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Buffer pool residency

There have been articles in several publications recently about tuning buffer pools and calculating buffer pool hit rates. I have always found it difficult to relate to buffer pool hit ratios so I decided to look at buffer pool residency, ie how long a page remains in the pool since it was last referenced. Research by others indicates that five minutes' residency gives the best trade off.

The `DISPLAY BUFFERPOOL` command with the `LSTATS` option provides details of how many pages are in the virtual and hiper pools. For example Figure 1 shows a display showing `DSNSPT01` with no pages in the virtual pool and 212 in the hiper pool.

```
-DISPLAY BUFFERPOOL(BP0) LIST(ACTIVE) LSTATS
:
:
DSNB451I -DB2P INDEXSPACE = DSNDB01.DSNSPT01, USE COUNT = 1, GBP-DEP= N
DSNB452I -DB2P STATISTICS FOR DATASET 1 -
DSNB453I -DB2P VP CACHED PAGES -
CURRENT      =      0    MAX          =    216
CHANGED      =      0    MAX          =      0
DSNB454I -DB2P HP CACHED PAGES -
CURRENT      =    212    MAX          =    313
DSNB455I -DB2P SYNCHRONOUS I/O DELAYS -
AVERAGE DELAY =     19    MAXIMUM DELAY =     63
TOTAL PAGES   =    517
DSNB456I -DB2P ASYNCHRONOUS I/O DELAYS -
AVERAGE DELAY =      4    MAXIMUM DELAY =      4
TOTAL PAGES   =     31    TOTAL I/O COUNT =     1
```

Figure 1: DSNSPT01

If you read a page from a tablespace which no-one else is accessing and then issue repeated display commands, it is possible to see the page move from the virtual pool to the hiper pool and then be discarded. The pagesets are displayed in most recently opened order, so stopping and starting the tablespace before reading it puts it at the top of the queue.

BPCK ROUTINE

I have written an ISPF application to automate the above checking process. The application does the following:

- Checks that a dummy table and tablespace have been defined for the buffer pool. If they do not exist, they are created.
- The tablespace is stopped and started to put it at the top of the display list.
- A SELECT * from the table is run.
- A DISPLAY BUFFERPOOL is processed every 'n' seconds.
- The statistics are written out to a history dataset.

SAMPLE SCREENS

The command in progress looks like:

```
+----- BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY -----+
|
| Subsystem Name   :   DB2P
| Sample Interval  :   20      Secs
| Bufferpool Name   :   BP1
| Batch Cycles     :   0        (Zero to run on-line)
|
| In Virtual Pool  :           0      -      23      Secs
| In Hiper Pool    :           0      -
|
| +-----+
| Edit History fi |   45 SECS ELAPSED
| +-----+
+-----+
```

The history dataset looks like:

```
EDIT ---- DMG.BPCK.HISTORY ----- Columns 001 072
Command ==>
Scroll ==>      CSR

      DB2   Buffer Virt. Pool Hiper Pool Min. Time
      System Pool   Size      Size      VP   HP   Timestamp
-----
--
000014  DB2P  BP1      5000    10000    0  173  97/12/18-10:40:58
000015  DB2P  BP1      5000    10000   44  486  97/09/19-15:01:56
000016  DB2P  BP1      5000    10000  178  488  97/09/19-14:41:51
```

000017	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	178	488	97/09/19-14:41:51
000018	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	23	278	97/09/19-10:26:51
000019	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	45	158	97/09/19-10:19:44
000020	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	88	796	97/09/19-10:15:51
000021	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	88	796	97/09/19-10:15:51
000022	DB2P	BP1	5000	10000	153	485	97/09/19-09:49:47

NOTES

This routine has only been tested with DB2 Version 4.1.

The accuracy of the results is limited by the delay interval and the time it takes to process the data. I normally use a delay of 20 seconds. It also takes approximately three seconds to issue the DISPLAY command and process the results.

The delay is generated by the WAIT command, which is a feature of REXXTOOLS. If you do not use REXXTOOLS, then you will have to substitute your own version of WAIT – most sites seem to have one but, if you don't, look on the Xephon Web pages for *MVS Update*. There are a couple of routines that you can download free that offer a delay timer facility (one is called WAIT).

This was written originally as an ISPF application, but after running it a few times I got bored with watching the screen, so I added an option to run it in batch with an iteration and to browse the results without running the check.

The results dataset can be edited under normal SPF edit, but when invoked from BPCCK there is a modified edit panel with column headings and an initial macro which positions you at the first line for the specified subsystem and bufferpool.

INSTALLATION

Copy the install job and make the following modifications:

- Change USERID to your user-id.
- Change YOUR DB2 LOADLIB to the DB2 load library.
- Change the line containing DB2A,DB2B,DB2C to list valid subsystems for your installation.

Modify the jobcard and run the job in the following section. BPCCK.DATA is the history dataset and BPCCK.SOURCE is the installation library. It is possible to run from the installation library by issuing the following two commands:

```
EXEC 'USERID.BPCCK.SOURCE(BPCKLBDF)'  
EXEC 'USERID.BPCCK.SOURCE(BPCK)'
```

THE INSTALL JOB

```
//YOUR JOBCARD, 'BPCHK',           <===== CHANGE THIS  
// CLASS=A,MSGCLASS=X  
//*  
//STEP1 EXEC PGM=IEFBR14  
//DD1 DD DSN=USERID.BPCCK.DATA,     <===== CHANGE THIS  
//      DISP=(,CATLG),  
//      LRECL=80,  
//      BLKSIZE=6160,RECFM=FB,  
//      UNIT=SYSALLDA,  
//      SPACE=(TRK,1)  
//*  
//STEP2 EXEC PGM=IEBUPDTE,PARM=NEW  
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*  
//SYSUT2 DD DSN=USERID.BPCCK.SOURCE, <===== CHANGE THIS  
//      DISP=(,CATLG),  
//      SPACE=(TRK,(1,1,9)),  
//      LRECL=80,  
//      BLKSIZE=6160,  
//      RECFM=FB,  
//      UNIT=SYSALLDA  
//SYSIN DD DATA,DLM=###  
. / ADD NAME=BPCHECK  
/***** REXX *****/  
/* FUNCTION: CHECK BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY */  
/* */  
/* USES: */  
/* CLIB: BPCKMAC1 BPCKMAC2 BPCKMSUB */  
/* SLIB: BPCKBAT BPCKCR8 BPCKSQL */  
/* PLIB: BPCK BPCKED BPCKEDH BPCKJCD BPCKHLP */  
/* */  
/* DESCRIPTION: */  
/* THIS UTILITY READS A DUMMY TABLE TO LOAD ITS PAGES INTO THE */  
/* BUFFER POOL. IT THEN ISSUES THE DISPLAY BUFFER POOL COMMAND */  
/* WITH THE LSTATS OPTION AND ANALYSES THE OUTPUT TO CHECK THAT */  
/* THE PAGES ARE STILL IN THE POOL. THIS IS REPEATED UNTIL THE */  
/* PAGES ARE FLUSHED FROM THE POOL. THE TIME THE PAGE REMAINED IN */  
/* THE VIRTUAL POOL AND HIPER POOL ARE WRITTEN TO A HISTORY FILE. */  
/* */  
/*****
```

```

TRACE 0

ZERRLM = ''
"ISPEXEC VGET ZENVIR SHARED"
PARSE VAR ZENVIR . 17 MODE 24 .
IF MODE = 'BATCH'
THEN DO
    ARG BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL CYCLE
    "ISPEXEC VPUT (BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL) PROFILE"
    END
LOOP = 0
DO FOREVER
    IF MODE = 'BATCH'
    THEN DO
        IF LOOP = CYCLE
        THEN EXIT
        LOOP = LOOP + 1
    END
    RESTART = 'N'
    CALL DISPLAY
    IF RC > 0
    THEN EXIT
    LOADLIB = 'YOUR DB2 LOADLIB' /* <==== CHANGE THIS */
    IF BPCKED = 'Y'
    THEN DO
        "ISPEXEC REMPOP"
        "ISPEXEC EDIT DATASET('"USERID.BPCK.DATA"')",
            "PANEL(BPCKEDH) MACRO(BPCKMAC1)"
        RESTART = 'Y'
    END
    ELSE CALL STARTTS
    IF RESTART = 'N'
    THEN IF BPCKCYC > 0
        THEN CALL BATCH
    ELSE DO
        CALL READTB
        CALL TIME('R')
        NEWTIME = 0
        CALL DISBP
        ZERRSM = ''
        ZERRWN = 'NORESP'
        IF RESULT = 0
        THEN DO
            ZERRLM = 'TO SAVE TO HISTORY FILE',
                'AND EDIT PRESS ENTER, OR PF3 TO QUIT'
            ZERRTP = 'WARNING'
            "ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCK)",
                "MSG(ISRZ003) MSGLOC("LOC")"

            IF RC = 0
            THEN DO

```

```

        "ISPEXEC REMPOP"
        ROW = LEFT(BPCKSYS,8)
        ROW = ROW LEFT(BPCKPOOL,6)
        ROW = ROW RIGHT(STRIP(BPCKVPSZ),10)
        ROW = ROW RIGHT(STRIP(BPCKHPSZ),10)
        ROW = ROW RIGHT(STRIP(BPCKVP1),4)
        ROW = ROW RIGHT(STRIP(BPCKHP1),4)
        ROW = ROW DATE('0')'- 'TIME()
        "ISPEXEC VPUT (ROW MODE) SHARED"
        "ISPEXEC EDIT",
            "DATASET('"USERID.BPCK.DATA"')",
            "PANEL(BPCKEDH) MACRO(BPCKMAC1)"
    END
    END
ELSE DO
    ZERRLM = 'TABLE NOT FOUND IN BUFFER POOL',
        'PRESS ENTER OR PF3 TO QUIT'
    ZERRTP = 'WARNING'
    "ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCK)",
        "MSG(ISRZ003)",
        "MSGLOC("LOC")"
    END
    ZERRLM = ''
END
END
EXIT
DISPLAY:
"ISPEXEC ADDPOP ROW(3) COLUMN(12)"
BPCKHP1 = Ø
BPCKHP2 = ''
BPCKVP1 = Ø
BPCKVP2 = ''
ZWINTTL = 'BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY'
IF ZERRLM = ''
THEN ZERRLM = 'SUPPLY VALUES FOR DB2 SUBSYSTEM, SAMPLE DELAY,',
    'BUFFERPOOL AND PRESS ENTER TO RUN.'
ZERRWN = 'NORESP'
ZERRTP = 'NOTIFY'
ZERRALRM = 'NO'
ZERRHM = '* '
LOC = 'BPCKVP1'
"ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCK) CURSOR(BPCKSYS) MSG(ISRZ003)"
RETURN
BATCH:
"ISPEXEC VGET (BPCKJOB1 BPCKJOB2 BPCKJOB3 BPCKJOB4) PROFILE"
"ISPEXEC ADDPOP"
ZERRLM = 'SUPPLY A VALID JOBCARD FOR YOUR INSTALLATION',
    'AND PRESS PF3 TO CONTINUE.'
ZWINTTL = 'ENTER / MODIFY JOBCARD INFORMATION'
DO UNTIL RC > Ø

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```

    "ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCKJCD) MSG(ISRZ003)"
END
BPCKPARAM = BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL BPCKCYC
"ISPEXEC FTOPEM TEMP"
"ISPEXEC FTINCL BPCKBAT"
"ISPEXEC FTCLOSE"
"ISPEXEC REMPOP"
"ISPEXEC REMPOP"
"ISPEXEC VGET (ZTEMPF)"
"ISPEXEC EDIT DATASET('"ZTEMPF"') MACRO(BPCKMSUB)"
"FREE DA('"ZTEMPF"')
RESTART = 'Y'
RETURN
DISBP:
ZERRSM = '** CHECK IN PROGRESS **'
ZERRWN = 'NORESP'
ZERRTP = 'NOTIFY'
LOC = 'BPCKVP1'
"ISPEXEC CONTROL DISPLAY LOCK"
"ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCK) MSG(ISRZ003) MSGLOC("LOC")"
FIRSTIME = 'Y'
DO UNTIL BPCKHP2 = ""
    CALL WAIT 'SEC',BPCKSAMP
    X = OUTTRAP('L.', '*', 'NOCONCAT') /* DISPLAY BP */
    QUEUE '-DIS BUFFERPOOL ('BPCKPOOL') DETAIL(INTERVAL) LIST(*) LSTATS'
    QUEUE 'END'
    "DSN SYSTEM("BPCKSYS")"
    X = OUTTRAP('OFF')
    IF FIRSTIME = 'Y'
        /* PICK UP POOL SIZES */
        THEN DO I = 1 TO L.0
            PARSE VAR L.I MSG .
            SELECT
                WHEN MSG = 'DSNB402I'
                    THEN PARSE VAR L.I . '=' BPCKVPSZ .
                WHEN MSG = 'DSNB403I'
                    THEN PARSE VAR L.I . '=' BPCKHPSZ .
                WHEN (MSG = 'DSNB450I' | MSG = 'DSNB451I')
                    THEN DO
                        PARSE VAR L.I . '.' TSNAME ',' . '=' ' USE ',' .
                        IF LEFT(TSNAME,8) = "TS"BPCKPOOL
                            THEN DO
                                CALL STATS
                                LEAVE
                            END
                        END
                    OTHERWISE NOP
                END /* OF SELECT */
            END
        ELSE DO I = 1 TO L.0

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    PARSE VAR L.I MSG .
    IF (MSG = 'DSNB450I' | MSG = 'DSNB451I')
    THEN DO
        PARSE VAR L.I . '.' TSNAME ',' . '= ' USE ',' .
        IF LEFT(TSNAME,8) = "TS"BPCKPOOL
        THEN DO
            CALL STATS
            LEAVE
        END
    END
    END
    FIRSTIME = 'N'
    IF I = L.0
    THEN RETURN 8
END
RETURN 0
STATS:
HPPAGES = 0
VPPAGES = 0
J = I+2
PARSE VAR L.J MSG .
IF MSG = 'DSNB453I' /* VP */
THEN DO
    J = J+1
    PARSE VAR L.J . . VPPAGES .
    J = J+2
    PARSE VAR L.J MSG .
END
IF MSG = 'DSNB454I' /* HP */
THEN DO
    J = J+1
    PARSE VAR L.J . . HPPAGES .
END
OLDTIME = NEWTIME
NEWTIME = FORMAT(TIME('E'),4,0)
IF VPPAGES < OLDVPP
THEN DO
    /* FLUSHED FROM VIRTUAL POOL */
    BPCKVP1 = OLDTIME
    BPCKVP2 = NEWTIME
    ZERRSM = NEWTIME 'SECS ELAPSED'
    OLDVPP = VPPAGES
    OLDHPP = 1
    LOC = 'BPCKHP1'
END
ELSE IF HPPAGES < OLDHPP
THEN DO
    /* FLUSHED FROM HIPER POOL */
    OLDHPP = HPPAGES
    BPCKHP1 = OLDTIME

