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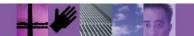
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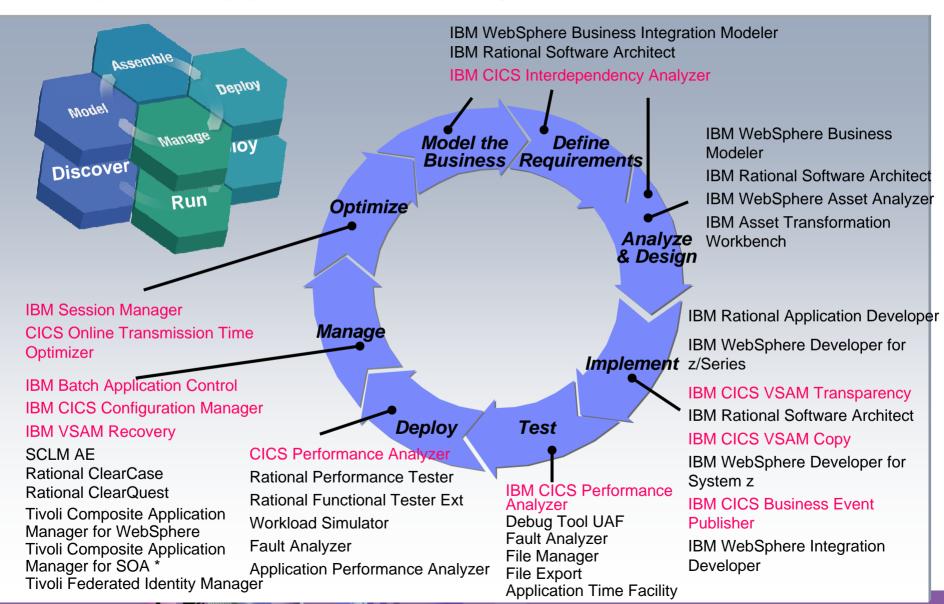


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Enterprise Application Lifecycle Portfolio





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- -Easy click registration & download
 - Includes Terms & Conditions for evaluation of tools
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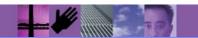


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CICS Business Event Publisher for MQSeries V1R2 (5655-J99)

- Create and manage outbound events using WebSphere MQ without changing existing CICS applications
- Integrate z/OS applications and data to new environments (CICS, IMS and DB2 events)
- Create MQPUT messages for MQSeries queue from events and associated information
- Based on user-specified message content rules, Queue names and MQPUT options
- Provides easy to use workstation GUI for selection and rules creation
- Real time action and results
- Offers low cost, low risk integration strategy



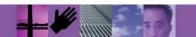
CICS Business Event Publisher for MQSeries

Value:

- No change to existing application programs or data
- Extends z/OS applications to new environments

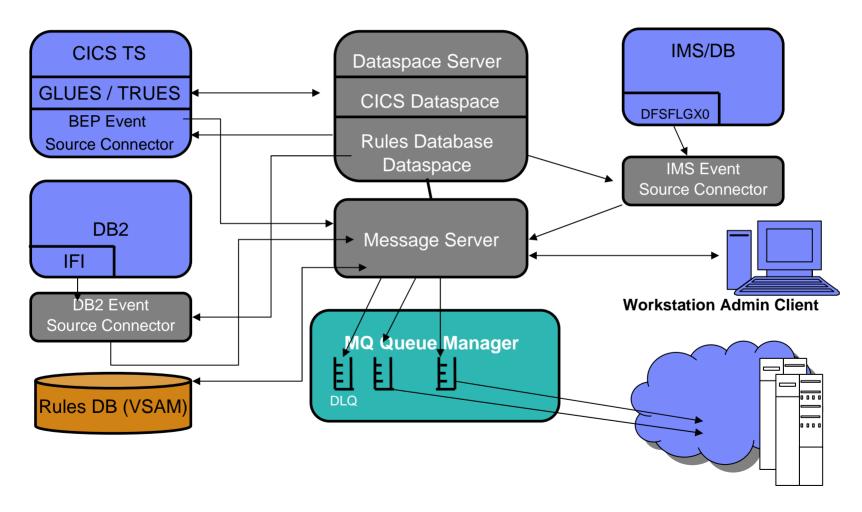
CICS BEP scenarios:

