E65   What's New in VTAM: VGR and Persistent Sessions
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This session describes the IMS implementations of both VTAM Generic Resources and VTAM Persistent Sessions. VGR provides a single system image for multiple IMSs and therefore simplifies the information an end user needs to logon or re-logon (after a failure) to one of several like instances of IMS. On the other hand, VTAM persistent session support provides the ability for end-user sessions to be maintained across a failure such as IMS, and to be automatically reconnected when IMS is restarted. This session describes the functionality of both these VTAM capabilities in IMS and compares the use of one versus the other.