```

```

        BPCKHP2 = NEWTIME
        ZERRSM = NEWTIME 'SECS ELAPSED'
    END
    ELSE ZERRSM = NEWTIME 'SECS ELAPSED'
"ISPEXEC CONTROL DISPLAY LOCK"
"ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BPCK) MSG(ISRZ003) MSGLOC("LOC")"
RETURN
READTB:
"ISPEXEC FTOPEN TEMP"
"ISPEXEC FTINCL BPCKSQL"
"ISPEXEC FTCLOSE"
"ISPEXEC VGET (ZTEMPF)"
"ALLOC F(SYSIN) DA('"ZTEMPF"') SHR REUSE"
"FREE F(SYSPRINT)"
"ALLOC F(SYSPRINT) UNIT(VIO) NEW DELETE",
    "CYLINDER SPACE(1,9) LRECL(1024) BLKSIZE(20480)",
    "RECFM(F,B)"
QUEUE "RUN PROGRAM(DSNTEP2) PLAN(DSNTEP41)",
    "LIBRARY('LOADLIB')"
QUEUE "END"
QUEUE ""
"DSN SYSTEM("BPCKSYS")"
    /* INITIALIZE TO 1 PAGE IN VIRTUAL POOL, NONE IN HIPER */
OLDVPP = 1
OLDHPP = 0
"FREE F(SYSPRINT)"
"ALLOC F(SYSPRINT) DSNAME(*)"
"FREE F(SYSIN)"
RETURN
STARTTS:
/* STOP/START TS'S */
X = OUTTRAP('L.', '*', 'NOCONCAT')
QUEUE '-STOP DB(DSNDB04) SPACENAM(TS'BPCKPOOL')'
QUEUE '-START DB(DSNDB04) SPACENAM(TS'BPCKPOOL')'
QUEUE 'END'
"DSN SYSTEM("BPCKSYS")"
X = OUTTRAP('OFF')
PARSE VAR L.1 MSGID .
SELECT
WHEN MSGID = 'DSNT302I'
    THEN DO
        "ISPEXEC FTOPEN TEMP"
        "ISPEXEC FTINCL BPCKCR8"
        "ISPEXEC FTCLOSE"
        "ISPEXEC REMPOP"
        "ISPEXEC VGET (ZTEMPF)"
        "ISPEXEC EDIT DATASET('"ZTEMPF"')",
            "PANEL(BPCKED) MACRO(BPCKMAC2)"
        "ALLOC F(SYSIN) DA('"ZTEMPF"') SHR REUSE"
        "FREE F(SYSPRINT)"

```

```

"ALLOC F(SYSPRINT) UNIT(VIO) NEW DELETE",
      "CYLINDER SPACE(1,9) LRECL(1024) BLKSIZE(20480)",
      "RECFM(F,B,A)"
QUEUE "RUN PROGRAM(DSNTEP2) PLAN(DSNTEP41)",
      "LIBRARY('LOADLIB')"
QUEUE "END"
QUEUE ""
"DSN SYSTEM("BPCKSYS")"
"ISPEXEC LMINIT DATAID(BPCKSQL) DDNAME(SYSPRINT)"
"ISPEXEC BROWSE DATAID("BPCKSQL") PANEL(BPCKBR)"
"FREE F(SYSPRINT)"
"ALLOC F(SYSPRINT) DSNAME(*)"
"FREE F(SYSIN)"
RESTART = 'Y'
END
WHEN MSGID = 'DSNE110E'
  THEN DO
    ZERRLM = 'SUBSYSTEM' BPCKSYS 'NOT FOUND, TRY AGAIN'
    "ISPEXEC REMPOP"
    RESTART = 'Y'
    DELSTACK
  END
OTHERWISE NOP
END
RETURN
./ ADD NAME=BPCKMAC1
/***** REXX *****/
/*
/* FUNCTION: BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY CHECK
/*
/* DESCRIPTION:
/* THIS MACRO INSERTS THE LATEST RESULT INTO THE HISTORY DATASET
/* AND SORTS THE DATA INTO SUBSYSTEM, BUFFERPOOL, TIMESTAMP
/* (DESCENDING) ORDER. IT THEN POSITIONS THE LATEST DATA AT THE
/* TOP OF THE SCREEN. THE EDIT PANEL USED IS CUSTOMIZED TO
/* DISPLAY HEADINGS FOR THE DATA.
/*
/* IF THE ROUTINE HAS BEEN RUN IN BATCH, WRITE THE OUTPUT TO
/* SYSOUT AND SAVE IN THE HISTORY DATASET.
/*
/*****
"ISREDIT MACRO"
TRACE 0
"ISPEXEC VGET (ROW MODE BPCKPOOL BPCKSYS) ASIS"
/* IF NOT EDIT ONLY, INSERT A ROW */
IF ROW = ' '
THEN "ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = 'ROW'"
"ISREDIT SORT 1 8 A 10 15 A 49 65 D"
"ISREDIT FIND" BPCKSYS "FIRST"
"ISREDIT FIND" BPCKPOOL

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"ISREDIT LOCATE" .ZCSR
IF MODE = 'BATCH'
THEN DO
    SAY ROW
    "ISREDIT END"
END
EXIT
./ ADD NAME=BPCKMAC2
/***** REXX *****/
/*
/* FUNCTION: BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY CHECK
/*
/* DESCRIPTION:
/* ADD A HEADER OF NOTE LINES TO INFORM THE USER ABOUT CREATING
/* A NEW TABLESPACE AND TABLE.
/*
/*****
"ISREDIT MACRO"
TRACE 0
LINE1 = ""CENTRE(" CREATE DDL",72,"")""
LINE2 = ""CENTRE("A NEW TABLESPACE AND TABLE ARE NEEDED",70)""
LINE3 = ""CENTRE("MODIFY THE DDL IF REQUIRED AND PF3 TO",70)""
LINE4 = ""CENTRE("RUN IT, THEN TRY AGAIN.",70)""
LINE5 = COPIES("",72)
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE5
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE4
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE3
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE2
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE1
RETURN
./ ADD NAME=BPCKMSUB
/***** REXX *****/
/*
/* FUNCTION: BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY CHECK
/*
/* DESCRIPTION:
/*
/* ADD SOME NOTE LINES AT THE TOP OF THE GENERATED JCL TO GIVE
/* THE USER SOME INSTRUCTIONS.
/*
/*****
"ISREDIT MACRO"
TRACE 0
LINE1 = ""CENTRE(" JOB SUBMISSION ",72,"")""
LINE2 = ""CENTRE("USE THE SUBMIT COMMAND TO RUN THE JOB,",70)""
LINE3 = ""CENTRE("CREATE COMMAND TO SAVE TO A PDS MEMBER,",70)""
LINE4 = ""CENTRE("OR PF3 TO QUIT",70)""
LINE5 = COPIES("",72)
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE5
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE4

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```

"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE3
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE2
"ISREDIT LINE_AFTER 0 = MSGLINE" LINE1
RETURN
./ ADD NAME=BPCKBAT
)CM
)CM BUFFER POOL RESIDENCY CHECK
)CM USED BY REXX: BPCK
)CM C.ALLEN
)CM
&BPCKJOB1
&BPCKJOB2
&BPCKJOB3
&BPCKJOB4
//*
//STEP1 EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01,REGION=0M
//SYSEXEC DD DSN=USERID.CLIB,DISP=SHR
//SYSTSPRT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//ISPLOG DD DUMMY
//SYSUDUMP DD DUMMY
//*****/
//* POSITIONAL PARAMETERS: */
//* */
//* SUBSYSTEM NAME */
//* CHECK INTERVAL */
//* BUFFERPOOL */
//* NUMBER OF CYCLES */
//* */
//*****/
//SYSTSIN DD *
PROFILE PREFIX(DMG)
ISPSTART CMD(%BPCK &BPCKPARAM) BREDIMAX(9) BDISPMAX(500)
//ISPPROF DD DSN=DMG.ISPF.PROFILE,DISP=(MOD,DELETE,DELETE),
// SPACE=(TRK,(1,1,5)),
// UNIT=SYSDA,
// LRECL=80,BLKSIZE=3120,RECFM=FB
//ISPLIB DD DSN=USERID.PLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=SYS3.MODIFIED.PLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISF.V1R6M0.SISPLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISP.SISPPENU,DISP=SHR
//ISPLIB DD DSN=SYS3.MODIFIED.MLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISF.V1R6M0.SISMLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISP.SISPMENU,DISP=SHR
//ISPLIB DD DSN=USERID.SLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=SYS3.MODIFIED.SLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISP.SISPSENU,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISP.SISPLIB,DISP=SHR
//ISPLIB DD DSN=ISF.V1R6M0.SISFTLIB,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=ISP.SISPTENU,DISP=SHR