- Event notification new customer added, account = zero
- Activity Audits who, what, when is accessing the file?
- Error notification create message when error detected
- Threshold notification stock running low
- Automation removal of manual or latency in business process
- Data source for Message Brokers
- Data transfer
- External logging or notification





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CICS Interdependency Analyzer V2R1 (5655-G77)

- Run-time and batch reporting tool that captures resource relationships:
 - which resources (Programs, Files, TSQs TDQs etc) are required by a transaction
 - which programs have affinities due to the CICS API commands within them
 - which transactions have affinities to other transactions or particular CICS regions
 - what is the sequencing of transactions within an application
 - which resources are no longer used
- Relationship data loaded onto a DB2 data base. Query interface and sample queries are provided for comprehensive analysis.
- Includes CICS, DB2, WebSphere MQ, and IMS DB resources



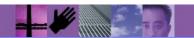
CICS Interdependency Analyzer

Value:

- Replaces manual documentation
- Identifies opportunities for threadsafe
- Reduces testing for V to V migration

CICS IA scenarios:

- Documentation or source code is missing
- Changes to applications have not been documented
- You are providing outsourcing services, and need a complete picture of CICS resource relationships in your customer systems
- You have been through a merger/acquisition, so the information about inherited CICS systems is not available
- You are implementing workload balancing and need to identify affinities



CICS Interdependency Analyzer

Value of being threadsafe:

- Reduces overall CPU consumption
- Increases CICS throughput by reducing response time

How IA will help you get to threadsafe:

- CICS/IA reports the current TCB mode for each EXEC CICS (or DB2, MQ, DLI) call.
- Users who are converting their programs to thread safe can use this during testing to assist in finding out which TCB modes their program runs in. This would help in identifying programs that have CICS API calls that are not thread safe and cause TCB mode swapping.







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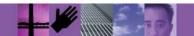




CICS Performance Analyzer V1R4 (5655-F38)

Off-line performance reporting and analysis tool:

- Complements your existing online monitor
- Reports on CICS as well as CICS related subsystems including DB2, WebSphere MQ, and IMS.
- Uses SMF data (110 records for CICS, 101's for DB2, 116's for MQ)
- Provides end to end detailed performance bottleneck analysis to assist in tuning CICS systems
- Review application performance and identify potential to improve application design
- Provides capacity planning and trend analysis
- Identifies trends leading to poor CICS performance or even outages

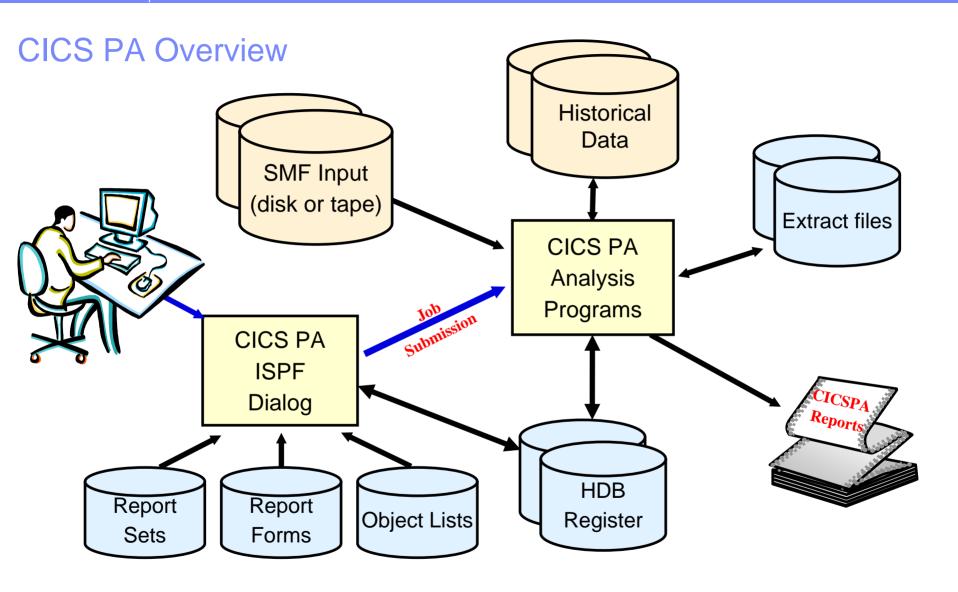


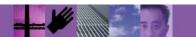


CICS Performance Analyzer

Value:

