



# SAP® MaxDB™ Expert Session

SAP® MaxDB™ Logging

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#### **News - General Remarks**

- Some functionality might have been changed or expanded over the years.
- Recommendations might have changed.
- → For each expert session an update with the most important changes is published.
- Check the additional remarks after having heard or read the expert session.
- Feedback to the responsible author is welcome if you recognize outdated information within the session.

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# **Agenda**

- 1. Do not use Log Partitions
- **2.** XXX
- 3 XXX
- 4. XXX
- 5 XXX



## Do not use Log Partitions

- Related to page 9 (and following) of the original expert session.
- The recommendations concerning the use of log partitions have changed!
- Because of the occurrence of some severe errors SAP does not recommend to use log partitions!
- The errors could not be pinpointed so far as they turned out to be conceptual deficiencies.
- Potential problems:

Endlessly running log backup: log backup cannot be created as the kernel does not seem to find the correct starting point; see also

http://maxdb.sap.com/webpts?wptsdetail=yes&ErrorType=0&ErrorID=1252365

Recovery problem: unspecific problem that the log backup could not be restored

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### **Log Partitions**

#### What to do when you already defined log partitions?

Use the description of the following HowTo document how to reset the configuration to only one partition:

http://wiki.scn.sap.com/wiki/display/MaxDB/HowTo+-+Usage+of+Multiple+Log+Partitions

Section: Reverting to one single log partition

 Do not use the Database Studio to reset log partitions as there is a known and unsolved problem. The next restart following reconfiguration actions will fail.

http://maxdb.sap.com/webpts?wptsdetail=yes&ErrorType=0&ErrorID=1252241

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# Thank you

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