```

```

./ ADD NAME=BPCKCR8
SET CURRENT SQLID = 'DB2ISADM'
;
CREATE TABLESPACE TS&BPCKPOOL
    IN DSNDDB04
    BUFFERPOOL &BPCKPOOL
    CLOSE YES
;
CREATE TABLE BPCK_&BPCKPOOL
    ( DUMMY CHAR)
    IN DSNDDB04.TS&BPCKPOOL
;
./ ADD NAME=BPCKSQL
SELECT * FROM DB2ISADM.BPCK_&BPCKPOOL
;
./ ADD NAME=BPCK
)ATTR DEFAULT(%+_ )
    % TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(HIGH)
    + TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(LOW)
    # TYPE(INPUT) INTENS(HIGH) CAPS(ON) JUST(left)
    _ TYPE(INPUT) INTENS(HIGH) CAPS(ON) JUST(RIGHT)
    ! TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(LOW) SKIP(ON)
)BODY EXPAND(| |) WINDOW(50,11) cmd()
+
+ Subsystem Name :#z !
+ Sample Interval :#z !Secs
+ Bufferpool Name :#z !
+ Batch Cycles :#z + (Zero to run Online)
+
+ In Virtual Pool :_z % -_z %Secs
+ In Hiper Pool :_z % -_z %Secs
+
+ Edit History file without running:_z! (Y/blank)
)INIT
.ZVARS = '(BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL BPCKCYC +
          BPCKVP1 BPCKVP2 BPCKHP1 BPCKHP2 BPCKED)'
.HELP = BPCKHLP
.VGET (BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL) ASIS
.&BPCKCYC = 0
.&BPCKED = ' '
.CURSOR = BPCKED
)PROC
VER (&BPCKSYS,NB,LIST,DB2A,DB2B,DB2C,DB2P)
VER (&BPCKSAMP,NB,NUM)
VER (&BPCKPOOL,NB,LIST,BP0,BP1,BP2,BP3,BP4,BP5,BP6,BP7,BP8,BP9, +
    BP10,BP11,BP12,BP13,BP14,BP15,BP16,BP17,BP18,BP19, +
    BP20,BP21,BP22,BP23,BP24,BP25,BP26,BP27,BP28,BP29, +
    BP30,BP31,BP32,BP33,BP34,BP35,BP36,BP37,BP38,BP39, +
    BP40,BP41,BP42,BP43,BP44,BP45,BP46,BP47,BP48,BP49, +
    BP32K,BP32K1,BP32K2,BP32K3,BP32K4,BP32K5, +

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                BP32K6,BP32K7,BP32K8,BP32K9)
VER (&BPCKCYC,NUM)
VER (&BPCKED,LIST,Y)
VPUT (BPCKSYS BPCKSAMP BPCKPOOL) PROFILE
)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKEDH
)PANEL KEYLIST(ISRSPEC ISR)
)ATTR
  _ TYPE(INPUT) CAPS(OFF) INTENS(HIGH) FORMAT(&MIXED)
  # TYPE(FP)
)BODY WIDTH(80) EXPAND(//) WINDOW(76,20)
%EDIT -----/-----+
#Command ==>_ZCMD          / / #Scroll ==>_Z  %

%          DB2      Buffer Virt. Pool Hiper Pool Min. Time
%          System   Pool    Size      Size      VP   HP   Timestamp
%          -----/-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
)INIT
  .HELP = ISR20000
  .ZVARS = 'ZSCED'
  &MIXED = MIX          /* SET FORMAT MIX          */
  IF (&ZPDMIX = N)     /* IF EBCDIC MODE REQUESTED */
    &MIXED = EBCDIC    /* SET FORMAT EBCDIC      */
  VGET (ZSCED) PROFILE /* Fill Scroll Vars if    */
  IF (&ZSCED = ' ')    /* Blank with page.       */
    &ZSCED = 'PAGE'    /*                          */
)proc
  VPUT (ZSCED) PROFILE
)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKHLP
)ATTR
  ` TYPE(PT)           /* panel title line       */
  ? TYPE(PIN)         /* panel instruction line */
  # TYPE(NT)          /* normal text attribute  */
  } TYPE(ET)          /* emphasized text attribute */
  ! TYPE(DT)          /* description text       */
  ` TYPE(NEF) PADC(_) /* normal entry field padded with '_' */
  _ AREA(SCRL)        /* scrollable area attribute */
)BODY expand(//) cmd() window(70,20)
`-----/----- BCK Help ---/-----
#
_pnarea
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)AREA pnairea
}
-----
|   Buffer Pool Residency Check   |
-----

#
This utility checks the time a page stays in the DB2 buffer
pool. It does this by reading a dummy table from a tablespace
defined in the desired pool and then issuing a display
bufferpool command with the LSTATS option at regular intervals.
The output from the command is scanned to see if the page is
still in the virtual or hiper pool.

The utility maintains a history file for comparison purposes
and presents it sorted in subsystem, buffer pool, and
descending timestamp order. The file is presented in a normal
edit session but has a non-standard panel to enable headings to
be displayed and is pre-sorted by an initial macro.

This routine can be run on-line or in batch.
)PROC
)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKJCD
)ATTR DEFAULT(%+_)
    % TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(HIGH)
    + TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(LOW)
    # TYPE(INPUT) INTENS(HIGH) CAPS(ON) JUST(LEFT)
    _ TYPE(INPUT) INTENS(HIGH) CAPS(ON) JUST(RIGHT)
    ! TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(LOW) SKIP(ON)
)BODY EXPAND(||) WINDOW(76,6)
+
#BPCKjob1
#BPCKjob2
#BPCKjob3
#BPCKjob4
)INIT
    VGET (BPCKJOB1 BPCKJOB2 BPCKJOB3 BPCKJOB4) ASIS
    IF (&BPCKJOB1 = '')
        &BPCKJOB1 = '//JOB CARD INFORMATION'
        &BPCKJOB2 = '//*'
        &BPCKJOB3 = '//*'
        &BPCKJOB4 = '//*'
)PROC
    VPUT (BPCKJOB1 BPCKJOB2 BPCKJOB3 BPCKJOB4) PROFILE

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)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKED
)ATTR
  _ TYPE(INPUT) CAPS(OFF) INTENS(HIGH) FORMAT(&MIXED)
  # TYPE(FP)
)BODY WIDTH(80) EXPAND(//)
%EDIT -----/-/-----+
#Command ==>_ZCMD          / / #Scroll ==>_Z  %
)INIT
  .HELP = ISR20000
  .ZVARS = 'ZSCED'
  &MIXED = MIX              /* SET FORMAT MIX          */
  IF (&ZPDMIX = N)        /* IF EBCDIC MODE REQUESTED */
    &MIXED = EBCDIC       /* SET FORMAT EBCDIC       */
  VGET (ZSCED) PROFILE    /* Fill Scroll Vars if     */
  IF (&ZSCED = ' ')      /* Blank with page.       */
  &ZSCED = 'PAGE'       /*                          */
)PROC
  VPUT (ZSCED) PROFILE
)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKBR
)ATTR
  _ TYPE(INPUT) CAPS(OFF) INTENS(HIGH) FORMAT(&MIXED)
  + TYPE(TEXT) INTENS(LOW)
)BODY WIDTH(80) EXPAND(//) WINDOW(76,20)
%BROWSE -----/-/---+
%COMMAND ==>_ZCMD          / / %SCROLL ==>_Z  +
+
)INIT
  .ZVARS = 'ZSCBR'
  &MIXED = MIX              /* SET FORMAT MIX          */
  IF (&ZPDMIX = N)        /* IF EBCDIC MODE REQUESTED */
    &MIXED = EBCDIC       /* SET FORMAT EBCDIC       */
  VGET (ZSCBR) PROFILE    /* FILL SCROLL VARS IF     */
  IF (&ZSCBR = ' ')      /* BLANK WITH PAGE.       */
  &ZSCBR = 'PAGE'       /*                          */
)PROC
  VPUT (ZSCBR) PROFILE
)END
./ ADD NAME=BPCKLBDF
/* REXX */
"ISPEXEC LIBDEF ISPLIB DATASET ID('USERID.BPCK.SOURCE') COND"
"ISPEXEC LIBDEF ISPLIB DATASET ID('USERID.BPCK.SOURCE') COND"
"ALTLIB ACTIVATE APPLICATION(CLIST) DATASET('USERID.BPCK.SOURCE')"
RETURN
./ ENDUP
##

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Updating statistics from production to test

INTRODUCTION

If you want to see what access paths your production queries will use, you should consider updating the catalog statistics on your test system to be the same as your production system. To do this, run RUNSTATS on your production tables to get the current access method statistics. Then select the statistics from the production system catalog and use them to build the SQL UPDATE statements to update the catalog of the test system.

THE STAT SERVICE

At our installation, I have implemented a service, called STAT, which enables our users easily to generate JCL to update production statistics on our test system.

The panel STATM requires the following fields to be entered:

- Creator – the owner of table (optional)
- Name – the name of table (optional)
- Tspace – the tablespace name (optional)
- Dbname – the database name (optional)
- DB2 – the production subsystem or the test subsystem.

To query the catalog, the REXX EXEC uses two programs that were previously published in *DB2 Update*:

- SQLISPF from *An SQL interface to ISPF Dialog Manager*. This is an Assembler program to pass the query as a REXX variable and return the result in an ISPF table (*DB2 Update*, pages 14-26, Issue 5, May 1992). At our installation, SQLISPF has been renamed REXSQLP.
- DB2CAF from *DB2CAF program*. The program uses two modules: DB2CAFI to initiate the Call Attachment Facility, and

DB2CAFT to terminate the Call Attachment Facility (*DB2 Update*, pages 3-8, Issue 2, August 1991).

It is also necessary to have **select** privilege on the production system tables SYSIBM.SYSTABLES, SYSIBM.SYSTABLESPACE, SYSIBM.SYSINDEXES, SYSIBM.SYSCOLUMNS, and SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST and **update** or **insert** privilege on all the above tables on the test system.

SQLQUERY in STAT can be redefined to meet your own requirements and the generated file can be edited before it is submitted.

When you bind applications on the test system with production statistics, access paths should be similar to what you see when the same query is bound on your production system. If the access paths from test to production are different, there are three possible causes:

- The processor models are different.
- The buffer poll sizes are different.
- There is mismatching data in SYSCOLDIST.

STAT consists of:

- STAT – REXX procedure (SYSPROC)
- STATM – main panel (ISPPLIB)
- MESSMAP – message display panel (ISPPLIB)
- STATS – ISPF skeleton for JCL (ISPSLIB).

REFERENCES

- *DB2 V3 Administration Guide* Volumes III SC26-4888.

STAT – REXX PROCEDURE

```
/* REXX - Statements to generate update statistics on a test system*/
/* trace r */
X=MSG("OFF")
ADDRESS TSO "DELETE '"SYSVAR(SYSUID)".DB2.STAT'"
"ALLOC DD(DD1) DSN('"'SYSVAR(SYSUID)".DB2.STAT') SPACE(1 1) ,
  TRACK NEW UNIT(3390) RECFM(F,B) LRECL(80) F(FI1) REUSE"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "ADDDPOP ROW(1) COLUMN(10)"
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ind=Ø
fun = '____Update statistics on test system____'
msg = 'Enter data'
cur='tab'
top:
ZPFCTL = 'OFF'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'VPUT (ZPFCTL) PROFILE'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "DISPLAY PANEL(STATM) CURSOR("cur")"
ind=1
msg = ''
IF PF3 = EXIT THEN DO
    ADDRESS ISPEXEC REMPOP ALL
    EXIT
END
IF cre=' ' & tab=' ' & tsn=' ' & dbn=' ' then do
    msg='Enter one Catalog search field.'
    cur='tab'
    signal top
end
IF db2=' ' then do
    msg='Enter a production subsystem-id.'
    cur='db2'
    signal top
end
IF db2t=' ' then do
    msg='Enter a test subsystem-id.'
    cur='db2t'
    signal top
end
call CREATE_messg
MESSG = 'Select SYSTABLES      Information'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
SQLQUERY="SELECT DISTINCT CARD,NPAGES,NAME,CREATOR",
        "FROM SYSIBM.SYSTABLES",
        "WHERE NAME      LIKE '"tab"%'",
        " AND TSNAME     LIKE '"tsn"%'",
        " AND DBNAME     LIKE '"dbn"%'",
        " AND CREATOR    LIKE '"cre"%'",
        " AND CARD      >=Ø",
        "ORDER BY 4, 3";
/* invoke REXXSQL */
ADDRESS LINK "REXSQLP"
/* test return condition */
IF _nrows = Ø then do
    msg='Data not found.'
    cur='tab'
    signal top
end
IF _nrows = Ø | RC <> Ø
then exit 8;

