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Monitoring HFS out of space conditions

INTRODUCTION

This article describes a new DFSMS function implemented by APAR OW44631 (R1E0 – UW74186/R1F0 – UW74187).

This new function provides support for monitoring how full a Hierarchical File System (HFS) is and will issue an operator warning message IGW023A when the HFS exceeds a user-specified threshold, eg:

```
*IGW023A HFS SYS2.USS.SUFHFS EXCEEDS 85% FULL
```

The fullness of an HFS is based on the number of pages currently in use versus the currently allocated HFS filesystem size.

You can display the current usage of an HFS using the **confighfs** USS command (the **confighfs** command is located in the `/usr/lpp/dfsms/bin` directory):

```
SXSP001:/: >confighfs /u/suf
Statistics for file system SYS2.USS.SUFHFS
( 03/13/03 11:16am )
File system size:_____1620      (pages)           - allocated pages
                   _____6.328(MB)
Used pages:         _____1393   (pages)           - used pages
                   _____5.441(MB)
Attribute pages:   _____9      (pages)
                   _____0.035(MB)
Cached pages:      _____1622   (pages)
                   _____6.336(MB)

Seq I/O reqs:      _____0
Random I/O reqs:  _____0
Lookup hit:        _____110
Lookup miss:       _____0
1st page hit:      _____0
1st page miss:     _____47
Index new tops:    _____1
Index splits:      _____3
Index joins:       _____0
Index read hit:    _____91
Index read miss:   _____1
```

```

Index write hit: _____189
Index write miss: _____0
RFS flags _____43(HEX)
RFS error flags: _____0(HEX)
High foramt RFN: _____59C(HEX)
Member count: _____62
Sync interval: _____30(seconds)
SXSP001:/: >

```

Another way to get the same kind of information is to use ISPF Option 3.2 on the HFS dataset:

```

                                Data Set Information
Command ==>

Data Set Name . . . : SYS2.USS.SUFHFS

General Data                                Current Allocation
Management class . . : MIG30                Allocated cylinders : 9
Storage class . . . : HFSSC                 Allocated extents . : 3
Volume serial . . . : HFS001                Maximum dir. blocks : NOLIMIT
Device type . . . . : 3390
Data class . . . . . : **None**
Organization . . . . : P0                    Current Utilization
Record format . . . . : U                    Used pages . . . . . : 1,393
Record length . . . . : 0                    % Utilized . . . . . : 85
                                           - above 70%
Block size . . . . . : 0                    Number of members . : 62
1st extent cylinders: 7
Secondary cylinders : 1
Data set name type  : HFS

Creation date . . . : 2003/03/13            Referenced date . . : 2003/03/13
Expiration date . . : ***None***

```

At this point, you can see that this HFS is really more than 70% full!

You can increase the HFS allocation by 2MB using the **hfsconfig** command:

```
SXSP001:/: >confighfs -x 2m /u/suf
```

You can use the **confighfs** command to get more detailed information:

```

SXSP001:/: >confighfs /u/suf
Statistics for file system SYS2.USS.SUFHFS
( 03/13/03 3:24pm )

```

```

File system size:_____2160    (pages)           - new allocation
                   _____8.438(MB)
Used pages:       _____1393    (pages)
                   _____5.441(MB)
Attribute pages: _____9      (pages)
                   _____0.035(MB)
Cached pages:    _____0      (pages)
                   _____0.000(MB)

Seq I/O reqs:    _____0
Random I/O reqs: _____0
Lookup hit:      _____2
Lookup miss:     _____17
1st page hit:   _____0
1st page miss:  _____0
Index new tops: _____0
Index splits:   _____0
Index joins:     _____0
Index read hit:  _____47
Index read miss: _____1
Index write hit: _____0
Index write miss: _____0
RFS flags       _____43(HEX)
RFS error flags: _____0(HEX)
High foramt RFN: _____59C(HEX)
Member count:   _____62
Sync interval:  _____30(seconds)

```

SXSP001:/: >

Using ISPF Option 3.2, you can see that the HFS dataset now has four extents and that the space usage is 64%:

Data Set Information

Command ==>>

Data Set Name . . . : SYS2.USS.SUFHFS

General Data

```

Management class . . : MIG30
Storage class . . . : HFSSC
Volume serial . . . : HFS001
Device type . . . . : 3390
Data class . . . . . : **None**
Organization . . . : PO
Record format . . . : U
Record length . . . : 0

Block size . . . . . : 0
1st extent cylinders: 7
Secondary cylinders : 1

```

Current Allocation

```

Allocated cylinders : 12
Allocated extents . : 4
Maximum dir. blocks : NOLIMIT

```

Current Utilization

```

Used pages . . . . : 1,393
% Utilized . . . . : 64
                    - below 70%
Number of members . : 62

```

Data set name type : HFS

Creation date . . . : 2003/03/13

Referenced date . . : 2003/03/13

Expiration date . . : ***None***

IMPLEMENTATION

To implement this new monitoring option, you should modify SYS1.PARMLIB(BPXPRM00).

You can specify a default threshold and an incremental value through the **FILESYSTYPE TYPE(HFS)**... entry to set default values to be used for all HFS filesystems.

The values can also be specified on the **Mount** command to set values for a specific file system. Parameters on the **Mount** command will override default values.

If no values are specified in either place, no threshold checking will take place.

The values applied to a filesystem can be changed only when the file system is mounted.

A **FSFULL(70,10)** parameter would cause DFSMS to issue message IGW023A when the HFS is 70% full, and then issue additional IGW023A messages when the file system is 80% and 90% full.

Parmlib member BPXPRM00 looks like this:

```
FILESYSTYPE TYPE(HFS)
  ENTRYPOINT(GFUAINIT)
  PARM('SYNCDEFAULT(30) FIXED(000) VIRTUAL(032) FSFULL(70,5)')
                                          /* default value */

MOUNT FILESYSTEM('SYS2.USS.ETCHFS')
  TYPE(HFS)
  MODE(RDWR)
  MOUNTPOINT('/etc')
  PARM('FSFULL(60,5)')

                                          /* override */
```

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Examining an LE trace for virtual storage memory leaks

Application programs frequently acquire storage dynamically as a way to minimize their static virtual storage requirements, as well as to be able to satisfy re-entrancy requirements. It is imperative, especially in applications that are intended to stay running for long periods of time, that dynamically-acquired storage be released when it is no longer required. Failure to do so will eventually cause the application to go short on storage and necessitate an application restart. With the long-running nature of many of today's applications, an application restart to simply alleviate a storage shortage condition is rarely an acceptable, recurring option.

High-level language applications generated from languages such as C, C++, PL/I, or COBOL and running on z/OS use Language Environment (LE) to manage internal storage requirements. Although LE makes use of traditional GETMAIN or STORAGE OBTAIN operations to acquire storage and FREEMAIN or STORAGE RELEASE operations to release storage, these requests are usually done at a macro level – that is, LE acquires relatively large blocks of virtual storage as necessary and parcels it out to the application as requests are made for dynamic storage. LE manages the storage acquisition/release requests, not the z/OS VSM (Virtual Storage Manager). This process renders the traditional GFS (Get Free Storage) trace somewhat useless in detecting application memory leaks. In these scenarios, the LE trace can prove to be invaluable.

QUALIFYING THE PROBLEM

Although this problem can exist for any of the previously-mentioned programming languages, the balance of this article will focus on the problem as it specifically relates to using C or C++. There are three fundamental function calls in C/C++

that attempt to acquire dynamic storage. These are:

- `calloc()`
- `malloc()`
- `realloc()`.

When these functions are successful, they cause a block of storage of the specified size to be set aside by LE for use by the application. This storage can then be used internally by the application and will remain available for its use until a `free()` function call is made to release the referenced storage area for reuse.

If an application makes use of `calloc()`, `malloc()`, or `realloc()` and does not use `free()` to release the storage when it is feasible, the storage block associated with the allocation request will remain flagged as 'in use' by LE. With enough of these situations, the application could eventually run into a storage shortage condition.

USING THE LE TRACE

C/C++ supports the activation of the LE trace through run-time options. This can be done in a couple of different ways. One of those options is to enable tracing right within the program's source code. The C/C++ program code directives would look similar to:

```
#pragma runopts("TRACE(ON,16380K,DUMP,LE=8)")
#pragma runopts("RPTSTG(ON)")
```

This will cause the LE trace to be active and to cause storage events (allocation or free) to be recorded in the trace.

Trace events will be recorded by LE in its internal trace buffer. When the application terminates, trace information will be written to two output DDs. The `SYSOUT` output will contain summary information about `HEAP` and `STACK` usage. The `CEEDUMP` output will contain the LE trace table output. It is


```

-----
Displacement      Trace Entry in Hexadecimal      Trace Entry in EBCDIC
-----
+0000000      Time 15.40.44.353229      Date 2005.05.24      Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+0000010      Member ID... 03      Flags..... 0000000      Entry Type..... 00000001
+0000018      94818995 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |main
+0000038      60606E4D F1F2F35D 40869985 854DF0A7      F0F0F0F1 C5F2F4F0 5D404040 40404040 |
+0000058      40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |
+0000078      40404040 40404040
+0000080      Time 15.40.44.353251      Date 2005.05.24      Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+0000090      Member ID... 03      Flags..... 0000000      Entry Type..... 00000002
+0000098      4C60604D F1F2F35D 40D9F1F5 7EF0F0F0      F3F0F3F2 C140C5D9 D9D5D67E F0F0F0F0 |<--(123) R15=0003032A ERRNO=0000
+00000B8      F0F0F0F0 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |0000.....
+00000D8      00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |
+00000F8      00000000 00000000
+0001000      Time 15.40.44.353283      Date 2005.05.24      Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+0001100      Member ID... 03      Flags..... 0000000      Entry Type..... 00000001
+0001118      94818995 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |main
+0001138      60606E4D F1F2F45D 40948193 9396834D      F1F2F8F0 F0F05D40 40404040 40404040 |
+0001158      40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |
+0001178      40404040 40404040
-----

```

Figure 1: Excerpt of CEEDUMP output (cont.)

```

+000180 Time 15.40.44.353436 Date 2005.05.24 Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+000190 Member ID.... 03 Flags..... 000000 Entry Type..... 00000002
+000198 4C60604D F1F2F45D 40D9F1F5 7EF0F8C3 F2F5F0F2 F840C5D9 D9D5D67E F0F0F0F0 |<--(124) R15=08C25028 ERRNO=0000|
+0001B8 F0F0F0F0 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |0000.....|
+0001D8 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |.....|
+0001F8 00000000 00000000 |.....|

+000200 Time 15.40.44.379540 Date 2005.05.24 Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+000210 Member ID.... 03 Flags..... 000000 Entry Type..... 00000001
+000218 94818995 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |main|
+000238 60606E4D F1F2F45D 40948193 9396834D F1F2F8F0 F0F05D40 40404040 40404040 | |--(124) malloc(128000)|
+000258 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 |
+000278 40404040 40404040 |

+000280 Time 15.40.44.379721 Date 2005.05.24 Thread ID... 8000000000000000
+000290 Member ID.... 03 Flags..... 000000 Entry Type..... 00000002
+000298 4C60604D F1F2F45D 40D9F1F5 7EF0F8C3 F4F9F0F2 F840C5D9 D9D5D67E F0F0F0F0 |<--(124) R15=08C49028 ERRNO=0000|
+0002B8 F0F0F0F0 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |0000.....|
+0002D8 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |.....|
+0002F8 00000000 00000000 |.....|

```

Figure 1: Excerpt of CEEDUMP output

the output contained in CEEDUMP that the RPTSTGA program, provided with this article, will examine to ascertain whether or not the program that produced the CEEDUMP output has any potential memory leak conditions.

Figure 1 is a brief excerpt of CEEDUMP output.

Two trace entry types exist in the excerpt in Figure 1. A trace entry type 1 event is produced for base C library function calls. A trace entry type 2 event is produced for base C library function returns. What this means is that two trace events are logged for each function call that is traced – one for the initiation of the function call and one for the function call return. A CEEDUMP RPTSTG trace with TRACE runopts LE=8 will contain eight possible entries:

- Entry type 1 for calloc() function calls. Look for '-->(122)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 2 for calloc() function returns. Look for '<--(122)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 1 for free() function calls. Look for '-->(123)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 2 for free() function returns. Look for '<--(123)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 1 for malloc() function calls. Look for '-->(124)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 2 for malloc() function returns. Look for '<--(124)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 1 for realloc() function calls. Look for '-->(125)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.
- Entry type 2 for realloc() function returns. Look for '<--(125)' in the EBCDIC display for the trace entry.

For calloc(), malloc(), and realloc() entry type 2 events, a non-zero R15 in the trace entry indicates a successful allocation request. For free() entry type 2 events, an R15 value of zero indicates a successful storage free request.

The LE trace supports other entry types, but they are outside the scope of the discussion in this article. For more information on the LE trace and LE trace table entries see the section entitled 'Understanding the trace table entry (TTE)' in the *z/OS Language Debugging Guide* from the Language Environment bookshelf.

VIRTUAL STORAGE USAGE ANALYSIS

To assess a C/C++ program for potential memory leak conditions, the CEEDUMP output described earlier must be captured to a real dataset. This can be done either by pre-allocating the dataset and specifying that dataset in the CEEDUMP DD in the program's JCL or by capturing the JES SYSOUT data for CEEDUMP to a dataset after the fact using SDSF or a comparable spool display tool. Once the CEEDUMP output has been captured to a dataset, the RPTSTGA program can be used to check for memory leaks. The premise of the RPTSTGA program is that it tries to find a free() request to correspond to any calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() request. Any calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() request that does not have a corresponding free() request is flagged as a memory leak condition and is reported on. Note: a realloc() request contains an implied free().

