z/OS V1R13

JES3: Spool add

Overview

- Problem:
 - Warm start required to add a spool extent
 - Disrupts all systems in the JESPlex
- Solution:
 - Allow spool extents to be added via *F CONFIG command
 - Alternatively allow spool extents to be added via Hotstart with refresh
- Benefit / Value: Eliminates complex-wide IPL when adding a spool.

Usage and invocation

- Customer sets up a new member with all JSAM definitions
 Starting with DYNALLOC statements

 - Ending with ENDJSAM
- Customer sets up a new inish deck with an INCLUDE statement pulling in the JSAM member
- Customer performs a H/R with the new inish deck
- Or issues the *MODIFY CONFIG,ADD= with the new JSAM member
- JES3 actions:
- JES3 will parse the statements and compare them to the current configuration
- New extents are added
- New partitions are added
- Deletions are rejected
- Other parameters are changed if possible currently only the ones on the OPTIONS statement
- Changes are committed if no errors are found
- JES3 actions continued:
- If *F CONFIG, new spool extents are made usable only after all locals connect (or are flushed)
- Note: Flush will now happen automatically when XCF detects the system left the Sysplex

Inish Example – Member JSAM:

- DYNALLOC, DDN=IATPLBI1, DSN=SYS1.PROCLIB
- TRACK,DDNAME=SPOOL1,SPART=PART1
- SPART.NAME=PART1.DEF=YES.INIT=YES
- BUFFER,SPLIM=(3,5),PAGES=500,GRPSZ=12,BUFSIZE=4084
- OPTIONS, WANTDUMP=YES, DUMP=MVS, JOBNO=(1,32767,32767), MT=ON

Dynamic spool add

- Inish example Main member:
- INCLUDE, MEMBER=JSAM
- INCLUDE, MEMBER=STANDARS
- INCLUDE, MEMBER=MAINS

Interactions and dependencies

- Software Dependencies
 - None
- Hardware Dependencies
 - None
- Exploiters
 - Customers needing this function.

Migration and coexistence considerations

- The function is requested via *MODIFY CONFIG command or via Hotstart with refresh.
- All systems must be at V1R13 JES3 level or higher. If a lower-level system is found, existing WTOs IAT3426 and IAT2061 followed by WTOR IAT2064 will be issued. JES3 waits until the operator either resets the down-level systems or cancels the request by responding to the WTOR.
- Systems at V1R12 level or lower will then have to re-IPL before they can connect.

• If the spool is added via *MODIFY CONFIG, the new spool is made available after all currently connected systems reconnect.

Installation

• No special installation necessary - the function is included in z/OS 1.13.

Session summary

• Spool capacity can now be increased nondisruptively using a command or Hotstart with Refresh.

Appendix - References

- Publications:
 - z/OS V1R13.0 JES3 Initialization and Tuning Reference, SA22-7550
 z/OS V1R13.0 JES3 Initialization and Tuning Guide, SA22-7549
 z/OS V1R13.0 JES3 Commands, SA22-7540
 z/OS V1R12.0 JES3 Messages, SA22-7552