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ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBCREATE "LTABLE",
                NAMES(card,npages,name,creator) WRITE REPLACE'
/* display row_data */
DO I=1 TO _NROWS
  INTERPRET "card    =" _VN.1"."I
  INTERPRET "npages =" _VN.2"."I
  INTERPRET "name    =" _VN.3"."I
  INTERPRET "creator =" _VN.4"."I
  ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBADD "LTABLE"'
END;
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBTOP "LTABLE"'
MESSG = 'Select SYSTABLESPACE Information'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
SQLQUERY="SELECT DISTINCT NACTIVE,S.NAME,S.CREATOR",
        "FROM SYSIBM.SYSTABLES T,",
        "      SYSIBM.SYSTABLESPACE S",
        "WHERE TSNAME    = S.NAME",
        " AND T.NAME     LIKE '"tab"%'",
        " AND TSNAME     LIKE '"tsn"%'",
        " AND T.DBNAME    LIKE '"dbn"%'",
        " AND T.CREATOR   LIKE '"cre"%'",
        " AND T.CARD     >= 0",
        "ORDER BY 3,2";
/* invoke REXXSQL */
ADDRESS LINK "REXSQLP"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBCREATE "LSPACE",
                NAMES(nactive,name,creator) WRITE REPLACE'
DO I=1 TO _NROWS
  INTERPRET "nactive=" _VN.1"."I
  INTERPRET "name="    _VN.2"."I
  INTERPRET "creator=" _VN.3"."I
  ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBADD "LSPACE"'
END;
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBTOP "LSPACE"'
MESSG = 'Select SYSINDEXES Information'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
SQLQUERY="SELECT FIRSTKEYCARD,FULLKEYCARD,NLEAF,NLEVELS,",
        "      CLUSTERRATIO,I.NAME,I.CREATOR",
        "FROM SYSIBM.SYSTABLES T,",
        "      SYSIBM.SYSINDEXES I",
        "WHERE T.NAME     = I.TBNAME",
        " AND T.CREATOR   = I.TBCREATOR",
        " AND T.NAME     LIKE '"tab"%'",
        " AND TSNAME     LIKE '"tsn"%'",
        " AND T.DBNAME    LIKE '"dbn"%'",
        " AND T.CREATOR   LIKE '"cre"%'",
        " AND FULLKEYCARD >=0";
/* invoke REXXSQL */
ADDRESS LINK "REXSQLP"

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ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBCREATE "LINDEX",
                NAMES(firstkey,fullkey,nleaf,nlevels,
                    ratio,name,creator) WRITE REPLACE'
DO I=1 TO _NROWS
    INTERPRET "firstkey=" _VN.1"."I
    INTERPRET "fullkey=" _VN.2"."I
    INTERPRET "nleaf=" _VN.3"."I
    INTERPRET "nlevels=" _VN.4"."I
    INTERPRET "ratio=" _VN.5"."I
    INTERPRET "name=" _VN.6"."I
    INTERPRET "creator=" _VN.7"."I
    ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBADD "LINDEX"'
END;
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBTOP "LINDEX"'
MESSG = 'Select SYSCOLUMNS Information'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
SQLQUERY="SELECT COLCARD,HIGH2KEY,LOW2KEY,",
        " C.TBNAME,COLNO,C.TBCREATOR",
        "FROM SYSIBM.SYSTABLES T,",
        " SYSIBM.SYSCOLUMNS C",
        "WHERE T.NAME = C.TBNAME",
        " AND T.CREATOR = C.TBCREATOR",
        " AND T.NAME LIKE '"tab"%'",
        " AND TSNAME LIKE '"tsn"%'",
        " AND T.DBNAME LIKE '"dbn"%'",
        " AND T.CREATOR LIKE '"cre"%'",
        " AND COLCARD >= 0",
        "ORDER BY 6,4,5";
/* invoke REXXSQL */
ADDRESS LINK "REXSQLP"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBCREATE "LCOLUM",
                NAMES(colcard,high2key,low2key,name,colno,creator),
                WRITE REPLACE'
DO I=1 TO _NROWS
    INTERPRET "colcard=" _VN.1"."I
    INTERPRET "high2key=" _VN.2"."I
    INTERPRET "low2key=" _VN.3"."I
    INTERPRET "name=" _VN.4"."I
    INTERPRET "colno=" _VN.5"."I
    INTERPRET "creator=" _VN.6"."I
    ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBADD "LCOLUM"'
END;
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBTOP "LCOLUM"'
MESSG = 'Select SYSCOLDIST Information'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
SQLQUERY="SELECT FREQUENCY, IBMREQD, TOWNER,",
        " TBNAME, NAME, COLVALUE",
        "FROM SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST",

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        "WHERE TBNAME LIKE '"tab"%',
        " AND TOWNER LIKE '"cre"%',
        "ORDER BY 4, 5";
/* invoke REXXSQL */
ADDRESS LINK "REXSQLP"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBCREATE "LCDIST",
        NAMES(freq,ibmreqd,towner,tbname,name,colvalue),
        WRITE REPLACE'
DO I=1 TO _NROWS
    INTERPRET "freq="      _VN.1"."I
    INTERPRET "ibmreqd="  _VN.2"."I
    INTERPRET "towner="   _VN.3"."I
    INTERPRET "tbname="   _VN.4"."I
    INTERPRET "name="     _VN.5"."I
    INTERPRET "colvalue=" _VN.6"."I
    ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBADD "LCDIST"'
END;
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBTOP "LCDIST"'
MESSG = 'Building JCL/SQL Stream'
MESSG = time() || " " || MESSG
call Send_messg
ADDRESS ISPEXEC REMPOP ALL
Call Generate_jcl
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBEND "LTABLE"'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBEND "LSPACE"'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBEND "LINDEX"'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBEND "LCOLUM"'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC 'TBEND "LCDIST"'
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "TBCLOSE "MESSTB""
EXIT
Generate_jcl:
    X=MSG("OFF")
    date=DATE()
    time=TIME(C)
    user=userid()
    tempfile=userid()||'.DB2.STAT'
    ADDRESS TSO
    "DELETE '"tempfile'"
    "FREE DSNAME('"tempfile"')"
    "FREE DDNAME(ISPFIL)"
    "FREE ATTRLIST(FORMFILE)"
    "ATTRIB FORMFILE BLKSIZE(800) LRECL(80) RECFM(F B) DSORG(PS)"
    "ALLOC DDNAME(ISPFIL) DSNAME('"tempfile"'),
        "NEW USING (FORMFILE) UNIT(3390) SPACE(1 1) CYLINDERS"
    ADDRESS ISPEXEC
    "FTOPEN"
    "FTINCL STATS"
    "FTCLOSE"
    ZEDSMMSG = "JCL shown"
    ZEDLMSG = "JCL for Update Statistics on Test System"

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"SETMSG MSG(ISRZ001)"
"EDIT DATASET('"tempfile"') MACRO(RESET)"
X=MSG("ON")
Return
Create_messg:
MESSG = "S"||USERID()
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "TBCREATE "MESSTB" NAMES(MESSG) WRITE REPLACE"
Return
Send_messg:
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "TBADD " MESSTB
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "CONTROL DISPLAY LOCK "
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "ADDPop ROW(5) COLUMN(4)"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC "TBDISPL "MESSTB" PANEL(MESSMAP)"
ADDRESS ISPEXEC REMPOP
Return

```

STATS – ISPF SKELETON FOR JCL

```

)TBA 72
)CM -----
)CM Skeleton to update the catalog statistics on test system      --
)CM -----
//&user.X JOB (ACCT#),'UPDATE DB2 TEST',
//          NOTIFY=&user,REGION=4M,
//          CLASS=A,MSGCLASS=X,MSGLEVEL=(1,1)
//* *****
//*
//* STAT      : Update statistics on test system      Date:&date
//* User      : &user
//* Production                               Time:&time
//* Db2       : &db2
//* Creator   : &cre
//* Table     : &tab
//* Tsn       : &tsn
//* Dbname    : &dbn
//* Test Db2  : &db2t
//*
//* *****
//JOB LIB DD DISP=SHR,
//          DSN=DSN310.SDSNLOAD
//STEP01 EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01,DYNAMNBR=20
//SYSTSPRT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSTSIN DD *
          DSN SYSTEM(&db2t)
          RUN PROGRAM(DSNTEP2) PLAN(DSNTEP31) -
            LIB('DSN310.RUNLIB.LOAD')
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSUDUMP DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSIN DD *

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-- Update on SYSIBM.SYSTABLESPACE
)DOT "LSPACE"
  UPDATE SYSIBM.SYSTABLESPACE
    SET NACTIVE=&nactive
  WHERE NAME='&name' AND CREATOR='&creator';
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;
-- Update on SYSIBM.SYSTABLES
)DOT "LTABLE"
  UPDATE SYSIBM.SYSTABLES
    SET CARD=&card, NPAGES=&npages
  WHERE NAME='&name' AND CREATOR='&creator';
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;
-- Update on SYSIBM.SYSINDEXES
)DOT "LINDEX"
  UPDATE SYSIBM.SYSINDEXES
    SET FIRSTKEYCARD=&firstkey, FULLKEYCARD=&fullkey,
      NLEAF=&nleaf, NLEVELS=&nlevels, CLUSTERRATIO=&ratio
  WHERE NAME='&name' AND CREATOR='&creator';
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;
-- Update on SYSIBM.SYSCOLUMNS
)DOT "LCOLUM"
  UPDATE SYSIBM.SYSCOLUMNS
    SET COLCARD=&colcard, HIGH2KEY='&high2key', LOW2KEY='&low2key'
  WHERE TBNAME='&name'
    AND COLNO=&colno AND TBCREATOR='&creator';
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;
-- Delete from SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST
)DOT "LTABLE"
  DELETE FROM SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST
  WHERE TBNAME='&name' AND TOWNER='&creator';
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;
-- Insert into SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST
)DOT "LCDIST"
  INSERT INTO SYSIBM.SYSCOLDIST
  VALUES ( &freq, CURRENT TIMESTAMP,
    '&ibmreqd', '&towner', '&tname', '&name',
    '&colvalue');
)ENDDOT
  COMMIT;

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STATM – MAIN PANEL

```

)ATTR DEFAULT(%+_ )
  } TYPE(OUTPUT) COLOR(WHITE) CAPS (OFF) HILITE(REVERSE) INTENS(HIGH)

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| TYPE(TEXT)    COLOR(TURQUOISE) HILITE(REVERSE) INTENS(HIGH)
( TYPE(TEXT)    COLOR(GREEN)      HILITE(REVERSE) INTENS(HIGH)
) TYPE(TEXT)    COLOR(GREEN)      INTENS(HIGH)
# TYPE(OUTPUT)  COLOR(WHITE)       CAPS(OFF)        INTENS(HIGH)
_ TYPE(INPUT)   COLOR(RED)         HILITE(USCORE)  INTENS(HIGH)
! TYPE(TEXT)    COLOR(WHITE)       CAPS(OFF)        INTENS(HIGH)
@ TYPE(TEXT)    COLOR(RED)         HILITE(REVERSE) INTENS(HIGH)
)BODY WINDOW(42,18)
}FUN
+
|
| +
| ) Creator:_CRE      +
| ) Name   :_TAB      +
| ) Tsname :_TSN      +
| ) Dbname :_DBN      +
| ) Db2    :_DB2 +    Production
| )          :_DB2T+  Test
| +
|
+
(
( #MSG
( +
( !Enter:Continue          PF3:End(
(
)INIT
IF (&ind = 0)
    .ATTR (msg) = 'COLOR (WHITE)'
IF (&cre = ' ' & &tab = ' ' & &tsn = ' ' & &dbn = ' ' & &ind = 1)
    .ATTR (msg) = 'COLOR (RED)'
IF (&db2 = ' ')
    .ATTR (db2) = 'HILITE(REVERSE)'
    .ATTR (msg) = 'COLOR (RED)'
ELSE .ATTR (db2) = 'HILITE(USCORE)'
IF (&db2t = ' ')
    .ATTR (db2t) = 'HILITE(REVERSE) COLOR(YELLOW)'
    .ATTR (msg) = 'COLOR (YELLOW)'
ELSE .ATTR (db2t) = 'HILITE(USCORE)'
    .ATTR (db2t) = 'COLOR (RED)'
)PROC
IF (.PFKEY = PF03) &PF3 = EXIT
VPUT (TAB CRE DB2 DB2T TSN DBN) PROFILE
)END

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MESSMAP – MESSAGE DISPLAY PANEL

```

)ATTR DEFAULT(%+_ )
| TYPE (TEXT)    INTENS(LOW)  COLOR(WHITE)

