Frameworks, Driver & Libraries

Cloudera SEL Data Platform Private Cloud Base Edition consisted of the following components.

Component	Version
HDFS	3.1.1
YARN	3.1.1
MapReduce2	3.1.1
Spar	2.4.7

Table 2-2 Software Components

For a detailed listing of installed libraries, please see the envInfo logs in the Supporting Files.

#### 2.4 Applied Patches

No additional vendor-supported patches were applied to the SUT.

## Clause 3 – Workload Related Items

#### 3.1 Hardware & Software Tuning

The <u>Supporting Files</u> archive contains all hardware and software configuration scripts.

### 3.2 Kit Version & Modifications

Table 3-1 shows the version of the TPCx-AI used to produce this result along with any kit flies that were modified to facilitate system, platform, and framework differences.

TPCx-AI Kit Version

<u>Modified File</u> tools/parallel-data-load.sh See Auditor's Note 1.0.2

Description of Changes Enable concurrent file upload.

Table 3-1 Kit Version & Modifications

#### 3.3 Use Case Elapsed Times

Below are the elapsed times for each use case. Use cases are grouped based on whether they use Deep Learning or Machine Learning techniques.

Туре	UC ID	P1	P2	T1	T2	T3	T4
Deen	2	85.354	88.783	84.456	218.882	106.819	106.940
Deep Learning	5	76.289	78.351	92.814	86.072	89.711	97.864
Learning	9	703.291	699.631	737.822	735.672	753.781	754.556
	1	51.215	49.736	56.067	51.839	58.496	57.931
Machine Learning	3	12.443	12.811	12.862	16.521	13.181	12.794
	4	25.475	25.489	28.904	32.305	32.087	30.769
	6	33.135	33.071	37.541	41.387	33.342	36.212
	7	15.317	15.300	17.125	17.160	16.828	17.460
	8	338.579	341.811	388.931	528.033	286.091	286.618
	10	28.326	28.190	30.293	29.474	31.987	32.895

Table 3-2 Use Case Elapsed Times

### 3.4 SUT Validation Test Output

Validation Run Report			
AIUCpm@1 Scale Factor Streams Kit Version Execution Status Accuracy Status	15.88 1 4 1.0.2 Pass Pass	T <sub>Load</sub> T <sub>LD</sub> Tptt Tpst1 Tpst2 Tpst T <sub>TT</sub>	275.18 275.18 57.69 21.40 21.02 21.40 6.00
	Test T	imes	
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Load Test End Time	Load Test Start Time Load Test End Time Load Test Elapsed Time		41:19.468 45:56.770 277.302
Power Training Start Time Power Training End Time Power Training Elapsed Time		2023-06-07 21: 2023-06-07 22:	
Power Serving 1 Start Time Power Serving 1 End Time Power Serving 1 Elapsed Time		2023-06-07 22: 2023-06-07 22:	
Power Serving 2 Start Time2023-06-07 22:15:0Power Serving 2 End Time2023-06-07 22:19:1Power Serving 2 Elapsed Time24			
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	Validation R	un Report (co	ntinued)		
	Асси	uracy Metrics			
Use Case	Metric Name	Metric	Criteria	Threshold	Status
1	N/A	0.000	N/A	0.00	Pass
2	word_error_rate	0.445	<=	0.50	Pass
3	mean_squared_log_error	5.803	<=	5.40	Fail*
4	f1_score	0.697	>=	0.65	Pass
5	mean_squared_log_error	0.088	<=	0.50	Pass
6	matthews_corrcoef	0.233	>=	0.19	Pass
7	median_absolute_error	1.715	<=	1.80	Pass
8	accuracy_score	0.701	>=	0.65	Pass
9	accuracy_score	1.000	>=	0.90	Pass
10	accuracy_score	0.817	>=	0.70	Pass

\*Because of the small dataset size used for the Validation Test, Spark-based implementations may not be able to satisfy the accuracy threshold for Use Case 3. The TPCx-AI Subcommittee is aware of this issue and has decided that this failure does not invalidate the test.