An example C program, ALLOCFRE, has been provided for testing purposes. The ALLOCFRE program establishes the necessary runopts and then runs through a series of malloc(), calloc(), and free() requests until the address space runs out of storage. The following JCL can be used to compile, prelink, and link-edit the ALLOCFRE program:

```
//PROCS      JCLLIB ORDER=(CBC.SCBCPRC)
//STEP1     EXEC EDCC,CPARM='LIST',
//          CPARM2='RENT,NOSEARCH,NOMAR,NOSEQ,NOOPT',
//          CPARM3='LANGLVL(EXTENDED),SOURCE,LONGNAME,SSCOMM',
//          INFILE=c.source.dataset(ALLOCFRE),
//          OUTFILE='object.code.pds(ALLOCFRX),DISP=SHR',
//          SYSLBLK=8000
//COMPILE.SYSLIB DD DSN=CEE.SCEEH.H,DISP=SHR
//          DD DSN=CEE.SCEEH.SYS.H,DISP=SHR
```

```

//          DD DSN=TCPIP.SEZACMAC,DISP=SHR
//PLKED1   EXEC PGM=EDCPRLK,PARM='UPCASE',
//        REGION=2048K
//SYSMSG   DD DSN=CEE.SCEEMSGP(EDCPMSGE),DISP=SHR
//SYSLIB   DD DUMMY
//SYSOBJ   DD DSN=object.code.pds,DISP=SHR
//SYSMOD   DD DSN=object.code.pds(ALLOCFR0),DISP=SHR
//SYSOUT   DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSIN    DD *
    INCLUDE SYSOBJ(ALLOCFRX)
//IEWL     EXEC PGM=HEWLH096,PARM='XREF,LIST,MAP,RENT'
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSUT1   DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(CYL,(2,1))
//OBJECT   DD DSN=object.code.pds,DISP=SHR
//SYSLIB   DD DSN=TCPIP.SEZACMTX,DISP=SHR
//          DD DSN=CEE.SCEELKEX,DISP=SHR
//          DD DSN=CEE.SCEELKED,DISP=SHR
//          DD DSN=SYS1.CSSLIB,DISP=SHR
//          DD DSN=SYS1.LINKLIB,DISP=SHR
//SYSLMOD  DD DSN=load.library,DISP=SHR
//SYSLIN   DD *
    INCLUDE OBJECT(ALLOCFR0)
    ENTRY   CEESTART
    NAME    ALLOCFRE(R)

```

Expect the prelink step from the above JCL to complete with a condition code of 4, but the compile and link-edit steps should both complete with a condition code of 0. When the ALLOCFRE load module has been created, the following JCL can be run to create a CEEDUMP dataset:

```

//ALLOCFRE EXEC PGM=ALLOCFRE,REGION=18M
//STEPLIB  DD DSN=load.library,DISP=SHR
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//CEEDUMP  DD DSN=le.trace.ceedump.output,DISP=(,CATLG),
//          SPACE=(TRK,(5,2)),
//          DCB=(LRECL=132,RECFM=FB,BLKSIZE=1320)

```

The CEEDUMP output dataset can now be processed by the RPTSTGA program.

RPTSTGA PROGRAM

The following is sample JCL to run the RPTSTGA program:

```

//RPTSTGA  EXEC PGM=RPTSTGA
//STEPLIB  DD DSN=load.library,DISP=SHR

```

```
//INPUT DD DSN=1e.trace.ceedump.output,DISP=SHR
//OUTPUT DD SYSOUT=*
```

If RPTSTGA is able to pair up all calloc(), malloc(), and realloc() requests with a corresponding free() request and there are no orphaned free() requests (free() trace entries that do not have a prior calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() entry), RPTSTGA will end with a return code of 0 and produce one line of output in the OUTPUT dataset as follows:

```
ALL ALLOCATED STORAGE HAS BEEN RELEASED
```

If RPTSTGA does not find a free() trace entry for all the calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() requests, RPTSTGA will end with a return code of 4 and produce a report in the OUTPUT dataset containing information similar to the following:

```
POTENTIAL MEMORY LEAK DETECTED
ADDR 0CE3E028 LEN(00046400) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.957020 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE16BE8 LEN(00000252) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.957125 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE16CF0 LEN(00000252) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.957167 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE16DF8 LEN(00000252) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.957206 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE16F00 LEN(00000252) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.957323 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE17008 LEN(00001024) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.976742 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE17410 LEN(00000009) not released. Tm: 20.52.03.980889 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE1BC98 LEN(00000200) not released. Tm: 20.52.04.835534 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE1C0B0 LEN(00000200) not released. Tm: 20.52.04.835840 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE1C180 LEN(00000200) not released. Tm: 20.52.04.836054 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE1C250 LEN(00000200) not released. Tm: 20.52.04.836192 Dt:
2005.05.09
ADDR 0CE1C340 LEN(00000200) not released. Tm: 20.52.04.836378 Dt:
2005.05.09
```

Notice that the storage address, storage length, and time stamp of the trace entry are indicated. This allows you to go back into the CEEDUMP output to identify the offending trace entry and then initiate corrective action.

As was mentioned earlier, it is possible to have free() trace entries that don't match up with any prior calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() requests. These can be rogue requests or they can be valid requests to free storage for other C function calls that acquire dynamic storage such as strdup(). If this occurs, RPTSTGA will also end with a return code of 4 and produce an output record in the OUTPUT dataset similar to:

Orphaned trace free() entry: Time 20.52.04.826479 Date 2005.05.09

CONCLUSION

RPTSTGA is a very useful tool for assessing virtual storage usage in application code that has been written in a high-level language. If you will be creating long-running application code written in a high-level language that uses LE to manage dynamic storage, you should consider using a tool like RPTSTGA prior to releasing the application into production use. It will allow you to examine virtual storage usage to determine whether anything unexpected is occurring with dynamic storage acquisition or release.