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@ TYPE (TEXT) INTENS(HIGH) COLOR(RED) CAPS(OFF) HILITE(REVERSE)
| TYPE (INPUT) INTENS(NON) COLOR(GREEN) CAPS(ON) JUST(LEFT)
# TYPE (OUTPUT) INTENS(LOW) COLOR(GREEN) CAPS(OFF)
)BODY DEFAULT(%~\ ) WINDOW(47,10)
|ZCMD + @ Message display |AMT |
|-----|
)MODEL CLEAR(MESSG)
#Z +
)INIT
.ZVARS = '(MESSG)'
)REINIT
)PROC
IF (.PFKEY = PF03) &PF3 = EXIT
IF (&ZCMD=END)
.COMMAND = CANCEL
)END

```

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Automated JCL generation – revisited

In the article entitled *Automatically generating JCL for DB2 utilities*, published in *DB2 Update*, Issues 60-63, October 1997 – January 1998, I forgot to add the macros needed to successfully assemble and linkedit the Assembler program SQLSPDB used in my REXX to generate DB2 utilities.

There are three macros – the BEGIN and EINDE macros are used for standard linkage conventions, and the REGEQ macro is used to prefix all register names with an R.

BEGIN

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*
*   REQUIRED KEYWORDS:  SAVE AND BASE
*   DEPENDENCIES : GLOBAL PARAMETERS ALSO USED IN MACRO "DATE"
*
      MACRO
&NAME   BEGIN &SAVE=, &BASE=, &PARM=, &DATE=, &TIME=, &PRINT=ON