- Ease of use with ISPF dialogs that help you to build, maintain, and submit reports, includes extensive online help and field descriptions
- Provides over 140 sample reports for immediate productivity and reporting capability
- No additional setup or customization required processes existing SMF data
- Provides a variety of reports including Extensive Tabular Reports and Graph Reports
- Provides cross-system performance analysis for MRO and ISC
- Provides cost effective software solution for trend analysis









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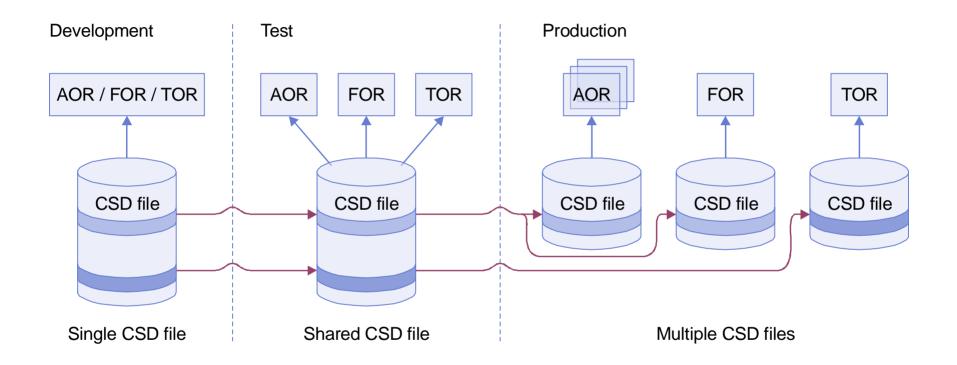
CICS Configuration Manager V1R2 (5697-I78)

- Manages, replicates, and deploys CICS resource definitions across CICS regions including regions that are controlled by CICSPlex SM
- You can use CICS Configuration Manager to:
 - Edit/compare resource definitions
 - Report on resource definitions that match specified criteria
 - Migrate resource definitions from one CICS System Definition (CSD) file or CICSPlex SM context to another
 - Back out migrations
- Includes change management feature where approval is required from authorized users before migrating definitions
- Includes audit trail capability where reports can be generated and changes backed out to any previous version of the definitions
- Includes disaster recovery capability to distribute CICS resources across multiple sites using an integrated export and import function





