



T-REX: Premier z/OS Catalog Management Version 6 Release 3 – New Release Announcement

z/OS 1.13 Support

Full support for the IBM z/OS 1.13 Operating System and earlier.

AMS/E Enhancements

- ALTER NEWNAME/NEWPREFIX provides a flexible and powerful renaming capability to:
 - Rename cataloged and uncataloged data set entries
 - Rename VSAM components and non-VSAM data set names in the VTOC and VVDS for specified DASD volumes
 - Can be used as a complimentary tool with DASD mirroring technology to rename:
 - ❖ DASD volume DSCB data set names in the VTOC
 - ❖ NVR data set names
 - ❖ VVR component names, cluster references, and related entry references
 - Modify BCS names reference in VVR and NVR during rename function
 - Supports a SIMULATE option
- ANALYZE DSN support for mapping and analyzing the internal structure of any KSDS structure, including the BCS. The various reports will help diagnose problems such as badly compressing KEYS, the impact of “creeping key”, FREESPACE distribution, and many others. Can be used to help determine when to reorganize or even the need to.
- ICFRU now supports multiple SMF Logger files
- INTEGRITYCHECK provides an option to delete a BCS entry in a VVCR for non-existent BCS, also checks if an alias entry conflicts with a data set entry in the Mastercatalog
- LISTCAT – more than 20 new selection and report fields added
- REFORMAT – option to avoid issuing WTORS
- REORG – will check if an alias entry conflicts with a data set entry in the Mastercatalog

ISPF Panel Enhancements

- Option 4.3 View BCS record – allows the user to view the BCS by Field (within Cell) in addition to Record and Cell mode. Modification by over-typing will generate a T-REX ZAP command
- Option 5.3 View VVDS record – allows the user to view the VVDS by Field (within Cell) in addition to Record and Cell mode. Modification by over-typing will generate a T-REX ZAP command
- Option 6.3 View VTOC record – allows the user to view the VTOC by Field (within Cell) in addition to Record and Cell mode. Modification by over-typing will generate a T-REX ZAP command
- Option 6.2 View VTOC Extent information
 - ALLOCATED option – check the VTOC for inconsistencies in data set allocation
 - FREESPACE option – checks the free space, as maintained in the Indexed VTOC, Format 5, or Format 7, and validate the values against the unallocated space as determined from the allocated data sets
- CUA Menu Option HELP – a new Pull Down Choice is available – “VSAM Myths” – uses the ISPF tutorial facility – PF keys have a different meaning – PF7/8 are ‘previous’ and ‘next’ – PF10/11 must be used to PAGE within a Topic

HSM/E Enhancements

- FIXCDS generated commands can be directed to the joblog
- HSEND and HCOMMAND formats are supported

TAPE RAPTOR Enhancements

- AUDIT – Re-verify selection prior to REPAIR(BCS) action
- AUDIT – DADELETE(Yes) will delete all work files
- Support for
 - CA-1: Version 12.0 to current release
 - CA-VTAPE: Version 12.0 to current release
 - CONTROL-M/Tape: Version 6.3 to current release
 - DFSMSrmm: Versions 1.12 and 1.13
 - CA-Dynam/TLMS: Version 12.0 to current release



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Notable Changes

- ISPF panels for DELETE, MODIFY, ZAP, BCS/VVDS/VTOC View creating ZAP command will set SIMULATE(Yes) by default regardless of AMSEDFLT setting – The value can be changed on the panel or the generated job
- BUILD NVR – Stand-alone utility (AM\$BNVR) may be used to construct (re-build) a missing NVR
- All messages available in Chicago-Soft Quick-Ref format

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