```

```

SPACE 2
*****
*
*
*****
SPACE 2
AIF ('&PRINT' NE 'NOGEN').A1
PRINT &PRINT
.A1 ANOP
GBLC &SYDNB01,&SYDNB02,&SYDNB03,&SYDNB04
GBLC &SYDNB05,&SYDNB06,&SYDNB07
LCLC &B,&C,&D,&E,&F,&N,&O,&P
&B SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AA'
&C SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'HW'
&D SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AC'
&E SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AB'
&F SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AD'
&N SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AE'
&O SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'AF'
&P SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'ED'
AIF ('&SAVE' EQ '').FT1
AIF ('&BASE' EQ '').FT2
AIF ('&PRINT' EQ 'NOGEN').A0
AIF ('&PRINT' EQ 'ON').A0
PRINT &PRINT
.A0 ANOP
&NAME DS 0H
B 60(15) BRANCH AROUND CONSTANTS
MY_CSECT DC CL10'&SYSECT' CSECT NAME
DC C'&SYSDATE' ASSEMBLY DATE
DC C' '
DC C'&SYSTIME' ASSEMBLY TIME
DC C' '
DC C' II DE NEDERLANDSCHE BANK N.V. '
STM 14,12,12(13)
CNOP 2,4
BALR &BASE(1),0
USING *,&BASE(1) 1ST BASE
.*
AIF (N'&BASE LT 5).A
MNOTE 4,'*** MAXIMUM NUMBER OF BASE-REGISTERS IS FOUR. ***'
.*
.A ANOP
AIF ('&BASE(2)' EQ '').B
&B EQU *
L &BASE(2),*+8
USING &B+4096,&BASE(2) 2ND BASE
B *+8
DC A(&B+4096)
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AIF ('&BASE(3)' EQ '').B
L   &BASE(3),*+8
USING &B+8192,&BASE(3)    3RD BASE
B   *+8
DC   A(&B+8192)
*

AIF ('&BASE(4)' EQ '').B
L   &BASE(4),*+8
USING &B+12288,&BASE(4)    4TH BASE
B   *+8
DC   A(&B+12288)
*

.B   ANOP
LA   14,&SAVE
ST   14,8(13)
ST   13,&SAVE+4
LA   13,&SAVE
*

AIF ('&PARM' EQ '').C
L   14,Ø(1)
LH  15,Ø(14)
CH  15,&C
BE  &D
BCTR 15,Ø
EX  15,&E
B   &D
*

&E   MVC   &PARM.(1),2(14)
&C   DC    H'Ø'
*

&D   EQU   *
.C   ANOP
AIF  ('&DATE' EQ '' AND '&TIME' EQ '').H
.*   AIF  ('&SYDNBØ6' NE '').CNT1Ø
&SYDNBØ6 SETC 'B'.&SYSNDX'.FW'
.CNT1Ø ANOP
ST   1,&SYDNBØ6           SAVE REG 1
LA   1,2(Ø,Ø)           SPECIFY MAGNITUDE
SVC  11                 GET TIMER
B   &F                 BRANCH AROUND CONSTANTS
*

.*   AIF  ('&SYDNBØ1' NE '').CNT2Ø
&SYDNBØ1 SETC 'B'.&SYSNDX'.DB'
&SYDNBØ1 DC    D'Ø'
.CNT2Ø ANOP
.*   AIF  ('&SYDNBØ6' NE 'B&SYSNDX.FW').CNT3Ø
&SYDNBØ6 DS    F
.CNT3Ø AIF  ('&DATE' EQ '').D
.*   AIF  ('&SYDNBØ2' NE '').CNT4Ø
&SYDNBØ2 SETC 'B'.&SYSNDX'.P1'
&SYDNBØ2 DC    PL2'1'

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.CNT40 ANOP
.* AIF ('&SYDNB03' NE '').CNT50
&SYDNB03 SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'P0'
&SYDNB03 DC PL2'0'
.CNT50 ANOP
.* AIF ('&SYDNB04' NE '').D
&SYDNB04 SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'C19'
&SYDNB04 DC C'19'
.*
.D ANOP
AIF ('&TIME' EQ '').E
.* AIF ('&SYDNB07' NE '').E
&SYDNB07 SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'ED'
&SYDNB07 DC CL14' '
.*
.E ANOP
AIF ('&DATE' EQ '').F
.* AIF ('&SYDNB05' NE '').CNT60
&SYDNB05 SETC 'B'. '&SYSNDX'. 'TAB'
&SYDNB05 DC PL2'31',C'JAN.'
DC PL2'28',C'FEB.'
DC PL2'31',C'MRT.'
DC PL2'30',C'APR.'
DC PL2'31',C'MEI '
DC PL2'30',C'JUNI'
DC PL2'31',C'JULI'
DC PL2'31',C'AUG.'
DC PL2'30',C'SEPT'
DC PL2'31',C'OKT.'
DC PL2'30',C'NOV.'
DC PL2'31',C'DEC.'
*
.CNT60 ANOP
&F EQU * SUPPLY DATE
ST 1,&SYDNB01+4
MVO &SYDNB01,&SYDNB01.(6)
MVC &DATE+8(2),&SYDNB04
UNPK &DATE+10(2),&SYDNB01
OI &DATE+11,X'F0'
CVB 14,&SYDNB01
ST 14,&SYDNB01
TM &SYDNB01+3,B'00000011'
BNZ *+10
AP &SYDNB05+6(2),&SYDNB02
ST 1,&SYDNB01
XC &SYDNB01.(2),&SYDNB01
ZAP &SYDNB01+4(4),&SYDNB03
LA 1,&SYDNB05
LA 14,12
*
&N EQU *

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AP      &SYDNB01+4(4),0(2,1)
CP      &SYDNB01.(4),&SYDNB01+4(4)
BNH     &0
LA      1,6(1)
BCT     14,&N
DC      X'FFFF'
*
&O      EQU      *
SP      &SYDNB01+4(4),0(2,1)
SP      &SYDNB01.(4),&SYDNB01+4(4)
UNPK    &DATE.(2),&SYDNB01+2(2)
OI      &DATE+1,X'F0'
MVC     &DATE+3(4),2(1)
*
.F      ANOP
AIF     ('&DATE' NE '').G
&F      EQU      *                SUPPLY TIME
.G      ANOP
AIF     ('&TIME' EQ '').I
XC      &SYDNB01,&SYDNB01
ST      0,&SYDNB01+4
MVC     &SYDNB01+3(4),&SYDNB01+4
MVI     &SYDNB01+7,X'0C'
MVO     &SYDNB01.(8),&SYDNB01.(7)
MVC     &SYDNB07.(13),=X'402021214B21214B21216B2121'
ED      &SYDNB07.(13),&SYDNB01+3
MVC     &TIME.(11),&SYDNB07+2
.I      ANOP
L       1,&SYDNB06
.H      ANOP
AIF     ('&PRINT' EQ 'NOGEN').K
AIF     ('&PRINT' EQ 'ON').K
PRINT  ON
.K      ANOP
*
                                END "BEGIN"
MEXIT
.FT1    MNOTE 8,'*** KEYWORD SAVE MISSING. ***'
        AGO    .H
.FT2    MNOTE 8,'*** KEYWORD BASE MISSING. ***'
        AGO    .H
        MEND

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EINDE

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MACRO
&NAME  EINDE &SAVE=,&RC=,&RCR=,&PARMLST=
AIF    ('&SAVE' EQ '').FT
AIF    ('&RCR' NE '').B
&NAME  L      13,&SAVE+4
        LM    14,12,12(13)

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        AIF ('&PARMLST' EQ '').A0
        LA 1,&PARMLST
.A0     AIF ('&RC' EQ '').A1
        LA 15,&RC.(0,0)
.A1     ANOP
        BR 14
*
        MEXIT
.B      ANOP
&NAME  DS 0H
        LR 15,&RCR                                LOAD RETURNCODE
        L 13,&SAVE+4
        L 14,12(13)
        LM 0,12,20(13)
        AIF ('&PARMLST' EQ '').B0
        LA 1,&PARMLST
.B0     ANOP
        BR 14
*
        MEXIT
.FT     MNOTE 8,'KEYWORD SAVE MISSING'
        MEND

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REGEQ

MACRO

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        REGEQ
R0      EQU 0
R1      EQU 1
R2      EQU 2
R3      EQU 3
R4      EQU 4
R5      EQU 5
R6      EQU 6
R7      EQU 7
R8      EQU 8
R9      EQU 9
R10     EQU 10
R11     EQU 11
R12     EQU 12
R13     EQU 13
R14     EQU 14
R15     EQU 15
        MEND

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REXX extensions for DB2 – part 3

This month we continue the set of functions and subroutines that extend IBM REXX. These functions interface with DB2. Requests to DB2 are made under TSO using standard SQL language through the ADDRESS DB2 statement.

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DECL772 EQU *
        CH R15,=H'8'          DOUBLE PRECISION FLOATING?
        BNE DECL774          NO, B
        MVC Ø(2,R1),=CL2'53' YES. STORE PRECISION
        LA R1,2(,R1)         UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
        B DECL779
DECL774 EQU *
        MVI Ø(R1),C'?'       STORE UNKNOWN LNG
        LA R1,1(,R1)         UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
        B DECL79
DECL775 EQU *
        CLC $IRH1,T484       IS IT PACKED DECIMAL ?
        BNE DECL778          NO, B
        XR R15,R15           YES, ZERO R15
        IC R15,SQLEN         R15:=PRECISION
        CVD R15,$IRPACK1     CONV INTO DECIMAL
        UNPK Ø(2,R1),$IRPACK1 CONV INTO EXTENDED
        OI 1(R1),X'FØ'       FORCE SIGN
        MVI 2(R1),C','       DELIMITER FOR PRECISION, SCALE
        MVI 3(R1),C' '       BLANK DELIMITER
        IC R15,SQLEN+1       R15:=SCALE
        CVD R15,$IRPACK1     CONV INTO DECIMAL
        UNPK 4(2,R1),$IRPACK1 CONV INTO EXTENDED
        OI 5(R1),X'FØ'       FORCE SIGN
        LA R1,6(,R1)         UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
        B DECL779
DECL778 EQU *
        CVD R15,$IRPACK1     CONV INTO DECIMAL
        UNPK Ø(5,R1),$IRPACK1 CONV INTO EXTENDED, 5 BYTES
        OI 4(R1),X'FØ'       FORCE SIGN
        LA R1,5(,R1)         UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
DECL779 EQU *
        MVI Ø(R1),C')'       CLOSING PARENT.
        LA R1,1(,R1)         UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
DECL78 EQU *
        TM SQLTYPE+1,X'Ø1'   MAY THIS COL BE NULL ?
        BO DECL781           YES, B
        MVC Ø(L'NOTNULL,R1),NOTNULL NO, STORE 'NOT NULL'
        LA R1,L'NOTNULL(,R1) UPDATE OUTPUT POINTER
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DECL781 EQU *
        LA R15,DB2SQLS R15->BEGINNING OF AREA
        ST R15,$IRVALA STORE VALUES ADDR
        SR R1,R15 R1:=LNG OF AREA
        ST R1,$IRVALL STORE LNG OF VALUE TO BE DISPLAYED
* CREATE NAME OF REXX VAR TO ASSIGN: ($COLNT.)NUM_OF_COL
        LH R1,$IRHØ R1:=CURRENT COLUMN NUMBER
        CVD R1,$IRPACK1 CONV INTO DECIMAL
        UNPK $IRPACK2,$IRPACK1 CONV INTO EXTENDED
        OI $IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-1,X'FØ' FORCE SIGN
        LA R15,$IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-4 R15->1ST POSS. -Ø CHAR
        LA R1,4 MAX NUMBER OF LOOPS SEARCHING FOR NON-Ø
DECL782 EQU *
        CLI Ø(R15),C'Ø' Ø ?
        BNE DECL785 NO, B
        LA R15,1(,R15) YES, NEXT BYTE
        BCT R1,DECL782 LOOP
        LA R1,1 BIZARRE... FORCE LNG 1 MINI
        BCTR R15,Ø AND COME AGAIN ON LAST Ø
DECL785 EQU *
        R15->1ST BYTE NON Ø. R1:=LNG NUMBER
        BCTR R1,Ø LNG -1 FOR EX
        LA R2,$IRCOLNV R2->...
        AH R2,$IRCOLNT 1ST BYTE AFTER NAME OF VAR
        EX R1,DECLMVC4 STORE SUFFIX OF REXX VAR NAME
        LH R15,$IRCOLNT R15:=...
        LA R15,1(R1,R15) LNG OF NAME
        ST R15,$IRNAML STORE ADDR NAME OF VAR
        LA R15,$IRCOLNV R15->NAME OF VAR
        ST R15,$IRNAMA STORE ADDR NAME OF VAR
        BAS R14,EXCOM ASSIGNMENT TO REXX VARIABLE
DECL79 EQU *
        LA R3,SQLSIZV(,R3) NEXT SQLVAR
        BCT RØ,DECL75 LOOP FOR ALL SQLVAR
DECL8Ø EQU *
        END OF LOOP FOR SQLVAR
* ASSIGN THE NUMBER OF COLUMNS TO REXX VAR ($COLNT).Ø
        LH R15,SQLD R15:=NUMBER OF COLUMNS
        CVD R15,$IRPACK1 CONV INTO DECIMAL
        UNPK $IRPACK2,$IRPACK1 CONV INTO EXTENDED
        OI $IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-1,X'FØ' FORCE SIGN
        LA R15,$IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-4 R15->VALUE
        ST R15,$IRVALA STORE ADDR OF VALUE
        LA R15,4 R15:=LNG VALUE
        ST R15,$IRVALL STORE LNG VALUE
        LH R15,$IRCOLNT R15:=LNG PREFIX FOR VAR
        LA R15,1(,R15) +1 BECAUSE OF THE "Ø"
        ST R15,$IRNAML STORE LNG NAME OF VAR
        LA RØ,$IRCOLNT+1 RØ->NAME OF VAR -1
        AR R15,RØ R15->1ST BYTE AFTER PREFIX
        MVI Ø(R15),C'Ø' NAME OF REXX VAR=($COLNT.)Ø
        LA R15,$IRCOLNV R15->NAME OF VAR

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      ST      R15,$IRNAMA      STORE ADDR NAME OF VAR
      BAS      R14,EXCOM      ASSIGN TO VARIABLE
DECL9Ø EQU      *
      B      FINEXEC
DECLMVC MVC      Ø(R2-R2,R1),Ø(R15)
DECLMVC2 MVC     DB2SQLS(R15-R15),Ø(R14)
DECLMVC4 MVC     Ø(R1-R1,R2),Ø(R15)
      DROP   R4
*****
OPEN  EQU      *              OPEN CX/HX ...
      LR      R15,R6          R15:=...
      SR      R15,R7          LNG OF PARAMETER
      CH      R15,=H'2'      LONG ENOUGH FOR A CURSOR NAME ?
      BL      ERR45          NO, B ERROR
      CLI     1(R7),C'1'      CURSOR NUMBER IS NUMERIC ?
      BL      ERR45          NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
      CLI     Ø(R7),C'C'      OPEN CX ?
      BE      OPEN5          YES, B
      CLI     Ø(R7),C'H'      OPEN HX ?
      BNE     ERR45          NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
      CLI     1(R7),NBCUHMAX  CURSOR NUMBER TOO HIGH ?
      BH      ERR45          YES, B SYNTAX ERROR
      LA      RØ,NBCURMAB    NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
      B      OPEN6
OPEN5 EQU      *
      CLI     1(R7),NBCURMAX  CURSOR NUMBER TOO HIGH?
      BH      ERR45          YES, B SYNTAX ERROR