RPTSTGA ASSEMBLER

```
*-----*
* The RPTSTGA program examines the CEEDUMP output data from high- *
* level language programs that uses LE (Language Environment) to *
* manage the acquisition and release of dynamic storage. For *
* this example, a C program has been used - two #pragma statements *
* are used in the C program source that LE should trace and report *
* program dynamic storage usage. These #pragma statements are: *
* *
* #pragma runopts("TRACE(ON,16380K,DUMP,LE=8)") *
* #pragma runopts("RPTSTG(ON)") *
* *
* With those directives in place, LE will trace and report on all *
* calloc(), malloc(), realloc(), and free() function calls that *
* are made in the C program. *
* *
* The RPTSTGA program examines the trace output produced in the *
* CEEDUMP output to determine whether or not there are any memory *
* leak conditions (a calloc(), malloc(), or realloc() function *
* call with no corresponding free() function call) in the program *
* source. As well, the RPTSTGA program will also track free() *
* *
*-----*
```

```

* function calls that don't have a prior calloc(), malloc(), or      *
* realloc() association.                                           *
*                                                                     *
* Assemble the RPTSTGA source and use the following JCL to create  *
* the program load module:                                         *
*                                                                     *
* //IEWL EXEC PGM=HEWLH096,PARM='XREF,LIST,MAP'                    *
* //SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*                                           *
* //SYSUT1 DD UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(CYL,(2,1))                         *
* //OBJECT DD DSN=object.code.pds,DISP=SHR                         *
* //SYSLIB DD DSN=SYS1.CSSLIB,DISP=SHR                             *
* //SYSLMOD DD DSN=load.library,DISP=SHR                           *
* //SYSLIN DD *                                                    *
* INCLUDE OBJECT(RPTSTGA)                                          *
* ENTRY RPTSTGA                                                    *
* NAME RPTSTGA(R)                                                 *
*                                                                     *
* The following JCL can be used to produce a storage analysis      *
* report from an LE storage trace:                                  *
*                                                                     *
* //RPTSTGA EXEC PGM=RPTSTGA                                       *
* //STEPLIB DD DSN=load.library,DISP=SHR                           *
* //INPUT DD DSN=LE.CEEDUMP.trace.output,DISP=SHR                  *
* //OUTPUT DD SYSOUT=*                                             *
* -----*
RPTSTGA CSECT
RPTSTGA AMODE 31
RPTSTGA RMODE 24 RMODE=24 BECAUSE DCBs BELOW LINE
STM R14,R12,12(R13) SAVE THE REGISTERS
LR R12,R15 COPY BASE REGISTER
USING RPTSTGA,R12 SET ADDRESSABILITY
LR R11,R1 SAVE INCOMING PARM ADDRESS
LR R3,R13 SAVE INCOMING SAVEAREA ADDRESS
STORAGE OBTAIN,LENGTH=WORKLEN,LOC=ANY
LR R0,R1 COPY THE ADDRESS
LR R14,R1 AGAIN
LR R2,R1 AGAIN
L R1,=A(WORKLEN) GET THE LENGTH
XR R15,R15 SET FILL BYTE VALUE
MVCL R0,R14 CLEAR THE STORAGE
ST R3,4(,R2) SAVE OLD SAVEAREA ADDRESS
LR R13,R2 GET NEW SAVEAREA ADDRESS
USING WORKAREA,R13 SET ADDRESSABILITY
LR R1,R11 COPY PARM ADDRESS
* -----*
* Open INPUT and OUTPUT datasets. *
* -----*
OPEN (INPUT,INPUT),MODE=31 OPEN INPUT DATASET
OPEN (OUTPUT,OUTPUT),MODE=31 OPEN OUTPUT DATASET
USING ALCE,R2 SET ADDRESSABILITY TO ALCE

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        LA      R8,INREC          GET INPUT RECORD ADDRESS
        GET     INPUT,(R8)        READ FIRST INPUT RECORD
        CLI    INREC+0,C'1'      CARRIAGE CONTROL CHARACTERS?
        BE     EVENTLP           YES - INREC ADDRESS IS FINE
        LA     R8,1(,R8)         OFFSET INPUT BY ONE BYTE
EVENTLP EQU      *
        GET     INPUT,(R8)        GET INPUT DATA
*-----*
* Capture the time and date information if this is a 'Time' record. *
*-----*
        CLC    INREC+22(4),=C'Time' AN EVENT 'Time' RECORD?
        BNE    EVENTCHK          NO - CHECK FOR EVENT SPECIFICS
        MVC    TIMESAVE(15),INREC+27 SAVE THE TIME
        MVC    DATESAVE(10),INREC+51 SAVE THE DATE
        B      EVENTLP           GET NEXT RECORD
EVENTCHK EQU     *
*-----*
* It's not a 'Time' record. Determine whether it's an event- *
* specific record that we are interested in. *
*-----*
        CLC    INREC+97(8),=C'-->(122)' A calloc()?
        BE     CALLOC            YES - PROCESS calloc()
        CLC    INREC+97(8),=C'-->(123)' A free()?
        BE     FREE              YES - PROCESS free()
        CLC    INREC+97(8),=C'-->(124)' A malloc()?
        BE     MALLOC           YES - PROCESS malloc()
        CLC    INREC+97(8),=C'-->(125)' A realloc()?
        BE     REALLOC          YES - PROCESS realloc()
        B      EVENTLP           GET NEXT RECORD
CALLOC EQU      *
*-----*
* It's a calloc() event record. Acquire some storage for an *
* allocation entry control block. *
*-----*
        STORAGE OBTAIN,LENGTH=ALCELN,LOC=ANY
        ST     R1,CURRENT        SAVE ENTRY ADDRESS
        LR     R2,R1             COPY IT
        MVC    ALCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR COPY PREVIOUS ENTRY ADDRESS
        MVC    ALCETYPE(8),=C'calloc ' SET ENTRY TYPE
        XR     R4,R4             CLEAR R4
        XR     R5,R5             CLEAR R5
        XR     R6,R6             CLEAR R6
        XR     R7,R7             CLEAR R7
        LA     R15,INREC+113     POINT TO COUNT AREA
CALLOC10 EQU    *
*-----*
* Capture the calloc() count and size information. *
*-----*
        CLI    0(R15),C','      COUNT,SIZE SEPARATOR?
        BE     CALLOC20        YES - GO PROCESS SIZE

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        IC      R4,0(,R15)          GET DIGIT FROM COUNT AREA
        N       R4,=X'0000000F'     TURN OFF ALL BUT LOW ORDER NIBBLE
        MH      R5,=H'10'          MULTIPLY EXISTING VALUE BY 10
        AR      R5,R4              ADD IN NEW
        LA      R15,1(,R15)        POINT TO NEXT BYTE
        B       CALLOC10          CHECK FOR MORE COUNT DIGITS
CALLOC20 EQU *
        LA      R15,1(,R15)        POINT TO NEXT BYTE
CALLOC25 EQU *
        CLI     0(R15),C')'        COUNT,SIZE TERMINATOR?
        BE      CALLOC30          YES - GOT COUNT AND SIZE
        IC      R6,0(,R15)          GET DIGIT FROM SIZE AREA
        N       R6,=X'0000000F'     TURN OFF ALL BUT LOW ORDER NIBBLE
        MH      R7,=H'10'          MULTIPLY EXISTING VALUE BY 10
        AR      R7,R6              ADD IN NEW
        LA      R15,1(,R15)        POINT TO NEXT BYTE
        B       CALLOC25          CHECK FOR MORE SIZE DIGITS
CALLOC30 EQU *
*-----*
*   Calculate and save the size of the calloc() request (count*size). *
*-----*
        XR      R4,R4              CLEAR R4
        XR      R6,R6              CLEAR R6
        MR      R4,R7              GET AREA SIZE
        CVD     R5,DBL2            CONVERT TO DECIMAL
        UNPK    DBL1(8),DBL2(8)    UNPACK
        OC      DBL1(8),=8X'F0'    MAKE SURE IT'S READABLE
        MVC     ALCELEN(8),DBL1    COPY LENGTH
CALLOC40 EQU *
*-----*
*   Loop until we find the 'Time' record for the calloc() return. *
*-----*
        GET     INPUT,(R8)         GET INPUT DATA
        CLC     INREC+22(4),=C'Time' AN EVENT 'Time' RECORD?
        BNE     CALLOC40          NO - LOOP FOR 'Time' RECORD
        MVC     TIMESAVE(15),INREC+27 SAVE THE TIME
        MVC     DATESAVE(10),INREC+51 SAVE THE DATE
CALLOC50 EQU *
*-----*
*   Loop until we find the calloc() completion record. *
*-----*
        GET     INPUT,(R8)         GET INPUT DATA
        CLC     INREC+97(8),=C'<--(122)' EVENT COMPLETION RECORD?
        BNE     CALLOC50          NO - GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
*   Determine whether the request was a success.  If it is, capture *
*   the storage address in the allocation entry control block.  If it *
*   is not a success (R15=0), release the allocation entry control *
*   block storage and check for more events. *
*-----*

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CLC    INREC+110(8),=8C'0'    R15=00000000?
BE     CALLOC60              YES - ALLOCATE FAILED
MVC    ALCETIME(15),TIMESAVE COPY TIME TO ALLOC ENTRY
MVC    ALCEDATE(10),DATESAVE  COPY DATE TO ALLOC ENTRY
MVC    ALCEADDR(8),INREC+110 COPY ADDRESS TO ALLOC ENTRY
MVC    ALCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR   COPY CHAIN POINTER TO NEXT
ST     R2,ALLOCPTR           SAVE NEW CHAIN START
B      EVENTLP               GET NEXT RECORD
CALLOC60 EQU *
        STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
        B      EVENTLP               GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
MALLOC EQU *
*-----*
*  It's a malloc() event record.  Acquire some storage for an  *
*  allocation entry control block.                             *
*-----*
        STORAGE OBTAIN,LENGTH=ALCELN,LOC=ANY
        ST     R1,CURRENT        SAVE ENTRY ADDRESS
        LR     R2,R1             COPY IT
        MVC    ALCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR COPY PREVIOUS ENTRY ADDRESS
        MVC    ALCETYPE(8),=C'malloc ' SET ENTRY TYPE
        XR     R6,R6             CLEAR R6
        XR     R7,R7             CLEAR R7
        LA     R15,INREC+113     POINT TO SIZE AREA
MALLOC20 EQU *
*-----*
*  Capture the malloc() size information.                       *
*-----*
        CLI    0(R15),C')'      SIZE TERMINATOR?
        BE     MALLOC30         YES - GOT SIZE
        IC     R6,0(R15)        GET DIGIT FROM SIZE AREA
        N      R6,=X'0000000F'   TURN OFF ALL BUT LOW ORDER NIBBLE
        MH     R7,=H'10'        MULTIPLY EXISTING VALUE BY 10
        AR     R7,R6            ADD IN NEW
        LA     R15,1(R15)       POINT TO NEXT BYTE
        B      MALLOC20         CHECK FOR MORE SIZE DIGITS
MALLOC30 EQU *
*-----*
*  Save the size of the calloc() request.                       *
*-----*
        CVD    R7,DBL2           CONVERT TO DECIMAL
        UNPK   DBL1(8),DBL2(8)   UNPACK
        OC     DBL1(8),=8X'F0'   MAKE SURE IT'S READABLE
        MVC    ALCELEN(8),DBL1   COPY LENGTH
MALLOC40 EQU *
*-----*
*  Loop until we find the 'Time' record for the malloc() return. *
*-----*
        GET    INPUT,(R8)        GET INPUT DATA

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        CLC    INREC+22(4),=C'Time'  AN EVENT 'Time' RECORD?
        BNE    MALLOC40              NO - LOOP FOR 'Time' RECORD
        MVC    TIMESAVE(15),INREC+27 SAVE THE TIME
        MVC    DATESAVE(10),INREC+51 SAVE THE DATE
MALLOC50 EQU    *
*-----*
*   Loop until we find the malloc() completion record.
*-----*
        GET    INPUT,(R8)            GET INPUT DATA
        CLC    INREC+97(8),=C'<--(124)' EVENT COMPLETION RECORD?
        BNE    MALLOC50              NO - GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
*   Determine whether the request was a success.  If it is, capture
*   the storage address in the allocation entry control block.  If it
*   is not a success (R15=0), release the allocation entry control
*   block storage and check for more events.
*-----*
        CLC    INREC+110(8),=8C'0'   R15=00000000?
        BE     MALLOC60              YES - ALLOCATE FAILED
        MVC    ALCTIME(15),TIMESAVE  COPY TIME TO ALLOC ENTRY
        MVC    ALCEDATE(10),DATESAVE  COPY DATE TO ALLOC ENTRY
        MVC    ALCEADDR(8),INREC+110 COPY ADDRESS TO ALLOC ENTRY
        MVC    ALCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR   COPY CHAIN POINTER TO NEXT
        ST     R2,ALLOCPTR           SAVE NEW CHAIN START
        B      EVENTLP              GET NEXT RECORD
MALLOC60 EQU    *
        STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
        B      EVENTLP              GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
REALLOC  EQU    *
*-----*
*   It's a realloc() event record.  Find the previous allocation
*   entry control block and free it up.
*-----*
        LA     R15,ALLOCPTR         GET CHAIN PTR UPDATE TARGET ADDR
        L      R2,ALLOCPTR         GET STARTING ENTRY ADDR
REALLC10 EQU    *
        LTR    R2,R2                END OF CHAIN?
        BZ     REALLC60             YES - ORPHANED FREE TRACE ENTRY
        CLC    ALCEADDR(8),INREC+116 ADDRESS MATCH?
        BE     REALLC20             YES - DO POINTER SWITCH
        LR     R15,R2              SAVE PREVIOUS UPDATE TARGET ADDR
        L      R2,ALCENXT          GET ADDR OF NEXT ENTRY
        B      REALLC10            CHECK NEXT ENTRY
REALLC20 EQU    *
        MVC    0(4,R15),ALCENXT    COPY NEXT FROM CURRENT TO PREV
        STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
        B      REALLC70            PROCESS ALLOC COMPONENT
REALLC60 EQU    *
        MVC    OUTREC(80),OUTREC03 COPY OUTPUT RECORD MODEL

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MVC  OUTREC+30(4),=C'Time' MOVE 'Time' INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+35(15),TIMESAVE MOVE TIME INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+51(4),=C'Date' MOVE 'Date' INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+56(10),DATESAVE MOVE DATE INTO MESSAGE
PUT  OUTPUT,OUTREC          WRITE OUT MESSAGE
OI   FLAG,FREEBLK          SET UNPAIRED FREE BLOCK FLAG
REALLC70 EQU  *
*-----*
*  Allocate a new allocation entry control block.  *
*-----*
        STORAGE OBTAIN,LENGTH=ALCELN,LOC=ANY
ST    R1,CURRENT           SAVE ENTRY ADDRESS
LR    R2,R1                COPY IT
MVC  ALCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR  COPY PREVIOUS ENTRY ADDRESS
MVC  ALCETYPE(8),=C'realloc ' SET ENTRY TYPE
XR    R6,R6                CLEAR R6
XR    R7,R7                CLEAR R7
LA    R15,INREC+125       POINT TO SIZE AREA
REALLC75 EQU  *
*-----*
*  Capture the malloc() size information.  *
*-----*
        CLI  0(R15),C')'          SIZE TERMINATOR?
BE    REALLC85             YES - GOT SIZE
CLI  0(R15),C']'          END OF INPUT LINE?
BE    REALLC80             YES - GOT SIZE
IC    R6,0(,R15)          GET DIGIT FROM SIZE AREA
N     R6,=X'0000000F'      TURN OFF ALL BUT LOW ORDER NIBBLE
MH    R7,=H'10'           MULTIPLY EXISTING VALUE BY 10
AR    R7,R6               ADD IN NEW
LA    R15,1(,R15)         POINT TO NEXT BYTE
B     REALLC75             CHECK FOR MORE SIZE DIGITS
REALLC80 EQU  *
        GET  INPUT,(R8)          GET INPUT DATA
CLI  INREC+22,C'+ '       NEXT DATA LINE?
BNE  REALLC80             NO - TRY AGAIN
LA    R15,INREC+97        POINT TO SIZE AREA CONTINUATION
B     REALLC75             CHECK FOR MORE SIZE DIGITS
REALLC85 EQU  *
*-----*
*  Save the size of the realloc() request.  *
*-----*
        CVD  R7,DBL2           CONVERT TO DECIMAL
UNPK  DBL1(8),DBL2(8)      UNPACK
OC    DBL1(8),=8X'F0'      MAKE SURE IT'S READABLE
MVC  ALCELEN(8),DBL1       COPY LENGTH
REALLC90 EQU  *
*-----*
*  Loop until we find the 'Time' record for the realloc() return.  *
*-----*

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GET INPUT,(R8) GET INPUT DATA
CLC INREC+22(4),=C'Time' AN EVENT 'Time' RECORD?
BNE REALLC90 NO - LOOP FOR 'Time' RECORD
MVC TIMESAVE(15),INREC+27 SAVE THE TIME
MVC DATESAVE(10),INREC+51 SAVE THE DATE
REALLC95 EQU *
*-----*
* Loop until we find the realloc() completion record. *
*-----*
GET INPUT,(R8) GET INPUT DATA
CLC INREC+97(8),=C'<--(125)' EVENT COMPLETION RECORD?
BNE REALLC95 NO - GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
* Determine whether the request was a success. If it is, capture *
* the storage address in the allocation entry control block. If it *
* is not a success (R15=0), release the allocation entry control *
* block storage and check for more events. *
*-----*
CLC INREC+110(8),=8C'0' R15=00000000?
BE REALLC100 YES - ALLOCATE FAILED
MVC ALCTIME(15),TIMESAVE COPY TIME TO ALLOC ENTRY
MVC ALCEADDR(8),INREC+110 COPY ADDRESS TO ALLOC ENTRY
MVC ALCCENXT(4),ALLOCPTR COPY CHAIN POINTER TO NEXT
ST R2,ALLOCPTR SAVE NEW CHAIN START
B EVENTLP GET NEXT RECORD
REALLC100 EQU *
STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
B EVENTLP GET NEXT RECORD
*-----*
FREE EQU *
*-----*
* It's a free() event record. Attempt to find a matching *
* allocation entry control block and free it up. *
*-----*
LA R15,ALLOCPTR GET CHAIN PTR UPDATE TARGET ADDR
L R2,ALLOCPTR GET STARTING ENTRY ADDR
FREE10 EQU *
LTR R2,R2 END OF CHAIN?
BZ FREE60 YES - ORPHANED FREE TRACE ENTRY
CLC ALCEADDR(8),INREC+113 ADDRESS MATCH?
BE FREE20 YES - DO POINTER SWITCH
LR R15,R2 SAVE PREVIOUS UPDATE TARGET ADDR
L R2,ALCCENXT GET ADDR OF NEXT ENTRY
B FREE10 CHECK NEXT ENTRY
FREE20 EQU *
*-----*
* A matching allocation entry control block has been located. Free *
* it up. *
*-----*

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MVC  Ø(4,R15),ALCENXT      COPY NEXT FROM CURRENT TO PREV
STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
B      EVENTLP              GET NEXT RECORD
FREE6Ø EQU  *
*-----*
*  A free() trace entry has been located for a block of storage that *
*  does not have a corresponding calloc(), malloc(), or realloc()   *
*  trace entry.  Issue an orphaned free() trace entry message.    *
*-----*
MVC  OUTREC(8Ø),OUTRECØ3   COPY OUTPUT RECORD MODEL
MVC  OUTREC+3Ø(4),=C'Time' MOVE 'Time' INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+35(15),TIMESAVE MOVE TIME INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+51(4),=C'Date' MOVE 'Date' INTO MESSAGE
MVC  OUTREC+56(1Ø),DATESAVE MOVE DATE INTO MESSAGE
PUT  OUTPUT,OUTREC        WRITE OUT MESSAGE
OI   FLAG,FREEBLK        SET UNPAIRED FREE BLOCK FLAG
B    EVENTLP              GET NEXT RECORD
*****
ALLDONE EQU  *
CLC  ALLOCPTR(4),=F'Ø'    ANY EXISTING STORAGE REFERENCES?
BNE  MEMLEAK              YES - MAY INDICATE MEMORY LEAK
PUT  OUTPUT,OUTRECØ1     WRITE MESSAGE
TM   FLAG,FREEBLK        UNPAIRED FREE BLOCK ENCOUNTERED?
BO   RETURNØ4            YES - RETURN RC=4
B    RETURN              WE'RE DONE
*****
MEMLEAK EQU  *
*-----*
*  At this point, we have determined that storage allocation      *
*  requests in the trace output data don't all have corresponding *
*  free requests.                                               *
*-----*
*  Produce an output record for each entry on the chain.        *
*-----*
PUT  OUTPUT,OUTRECØ2     WRITE MESSAGE
*-----*
*  Process the chain from end to start so that the output records *
*  are produced in timestamp ascending sequence.                *
*-----*
LEAK  EQU  *
L     R2,ALLOCPTR        GET STARTING ENTRY ADDR
LA    R5,ALLOCPTR        SAVE POINTER ADDR
LEAKLP EQU  *
CLC  ALCENXT,=F'Ø'      LAST ENTRY?
BE   LASTENT            YES - PROCESS LAST ENTRY
LR   R5,R2              SAVE PREV ADDR
L    R2,ALCENXT         POINT TO NEXT ENTRY
B    LEAKLP             CHECK IT OUT
LASTENT EQU  *
XC   Ø(4,R5),Ø(R5)      ZERO ALCENXT PTR IN PREV ENTRY

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MVC  OUTREC(80),OUTREC04  MOVE IN MESSAGE MODEL
MVC  OUTREC+5(8),ALCEADDR COPY IN THE ADDRESS
MVC  OUTREC+18(8),ALCELEN  COPY IN THE LENGTH
MVC  OUTREC+47(15),ALCETIME COPY IN THE TIME
MVC  OUTREC+68(10),ALCEDATE COPY IN THE DATE
PUT  OUTPUT,OUTREC        WRITE THE MESSAGE
STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=ALCELN,ADDR=(R2)
CLC  ALLOCPTR(4),=F'0'    LAST ENTRY?
BE   RETURN04             YES - WE'RE DONE
B    LEAK                 TRY ANOTHER TIME
*****
RETURN EQU *
      CLOSE (INPUT),MODE=31      CLOSE INPUT DATASET
      CLOSE (OUTPUT),MODE=31     CLOSE OUTPUT DATASET
      LR   R1,R13                COPY STORAGE ADDRESS
      L    R3,4(,R1)             GET RETURN SAVEAREA ADDRESS
      STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=WORKLEN,ADDR=(R1)
      LR   R13,R3                RESTORE RETURN SAVEAREA ADDRESS
      LM   R14,R12,12(R13)       RESTORE THE REGISTERS
      XR   R15,R15               SET RETURN CODE
      BR   R14                   RETURN
*****
RETURN04 EQU *
      CLOSE (INPUT),MODE=31      CLOSE INPUT DATASET
      CLOSE (OUTPUT),MODE=31     CLOSE OUTPUT DATASET
      LR   R1,R13                COPY STORAGE ADDRESS
      L    R3,4(,R1)             GET RETURN SAVEAREA ADDRESS
      STORAGE RELEASE,LENGTH=WORKLEN,ADDR=(R1)
      LR   R13,R3                RESTORE RETURN SAVEAREA ADDRESS
      LM   R14,R12,12(R13)       RESTORE THE REGISTERS
      LA   R15,4                 SET RETURN CODE
      BR   R14                   RETURN
*****
INPUT  DCB  MACRF=(GM),DDNAME=INPUT,DSORG=PS,EODAD=ALLDONE
OUTPUT DCB  MACRF=(PM),DDNAME=OUTPUT,LRECL=80,DSORG=PS
*****
OUTREC01 DC  CL80'ALL ALLOCATED STORAGE HAS BEEN RELEASED'
OUTREC02 DC  CL80'POTENTIAL MEMORY LEAK DETECTED'
OUTREC03 DC  CL80'Orphaned trace free() entry:'
OUTREC04 DC  C'ADDR XXXXXXXX LEN(xxxxxxxx) not released. Tm: xx.xx.'
           DC  CL(80-L'OUTREC04)'xx.xxxxxx Dt: xxxx.xx.xx'
*****
WORKAREA DSECT
SAVEAREA DS 18F
INPARM DS F
ALLOCPTR DS F
CURRENT DS F
DBL1 DS 2D
DBL2 DS 2D
INREC DS CL133

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OUTREC    DS    CL80
TIMESAVE  DS    CL16
DATESAVE   DS    CL10
FLAG      DS    CL1
FREEBLK   EQU   X'80'
WORKLEN   EQU   *-WORKAREA
ALCE       DSECT
ALCENXT   DS    F
ALCETIME  DS    CL16
ALCEDATE  DS    CL10
ALCEADDR  DS    CL8
ALCELEN   DS    CL8
ALCETYPE  DS    CL8
ALCERSV1  DS    CL2
ALCELN    EQU   *-ALCE
           $REQU
           END

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	ALLOCATION ENTRY
ALCENXT	ADDR OF NEXT ENTRY
ALCETIME	TRACE ENTRY TIME
ALCEDATE	TRACE ENTRY DATE
ALCEADDR	TRACE ENTRY STARTING STORAGE ADDR
ALCELEN	TRACE ENTRY LENGTH
ALCETYPE	TRACE ENTRY TYPE c/m/realloc
ALCERSV1	RESERVED

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#define MVS
/*
 * Set up the run-time options to capture storage allocation
 * trace records.
 */
#pragma runopts("TRACE(ON,16380K,DUMP,LE=8)")
#pragma runopts("RPTSTG(ON)")
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <tcperrno.h>
#include <errno.h>
main()
{
    unsigned char* buf = NULL;
    int i = 0;
    // Perform a free() that should fail (free() trace record R15 != 0).
    buf = (char*)(123456);
    free(buf);
    buf = NULL;
    // Acquire an initial block of storage with malloc().
    buf = (unsigned char*)malloc(128000);
    if (buf != NULL)
    {
        printf("Storage addr is %x\n",buf);
    }
    while (buf != NULL)
    {
        // On alternate passes through the loop, issue a malloc() or calloc().
        if (i == 0)

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    {
        buf = (unsigned char*)malloc(128000);
    }
    else
    {
        buf = (unsigned char*)calloc(40,4000);
    }
    if (errno == ENOMEM || errno == 132)
    {
        printf("No memory available\n");
    }
    else if (buf != NULL)
    {
        printf("Storage addr is %x\n",buf);
        if (i == 0)
        {
// On every second pass through the loop, free the acquired storage.
            free(buf);
            i = 1;
        }
        else
        {
            i = 0;
        }
    }
}
return(0);
}

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User-written ISPF-based VSAM browse utility

Are you tired of seeing the following message saying that you have no VSAM support?

Menu Options View Utilities Compilers Help

DSLIS - Data Sets Matching CICSTS22.**.IV\$FILE VSAM processing unavail.
 Command ==> Scroll ==> PAGE

Command - Enter "/" to select action Message Volume

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B      CICSTS22.BETA.GIIR200.IV$FILE                *VSAM*
      CICSTS22.BETA.GIIR200.IV$FILE.DATA          CICS01
      CICSTS22.BETA.GIIR200.IV$FILE.INDEX        CICS01
      CICSTS22.B1CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE            *VSAM*
      CICSTS22.B1CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.DATA      CICS02
      CICSTS22.B1CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.INDEX    CICS02
      CICSTS22.DDCICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE           *VSAM*
      CICSTS22.DDCICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.DATA     CICS06+
      CICSTS22.DDCICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.INDEX   CICS06+
      CICSTS22.D2CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE           *VSAM*
      CICSTS22.D2CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.DATA     CICS03
      CICSTS22.D2CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.INDEX   CICS03
      CICSTS22.D7CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE           *VSAM*
      CICSTS22.D7CICS.GIIR200.IV$FILE.DATA     CICS03
                                           03
      CICSTS22.BETA.GIIR200.IV$FILE is a VSAM data set. An attempt was M*
      made to invoke a VSAM editor, viewer, or browser, but it is not 04
      allowed due to configuration table settings                          04
                                           M*
      CICSTS22.GIIR120.IV$FILE.BACKUP           *VSAM*

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Try this user-written ISPF-based VSAM browse utility.

PROGRAM

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*=====
*      - BHB - TSO - BROWSE OF VSAM DATASETS.
*=====
VSAMBR  CSECT
VSAMBR  AMODE 31                SET AMODE
        PRINT NOGEN
        SAVE (14,12)          SAVE REGISTERS
        BALR 12,0             DEFINE BASE REGISTER
        USING *,12
        ST 13,SAVE1+4        STORE CALLING ROUTINE SAVE AREA ADDRESS
        LA 15,SAVE1          DEFINE NEW SAVE AREA
        ST 15,8(13)          SAVE NEW SAVE AREA ADDRESS
        LR 13,15             POINT TO NEW SAVE AREA
        ST 12,DDATA          SAVE BASE REGISTER IN DIALOG DATA AREA
VDEFVGET EQU *
        CALL ISPLINK,(VDEF,DSNDDNV,DSNDDNL,FORMATL,LENL,LIST),VL
        CALL ISPLINK,(VGET,DSNDDNV),VL
MODCB ACB=ACB1,DDNAME=(*,DDNAME)
OPEN EQU *
        OPEN ACB1            OPEN VSAM DATASET
        LTR 15,15           OPEN ERROR?
        BZ SHOWCB
        SHOWCB ACB=ACB1,AREA=ERROR,LENGTH=4,FIELDS=ERROR

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    LA    3,116
    C     3,ERROR          VERIFY NEEDED?
    BE    VERIFY
    LA    3,160
    C     3,ERROR          EMPTY DATASET?
    BE    EMPTY
    B     STMSGOPN
VERIFY EQU    *
    VERIFY RPL=RPLVER,ACTION=REFRESH
    LA    3,1
    X     3,OPNAGAIN
    ST    3,OPNAGAIN
    BNZ   CLOSE
STMSGOPN EQU    *
    CALL  ISPLINK,(SETMSG,MSGOPN,COND),VL
    B     CLOSE
SHOWCB  EQU    *
    SHOWCB ACB=ACB1,AREA=NLOGR,LENGTH=4,FIELDS=NLOGR
    L     3,NLOGR
    LTR   3,3              EMPTY DATASET?
    BNZ   CALLBRIF
EMPTY   EQU    *
    CALL  ISPLINK,(SETMSG,MSGEMPTY,COND),VL
    B     CLOSE
CALLBRIF EQU    *
    MODCB RPL=RETRVE,ARG=LOWRBA,OPTCD=(ADR,DIR)
    POINT RPL=RETRVE
    MODCB RPL=RETRVE,OPTCD=(SEQ,FWD)
    CALL  ISPLINK,(BRIF,DSNAME,RECFM,RECL,RADDR,,DDATA),VL
CLOSE   EQU    *
    CLOSE ACB1              CLOSE VSAM DATASET
    L     3,OPNAGAIN
    LTR   3,3
    BNZ   OPEN
RTRN    EQU    *
    L     13,SAVE1+4        RESTORE CALLING ROUTINE SAVE AREA
    RETURN (14,12),RC=0    END VSAM DATASET BROWSING
*=====
*      READ ROUTINE
*=====
READRTN EQU    *
    SAVE  (14,12)
    LM    4,7,0(1)
    L     12,0(7)          ESTABLISH ADDRESSABILITY
    ST    13,RSAVE+4      STORE BRIF ROUTINE SAVE AREA ADDRESS
    LA    15,RSAVE
    ST    15,8(13)        SAVE NEW SAVE AREA ADDRESS
    LR    13,15          POINT TO NEW SAVE AREA
*
```

```

L      3,FIRSTENT      FIRST ENTRY?
LTR    3,3
BNZ    NOTFIRST
LA     3,1
ST     3,FIRSTFLG
ST     3,FIRSTENT
NOTFIRST EQU *
LA     8,AREA1
ST     8,0(4)          STORE RECORD ADDRESS BACK TO BRIF
ST     6,@RRNO        SAVE ADDRESS OF RRNO
L      6,0(6)          LOAD RRNO
L      11,LASTRRNO
CR     6,11           COMPARE
BH     GET1           BRANCH LESS OR EQUAL TO POINT
POINT  EQU *
MODCB  RPL=RETRVE,ARG=LOWRBA,OPTCD=(ADR,DIR)
POINT  RPL=RETRVE
MODCB  RPL=RETRVE,OPTCD=(SEQ,FWD)
LA     11,0           SET COUNTER = 0
GET1   GET  RPL=RETRVE  READ RECORD
SHOWCB RPL=RETRVE,AREA=ALENGTH,LENGTH=4,FIELDS=(RECLEN)
L      3,ALENGTH
ST     3,0(5)          STORE RECORD LENGTH BACK TO BRIF
LA     11,1(11)        ADD 1 TO COUNTER
CR     11,6           LAST RRNO READ
BNE    GET1           NO, GO TO GET1
GOBACK ST  6,LASTRRNO  STORE LAST RRNO READ
LA     10,0           SET RETURN CODE = 0
B      TOBRIF
EODAD1 EQU *
L      3,FIRSTFLG
LTR    3,3
BZ     SETRC8
CALL   ISPLINK,(SETMSG,MSGEMPTY,COND),VL
SETRC8 EQU *
ST     11,LASTRRNO    STORE LAST RRNO OF LAST READ RECORD
L      6,@RRNO        LOAD RRNO ADDRESS
ST     11,0(6)        STORE RRNO BACK TO BRIF
LA     10,8           SET RETURN CODE = 8
B      TOBRIF        RETURN TO BRIF
TOBRIF EQU *
LA     3,0
ST     3,FIRSTFLG
L      13,RSAVE+4     RESTORE BRIF ROUTINE SAVE AREA ADDRESS
L      14,12(13)
LR     15,10          LOAD RETURN CODE
LM     0,12,20(13)
BR     14             RETURN TO BRIF