#### 3.5 Configuration Parameters

The <u>Supporting Files</u> archive contains all Global Benchmark Parameter and Use Case Specific Parameter settings.

## Clause 4 – SUT Related Items

#### 4.1 Specialized Hardware/Software

No Specialized Hardware/Software was used in the SUT.

#### 4.2 Configuration Files

The Supporting Files archive contains all configuration files.

#### 4.3 SUT Environment Information

All envInfo.log files are included in the Supporting Files archive.

#### 4.4 Data Storage to Scale Factor Ratio

The details of the Data Storage Ratio are provided below.

Node Count	Disks	Size (GB)	Total (GB)
1	1	800	800
1	1	960	960
1	2	1,920	3,840
7	2	800	11,200
3	2	960	5,760
10	2	1,920	38,400
10	4	3,840	153,600
Total Storage (GB)			214,560
Scale Factor			1,000
Data Storage	Ratio		214.56

### 4.5 Scale Factor to Memory Ratio

The details of the Memory to Scale Factor Ratio are provided below.

Nodes	Memory (GiB)	Total (GiB)
11	768	8,448
Scale Fact	or	1,000
Total Memory (GiB)		8,448
SF / Memory Ratio		0.12

#### 4.6 Output of Tests

The <u>Supporting Files</u> archive contains the output files of all tests.

### 4.7 Additional Sponsor Files

The Supporting Files archive contains any additional files that were used.

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#### 4.8 Model Optimizations

The <u>Supporting Files</u> archive contains any model optimization files that were used.

## Clause 5 – Metrics and Scale Factor

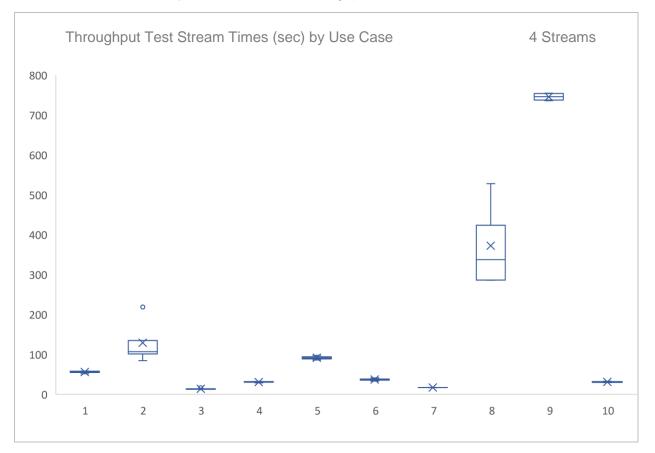
#### 5.1 Reported Performance Metrics

Metric Overview		
TPCx-AI Performance Metric TPCx-AI Price/Performance Metric	3,258.01 267.96	AIUCpm@1000 \$/AIUCpm@1000
TPCx-AI Scale Factor TPCx-AI Stream Count	1,000 4	
<u>Test Times</u>		
Overall Run Start Time Overall Run End Time Overall Run Elapsed Time		06-07 22:35:25.028 06-08 04:20:10.222 20,685.194
Load Test Start Time Load Test End Time Load Test Elapsed Time		06-07 23:17:13.748 06-07 23:32:43.409 929.661
Power Training Start Time Power Training End Time Power Training Elapsed Time		06-07 23:32:43.411 06-08 02:54:56.659 12,133.248
Power Serving 1 Start Time Power Serving 1 End Time Power Serving 1 Elapsed Time		06-08 02:54:56.662 06-08 03:17:56.895 1,380.233
Power Serving 2 Start Time Power Serving 2 End Time Power Serving 2 Elapsed Time		06-08 03:17:56.898 06-08 03:41:00.813 1,383.915
Scoring Start Time Scoring End Time Scoring Elapsed Time		06-08 03:45:30.011 06-08 03:50:41.962 311.951
Throughput Start Time Throughput End Time Throughput Elapsed Time		06-08 03:50:41.966 06-08 04:20:10.221 1,768.255

