

# IBM InfoSphere Advanced DataStage

KM400G



**Delivery Type:** Classroom

**Duration:** 4 days

## Overview

This course works with Information Server V8.5  
This course is designed to introduce advanced job development techniques in DataStage V8.5.

## Pre-Requisites

You should complete:

- ✓ DataStage Essentials course or equivalent
- ✓ and have at least one year of experience developing parallel jobs using DataStage

## Objectives

- ✓ Describe the parallel processing architecture and development and runtime environments
- ✓ Describe the compile process and the runtime job execution process
- ✓ Describe how partitioning and collection works in the parallel framework
- ✓ Describe sorting and buffering in the parallel framework and optimization techniques

- ✓ Describe and work with parallel framework data types
- ✓ Create reusable job components
- ✓ Use loop processing in a Transformer stage
- ✓ Process groups in a Transformer stage
- ✓ Extend the functionality of DataStage by building custom stages and creating new Transformer functions
- ✓ Use Connector stages to read and write from relational tables and handle errors in Connector stages
- ✓ Process XML data in DataStage jobs using the XML stage
- ✓ Design a job that processes a star schema database with Type 1 and Type 2 slowly changing dimensions
- ✓ List job and stage best practices

## Target Audience

This course is for experienced DataStage developers seeking training in more advanced DataStage techniques and who seek an understanding of the parallel framework architecture.