```

```

*=====
*          VSAM CONTROL BLOCKS

```

```

*=====
ACB1      ACB      EXLST=EXLST1,
                               MACRF=(ADR,SEQ,IN)
                               X
EXLST1    EXLST    EODAD=(EODAD1,A)
RETRVE    RPL      ACB=ACB1,
                               AREA=AREA1,
                               AREALEN=9000,
                               OPTCD=SEQ
                               X
RPLVER    RPL      ACB=ACB1,
                               AREA=AREA1,
                               AREALEN=9000,
                               OPTCD=CNV
                               X
*=====

```

```

*
*      WORK AREAS AND CONSTANTS
*=====

```

```

          LTORG
SAVE1     DC      18F'0'          REGISTER SAVE AREA
RSAVE     DC      18F'0'          REGISTER SAVE AREA
*
VDEF      DC      CL8'VDEFINE '
VGET      DC      CL8'VGET      '
DSNDDNV   DC      CL15'(DSVSAM DDVSAM)'
DSNDDNL   DS      0CL52
DSNAME    DS      CL44' '
DDNAME    DS      CL8' '
FORMATL   DS      0CL16
          DC      CL8'CHAR      '
          DC      CL8'CHAR      '
LENL      DS      0F
DSLEN     DC      F'44'
DDLLEN    DC      F'8'
LIST      DC      CL8'LIST      '
*
SETMSG    DC      CL8'SETMSG    '
MSGOPN    DC      CL8'VSAM005   '
MSGEMPTY  DC      CL8'VSAM004   '
COND      DC      CL8'COND      '
*
BRIF      DC      CL8'BRIF      '
RECFM     DC      CL2'V '
RECL      DC      F'9000'
RADDR     DC      AL4(READRTN)
DDATA     DC      F'0'
*
ALENGTH   DC      F'0'
RRNO      DC      F'0'
@RRNO     DC      F'0'
LASTRRNO  DC      F'0'
LOWRBA    DC      F'0'
NLOGR     DC      F'0'

```

```

ERROR      DC      F'Ø'
OPNAGAIN   DC      F'Ø'
FIRSTENT   DC      F'Ø'
FIRSTFLG   DC      F'Ø'
AREA1      DC      9ØØØF'Ø' /* CAN BE ADJUSTED BASED ON RECORD SIZE */
*
                END    VSAMBR

```

JCL

```

//E411BHBA JOB  (DQMVST,T),BHB.ASSEMBLE.H,MSGCLASS=T,CLASS=A,
//              NOTIFY=E4Ø4BHB
/*JOBPARM  ROOM=E4Ø4
/** **
//ASMHCLG PROC  SYSPRT='*',SYSPUN=Z
//C        EXEC  PGM=IEV9Ø,PARM=(OBJECT),REGION=2Ø48K
//SYSLIB   DD    DSN=SYS1.AMODGEN,DISP=SHR,DCB=BLKSIZE=4Ø8Ø
//          DD    DSN=SYS1.MACLIB,DISP=SHR,DCB=BLKSIZE=4Ø8Ø
//SYSUT1   DD    UNIT=(SYSDA,SEP=SYSLIB),SPACE=(CYL,(1Ø,5)),DSN=&SYSUT1
//SYSPUNCH DD    SYSOUT=&SYSPUN,DCB=(BLKSIZE=8ØØ),
//              SPACE=(CYL,(5,5,Ø))
//SYSPRINT DD  SYSOUT=&SYSPRT,DCB=(BLKSIZE=35Ø9),
//              UNIT=(,SEP=(SYSUT1,SYSPUNCH))
//SYSLIN   DD    DISP=(,PASS),UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(CYL,(5,5,Ø)),          *
//              DCB=(BLKSIZE=4ØØ),DSN=&&LOADSET
//L        EXEC  PGM=IEWL,PARM='MAP,LET,LIST,NCAL,AC=1',
//              COND=(8,LT,C),REGION=2Ø48K
//SYSLIN   DD    DSN=&&LOADSET,DISP=(OLD,DELETE)
//          DD    DDNAME=SYSIN
//SYSLMOD  DD    DISP=(,PASS),UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(CYL,(2,1,2)),DSN=&GOSET(GØ)
//SYSLIB   DD    DISP=SHR,DSN=SYS1.ISP.SISPLOAD <== YOUR ISP LIBRARY
//          DD    DISP=SHR,DSN=SYS1.LINKLIB
//SYSUT1   DD    UNIT=SYSDA,SPACE=(CYL,(3,2)),DSN=&SYSUT1
//SYSPRINT DD  SYSOUT=&SYSPRT,DCB=(RECFM=FB,BLKSIZE=35Ø9)
//          PEND
//STEP1    EXEC  PROC=ASMHCLG
//C.SYSIN  DD    DISP=SHR,DSN=E411BHB.SPF.SOURCE(VSAMBR) <= SOURCE
//L.SYSLMOD DD  DSN=E411BHB.TESTLIB(VSAMBR),DISP=SHR <= LINK LIST LIBRARY
//L.SYSIN  DD    *
            INCLUDE SYSLIB(ISPLINK)
            NAME VSAMBR(R)
/*

```

CLIST

```

PROC Ø
/*-----*
/*

```

```

/*      ALLOCATE A VSAM DATASET FOR BROWSE PURPOSE   BHB
/*
/*-----*
CONTROL MAIN NOFLUSH
START:  +
        ISPEXEC DISPLAY PANEL(BRIFPAN)           /* GET DATASET NAME
        IF &LASTCC GT 0 THEN EXIT
/*-----*
/* CHECK DATASET
/*-----*
        SET MSGCONT = &STR(&SYSDSN('&DSVSAM')) /* DATASET AVAILABLE?
        IF &MSGCONT = OK THEN +
            DO                                     /* YES
                LISTDSI '&DSVSAM' DIRECTORY      /* VSAM?
                IF &SYSDSORG = VS THEN +
                    SYSCALL ALLOCDS &DSVSAM      /* YES: ALLOC
                ELSE ISPEXEC SETMSG MSG(VSAM000) /* NOPE
            END
        ELSE ISPEXEC SETMSG MSG(VSAM001)         /* NO: SET ERROR MSG
        GOTO START
/*-----*
/* ALLOCATE DATASET
/*-----*
ALLOCDS: PROC 1 DSVSAM
        SET TIME = &STR(&SUBSTR(1:2,&SYSTIME)&SUBSTR(4:5,&SYSTIME)+
                    &SUBSTR(7:8,&SYSTIME)) /* CREATE DDNAME
        SET DDVSAM = DD&TIME                /* FROM HHMMSS
        ALLOC DD(&DDVSAM) DA('&DSVSAM') REU SHR /* ALLOC DISP=SHR
        IF &LASTCC = 0 THEN +
            DO
                ISPEXEC VPUT (DSVSAM,DDVSAM) SHARED /* VPUT DSN AND DDN
                ISPEXEC SELECT PGM(BRIFASM)          /* CALL PRM TO BROWSE
                FREE DD(&DDVSAM)                    /* FREE DATASET
            END                                       /* SET ERROR
        ELSE ISPEXEC SETMSG MSG(VSAM002)
        END
EXIT: EXIT

```

ISPMLIB

```

VSAM000 .ALARM=YES
'DATASET SPECIFIED IS NOT A VSAM DATASET.'

