

Progress and OpenEdge Dump and Load Operations / Axiom Dump and Load Operations

We have experience in Progress Dump and Load in client-server and character versions of the DOS, UNIX and AIX environments. Specifically we have done Dump and Load procedures with the Axiom application (wire and cable industry) which is a bit more complicated than regular procedures due to the integration of SQL privileges and it's inbuilt, and layered, security system. Any Dump and Load operation that wipes out and rebuilds the database where SQL privileges are applied, require that the SQL privileges be re-applied for every table and every user on every database. It can be scripted and run in batch for faster processing.

A note on the operations of a dump and load: There is no way to short cut this process if it has never been executed before. The scripts need to be tested on a separate test environment. The actual operation needs to be run on a non-work day in off business hours. The completion time is heavily dependent on how large the database is. Backups are taken as part of the operation and also add time to the process.