Accuracy Metrics					
Use Case	Metric Name	Metric	Criteria	Threshold	Status
1	N/A	0.000	N/A	0.00	Pass
2	word_error_rate	0.438	<=	0.50	Pass
3	mean_squared_log_error	4.575	<=	5.40	Pass
4	f1_score	0.712	>=	0.65	Pass
5	mean_squared_log_error	0.033	<=	0.50	Pass
6	matthews_corrcoef	0.214	>=	0.19	Pass
7	median_absolute_error	1.653	<=	1.80	Pass
8	accuracy_score	0.750	>=	0.65	Pass
9	accuracy_score	1.000	>=	0.90	Pass
10	accuracy_score	0.817	>=	0.70	Pass

#### 5.2 Throughput Test Stream Times

The following chart shows the minimum, 1<sup>st</sup> quartile, median, mean (X), 3<sup>rd</sup> quartile, and maximum stream times by use case for the Throughput Test. Outliers are marked with "o".



## Auditor's Information

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This benchmark's Full Disclosure Report can be downloaded from www.tpc.org.

A copy of the auditor's attestation letter is included in the next two pages.

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- All TPC-provided components were verified to be v1.0.2.
- All checksums were validated for compliance.
- Any modifications to shell scripts were reviewed for compliance.
- No modifications were made to any of the Java code.
- The generated dataset was properly scaled to 1,000 GB.
- The generated dataset used for testing was protected by Replication 3 & RAID 1.
- The elapsed times for all phases and runs were correctly measured and reported.
- The Storage and Memory Ratios were correctly calculated and reported.
- The system pricing was verified for major components and maintenance.
- The major pages from the FDR were verified for accuracy.

#### Additional Audit Notes:

Because of the small dataset size used for the Validation Test, this Spark-based implementation was not able to satisfy the accuracy threshold for Use Case 3. The TPCx-AI Subcommittee is aware of this issue and has decided that this failure does not invalidate the test.

Two files were erroneously reported as having incorrect checksums. This is due to a minor issue in the TPC-provided kit. The TPCx-AI Subcommittee is aware of this and will correct it in a future release of the kit.

The measured configuration included three 3.2 TB SAS SSDs that were substituted by three 3.84 SAS SSDs in the priced configuration. Based on the specifications of these disks, it is my opinion that this substitution has no significant effect on performance.

One worker node had one 16 GB USB drive in it during testing. This drive (and 2 spares) is included in the pricing per TPC rules. However, this drive was not utilized during testing and had no effect on performance.

Respectfully Yours,

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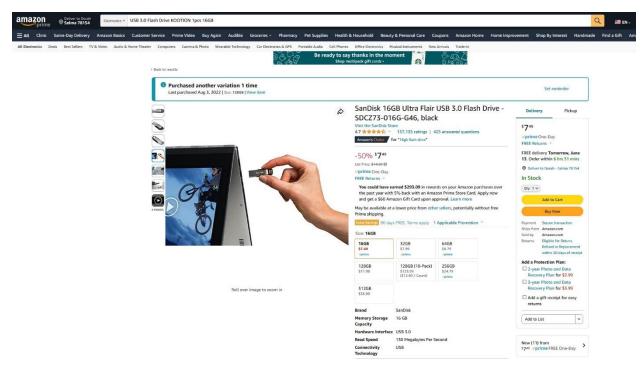
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## Supporting Files Index

The Supporting Files archive for this disclosure contains the following structure.

Supporting Files Directory	Description
CheckIntegrity/	Output of CHECK_INTEGRITY test (if the phase is not done as part of the Validation and Performance Test).
PerformanceTest/	Performance Test output files.
ValidationTest/	Validation Test output files.
Additional files used by Dell	
Sponsor/ModelOptimization/	Details of model optimization.
Sponsor/ModifiedKitFiles/	1 modified file(s).

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All tuning files used.