```

```

VSAM001 .ALARM=YES
'&MSGCONT.'

```

```

VSAM002 .ALARM=YES
'&DSVSAM COULD NOT BE ALLOCATED.'

```



```
VSAM003 .ALARM=YES
'INVALID SPECIFICATION IN A VSAM DATASET NAME.'
```

```
VSAM004 .ALARM=YES
'EMPTY VSAM DATASET HAS BEEN REQUESTED.'
```

```
VSAM005 .ALARM=YES
'OPEN OF DATASET ACB FAILED.'
```

ISPPLIB

```
)ATTR DEFAULT(%+_)
)BODY
%-----BROWSE VSAM DATASET -----+
%COMMAND ==>_ZCMD
%
%                                +USERID - &ZUSER
%                                +TIME    - &ZTIME
%                                +TERMINAL - &ZTERM
%                                +PF KEYS - &ZKEYS
%                                +APPLID  - &ZAPPLID
%
+VSAM DATASET:
+  PROJECT%=>_PRJV    +
+  GROUP  %=>_LIBV    +
+  TYPE   %=>_TYPV    +
+
+OTHER VSAM DATASET:
+  DATA SET NAME%=>_WDSN
+

)INIT
&ZCMD = ' '
IF (&WDSN ^= ' ') .CURSOR = WDSN
.CURSOR = PRJV

)PROC
VPUT (PRJV,LIBV,TYPV) PROFILE
IF (&WDSN = ' ')
  &DSVSAM = '&PRJV..&LIBV..&TYPV'
  VER (&DSVSAM,DSNAME)
ELSE
  &WDSN1 = TRUNC (&WDSN, '(') /* IF MEMBER SPECIFIED
  IF (&WDSN1 ^= &WDSN) .MSG=VSAM003 /* SET ERROR MSG
  ELSE
    &W = TRUNC (&WDSN,1)
    IF (&W = ''')
      &DSVSAM = .TRAIL /* IF WITH QUOTE
      &DSVSAM = TRUNC (&DSVSAM, ''') /* GET RID OF IT
    ELSE /* IF NO QUOTE
```

```
&DSVSAM = 'SYSUID..&WDSN'          /* ADD PREFIX
VER (&DSVSAM,DSNAME)
```

```
)END
```

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Moving data between GDGs and HFS directories

As more applications are beginning to exploit USS functionality, I have found it necessary to have a way to move data between GDGs and HFS directories. This is the result of greater exploitation of native USS, and, in our shop, also because of the extensive exploitation of other Unix directories being NFS mounted on the mainframe.

I developed two programs to deal with this situation. The first program is called GDG2HFS. As the name implies, it is responsible for copying or moving all the entries in a GDG to a target directory on the USS side. The second program is called HFS2GDG. As its name implies, it is responsible for copying or moving all files in an HFS directory to new entries in a GDG. Both utilities are intended to be used in batch.

GDG2HFS JCL

```
//jobcard...
//*****
/* EXECUTE GDG2HFS - copy an entire GDG to an HFS directory      *
/*                                                              *
/* GDG2HFS is the REXX EXEC                                       *
/*                                                              *
/* First parm is the REXX EXEC name to IKJEFT01                  *
/* Second parm is the target directory                            *
/* Third parm is the temporary directory                          *
/* Fourth parm is the rename pattern (suffixed with a seq number) *
/*                                                              *
/* SYSEXEC points to the PDS that the REXX EXEC is uploaded into *
/*                                                              *
```

```

/** INPUT points to the GDG Base name *
/** *
//*****
//GDG2HFS EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01,
//          PARM='GDG2HFS /your/dir /your/dir/temp EXAMPLE'
//SYSEXEC DD DSN=your.EXEC,DISP=SHR
//SYSTSPRT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSTSIN DD DUMMY
//INPUT DD DSN=your.gdg,DISP=SHR

```

GDG2HFS reads the MVS catalog to acquire the GDG entries and uses OPUT to copy each file to the USS directory. It first copies each file to a temporary directory. This ensures the copy is possible. Then it MVs the file (USS MOVE command) to the target directory. This will find any permission errors you may encounter with the directory.

In the JCL:

- 1 SYSEXEC points to the PDS where you put GDG2HFS.
- 2 The INPUT DD in the JCL points to the source GDG to copy/move.
- 3 The second PARM is the target HFS directory for the files (usually the application directory).
- 4 The third PARM is a temporary directory to ensure that the copy can be done (usually a personal directory).
- 5 The fourth PARM is a name pattern to use for the target file on the HFS. This name will be suffixed with a sequential number. The default is TEST.
- 6 Remember USS is case sensitive, so use CAPS OFF in your ISPF session.

Like any JCL using GDGs, you can control whether the GDG is deleted in the JCL using the DISP keyword. I recommend using a subsequent step with adequate COND or IF statements to ensure that all entries were successfully copied before deleting your original GDG files.

Sample output from GDG2HFS looks like this:

YOUR.GDG is a valid GDG Base

```
YOUR.GDG.G0001V00 --> /your/dir/temp/YOUR.GDG.G0001V00
YOUR.GDG.G0001V00 --> /your/dir/EXAMPLE0001
YOUR.GDG.G0002V00 --> /your/dir/temp/YOUR.GDG.G0002V00
YOUR.GDG.G0002V00 --> /your/dir/EXAMPLE0002
YOUR.GDG.G0003V00 --> /your/dir/temp/YOUR.GDG.G0003V00
YOUR.GDG.G0003V00 --> /your/dir/EXAMPLE0003
YOUR.GDG.G0004V00 --> /your/dir/temp/YOUR.GDG.G0004V00
YOUR.GDG.G0004V00 --> /your/dir/EXAMPLE0004
```

4 GDG entries moved to /your/dir, RC=0

GDG2HFS REXX EXEC

```
/******  
/*                               REXX                               */  
/******  
/* Purpose: Push all GDSs from a GDG to HFS files                */  
/*-----  
/* Syntax:  GDG2HFS targdir tempdir pattern                      */  
/*-----  
/* Parms:  targdir   - Target directory                          */  
/*         tempdir   - Temporary directory                       */  
/*         pattern   - File name pattern for destination directory */  
/*-----  
/* Notes:  DDNAME INPUT must be allocated and point to the GDG Base */  
/******  
/*                               Change Log                       */  
/******  
/* Accept arguments and set pattern to default of 'TEST' if missing */  
/******  
parse arg targdir tempdir pattern  
if targdir = '' then  
  do  
    EXITRC = 12  
    msg = 'Target directory name is missing'  
    signal shutdown  
  end  
if tempdir = '' then  
  do  
    EXITRC = 12  
    msg = 'Temporary directory name is missing'  
    signal shutdown  
  end  
if pattern = '' then pattern = 'TEST'  
/******  
/* Find the INPUT DD for the GDG Base name                      */  
/******
```

```

LRC = listdsi('INPUT' 'FILE')
if LRC <> 0 then
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'INPUT DD is missing'
    signal shutdown
  end
  /*****
  /* Parse the DSN in the DD to see whether it is a GDG
  */
  /*****
  revdsn = reverse(sysdsname)
  if pos('V',revdsn) = 3 & pos('G.',revdsn) = 8 then
    do
      parse var revdsn goovoo '.' revdsn
      gdgbase = reverse(revdsn)
      say gdgbase 'is a valid GDG Base'
      say
    end
  else
    do
      EXITRC = 12
      msg = 'DSN in INPUT DD does not appear to be a GDG Base'
      signal shutdown
    end
    /*****
    /* Get DSN details from a LISTCAT
    */
    /*****
    call outtrap 'listc.'
    "LISTCAT ENT('"gdgbase"')"
    EXITRC = RC
    if EXITRC <> 0 then
      do
        msg = 'LISTCAT error on' gdgbase
        signal shutdown
      end
      /*****
      /* Check whether DSN is a GDG Base
      */
      /*****
      if word(listc.1,1) <> 'GDG' then
        do
          EXITRC = 12
          msg = 'DSN on INPUT DD is not a GDG base'
          signal shutdown
        end
        /*****
        /* Load list of GDSs
        */
        /*****
        gdsnum = 1
        do i=1 to listc.0
          parse var listc.i type . gdsdsn

```

```

    if type = 'NONVSAM' then
        do
            gds.gdsnum = gdsdsn
            gdsnum = gdsnum + 1
        end
    else
        iterate
    end
end
/*****
/* Process all GDSs
/*****
do i=1 to gdsnum-1
/*****
/* OPUT each GDS to the same name in the directory in BINARY
/*****
    tempname = tempdir '/' gds.i
    "OPUT '"gds.i"' '"tempname"' BINARY"
    EXITRC = RC
    if EXITRC <> 0 then
        do
            msg = 'OPUT error on' gds.i '-->' tempname
            signal shutdown
        end
    else
        do
            say gds.i '-->' tempname
/*****
/* MOVE the file to the target directory and rename using a pattern
/*****
            newname = targdir '/' pattern || right(i,4,0)
            "BPXBATCH SH mv" tempname newname
            EXITRC = RC / 256
            if EXITRC <> 0 then
                do
                    msg = 'BPXBATCH error during MV' tempname '-->' newname
                    signal shutdown
                end
            else
                do
                    say gds.i '-->' newname
                end
            end
        end
    end
end
/*****
/* Completion message
/*****
msg = gdsnum-1 'GDG entries moved to' targdir
/*****
/* Shutdown
/*****

```

```
shutdown: say
          say msg', RC='EXITRC
          exit(EXITRC)
```

HFS2GDG JCL

```
//jobcard...
//*****
/** EXECUTE HFS2GDG - Copy each file in an HFS directory to a GDG *
/**                                                    *
/** HFS2GDG is the REXX EXEC *
/**                                                    *
/** First parm is the REXX EXEC name to IKJEFT01 *
/** Second parm is the target directory *
/** Third parm is a pattern to use in the target directory *
/**          YES to DELETE HFS after COPY, NO to KEEP HFS *
/** Fourth parm is a pattern to use in the target directory *
/**          Only supports a trailing '*' *
/**                                                    *
/** SYSEXEC points to the PDS that the REXX EXEC is uploaded into *
/** MODEL points to the zero generation of the GDG or the GDG base *
//*****
//HFS2GDG EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01,
//          PARM='HFS2GDG /your/dir YES EXAMPLE*'
//SYSEXEC DD DSN=your.EXEC,DISP=SHR
//SYSTSPRT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSTSIN DD DUMMY
//MODEL DD DSN=your.gdg(0),DISP=SHR
```

HFS2GDG first confirms that the MODEL DD exists and points to a valid GDG. It must have the ZERO generation so it knows where to begin the numbering of subsequent additions to the GDG. If the ZERO generation is not provided, it will have problems cataloging the generated datasets. HFS2GDG reads the source directory for all 'regular' files with the named pattern. It then uses OCOPY to copy the file to the next GDG DSN. If the DELETE PARM is set to YES, the original HFS file is RMed (removed).

In the JCL:

- 1 SYSEXEC points to the PDS where you put HFS2GDG.
- 2 The MODEL DD in the JCL points to the ZERO generation of the target GDG to receive the files.

- 3 The second PARM is the source HFS directory to find the files (usually the application directory).
- 4 The third PARM is the DELETE indicator. If YES, this deletes the source HFS file. If NO, the source HFS file is **not** deleted.
- 5 The fourth PARM is a name pattern used to find the source file on the HFS directory. This name will be wildcarded so all files beginning with this value will be OCOPYed. Only a trailing '*' is supported.
- 6 Remember USS is case sensitive, so use CAPS OFF in your ISPF session.

HFS2GDG OUTPUT

OPSR0Z.TEST.GDG is a valid GDG Base

```
OCOPY successful YOUR.GDG.G0005V00 <-- /your/dir/EXAMPLE0001
RM successfully removed /your/dir/EXAMPLE0001
OCOPY successful YOUR.GDG.G0006V00 <-- /your/dir/EXAMPLE0002
RM successfully removed /your/dir/EXAMPLE0002
OCOPY successful YOUR.GDG.G0007V00 <-- /your/dir/EXAMPLE0003
RM successfully removed /your/dir/EXAMPLE0003
OCOPY successful YOUR.GDG.G0008V00 <-- /your/dir/EXAMPLE0004
RM successfully removed /your/dir/EXAMPLE0004
```

4 HFS files moved from /your/dir to MVS DSN's, RC=0

HFS2GDG REXX EXEC

```

/*****
/*                               REXX                               */
/*****
/* Purpose: Pull all HFS files from a directory and load a GDG      */
/*-----*/
/* Syntax:  HFS2GDG targdir delete pattern                          */
/*-----*/
/* Params: targdir    - Target directory                            */
/*          delete    - YES to DELETE HFS after COPY, NO to KEEP HFS */
/*          pattern   - File name pattern in target directory        */
/*                   - trailing asterisk only                       */
/*-----*/
/* Notes: DDNAME MODEL must be allocated and point to the zero gen */
/*          or the GDG base. This DSN will be used as the pattern for */

```



```

/*          all additions to the GDG from this EXEC.          */
/*****/
/*          Change Log          */
/*****/
/* Accept arguments          */
/*****/
parse arg targdir delete pattern
if targdir = '' then
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'Target directory name is missing'
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****/
/* Default DELETE to NO          */
/*****/
if delete = '' then
  delete = 'NO'
/*****/
/* Default PATTERN to '*'          */
/*****/
if pattern = '' then
  pattern = '*'
else
  if pos('*',pattern) = 0 then
    pattern = pattern||'*'
/*****/
/* Confirm MODEL DD is allocated          */
/*****/
LRC = listdsi('MODEL' 'FILE')
if LRC <> 0 then
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'MODEL DD is missing'
    signal shutdown
  end
modeldsn = sysdsname
/*****/
/* Establish allocation values for the GDG          */
/*****/
lrecl = syslrecl
blksize = sysblksize
spaceunit = sysunits
primary = sysprimary
secondary = sysseconds
unit = sysunit
recfm = ''
temprecfm = sysrecfm
do i=1 to length(temprecfm)
  recfm = recfm||' '||substr(temprecfm,i,1)

```

```

end
/*****
/* Parse the DSN in the DD to see whether it is a GDG
/*****
revdsn = reverse(modeldsn)
if pos('V',revdsn) = 3 & pos('G.',revdsn) = 8 then
  do
    parse var revdsn goovoo '.' revdsn
    gdgbase = reverse(revdsn)
    goovoo = reverse(goovoo)
    say gdgbase 'is a valid GDG Base'
    say
  end
else
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'DSN in INPUT DD does not appear to be a GDG Base' modeldsn
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****
/* Get DSN details from a LISTCAT
/*****
call outtrap 'listc.'
address TSO "LISTCAT ENT('gdgbase')"
EXITRC = RC
if EXITRC <> 0 then
  do
    msg = 'LISTCAT error on' gdgbase
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****
/* Check whether DSN is a GDG Base
/*****
if word(listc.1,1) <> 'GDG' then
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'DSN on MODEL DD is not from a GDG' gdgbase
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****
/* Establish the SYSCALL environment
/*****
if syscalls('ON') <> 0 then
  do
    EXITRC = 20
    msg = 'Error establishing the SYSCALL environment'
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****
/* Read the target directory
*/