      XR      RØ,RØ          NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
OPEN6 EQU      *
      IC      R2,1(,R7)      R2:=CURSOR NUMBER, EXTENDED
      N      R2,FØ          R2:=CURSOR NUMBER, BINARY
      BCTR   R2,Ø           CURSOR NUMBER / Ø
      AR      R2,RØ          ...INCLUDING "C" CURSORS
      SLL    R2,2           * 4
      B      *+4(R2)        B ACCORDING TO CURSOR NUMBER
      B      OPENC1        B IF CURSOR C1
      B      OPENC2        B IF CURSOR C2
      B      OPENH1        B IF CURSOR H1
      B      OPENH2        B IF CURSOR H2
OPENC1 EQU      *
      EXEC   SQL OPEN C1
      B      OPEN8Ø
OPENC2 EQU      *
      EXEC   SQL OPEN C2
      B      OPEN8Ø
OPENH1 EQU      *
      EXEC   SQL OPEN H1
      B      OPEN8Ø
OPENH2 EQU      *
      EXEC   SQL OPEN H2

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*      B      OPEN80
OPEN80 EQU *
      LTR    R15,R15      RETURN CODE OK ?
      BNZ    ERR49      NO, B ERROR
      B      FINEXEC
*****
CLOSE  EQU *           CLOSE CX/HX
      LR    R15,R6      R15:=...
      SR    R15,R7      LNG OF PARAM
      CH    R15,=H'2'   LONG ENOUGH FOR A CURSOR NAME ?
      BL    ERR45      NO, B ERROR
      CLI   1(R7),C'1'  CURSOR NUMBER NUMERIC ?
      BL    ERR45      NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
      CLI   0(R7),C'C'  CLOSE CX ?
      BE    CLOSE5     YES, B
      CLI   0(R7),C'H'  CLOSE HX ?
      BNE   ERR45      NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
      CLI   1(R7),NBCUHMAX CURSOR NUMBER TOO HIGH?
      BH    ERR45      YES, B SYNTAX ERROR
      LA    R0,NBCURMAB NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
      B      CLOSE6
CLOSE5 EQU *
      CLI   1(R7),NBCURMAX CURSOR NUMBER TOO HIGH ?
      BH    ERR45      YES, B SYNTAX ERROR
      XR    R0,R0      NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
CLOSE6 EQU *
      IC    R2,1(,R7)   R2:=CURSOR NUMBER, EXTENDED
      N     R2,F0      R2:=CURSOR NUMBER, BINARY
      BCTR  R2,0      CURSOR NUMBER / 0
      AR    R2,R0      ... INCLUDING THE "C" CURSORS
      SLL   R2,2      * 4
      B     *+4(R2)    B ACCORDING TO CURSOR
      B     CLOSEC1   B IF CURSOR C1
      B     CLOSEC2   B IF CURSOR C2
      B     CLOSEH1   B IF CURSOR H1
      B     CLOSEH2   B IF CURSOR H2
CLOSEC1 EQU *
      EXEC  SQL CLOSE C1
      B     CLOSE80
CLOSEC2 EQU *
      EXEC  SQL CLOSE C2
      B     CLOSE80
CLOSEH1 EQU *
      EXEC  SQL CLOSE H1
      B     CLOSE80
CLOSEH2 EQU *
      EXEC  SQL CLOSE H2
      B     CLOSE80
CLOSE80 EQU *
      LTR    R15,R15      RETURN CODE OK ?

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BNZ   ERR49           NO, B ERROR
B     FINEXEC
*****
FETCH EQU *           FETCH CX/HX
LR    R15,R6         R15:=...
SR    R15,R7         LNG OF PARAMETER
CH    R15,=H'2'      LONG ENOUGH FOR NAME OF CURSOR ?
BL    ERR45          NO, B ERROR
CLI   1(R7),C'1'     CURSOR NUMBER IS NUMERIC ?
BL    ERR45          NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
CLI   Ø(R7),C'C'     FETCH CX ?
BE    FETCH5         YES, B
CLI   Ø(R7),C'H'     FETCH HX ?
BNE   ERR45          NO, B SYNTAX ERROR
CLI   1(R7),NBCUHMAX NUMBER FOR "H" CURSOR TOO HIGH ?
BH    ERR45          YES? B SYNTAX ERROR
LA    RØ,NBCURMAB    NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
B     FETCH8
FETCH5 EQU *
CLI   1(R7),NBCURMAX NUMBER FOR "C" CURSOR TOO HIGH?
BH    ERR45          YES, B SYNTAX ERROR
XR    RØ,RØ          NUMBER TO BE ADDED TO CURSOR NUMBER
FETCH8 EQU *
IC    R4,1(,R7)      R4:=CURSOR NUMBER, EXTENDED
N     R4,FØ          R4:=CURSOR NUMBER IN BINARY
BCTR  R4,Ø           CURSOR NUMBER / Ø
AR    R4,RØ          CURSOR NUMBER / Ø / ALL CURSORS
STH   R4,$IRH1      SAVE CURSOR NUMBER
MH    R4,=AL2($IRSQDL) * NB BYTES IN 1 ENTRY ADDR/LNG
LA    R15,$IRSQLP1  R15->1ST ENTRY
AR    R4,R15         R2->OUR ENTRY
USING $IRSQLAD,R4
L     R5,$IRSQLAØ   R5->SQLDA ADDR FOR THIS CURSOR
DROP  R4
LTR   R5,R5         SQLDA ALREADY GETMAINED?
BZ    ERR47         NO, B FETCH WITHOUT DECLARE
LH    R2,$IRH1      R2:=CURSOR NUMBER, BINARY / Ø
SLL   R2,2          CURSOR NUMBER * 4
B     *+4(R2)       B DEPENDING ON CURSOR NUMBER
B     FETCHC1       B IF CURSOR IS C1
B     FETCHC2       B IF CURSOR IS C2
B     FETCHH1       B IF CURSOR IS H1
B     FETCHH2       B IF CURSOR IS H2
FETCHC1 EQU *
EXEC  SQL FETCH C1 USING DESCRIPTOR :SQLDA
B     FETCH2Ø
FETCHC2 EQU *
EXEC  SQL FETCH C2 USING DESCRIPTOR :SQLDA
B     FETCH2Ø
FETCHH1 EQU *

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EXEC SQL FETCH H1 USING DESCRIPTOR :SQLDA
B    FETCH20
FETCHH2 EQU *
EXEC SQL FETCH H2 USING DESCRIPTOR :SQLDA
*    B    FETCH20
FETCH20 EQU *
      LTR  R15,R15          RETURN CODE IS OK?
      BNZ  ERR49           NO, B ERROR
      L    R15,SQLCODE     R15:=SQLCODE
      LTR  R15,R15          SQLCODE OK ?
      BNZ  FINEXEC        NO, B
*
      LH   R4,SQLD         R4:=NUMBER OF COLUMNS
      LTR  R4,R4           0 VAR TO BE ASSIGNED?
      BNP  FETCH80        YES, NOTHING TO DO
      LA   R3,SQLVAR      R3->1ST SQLVAR
      XR   R15,R15        ZERO R15 FOR ...
      STH  R15,$IRH0      ZERO CURRENT COL NUMBER
FETCH30 EQU *
      LH   R15,$IRH0      R15:=CURRENT COL NUMBER
      LA   R15,1(,R15)    +1
      STH  R15,$IRH0      STORE IT
      MVC  $IRH1,SQLTYPE  STORE ENTITY TYPE
      NI   $IRH1+1,X'FE'  RESET BIT "MAY BE NULL"
      TM   $IRDB2DR,$IRDB2FO MUST WE FORCE THE NAME OR REXX VAR?
      BO   FETCH31        YES, B
      LH   R15,SQLNAME    NO, R15:=LNG OF NAME
      LTR  R15,R15        DOES THIS COL HAVE A NAME ?
      BNP  FETCH31        NO, B
      ST   R15,$IRNAML    YES, STORE LNG OF NAME
      LA   R15,SQLNAME+2  R15->NAME OF VARIABLE
      ST   R15,$IRNAMA    STORE ADDR OF NAME FOR EXCOM
      B    FETCH32
FETCH31 EQU *
      LH   R15,$IRCOL     R15:=LNG OF NAME TO BE GIVEN
      LTR  R15,R15        A NAME WAS PROVIDED?
      BNP  FETCH78        NO, NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS COL
      LH   R15,$IRH0      R15:=CURRENT COL NUMBER
      CVD  R15,$IRPACK1   CONV TO DECIMAL
      UNPK $IRPACK2,$IRPACK1 CONV TO EXTENDED
      OI   $IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-1,X'F0' FORCE SIGN
      LA   R15,$IRPACK2+L'$IRPACK2-4 R15->1ST POSSIBLE NON 0
      LA   R1,4           MAX NB OF LOOPS SEARCHING FOR NON 0
FETCH315 EQU *
      CLI  0(R15),C'0'    0 ?
      BNE  FETCH316       NO, NON-0 FOUND
      LA   R15,1(,R15)    YES, NEXT BYTE
      BCT  R1,FETCH315    LOOP
      LA   R1,1           BIZARRE... WE FORCE LNG=1
      BCTR R15,0          AND WE COME BACK ON LAST 0

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FETCH316	EQU	*	
	BCTR	R1,Ø	LNG -1 FOR EX
	LA	R2,\$IRCOLV	R2->...
	AH	R2,\$IRCOL	1ST BYTE AFTER NAME
	EX	R1,FETCHMV4	STORE SUFFIX INTO \$IRCOL
	LH	R15,\$IRCOL	R15:=...
	LA	R15,1(R1,R15)	LENGTH OF WHOLE NAME
	ST	R15,\$IRNAML	STORE LNG OF NAME
	LA	R15,\$IRCOLV	R15->NAME OF REXX VARIABLE
	ST	R15,\$IRNAMA	STORE ADDR OF NAME FOR EXCOM
FETCH32	EQU	*	NULL VALUE (X'FFFF') OR NOT (X'ØØØØ') ?
	TM	SQLTYPE+1,X'Ø1'	MAY THIS COL BE NULL?
	BNO	FETCH35	NO, B
	L	R15,SQLIND	YES. R15->VALUE (NULL OR NOT)
	LH	R15,Ø(,R15)	R15:=CODE FOR NULL(-1) OR NOT(Ø)
	LTR	R15,R15	NULL ?
	BZ	FETCH35	NO, B
	XR	R15,R15	YES. ZERO LNG
	B	FETCH45	
FETCH35	EQU	*	
	LH	R15,SQLLEN	R15:=LNG OF VALUE
	CLC	\$IRH1,T484	PACKED DECIMAL ?
	BNE	FETCH36	NO, B
	XR	R15,R15	YES. R15:=...
	IC	R15,SQLLEN	PRECISION
	LA	R15,2(,R15)	+2 FOR SIGN
	SRA	R15,1	/2 : R15:=LNG IN BYTES
	B	FETCH39	
FETCH36	EQU	*	
	CLC	\$IRH1,T448	TYPE VARYING ?
	BE	FETCH38	YES, B
	CLC	\$IRH1,T456	TYPE VARYING ?
	BE	FETCH38	YES, B
	CLC	\$IRH1,T464	TYPE VARYING ?
	BE	FETCH38	YES, B
	CLC	\$IRH1,T472	TYPE VARYING ?
	BNE	FETCH39	NO, B
FETCH38	EQU	*	TYPE VARYING: LNG IS BEHIND VALUE
*			(SQLLEN IS ONLY MAX LNG)
	L	R15,SQLDATA	R15->LNG + VALUE
	LH	R14,Ø(,R15)	R14:=LNG
	ST	R14,\$IRVALL	STORE LNG OF VALUE
	LA	R15,2(,R15)	R15->VALUE
	ST	R15,\$IRVALA	STORE ADDR OF VALUE
	B	FETCH5Ø	
FETCH39	EQU	*	NOT VARYING
FETCH45	EQU	*	
	ST	R15,\$IRVALL	STORE LNG OF VALUE
	L	R15,SQLDATA	R15->VALUE
	ST	R15,\$IRVALA	STORE ADDR OF VALUE


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FETCH50 EQU *
L R15,$IRVALL R15:=LNG OF DATA
LTR R15,R15 LNG=0 ?
BNP FETCH68 YES, DON'T TRANSLATE, EVEN IF REQUESTED
TM $IRDB2DR,$IRDB2NC RAW DATA REQUESTED?
BO FETCH68 YES, DON'T TRANSLATE
CLC $IRH1,T500 WE MUST TRANSLATE. SMALLINT ?
BNE FETCH54 NO, B
* TRANSLATION OF A SMALLINT
L R15,SQLDATA R15->BINARY VALUE
LH R15,0(,R15) R15:=BINARY VALUE
CVD R15,$IRPACK1 CONV TO DECIMAL
UNPK $IRPACK2,$IRPACK1 CONV TO EXTENDED
LA R2,$IRPACK2 R2->NUMBER TO BE NORMALIZED
LA R1,L'$IRPACK2 R1:=LNG OF NUMBER OT BE NORMALIZED
B FETCH55
FETCH54 EQU *
CLC $IRH1,T496 INTEGER ?
BNE FETCH56 NO, B
* TRANSLATION OF AN INTEGER
L R15,SQLDATA R15->BINARY VALUE
L R15,0(,R15) R15:=BINARY VALUE
CVD R15,$IRPACK3 CONV TO DECIMAL
* UNPK DOES NOT WORK FOR A NUMBER CONTAINING MORE THAN 8 DIGITS:
* UNPK $IRPACK2,$IRPACK3 THIS INSTRUCTION REPLACED BY:
LA R2,$IRPACK3 R2->DECIMAL NUMBER
LA R1,L'$IRPACK3 R1:=LNG OF NUMBER
L R15,AP2D R15->PGM FOR DECIMAL TO EXTENDED CONV.
BASR R14,R15 CONVERT THE NUMBER INTO EXTENDED
FETCH55 EQU *
* NORMALIZATION OF AN EXTENDED NUMBER W/ SIGN OVERPUNCHED ON LAST BYTE
L R15,ANORM R15->PGM FOR NORMALIZATION
BASR R14,R15 NORMALIZATION. R2->RESULT, R1=LNG
LR R15,R2 R15->RESULT
B FETCH60
FETCH56 EQU *
CLC $IRH1,T484 PACKED DECIMAL ?
BNE FETCH58 NO, B
* CONVERSION OF A PACKED DECIMAL
XR R1,R1 R1:=...
IC R1,SQLLEN LNG OF DECIMAL NUMBER
LA R1,2(,R1) +2 FOR SIGN
SRA R1,1 /2: LNG IN BYTES
L R2,SQLDATA R2->DECIMAL NUMBER
L R15,AP2D R15->PGM FOR CONV TO EXTENDED
BASR R14,R15 CONV TO EXTENDED (INTO $IRET31 NOT NORM)
LA R15,L'$IRET31 R15:=LNG OF NON-NORMALIZED NUMBER
XR R1,R1 R1:=...
IC R1,SQLLEN+1 NUMBER OF DIGITS AFTER DECIMAL POINT
SR R15,R1 R15:=NB OF DIGIT BEFORE DECIMAL POINT

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	BCTR	R15,0	-1 FOR EX
	EX	R15,FETCHM10	STORE INTO \$IRZ32
	LA	R0,1	INDICATE "NO DECIMAL POINT"
	LTR	R1,R1	DIGIT AFTER THE POINT ?
	BZ	FETCH564	NO, DONE. LET'S NORMALIZE
	LA	R2,\$IRZ32+1	R2->...
	AR	R2,R15	1ST BYTE AFTER INTEGER PART
	MVI	0(R2),C'.'	WHERE WE STORE THE DECIMAL POINT
	LA	R0,\$IRET31+1	R0->AREA TO BE NORM., +1
	AR	R15,R0	R15->DECIMAL PART (LNG=0)
	BCTR	R1,0	LNG DECIMAL PART -1 FOR EX
	EX	R1,FETCHM12	STORE DECIMAL PART
	XR	R0,R0	INDICATE "WE HAVE A DECIMAL POINT"
FETCH564	EQU	*	
	LA	R2,\$IRZ32	R2->NUMBER TO BE NORMALIZED
	LA	R1,L'\$IRZ32	R1:=LNG OF NUMBER
	SR	R1,R0	MINUS 1 IF NOT DECIMAL POINT
	L	R15,ANORM	R15->PGM FOR NORMALIZATION
	BASR	R14,R15	NORMALIZE THE NUMBER
	LR	R15,R2	R15->NORMALIZED NUMBER. R1=LNG
	B	FETCH60	
FETCH58	EQU	*	
	CLC	\$IRH1,T480	TYPE FLOATING ?
	BNE	FETCH68	NO, B
*			CONVERSION OF A FLOATING POINT NUMBER
	LH	R15,SQLLEN	R15:=LNG OF FLOAT.
	CH	R15,=H'4'	SINGLE PREC FLOAT.?
	BE	FETCH581	YES, B
	CH	R15,=H'8'	DOUBLE PREC FLOAT.?
	BE	FETCH582	YES,B
	B	ERR00	NO. NOT FORESEEN(EXTENDED FLOAT.?)
FETCH581	EQU	*	SINGLE PREC FLOAT.
	LH	R15,CODECF4E	R15:=CODE FOR FLOAT->EXTENDED
	B	FETCH583	
FETCH582	EQU	*	DOUBLE PREC FLOAT.
	LH	R15,CODECF8E	R15:=CODE FOR DOUBLE FLOAT->EXTENDED
FETCH583	EQU	*	
	STH	R15,\$IRMFE+12	STORE CODE FOR CONVERSION
	LA	R15,\$IRMFE+12	R15->1ST ARG (CODE FOR CONVERSION)
	ST	R15,\$IRMFE	STORE ADDR 1ST PARAM
	L	R14,SQLDATA	R14->VALUE
	LH	R15,SQLLEN	R15:=LNG OF FLOAT. NUMBER
	BCTR	R15,0	-1 FOR EX
