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New Availabilities

__Softwares__

REFERENCE	LABEL
PB 250 COS V14 X	VisualAge Pacbase 2.5 - IBM MVS, CICS
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VISUALAGE PACBASE 2.5 V14

CORRECTED BUGS

Compatibility

Unisys 1100 help screen: in F4040 sub-function, D$CLCONV command added before D$PUTSCR command.
(C: 20618 - All Platforms)
  Unisys 1100 help screen: in F4040 sub-function, D$CLCONV command added before D$PUTSCR command execution.
  This is now corrected.

Installation and procedures

Installation PB 2.5 V13 : skeleton SC in french Corrected.
(C: 20606 - All Platforms)
  Installation PB 2.5 V13 : generated batch programs had comments in french. Corrected.

Client/Server system develop.

Client component: Display key length doubled, if Data Element is Logical View key
(C: 20433 - All Platforms)
  Client component, Business Component called in display use:
  The length of the key declared in LINKAGE had a doubled length if it is a group Data Element used as identifier (type 'U').
  This is now corrected.

On-Line System Development

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(C: 20618 - All Platforms)
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Pacbase Access Facility

Possibility to enter VRES = SPACE, in the SEGDEF table (... for 2.5 release)
(C: 19823 - All Platforms)

It is possible, again, to enter VRES = SPACE. The VRES clause = variable-zone equals to blank, will now sort a list by segment code, not by the value entered in the "structure code" zone of the definition.

PAF: return code when there is no INIT and/or QUIT statement
(C: 20258 - All Platforms)

From now on, the return code when there is no INIT and/or QUIT statement is 04 (and no longer 12).

Personalized Document. Manager

PDM local print: With the C2 option, erroneous page skip on Generated Titles.
(C: 20328 - All Platforms)

PDM local print: With the C2 option, erroneous page skip appeared on Generated Titles.
This is now corrected.

Batch Procedures

EXTR with option ALL: no extraction of Segments whose suffixes are not numeric.
(C: 20257 - All Platforms)

The EXTR procedure with the ALL option did not extract Segments when their suffixes were not numeric and when they were called on -W screen, on 'F'-type lines.
This has been corrected.

UPDT after CPSN on the -CE of Report: incorrect results
(C: 20310 - All Platforms)

UPDT after CPSN on the -CE of Report: the results were incorrect on the continuation lines with no '0' line.
Corrected.

Miscellaneous : Online

Retrieval of Data Element codes in -DBE screen.
(C: 19119 - All Platforms)

In the -DBE screen, Data Element codes are now automatically retrieved as they used to be.
These fields are protected.

Various display problems on the GP screen
(C: 20576 - All Platforms)

1- If on the last line of the screen, and if the command line CONTINUATION area is set to '*', the CONTINUATION area of all the preceding lines become 'unlocked' again.
Additionally, the paging no longer works: the next page is no longer detected.
2- When you reach the bottom of the screen, once again, if the preceding command is "PCV", it seems that the command changes to lock mode, and the next time a transmit is executed, the continuation line will be copied to the preceding command line.

Miscellaneous

Call of a segment in a table-type segment: modification of the error label.
(C: 20235 - All Platforms)

The call of a segment in a table-type segment is forbidden. The error message displayed was:
'MISSING FORMAT AND NOT DECLARED IN THE DICTIONARY', which did not correspond to the error.
Now, the error message displayed is:
'ERRONEOUS VALUE FOR DATA ELEMENT NUMBER OF DATA ELEMENT IN A GROUP'.
('**' value forbidden in the 'GR' zone).