```

```

/*****/
address SYSCALL "readdir" targdir 'file.' 'stat.'
EXITRC = RETVAL
if EXITRC <> 0 then
  do
    EXITRC = 12
    msg = 'Error reading target directory' targdir,
          'RETVAL='RETVAL 'ERRNO='ERRNO 'ERRNOJR='ERRNOJR
    signal shutdown
  end
/*****/
/* Process only regular files */
/*****/
hfsnum = 0
do i=1 to file.0
  if stat.i.ST_TYPE = S_ISREG then
    do
/*****/
/* Pattern processing */
/*****/
      if pattern <> '*' then
        do
          splat = pos('*',pattern) - 1
          if substr(file.i,1,splat) /= substr(pattern,1,splat) then
            iterate
          end
/*****/
/* Maintain counter and HFS filename */
/*****/
          hfsnum = hfsnum + 1
          hfsfile = targdir '/' file.i
/*****/
/* Allocate the PATH */
/*****/
          "ALLOC F(HFSIN) PATH('"hfsfile"') PATHOPTS(ORDONLY)"
          EXITRC = RC
          if EXITRC <> 0 then
            do
              msg = 'ALLOC PATH error on' hfsfile
              signal shutdown
            end
/*****/
/* Set the GOOV00 for the next GDG */
/*****/
          parse var goovoo 'G' num1 'V' num2
          num1 = right((num1 + 1),4,0)
          if num1 = '0000' then
            num2 = right((num2 + 1),2,0)
          goovoo = 'G' || num1 || 'V' || num2
          dsn = gdgbase '.' goovoo

```

```

/*****
/* Allocate the +1 GDG
/*****
      "ALLOC F(GDGOUT) DA('"dsn"') NEW CATALOG UNIT("unit")" spaceunit,
      "LRECL("lrecl") BLKSIZE("blksize") RECFM("recfm)",
      "SPACE("primary secondary")"
      EXITRC = RC
      if EXITRC <> 0 then
        do
          msg = 'ALLOC DSN error on' dsn
          signal shutdown
        end
/*****
/* OCOPY the HFS to the GDG
/*****
      "OCOPY INDD(HFSIN) OUTDD(GDGOUT) BINARY"
      EXITRC = RC
      if EXITRC <> 0 then
        do
          msg = 'OCOPY error on' hfsfile '-->' dsn
          signal shutdown
        end
      else
        do
          "FREE F(HFSIN)"
          "FREE F(GDGOUT)"
          say 'OCOPY successful' dsn '<--' hfsfile
        end
/*****
/* Determine whether DELETE processing is required
/*****
      if delete = 'YES' then
        do
          "BPXBATCH SH rm" hfsfile
          EXITRC = RC / 256
          if EXITRC <> 0 then
            do
              msg = 'BPXBATCH error during RM' hfsfile
              signal shutdown
            end
          else
            do
              say 'RM successfully removed' hfsfile
            end
          end
        end
      end
end
/*****
/* Completion message
/*****

```

```

if delete = 'YES' then
    context = 'moved'
else
    context = 'copied'
msg = hfsnum 'HFS files' context 'from' targdir 'to MVS DSN''s'
/*****/
/* Shutdown */
/*****/
shutdown: call syscalls('OFF')
        say
        say msg', RC='EXITRC
        exit(EXITRC)

```

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REXX commands and the USS environment

The USS (Unix System Services) is the Unix environment available with the z/OS operating system. z/OS Unix System Services (z/OS Unix) gives the z/OS operating system an open standards interface. It consists of three features:

- 1 A shell and utilities that can be used to enter shell commands, write shell scripts, and work with the filesystem.
- 2 A debugger that an application programmer can use to debug a z/OS Unix System Services application program written using the C language.
- 3 An API (Application Program Interface) that can be used to manage and control the USS environment.

This document describes how to use a REXX program to communicate with the USS through the API.

To establish a connection between the programs (REXX, COBOL, Assembler, C, etc) and z/OS Unix we use the syscall function. This is illustrated in Figure 1.

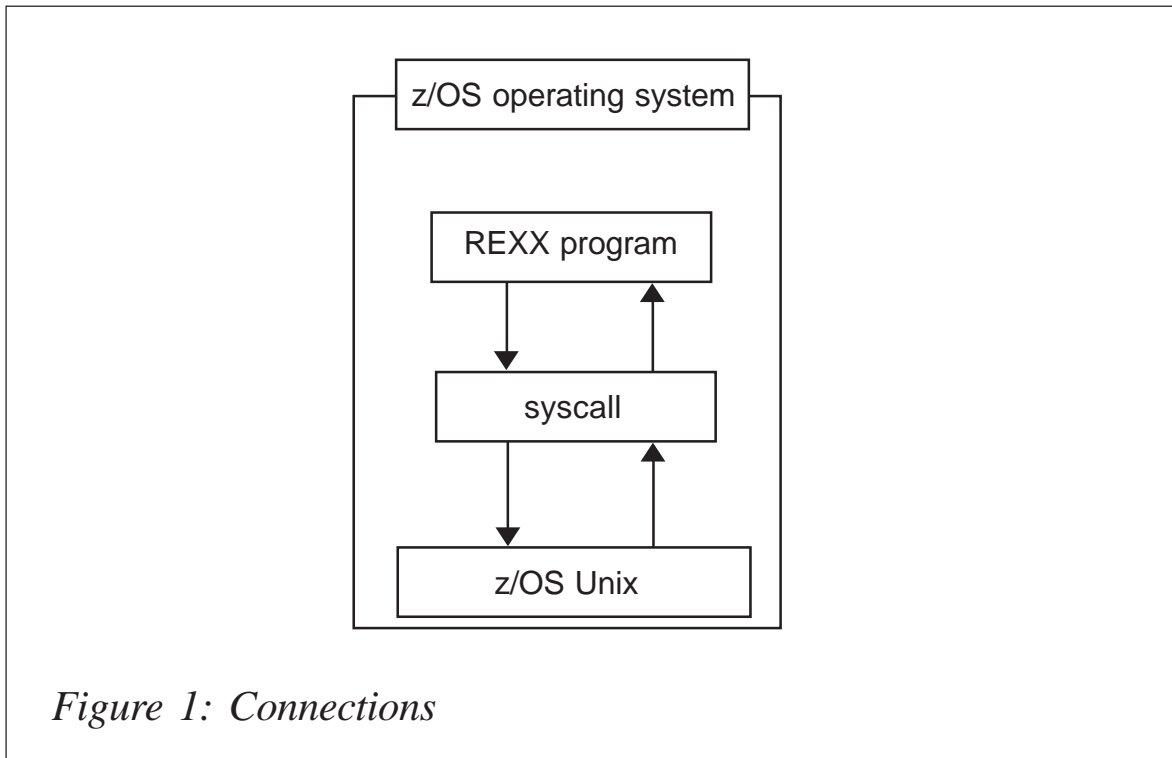


Figure 1: Connections

TYPES OF API FUNCTION

The general types of API function are:

- Application management (process/thread)
- File and directory management
- IPC management (InterProcess Communication)
- Security management
- Network and socket management
- System management.

The following are examples of some API functions (the name is followed by the function's scope):

- `access` – invokes the `access` callable service to determine whether the caller can access a file.
- `chdir` – invokes the `chdir` callable service to change the working directory.

- `fstat` – invokes the `fstat` callable service to get status information about a file that is identified by its file descriptor.
- `getcwd` – invokes the `getcwd` callable service to get the pathname of the working directory.
- `getegid` – invokes the `getegid` callable service to get the effective group ID (GID) of the calling process.
- `getmntent` – invokes the `w_getmntent` callable service to get information about the mounted filesystems, or a specific mounted filesystem, and returns the information formatted in a stem.
- `getpsent` – invokes the `w_getpsent` callable service to provide data describing the status of all the processes to which you are authorized. The data is formatted in a stem. The `PS_` variables, or their numeric equivalents, are used to access the fields.
- `readdir` – invokes the `opendir`, `readdir`, and `closedir` callable services to read multiple name entries from a directory and format the information in a stem.
- `sleep` – invokes the `sleep` callable service to suspend running of the calling thread (process) until either the number of seconds specified by a number has elapsed, or a signal is delivered to the calling thread to invoke a signal-catching function or end the thread.

CALLING THE APIs

The user that starts the REXX program must have an Open Edition Segment (OMVS). The OMVS segment is created, in the case of the RACF security system, with the following commands:

```
ALTUSER userid OMVS(UID(1111) GID(2222) HOME('/u/userid') PROGRAM('/bin/sh'))
```

1111 is the ID assigned to the user, and *2222* is the ID assigned to the group.

The rules for calling the API's function from REXX are:

- Initialize the environment.
- Include the address syscall statement.
- Include the API name in quotes.

Below are some examples of REXX API usage.

XUSERS

This example shows how to retrieve user profile information for OMVS users:

```
/** REXX ***/
/*****
/* This program is a REXX UNIX API call */
/* The API name is : getpwent */
/* Target: Retrieve user profile information for OMVS users */
*****/
IF SYSCALLS('ON')>3 THEN
  DO
    SAY 'Unable to establish the SYSCALL environment'
    SAY 'Return code was 'RC
    RETURN
  END
say "User profile information for OMVS users"
say " "
say "Today is " date() " " time()
say " "
ADDRESS SYSCALL
DO FOREVER
  "getpwent pw." /* Store the output to the STEM variable pw.x */
  IF retval=0 ! retval=-1 THEN ,
    LEAVE
say 'Name='left(pw.PW_NAME,10),
'Uid='left(pw.PW_UID,5) ,
'Gid='left(pw.PW_GID,4) ,
'Dir='left(pw.PW_DIR,25) ,
'Shell='left(pw.PW_SHELL,8)
end
exit 0
```

Remarks:

- SYSCALLS('ON') – environment initialization.

- ADDRESS SYSCALL – the syscall statement.
- "getpwent pw." – API name in quotes.
- pw. – this is the REXX stem variable to store the command output.
- pw.0 – contains the number of variables returned. You can use the predefined variables beginning with PW_ to access the values:
 - PW_DIR – the initial working directory
 - PW_GID – the group ID
 - PW_NAME – the TSO/E user ID
 - PW_SHELL – the name of the initial user program.
 - PW_UID – the user ID (UID) as defined to RACF.

XUNAME

This example shows how to retrieve information about the system you are running on:

```

/**** REXX ****/
/*****
/* This program is a REXX UNIX API call */
/* The API name is : uname */
/* Target: Retrieve info about the system you are running on */
/*****
  IF SYSCALLS('ON')>3 THEN
    DO
      SAY 'Unable to establish the SYSCALL environment'
      SAY 'Return code was 'RC
      RETURN
    END
  say "System info"
  say " "
  say "Today is " date() " " time()
  say " "
  ADDRESS SYSCALL
    "uname us." /* Store the output to the STEM variable us.x */
  if retval = -1 then do
    "strerror" errno errnojr 'erd.'
    say "Error =" erd.se_errno

```

```

                say "Reason =" erd.se_reason
                say "Module =" erd.se_modid
                exit
            end
/* The name of the hardware type on which the system is running */
say    'Hardware type : 'left(us.u_machine,10)
/* The name of this node within the communication network */
say    'System Id      : 'left(us.u_nodename,10)
/* The name of Operating system (Z/OS) */
say    'OS Type        : 'left(us.u_sysname,10)
/* The current release level of this Operating System */
say    'OS Release     : 'left(us.u_release,10)
/* The current Version level of this Operating System */
say    'OS Version     : 'left(us.u_version,10)
exit 0

```

Remarks:

- *retval* is the special variable containing the command return code. A value equal to -1 means that the command is in error.
- The API *strerror* retrieves text for error codes and reason codes.
- *erd.* is the REXX stem variable to store the command output.
- *us.0* contains the number of variables returned. To access the information, you specify the predefined variables beginning with *U_* that derive the appropriate numeric value:
 - *U_MACHINE* – the name of the hardware type on which the system is running.
 - *U_NODENAME* – the name of this node within the communication network.
 - *U_RELEASE* – the current release level of this implementation.
 - *U_SYSNAME* – the name of this implementation of the operating system (z/OS).
 - *U_VERSION* – the current version level of this release.

XPROCESS

This example shows how to retrieve data describing the status of all processes:

```
/* REXX */
/*****
/* This program is a REXX UNIX API call */
/* The API name are: getpsent and getpwuid */
/* Target: Retrieve data describing the status of all process */
/* */
/* Remark: */
/* To display all process data, the user that gives the command*/
/* must have uid = 0 */
/* If the user has a uid ne 0 the command shows the data only */
/* for the user giving the command */
*****/
IF SYSCALLS('ON')>3 THEN
  DO
    SAY 'Unable to establish the SYSCALL environment'
    SAY 'Return code was 'RC
    RETURN
  END
say "Process Information"
say " "
say "Today is " date() " " time()
say " "
say left('Name',10) left('Pid',10) ,
  left('PPid',10) left('USR_CPU',10) left('Racfid',10) 'Command'
say left('----',10) left('---',10) ,
  left('----',10) left('(Secs)',10) left('-----',10) '-----'
ADDRESS SYSCALL
  "seteuid 0" /* The user that give the commands
              must have uid = 0) */
  "getpsent ps." /* store the output to the stem variable ps.x */
  if retval = -1 then do
    "strerror" errno errnojrr 'erd.'
    say "Error =" erd.se_errno
    say "Reason =" erd.se_reason
    say "Module =" erd.se_modid
    exit
  end
do i=1 to ps.0
  "getpwuid "ps.i.ps_euid" pw." /* store the output to the
                              stem variable pw.x */
  name= pw.pw_name /* The TS0/E user ID */
  namr= pw.pw_uid /* The user ID (UID) as defined to RACF */
  say left(name,10),
  left(ps.i.ps_pid,10), /* Process ID */
  left(ps.i.ps_ppid,10), /* Parent Process ID */
```

```

left(ps.i.PS_USERTIME,10), /* User CPU times in 1/100ths of sec */
left(namr,10),
ps.i.ps_cmd /* Command */
end
exit 0

```

Remarks:

- "seteuid 0" – the user giving the commands must have uid = 0.

Users authorized to perform special functions are defined as having appropriate privileges, and they are called superusers. Appropriate privileges also belong to users with:

- a user ID of zero.
- RACF-supported user privileges trusted and privileged, regardless of their user ID.

A user can switch to superuser authority (with an effective UID of 0) if the user is inserted into the ACL (Access Control List) of the BPX.SUPERUSER FACILITY class profile within RACF.

The RACF command is:

```

permit BPX.SUPERUSER id(user/group) access(READ) class(FACILITY)

```

The "seteuid 0" command can be used to switch to superuser authority.

To display all process data, the user giving the command must have uid = 0. If the user has a uid that is not equal to 0, the command shows only the process for that user.