	EX	R15,FETCHM20	STORE IN WORK AREA UNDER THE LINE
	LA	R15,\$IRPACK1	R15->2NE ARG (FLOAT. NUMBER)
	ST	R15,\$IRMFE+4	STORE ADDR 2NDPARAM
	LA	R15,\$IRZ32	R15->AREA THAT WILL RECEIVE EXTENDED NB
	ST	R15,\$IRMFE+8	STORE ADDR 3RDPARAM
	OI	\$IRMFE+8,X'80'	INDICATE LAST PARAM
	L	R15,\$IRAMCF	R15:=ADDR MODULE FOR FLOAT. CONV.

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LTR R15,R15 MODULE ALREADY LOADED?
BNZ FETCH584 YES, B
LOAD EP=$IRXCNV2 NO. LOAD THE MODULE
ST R0,$IRAMCF STORE ADDR OF MODULE
LR R15,R0 R15->MODULE
FETCH584 EQU *
A24 , SET 24 BITS ADDR MODE, FOR COBOL PGM
LA R1,$IRMF E R1->PARAMETERS
BASR R14,R15 CALL THE MODULE FOR CONVERSION
A31 , BACK TO 31 BITS ADDRESSING MODE
LA R15,$IRZ32 R15->EXTENDED NUMBER (22 BYTES)
LH R0,$QLLEN R0:=LNG OF NUMBER IN DB2
CH R0,=H'8' LNG = 8 ?
BE FETCH588 YES, B
* NO. LNG=4: SIMPLE PREC FLOAT.
MVC $IRZ15E1,$IRZ22E WE SHIFT THE "E+99" A BIT ON THE LEFT
LA R1,$IRZ15L R1:=LNG OF EXTENDED NUMBER
B FETCH60
FETCH588 EQU *
LA R1,$IRZ22L R1:=LNG OF DOUBLE PREC FLOAT NUMBER
B FETCH60
FETCH60 EQU *
R15->RESULT, R1=LNG OF RESULT
ST R15,$IRVALA STORE ADDR OF VALUE
ST R1,$IRVALL STORE LNG OF VALUE
FETCH68 EQU *
-----END OF CONVERSIONS-----
BAS R14,EXCOM ASSIGN TO THIS VARIABLE
LTR R15,R15 OK ?
BNZ ERR48 NO, B ERROR
* ASSIGN TO THE VARIABLE NAMED NULL_<NAME_OF_COLUMN>
MVC $IRMF E(L'LNUL L),LNUL L STORE PREFIX
L R15,$IRNAML R15:=LNG OF NAME W/O PREFIX
L R14,$IRNAMA R14->NAME WITHOUT PREFIX
BCTR R15,0 -1 FOR EX
EX R15,FMCHM30 STORE NAME OF VAR AFTER NULL_
LA R15,L'LNUL L+1(,R15) R15:=LNG OF NAME WITH PREFIX
ST R15,$IRNAML STORE LNG OF NAME
LA R15,$IRMF E R15->NAME
ST R15,$IRNAMA STORE ADDR OF NAME
MVI $IRX0,C'0' FOR INIT VAR TO 0 (NOT NULL)
TM $QLTYPE+1,X'01' MAY THIS COL BE NULL?
BNO FETCH75 NO, B
L R15,$QLIND R15->CODE NULL(-1) OR NOT NULL(0)
LH R15,0(,R15) R15:=CODE
LTR R15,R15 NULL ?
BZ FETCH75 NO, B
MVI $IRX0,C'1' YES. THIS FOR INIT VAR TO 1
FETCH75 EQU *
LA R15,$IRX0 R15->VALUE
ST R15,$IRVALA STORE ADDR OF VALUE
LA R15,1 R15:=LNG OF VALUE

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        ST    R15,$IRVALL    STORE LNG OF VALUE
        BAS   R14,EXCOM     ASSIGN TO THE VARIABLE (COL)_NULL
        LTR   R15,R15       OK?
        BNE   ERR48        NO, B
FETCH78 EQU    *
        LA    R3,SQLSIZV(,R3) NEXT SQLVAR
        BCT   R4,FETCH30    LOOP FOR ALL SQLVAR
FETCH80 EQU    *
        B     FINEXEC
FETCHMVC MVC   $IRMF(R15-R15),0(R14)
FETCHMV4 MVC  0(R1-R1,R2),0(R15)
FETCHM10 MVC  $IRZ32(R15-R15),$IRET31
FETCHM12 MVC  1(R1-R1,R2),0(R15)
FETCHM20 MVC  $IRPACK1(R15-R15),0(R14)
FETCHM30 MVC  $IRMF+L'LNUL(R15-R15),0(R14)
*****
SET     EQU    *
DELETE EQU    *
UPDATE EQU    *
INSERT EQU    *
ROLLBACK EQU  *
GRANT   EQU    *
REVOKE  EQU    *
ALTER   EQU    *
CREATE  EQU    *
COMMIT  EQU    *
DROP    EQU    *
LOCK    EQU    *
        BAS   R14,STOSQL    STORE SQL INTO DB2SQL
        EXEC  SQL EXECUTE IMMEDIATE :DB2SQL
        LTR   R15,R15       RETURN CODE OK ?
        BNZ   ERR49        NO, B ERROR
FINEXEC EQU    *
        XR    R15,R15       ZERO RETURN CODE
        ST    R15,$IRDB2RT  STORE RETURN CODE
        B     STOC
*****
*STORE STRING IN WORK AREA "DB2SQL". $IRF1->BEGIN.OF STRING, R6->END+1
STOSQL EQU    *
        STM   R14,R12,12(R13) SAVE REGISTERS
        LA    R2,DB2SQLS    R2->RECEIVING AREA
        LA    R3,L'DB2SQLS  R3:=MAX LNG
        L     R14,$IRF1     R14->SENDING AREA
        LR    R15,R6        R15:=...
        SR    R15,R14       LNG OF SENDEN DATA
        STH   R15,DB2SQLL   STORE LNG
        CR    R15,R3        SENDING AREA TOO LONG?
        BH    ERR46        YES, B ERROR
        MVCL  R2,R14        MOVE IT
        LM    R14,R12,12(R13) RESTORE REGISTERS

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BR      R14          RETURN
*****
RECHNB EQU  *          SEARCH FOR 1ST NON BLANK
*      OUTPUT:R7->1ST NON BLANK, OR R7=0 IF ONLY BLANKS
RECHNB10 EQU *
CR      R7,R6        BEYOND END?
BNL     RECHNB20     YES, B
CLI     0(R7),C' '   BLANK ?
BNER    R14          NO, DONE
LA      R7,1(,R7)    YES. NEXT BYTE
B       RECHNB10     LOOP
RECHNB20 EQU *
XR      R7,R7        NOTHING FOUND: ZERO R7
BR      R14
*****
ERR00   LA      R2,ER000   THIS FUNCTION NOT IMPLEMENTED YET
B       ERR
ERR45   LA      R2,ER001   SYNTAX ERROR
B       ERR
ERR46   LA      R2,ER002   STRING TOO LONG FOR ME
B       ERR
ERR47   LA      R2,ER003   FETCH WITHOUT PREVIOUS DECLARE
B       ERR
ERR48   LA      R2,ER004   ERROR ASSIGNING TO A VARIABLE
B       ERR
ERR49   LA      R2,ER005   BAD RETURN CODE FROM EXEC SQL
B       ERR
ERR54   LA      R2,ER006   $DB2INST FUNCTION NOT PREVIOUSLY CALLED
B       ERR
ERR     EQU  *
LINK    EP=$IRXMSG     DISPLAY THE ERROR MESSAGE
LA      R15,16         RETURN CODE:=16
ST      R15,$IRDB2RT   STORE INTO WORK AREA
B       FIN
*****
STOCREAS EQU * $IRDB2RT=RET CODE TO BE STUFFED INTO 4TH PARM AND R15
*CONVERT $IRDB2RE INTO $IRPACK1, TO "EXTENDED HEXADECIMAL"
UNPK    $IRPACK1(9),$IRDB2RE(5) UNPK 4 USEFULL CHARACTERS
TR      $IRPACK1(8),TABHEXE-C'0' CONVERSION TO "HEXADECIMAL"
*      STORE $IRDB2RE INTO REXX VARIABLE "REASON"
LA      R15,$IRPACK1   R15->VALUE
ST      R15,$IRVALA    STORE ADDR OF VALUE
LA      R15,8          R15:=LNG OF VALUE (8 BYTES)
ST      R15,$IRVALL    STORE LNG
LA      R15,NREASON    R15->NAME OF VARIABLE
ST      R15,$IRNAMA    STORE IT
LA      R15,L'NREASON  R15:=LNG OF NAME
ST      R15,$IRNAML    STORE IT
BAS     R14,EXCOM      ASSIGN TO THE VARIABLE
LTR     R15,R15        OK?

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      BNZ   ERR48          NO, B
      B     FIN
*****
STOC  EQU   * $IRDB2RT=RET CODE TO BE STUFFED INTO 4TH PARM AND R15
*
      L     R15,SQLCODE    R15:=BINARY SQLCODE
      CVD   R15,$IRPACK1  CONV TO DECIMAL
      UNPK  $IRPACK2,$IRPACK1 CONV TO EXTENDED
      LA    R2,$IRPACK2   R2->NUMBER TO BE NORMALIZED
      LA    R1,L'$IRPACK2 R1:=LNG OF NUMBER
      L     R15,ANORM     R15->PGM FOR NORMALIZATION
      BASR  R14,R15       NORMALIZATION
*
      ASSIGN SQLCODE TO THE VARIABLE "SQLCODE"
      ST    R2,$IRVALA    STORE ADDR OF NORM. EXTENDED NUMBER
      ST    R1,$IRVALL    STORE LNG
      LA    R15,NSQLCODE  R15->NAME OF VARIABLE
      ST    R15,$IRNAMA   STORE IT
      LA    R15,L'NSQLCODE R15:=LNG OF NAME
      ST    R15,$IRNAML   STORE IT
      BAS   R14,EXCOM     ASSIGN TO THE VARIABLE
      LTR   R15,R15       OK?
      BNZ   ERR48          NO, B
*
      ASSIGN SQLSTATE TO THE VARIABLE "SQLSTATE"
      LA    R15,SQLSTATE  R15->VALUE OF SQLSTATE
      ST    R15,$IRVALA   STORE ADDRESS
      LA    R15,5         LNG OF VALUE=5
      ST    R15,$IRVALL   STORE LNG
      LA    R15,NSQLSTAT  R15->NAME OF VARIABLE
      ST    R15,$IRNAMA   STORE IT
      LA    R15,L'NSQLSTAT R15:=LNG OF NAME
      ST    R15,$IRNAML   STORE IT
      BAS   R14,EXCOM     ASSIGN TO THE VARIABLE
      LTR   R15,R15       OK?
      BNZ   ERR48          NO, B
FIN   EQU   *
      L     R15,$IRDB2RT  R15:=RETURN CODE
      L     R2,4(,R13)    R2->PREVIOUS SAVE AREA
*
      STORE RETURN CODE IN PARAMETERS
      L     R1,24(,R2)    R1->LIST AT ENTRY
      L     R1,16(,R1)    R1->4TH PARAM (RETURN CODE)
      ST    R15,Ø(,R1)   STORE RETURN CODE
      LR    R3,R15       SAVE RETURN CODE
      FREEMAIN RU,LV=SAUVL,A=(R13) FREE OUR WORK AREA
      LR    R13,R2
      LR    R15,R3       RESTORE RETURN CODE
      L     R14,12(,R13) RESTORE R14
      LM    RØ,R12,2Ø(R13) RESTORE REGS BUT R15
      BR    R14          RETURN
*****
* EXCOM: CALL IBM IRXEXCOM FOR ASSIGNMENT

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* AT ENTRY, PARAMETERS FOR IRXEXCOM MUST HAVE BEEN SET UP:
*           $IRNAMA->NAME OF VARIABLE, $IRNAML=LNG OF NAME
*           $IRVALA->VALUE,           $IRVALL=LNG OF VALUE
EXCOM      EQU      *
           STM      R14,R12,12(R13)
           LR       R2,R13
           LA       R13,72(,R13)      NEXT SAVE AREA
           ST       R2,4(,R13)
           ST       R13,8(,R2)
           L        R15,$IRXEXCA      R15->IRXEXCOM
           LTR      R15,R15           MODULE ALREADY LOADED?
           BNZ      EXCOM10          YES, B
           LOAD     EP=IRXEXCOM      NO, LOAD THE MODULE
           ST       R0,$IRXEXCA      AND STORE ITS ADDRESS
EXCOM10    EQU      *
           LA       R1,$IREXCOM      R1->PARAMETERS
           LA       R2,$IRCOMNM      R2->NAME
           L        R15,$IRXEXCA      R15->IRXEXCOM
           L        R0,$IRXENVB      R0->ENV BLOCK
           BASR     R14,R15           CALL IRXEXCOM
           L        R13,4(,R13)
           L        R14,12(,R13)
           LM       R0,R12,20(R13)
           BR       R14

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Editor's note: this article will be continued in next month's issue.

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Accessing directory information – help wanted

Issue 13 of *DB2 Update*, November 1993, contained an article by Alberto Grassi called *Accessing directory information*. J Naumovic has written to us asking why the technique, which worked perfectly with DB2 Version 4, does not work with DB2 Version 5. Does anyone know the answer? Is there a fix for the problem? Please write to Trevor Eddolls, the editor of *DB2 Update*, at any of the addresses shown on page 2 if you can help.

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DB2 news

IBM has announced new licensing for DB2 which removes the requirement for DB2 user entitlement tracking for Lotus Domino and Notes applications accessing local data on certain DB2 servers.

Users of DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Edition and Extended Edition servers will no longer need to count DB2 users for these types of application. This, claims IBM, should result in cost saving on DB2 purchases for Domino and Notes environments.

For DB2 Workgroup Edition users, the company is supplying a single-server authorization for unlimited access to local DB2 data from Domino server and Lotus Notes applications.

Meanwhile, the company said that it intends to provide a DB2 LotusScript Extension, or LSX, that supports Domino 4.6 and Notes 4.5.3 clients on NT and Windows 95, but no dates were given. It already has a DB2 LSX plug-in in the Domino.Connect product for Domino servers and Notes clients.

For further information contact your local IBM representative.

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Haht Software and Neon Systems plan to integrate Hahtsite e-business tools and Neon's Shadow Direct, which accesses mainframe data and business logic.

Hahtsite's Application Server can be used now to integrate mainframe data so that, for example, SAP R/3, client/server databases, and Lotus Notes can be combined with data coming from DB2 (as well as IMS, CICS,

VSAM, and MQSeries) to create new applications.

Shadow Direct integrates with the Hahtsite Integrated Development Environment, so developers can use Hahtsite's wizards and data-aware components to develop Web applications. Neon's products work with Hahtsite's form wizards, report wizards, and master/detail wizards.

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The preferential attendance fee for subscribers is £540.00 plus £63.25 VAT. For further information about *DB2 Update '98* contact Xephon on 01635 33823.



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