- ps.0 contains the number of processes for which information is returned. ps.1 to ps.*n* (where *n* is the number of entries returned) each contain process information for the *n*th process. You can use the predefined variables that begin with PS_ to access the information. For example, ps.1.ps_pid is the process ID for the first process returned:

- PS_CMD – command
- PS_CONTTY – controlling tty
- PS_EGID – effective group ID
- PS_EUID – effective user ID
- PS_FGPID – foreground process group ID
- PS_MAXVNODES – maximum number of vnode tokens allowed
- PS_PATH – pathname
- PS_PGPID – process group ID
- PS_PID – process ID
- PS_PPID – parent process ID
- PS_RGID – real group ID
- PS_RUID – real user ID
- PS_SERVERFLAGS – server flags
- PS_SERVERNAME – server name supplied on registration
- PS_SERVERTYPE – server type (File=1; Lock=2)
- PS_SGID – saved set group ID
- PS_SID – session ID (leader)
- PS_SIZE – total size
- PS_STARTTIME – starting time, in POSIX format (seconds since the Epoch,00:00:00 on 1 January 1970)
- PS_STAT – process status
- PS_STATE – process state. This value can be expressed as one of the following:
 - o PS_CHILD – waiting for a childprocess

- PS_FORK – fork() a new process
 - PS_FREEZE – QUIESCEFREEZE
 - PS_MSGRCV – IPC MSGRCV WAIT
 - PS_MSGSND – IPC MSGSND WAIT
 - PS_PAUSE – MVSPAUSE
 - PS_QUIESCE – quiesce termination wait
 - PS_RUN – running, not in kernel wait
 - PS_SEMWT – IPC SEMOP WAIT
 - PS_SLEEP – sleep() issued
 - PS_WAITC – communication kernel wait
 - PS_WAITF – filesystem kernel wait
 - PS_WAITO – other kernel wait
 - PS_ZOMBIE – process cancelled
 - PS_ZOMBIE2 – process terminated yet still the session or process group leader.
- PS_SUID – saved set user ID
 - PS_SYSTIME – system CPU time, a value of the type `clock_t`, which needs to be divided by `sysconf(_SC_CLK_TK)` to convert it to seconds. For z/OS Unix, this value is expressed in hundredths of a second.
 - PS_USERTIME – user CPU time, a value of the type `clock_t`, which needs to be divided by `sysconf(_SC_CLK_TK)` to convert it to seconds. For z/OS Unix, this value is expressed in hundredths of a second.
 - PS_VNODECOUNT – current number of vnode tokens.

XMOUNT

This example shows how to get information about the mounted filesystems:

```
/** REXX ***/
/*****
/* This program is a REXX UNIX API call */
/* The API name are : getmntent and statfs */
/* Target: get information about the mounted filesystems, */
/* or a specific mounted filesystem, and return */
/* the information formatted in a stem. */
*****/
IF SYSCALLS('ON')>3 THEN
DO
SAY 'Unable to establish the SYSCALL environment'
SAY 'Return code was 'RC
RETURN
END
say "Mounted Filesystem"
say " "
say "Today is " date() " " time()
say " "
ADDRESS SYSCALL
"getmntent mounts." /* get information about the mounted
filesystem and store the output to
STEM variable mounts.x */
if retval = -1 then do
"strerror" errno errnojr 'erd.'
say "Error =" erd.se_errno
say "Reason =" erd.se_reason
say "Module =" erd.se_modid
exit
end
do i = 1 to mounts.0
/* The name of the HFS data set containing the file system */
say i") Dataset-name " left(mounts.MNTE_FSNAME.i,30)
/* The mountpoint pathname */
say " Mount Point " left(mounts.MNTE_PATH.i,30)
/* The name of the owning system */
say " Sysname " left(mounts.MNTE_sysname.i,30)
mnt = strip(mounts.MNTE_FSNAME.i)
"statfs ("mnt") st." /* Obtain status information about a
specified file system */
/* Filesystem Block size */
say " Blocksize " left(st.STFS_BLOCKSIZE,6) ,
"(Bytes)"
/* Filesystem Total space in block-size units */
say " Total space " left(st.STFS_TOTAL,6) ,
"(Blksize Unit)"
```

```

/* Filesystem Allocated space in block-size units */
  say "    Alloc space    " left(st.STFS_INUSE,6)  ,
      "(Blksize Unit)"
/* Filesystem Space available in block-size units */
  say "    Space avail    " left(st.STFS_AVAIL,6) ,
      "(Blksize Unit)"
/* Filesystem % Utilization */
  say "    % Utilization  " ((st.STFS_INUSE/st.STFS_TOTAL)*100) %1"%
  say "-----"
end
exit 0

```

XPPRIM

To simplify the use of the programs, I have created an ISPF interface. This is the ISPF panel in which the information is shown:

```

)attr default(%+_)
~ type(text) intens(high) caps(off) just(asis ) color(turq)
hilite(reverse)
% type(text) intens(high) color(white)
+ type(text) color(blue)
! type(text) color(red)
@ type(output)
)Body Expand(\)
%- \- \- ~UNIX System Services Display%- \- \-
%
%
!Selection ==>_ZCMD +
%
%
%
+1% Mount .....+Get information about the mounted file systems
+2% Process ...+Retrieve data describing the status of all process
+3% Users .....+Retrieve user profile information for OMVS users
+4% Sysinfo ...+Retrieve info about the system you are running on
+X% Exit
+
+
+Userid: &ZUSER + Date: &ZDATE + Time: &ZTIME +
+
+
)PROC
&zsel = trans(&ZCMD
              1, 'CMD(XMOUNT)'
              2, 'CMD(XPROCESS)')

```



```

        3,'CMD(XUSERS)'
        4,'CMD(XUNAME)'
        X,'EXIT'
        *,'?'
    )
)end

```

XSTART

This is the start-up program.

```

/* REXX */
dsn = "userid.lib.exec"
address TSO "ALTLIB ACTIVATE APPLICATION(CLIST) DA("dsn")"
address ISPEXEC "LIBDEF ISPPLIB DATASET ID("dsn") STACK"
address ISPEXEC "LIBDEF ISPMLIB DATASET ID("dsn") STACK"
address ISPEXEC "SELECT PANEL(XPPRIM) NEWAPPL(ISR) PASSLIB"
address ISPEXEC "LIBDEF ISPMLIB"
address ISPEXEC "LIBDEF ISPPLIB"
address TSO "ALTLIB DEACTIVATE APPLICATION(CLIST) "
exit 0

```

INSTALLATION

Allocate the `userid.lib.exec` library with these characteristics:

```

Organization . . . . . : P0
Record format . . . . . : FB
Record length . . . . . : 80
Block size . . . . . . . : 27920
1st extent tracks . . . . . : 3
Secondary tracks . . . : 15
Data set name type : PDS

```

Copy `XUSERS`, `XMOUNT`, `XPROCESS`, `XUNAME`, `XPPRIM`, and `XSTART` to the `userid.lib.exec` library.

To get the appropriate authorization, add the OMVS segment:

```

ALTUSER userid OMVS(UID(1111) GID(2222) HOME('/u/userid') PROGRAM('/bin/sh'))

```

Get authorization for the user/group to switch to superuser:

```

permit BPX.SUPERUSER id(user/group) access(READ) class(FACILITY).

```

The `"setuid 0"` command can be used to switch to superuser authority.

To start-up, from the TSO Option 6 type:

ex 'userid.lib.exec(xstart)' ex

This selection menu is shown:

----- UNIX System Services Display -----

Selection ==>

- 1 Mount Get information about the mounted file systems
- 2 Process ... Retrieve data describing the status of all process
- 3 Users Retrieve user profile information for OMVS users
- 4 Sysinfo ... Retrieve info about the system you are running on
- X Exit

Userid: userid Date: 05/04/12 Time: 14:59

Selecting Option 1 gives this report:

Mounted Filesystem

Today is 12 Apr 2005 15:06:35

1) Dataset-name OMVS.DEVEL.SVILPLEX.ILMUC
 Mount Point /DEVEL/etc/licgmt/certs
Sysname DEVEL
Blocksize 4096 (Bytes)
Total space 180 (Blksize Unit)
Alloc space 5 (Blksize Unit)
Space avail 158 (Blksize Unit)
% Utilization 2%

2) Dataset-name OMVS.PROD.PRODPLEX.ILMSPDM
 Mount Point /PROD/etc/licgmt/ilmadb
Sysname PROD
Blocksize 4096 (Bytes)
Total space 180 (Blksize Unit)
Alloc space 5 (Blksize Unit)
Space avail 158 (Blksize Unit)
% Utilization 2%

Selecting Option 2 gives this report:

Process Information

Today is 12 Apr 2005 15:08:50

Name	Pid	PPid	USR_CPU	Racf_id	Command
----	---	----	(Secs)	-----	-----

ADSM000	1	0	382	0	BXPINPR
ADSM000	33619971	1	163814	0	EZBTCPIP
CXS00000	16842756	1	8085	70175	EZACIC03
ADSM000	65541	1	163800	0	EZBTTSSL
ADSM000	65542	1	163827	0	EZBTMCTL
ADSM000	65543	1	163829	0	EZACFALG
ADSM000	65544	1	163829	0	EZASASUB
AF000000	83951626	1	520870	70183	KOGTCSVR
RMF	65547	1	2168749	70182	ERB3GMFC

Selecting Option 3 gives this report:

User profile information for OMVS users

Today is 12 Apr 2005 15:12:58

Name=ADS0000	Uid=0	Gid=6	Dir=/usr/lpp/adsm	Shell=/bin/sh
Name=AF00000	Uid=70183	Gid=1001	Dir=	Shell=
Name=AOP0000	Uid=657	Gid=6	Dir=/usr/lpp/Printsrv/bin	Shell=/bin/sh
Name=AUTO0001	Uid=0	Gid=23	Dir=/u/autodis1	Shell=/bin/sh
Name=AUTOM001	Uid=99991	Gid=23	Dir=/	Shell=/bin/sh
Name=AUTOM002	Uid=99992	Gid=23	Dir=/	Shell=/bin/sh
Name=AUTOM003	Uid=99993	Gid=23	Dir=/	Shell=/bin/sh

Selecting Option 4 gives this report:

System info

Today is 12 Apr 2005 15:18:15

Hardware type	2084
System Id	PROD
OS Type	OS/390
OS Release	14.00
OS Version	03

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Retrieving the creation date of a catalogued dataset

This tool is designed to retrieve the creation date of a catalogued dataset.

PURPOSE

As most of us know, in the mainframe world, there are too many applications that require production support on a 24x7 basis. At times it may be necessary to get old versions of datasets and analyse the root cause of the issue that had occurred at a later date.

Most of us are also aware of the fact that DASD datasets are regularly migrated on mainframe systems to save DASD space or ensure effective utilization of DASD volumes. Some datasets will be on tape as well. Generally, application programmers restore migrated datasets to live DASD to see the creation date and other attributes. They may also use a TMS (tape management system) to view tape dataset attributes, like creation date. If there are too many datasets to be restored or used in TMS, it will definitely be a tedious and time consuming process and the application might miss the SLA (Service Level Agreement) too.

With this tool, it has become really easy to locate a dataset that was created on a specific date. In other words, the tool is written to get the creation date of any catalogued dataset and GDG base.

APPLICATION

The tool can be used with the following types of dataset:

- 1 VSAM (all types, such as KSDS, RRDS, ESDS).
- 2 Non-VSAM (PS/PDS/PDSE).
- 3 GDG bases.

SOURCE CODE

```
/*rexex*/
"ispexec control errors return"
Parse arg ds
ds = strip(ds,B,"")
x = Outtrap(dtl.)
"listcat entries('ds') ALL"
savrc = rc
x = outtrap(off)
if savrc = 0 then
  do
    juldt = reverse(substr(reverse(strip(dtl.4)),1,8))
    juldt = substr(juldt,3,2)||substr(juldt,6,3)
    tmp = DATE('U',juldt,'J')||' <> '||juldt
    tmp = overlay(tmp,ds,46)
    say tmp
  end
else
  do
    zedsmg = 'RC=||savrc||'. <F1>'
    zedlmsg = 'LISTCAT function failed for this dataset'
    "ispexec setmsg msg(ISRZ001)"
  end
Return 0
```

I call this member CD. You can save it with any name and execute it with the name you chose when you saved this source.

TO EXECUTE

You can execute this REXX in two different ways.

First, from any command panel, issue the following command:

```
TSO CD 'MYID.REXX.SOURCE'
```

Upon successful execution of the command, it will throw a message containing the dataset name, creation date of the dataset (in MM/DD/YY (US standard) <> YYDDD (Julian) format). It's necessary to supply the fully-qualified dataset name.

Quotes can optionally be entered.

The ISPF command panel looks like this:

Menu Utilities Compilers Options Status Help

ISPF PRIMARY OPTION MENU

Option ==> TSO CD MYID.REXX.SOURCE

0 Settings Terminal and user parameters
1 View Display source data or listings

.....
.....
.....
.....
.....

MYID.REXX.SOURCE

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The second option is to issue the **CD** command from the **DSL** panel (ie use a line command against the dataset name that you want to select):

Menu Options View Utilities

DSL - Data Sets Matching MYID.REXX.S*
Command ==>

Row 1 of 8
Scroll ==> CSR

Command - Enter "/" to select action	Message	Volume
MYID.REXX.SOURCE1		ABC001
MYID.REXX.SOURCE2		ABC002
MYID.REXX.SOURCE3		ABC003
CD MYID.REXX.SOURCE4	CD RC=0	MIGRAT2
= MYID.REXX.SOURCE5	CD RC=0	ABC005
= MYID.REXX.SOURCE6	CD RC=0	??????
MYID.REXX.SOURCE7		ABC007
MYID.REXX.SOURCE8		ABC008

***** End of Data Set list *****

MYID.REXX.SOURCE4
MYID.REXX.SOURCE5
MYID.REXX.SOURCE6

09/16/04 <> 04260
10/06/04 <> 04280
04/07/03 <> 03097

After typing **CD** and pressing *Enter*, messages similar to those shown above will be seen for every dataset that you selected using the command.

ERROR MESSAGES

When an error occurs (say, by using an invalid dataset name) the return code will be displayed as an error message in the top right-hand corner.

Pressing F1 (F1 must be mapped to HELP in the keylist panel) will give you the long error message. Alternatively, type HELP and press *Enter* in the command line as soon as you see the short message in the top right-hand corner of the screen to get the detailed message (see the example below).

If you select a dataset that does not exist in the system you will see:

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                                Data Set List Utility
RC=4. <F1>
Option ==>>  TSO CD 'THIS.DATASET.DOESNOT.EXIST'

      blank Display data set list          P Print data set list
      V Display VTOC information          PV Print VTOC information

Enter one or both of the parameters below:
Dsname Level . . .
Volume serial . .

Data set list options
Initial View . . . 1  1. Volume      Enter "/" to select option
                    2. Space        / Confirm Data Set Delete
                    3. Attrib       / Confirm Member Delete
                    4. Total        / Include Additional Qualifiers
```

When the data set list is displayed, enter either:
"/" on the data set list command field for the command prompt pop-up,
an ISPF line REXX exec, or
"=" to execut LISTCAT function failed for this dataset

In this second example, a non-standard dataset name (node length greater than eight characters) is used:

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                                Data Set List Utility          RC=12. <F1>
Option ==>>  TSO CD 'I.AMGIVING.A.UNREALISTIC.DATASETNAME'
```

```
blank Display data set list          P Print data set list
  V Display VTOC information          PV Print VTOC information
```

Enter one or both of the parameters below:

```
Dsname Level . . .
Volume serial . .
```

Data set list options

```
Initial View . . . 1 1. Volume      Enter "/" to select option
                    2. Space        / Confirm Data Set Delete
                    3. Attrib       / Confirm Member Delete
                    4. Total        / Include Additional Qualifiers
```

When the data set list is displayed, enter either:

```
"/" on the data set list command field for the command prompt pop-up,
an ISPF line                                     REXX exec, or
"=" to execut LISTCAT function failed for this dataset
```

RETURN CODES

The return codes used are:

- 0 – successful.
- 4 – dataset does not exist in the catalog.
- 12 – invalid dataset name supplied.

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Enclave resource accounting

INTRODUCTION

Introduced with MVS/ESA and extended in OS/390, an enclave is a construct that represents a business transaction, or a unit of work. In fact, enclaves are a new method of managing business transactions that give you more effective control

over non-traditional workloads. Although it is not necessary to understand the implementation of enclaves, it is profitable to understand why they were invented and which products are using them, because several products on z/OS are already using enclaves, and you can expect more to use them in the near future. If you use one of these products, you need to manage enclaves as part of your performance policy. To get the most out of your z/OS investment, you should know what enclaves are and how to use them effectively.

Briefly stated, an enclave is an anchor for accumulating the resources consumed by a transaction, regardless of where it is executing. This means that enclaves provide a way to account for the resources used by a business transaction, even when those resources are consumed by multiple work units, even across multiple address spaces or even across multiple systems in a parallel sysplex. The intention is to have the enclave map closely to the end user's view of a transaction. In other words, the transaction represented by an enclave consists of pieces that can span many server address spaces and simultaneously share these address spaces with other transactions.

From a performance management point of view, we know that z/OS Workload Manager (WLM) uses a goal-oriented approach to managing workloads running in the sysplex. You define performance goals – response times, for example – for each type of work. Such goals apply to interactive workloads whose transactions, as reported to z/OS, closely match the end-user's view of transactions. Since goals are known and resource consumption can be monitored, WLM can control the transaction directly rather than indirectly through the associated address spaces. Redefining the definition of an enclave, one may say that an enclave represents a transaction that can span multiple dispatchable units of work (SRBs and TCBs) in one or more address spaces that are reported and managed as a single unit. One of the most novel aspects of enclave transactions is that z/OS can manage them independently, even though several may be executing concurrently in the same address space.

Before enclaves existed, WLM could manage transactions only by adjusting the resources of the transactions' server address spaces. Even if interactive transactions (such as CICS transactions) are known to WLM, resources are distributed indirectly by allocating resources to the address spaces serving the transactions. For example, each address space is assigned one dispatching priority and one I/O priority for all work running there. These priorities are determined by WLM, based on the work with the most stringent goals. If a transaction does not use enclaves then that transaction can be managed only on an address space basis. This means the transaction is tied to the address space processing the transaction. This method of transaction management works well to the extent that transactions with different goals or importance can be segregated into different address spaces. If transactions with multiple goals and importance are using the same server address spaces concurrently, WLM is limited in how precisely it can allocate resources to the work that needs them. Since many new types of work – mostly relating to client/server applications – tended to span multiple address spaces, a more precise method of transaction management became necessary to handle the complex internal flows of some of the new z/OS transaction managers and in fact enclaves are now used to manage these client/server transactional units.

Although enclaves have some characteristics that are similar to other types of transaction there are some important features that distinguish them:

- Enclaves allow a transaction to be managed separately from the server address space(s) processing the work (separation from home address space). In this case, a transaction's dispatchable units running in an enclave are still 'part' of the server address space, but those dispatchable units are managed separately from that address space. This means that the transaction's dispatchable units can be given different CPU and I/O priorities from the server address spaces in which they run and be managed to achieve different goals.

- Enclaves also allow a transaction to be managed separately from other work running in the same address space – this allows different types of work running in the same server address space to be assigned different WLM goals or different performance groups.
- In addition, enclaves allow a transaction to run against other work running in other address spaces such as traditional workloads like TSO, batch, CICS, etc. With enclaves you can now assign WLM goals and importance such that these same transactions, now running in enclaves, can compete for resources on a transactional basis.
- Finally, one of enclaves' objectives is to enable the system to monitor enclave activity and to allow users to understand the service requirements of their distributed workloads.

To sum up: the more precise transaction management possible with enclaves allows diverse workloads to be safely consolidated onto a single z/OS system or sysplex. This allows you to better deploy and monitor your business applications and meet the objectives defined in your service level agreement.

Enclaves can be one of the following types:

- Independent enclaves, which are used to represent new transactions that have not yet been associated with an address in the sysplex. The address space used to issue the enclave creation macro (IWMECREA) becomes the owner of the enclave. An independent enclave represents a complete SRM transaction. Its performance goal is assigned based on the service class to which it is classified when the enclave is created. Each independent enclave starts in period 1 of its service class and switches periods based on the service consumed by the dispatchable units belonging to the enclave.
- A dependent enclave, which represents the continuation of an existing address space transaction under a new set

of dispatchable units. Its performance goal is inherited from the existing address space transaction based on the service class and period being used to manage the address space at the instant the dependent enclave is created. CPU service consumed by a dependent enclave is treated as if it were consumed by the address space transaction, and can cause the address space along with the dependent enclave to switch into later periods.

In order to improve the transaction's overall response time, some work managers will split large transactions across multiple systems in a parallel sysplex. These work managers can use multisystem enclaves to provide consistent management and reporting for these types of transaction. A multisystem enclave begins as either an independent or dependent enclave on a single system. This enclave is called the 'original' enclave. If the work manager decides to involve other systems in the processing of the work unit, it issues a WLM service to 'export' the enclave (IWMEXPT) to other systems in the parallel sysplex.

Each work manager in the supporting address spaces on other systems can now issue WLM's service (IWMIMPT) to 'import' the enclave onto its system. This new, supporting enclave is called a 'foreign' enclave. The original enclave and the foreign enclaves are all referred to as one unit called a multisystem enclave.

ONLINE MONITORING ENCLAVES

Just as with address space-oriented transactions, such as batch or TSO, enclave transactions consume processor and I/O resources. Since there are no limits to the complexity of an enclave transaction, it is mandatory to be able to monitor enclaves and their processor consumption online in order to support problem diagnosis and workload characterization. This becomes even more important as the number of subsystems exploiting enclaves grows and as use of these applications increases.

When it comes to online monitoring of enclaves there are currently two options available within the standard IBM's toolkit. The first one is SDSF's ENC display, while the second is RMF's Monitor III Enclave report.

The SDSF ENC (enclave) display shows the following enclave characteristics: the subsystem environment; total CPU time; the enclave type: IND (independent) or DEP (dependent); the owning address space number; the service class assigned; the scope of the enclave: either LOCAL (single-system) or MULTISYS (the enclave has an export token and so is multisystem-capable).

The detailed information command (I) displays: the enclave classification criterion, which is the transaction name (ie the transaction program name for the request); transaction class (class name within the subsystem); subsystem collection name as well as the process name associated with the request. Multisystem enclaves are displayed as multiple rows. When you act against any of these rows, SDSF issues the WLM service against the original enclave.

The new RMF Monitor III Enclave report provides information about enclaves to support you in high-level performance problem determination and performance management for thread-based resource consumption and delays. The report shows you the CPU time consumed by an enclave during the sampled range and the total CPU consumption since the enclave was created. This allows you to identify business transactions that are high CPU consumers. It also enables you to distinguish transactions currently consuming significant CPU (possibly looping) from those whose life-time CPU usage is high (candidates for performance analysis). Resource usage and delay percentages show you the progress of a single enclave and indicate possible resource constraints. The report can be tailored to list only those enclaves belonging to the same subsystem, that have the same business goals or that are owned by the same address space. Transaction attributes can be selected to further limit the transactions

being analysed. This allows you to drill down to a single user ID or a specific database request.

There is, however, an interesting phenomenon for those of us who use RMF Monitor III to review enclave activity. The *EApp%* column shows the percentage of CPU used by each enclave in the displayed interval. We use an interval of 100 seconds on our system, so the percentage CPU is also conveniently the number of CPU seconds. The *TCPU* column shows the total CPU used by each enclave since the enclave first started. When you have long-running enclaves, they can span several reporting intervals, though the enclave name will change, since it is an artificial name. However, when you see an enclave with *TCPU* significantly greater than the CPU for the interval, then, logically the enclave must have been active for at least one previous interval. One can find, for example, an enclave with a total of 50 seconds of CPU time, and just 2 seconds consumed in this interval. This means that at the end of the previous interval, the enclave should have had a total of 48 seconds of CPU time. If one looks closely, though, one may not find the same enclave reported for several intervals prior to the last one – well, maybe it did not do anything in those missing intervals. However, when one does find the same enclave, say 10 intervals previously, the total CPU time is usually much less than is expected, say 20 seconds. So, sometime between the two available displays, another 12 seconds is not being reported. After some investigation it was found that the RMF monitor will display data only for the enclaves that had a status of ACTIVE at the LAST sampling in the interval. Search for APAR OA09061, which addresses the problem. In addition, take a look at APAR OA05961, which describes the situation you may have seen already: when you change the service class of an enclave (eg via SDSF), the enclave disappears from the RMF Monitor III enclave report, although it is still active on the system, until it is reset back to the original service class.

COLLECTING ENCLAVE RESOURCE DATA AND REPORTING

The accounting for resources consumed by an enclave depends on whether it is an independent, dependent, or foreign enclave. The SMF type 30 record provides resource consumption data at the address space level. The Processor Accounting Section, Performance Section, and I/O activity section in z/OS contain information on pre-emptible-class SRB and enclave usage on behalf of the address space. No equivalent of the SMF type 30 record is made for enclaves; all recording of enclave service is done via the owning address space.

The following existing fields in the SMF type 30 record have been modified:

- *Smf30Cpt* used to contain TCB CPU time. It now contains the sum of TCB, enclave SRB, pre-emptible SRB, and client SRB CPU time. To compute TCB time subtract *Smf30Enc* and *Smf30Asr*.
- *Smf30Csu* contains CPU service. CPU service now contains TCB service as it used to and new components for pre-emptible SRB and client SRB CPU service. There is no corresponding *Smf30* field containing only the new components that can be subtracted to isolate TCB service. Service consumed by enclaves created by the address space is not included.
- *Smf30Srv* contains total service, the sum of CPU, SRB, I/O, and MSO service. Total service now contains its old value and new components for pre-emptible SRB and client SRB CPU service. There is no corresponding *Smf30* field containing only the new components that can be subtracted to isolate TCB service. Service consumed by enclaves created by the address space is not included.

Smf30Asr (pre-emptible SRB and client SRB CPU time) is a new field in the SMF type 30 record that is related to client SRBs and pre-emptible SRBs. It is non-zero if pre-emptible

SRBs run in this address space or if this address space was a client on whose behalf client SRBs were run.

The following are new fields in the SMF type 30 record that are related to enclaves. These fields contain the sums for all completed and existing enclaves created by an address space. They will be non-zero only for address spaces that own enclaves.

- Smf30Eta – enclave transaction active time.
- Smf30Esu – enclave CPU service.
- Smf30Etc – enclave transaction count.
- Smf30Enc – enclave total CPU time.
- Smf30eic – DASD I/O connect time for an independent enclave.
- Smf30eid – DASD I/O disconnect time for an independent enclave.
- Smf30eiw – DASD I/O disconnect time + CU queue time for independent enclave.
- Smf30eis – DASD I/O start subchannel for an independent enclave.

As already said, a dependent enclave is a logical continuation of the transaction already active in a client's address space. Therefore, CPU and MSO service for a dependent enclave is included in the SMF 30 record of the owning address space. MSO service for the enclave is calculated based on the frame count of the owning address space, not on frame usage in the address space(s) where the enclave is executing.

For an independent enclave, CPU service is included in the SMF 30 record of the owning address space. MSO service is not calculated for an independent enclave.

For both dependent and independent enclaves, IOC service is included in the SMF 30 records associated with the address

space where the enclave work is executing. SRB service for enclaves is always zero.

For a foreign enclave, CPU time is included in the SMF 30 record of the owning address space (owner) on the originating system. It is reported separately from local CPU time. Since CPU time used by foreign enclaves is included in the owner's SMF 30 record, it is not included in the SMF 30 records on the other systems where it actually executed. In order for those other systems to have some record of the CPU time used by foreign enclaves, an SMF 97 record is written for each SMF global recording interval. This SMF 97 record identifies the CPU time used by foreign enclaves during that interval, broken down by originating system.

An installation can review the originating system's SMF 30 records to identify the specific jobs that consumed the CPU time in the foreign enclaves.

Note that because data is collected asynchronously for the SMF 30 records, and because SMF intervals can vary from system to system, it may not be possible to exactly match SMF 30 times with SMF 97 times from one global interval to another.

A detailed description of layout of SMF type 30 and 97 records can be obtained from the *MVS System Management Facilities (SMF) – SA22-7630-03* manual.

Editor's note: a description of the program and the code will be published next month.

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Cybermation has announced Version 4.4 of ESP Espresso, its distributed enterprise job scheduling product.

The latest version is meant to provide more efficient job scheduling for enterprise applications, enhancing their ability to deal with critical data that must be tightly controlled.

The product provides a single enterprise-wide job scheduling product that integrates with Cybermation Service Manager, a real-time visualization reporting tool.

For further information contact:
URL: www.cybermation.com/newsroom/press/2005/pr03.html.

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DataMirror has announced Version 4.7 of Transformation Server for z/OS, a real-time, bi-directional, mainframe data integration tool. The product allows organizations to synchronize and integrate mainframe data with information systems and business applications running on other platforms.

The product captures changes to data in a databases as they happen, flowing the data in real-time to other platforms or data stores. The new version has a static SQL mode of operation. Users with high-volume integration requirements should benefit most from the resulting improvements in product performance and throughput predictability.

For further information contact:
URL: www.datamirror.com/products/tserver/default.aspx.

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Relational Architects International has announced Version 8.1 of Smart/RESTART.

The product is designed to make it possible to restart-enable z/OS batch applications, often without changing the source code. It eliminates the need to back out and redo successfully processed work.

Failing batch applications can resume from a checkpoint rather than needing to be rerun from the beginning. Jobs can be resubmitted for restart without JCL changes.

For further information contact:
URL: www.relarc.com/smartrestart.

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Softek has announced Versions 2.3 of Disaster Recovery Manager and Replicator. The new releases are designed to offer flexible, heterogeneous, and cost-effective data protection and recovery.

Softek DR Manager identifies critical files, including profiling interrelationships between files and applications, minimizing exposure caused by data corruption, and isolating critical batch operations for faster recovery.

Softek Replicator protects enterprise data through asynchronous host-based replication. Enhancements to Replicator for Windows, they claim, make it easier to install and dynamically configure while applications are running.

For further information contact:
URL: www.softek.com/en/press/20050525-001.html.

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