Migration Scenario



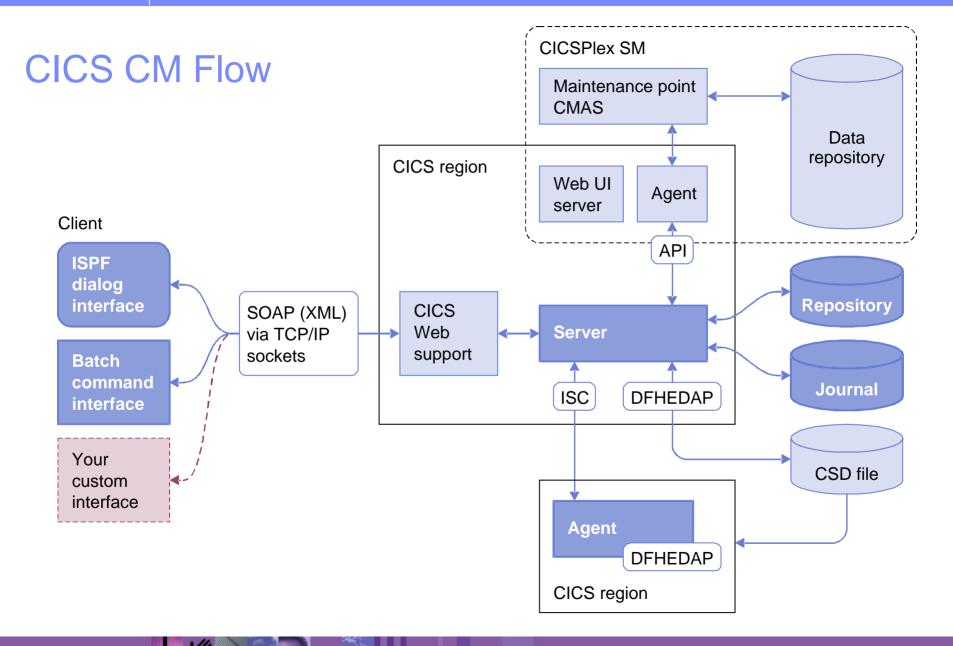


CICS Configuration Manager

Value:

- A common interface to CSD files and CICSPlex SM contexts
- One single command to copy a set of resource definitions across multiple CICS configurations
- No dependency on CICS regions being up to make changes
- Allows systems staff to maintain control of the CICS environment and give applications staff the ability to define application resources if they choose
- Audit trail key for Sarbanes Oxley
- Approval/disapproval of changes key for Change Management







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CICS Batch Application Control V1R1 (5697-194)

What does it do?

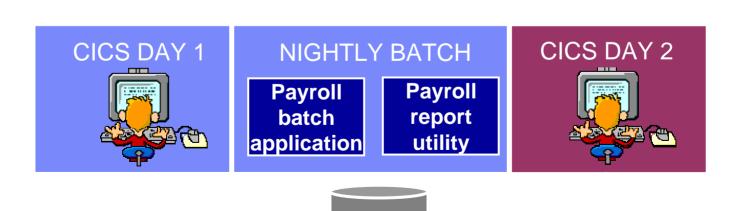
- Dynamic control of CICS resources
- Simplifies and automates the transitions between batch and CICS application access to the same resources
- Enables a batch-job step to change the state of relevant CICS resources
- Tracks resource state change requests across CICS systems and batch streams and helps ensure each resource is in its correct state when CICS regions start

Benefits?

- Helps reduce errors and abends related to batch processing
- Minimizes manual interventions by operators and system programmers
- ▶ Moves your CICS applications closer to 24x7 availability
- ▶ Helps you lower the total cost of ownership of your zSeries platform

CICS Batch Application Control

- Enables a batch-job step to change the state of relevant CICS resources
- Tracks resource state change requests across participating CICS systems and batch stream
- Ensures resources are in their correct state when CICS regions start
- Powerful "group" feature enables a job step to change the state of all resources associated with an application







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CICS VSAM Copy for z/OS V1R1 (5655-L67)

What does it do?

- Creates CONSISTENT copies of VSAM data sets
 - While they remain online and open to CICS for update
 - While they are closed to CICS

Benefits?

- Creates ad-hoc copies of VSAM data sets
 - Without affecting current performance of running CICS applications
 - Produced copies are consistent (no incomplete units of work)
- Reporting of production data
- Testing new applications with production data
- Copying production data for input to other non-CICS applications





CICS VSAM Copy for z/OS

- Supports KSDS, ESDS, RRDS, and VRRDS VSAM
- Supports copying a VSAM KSDS base cluster with alternate indices
- Automatically determines if the data set is online or offline to CICS before copy
- Includes best of both worlds
 - Create consistent copies of VSAM data sets
 - Create copies of data sets while online to CICS for update
 - Copy multiple VSAM data sets in one run
 - No degradation to performance of running CICS transactions



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CICS VSAM Recovery for z/OS V4R1 (5655-P30)

What does it do?

- Enables recovery of lost or damaged VSAM files
- Automatically detects VSAM errors and starts corrective action
- Automates the creation of batch recovery jobs
- Supports forward recovery for both CICS and batch VSAM
- Enhances disaster recovery by providing the capability to forward recover VSAM data sets at a remote recovery site
- Integrates with ISMF

Benefits?

- Provides a VSAM recovery environment very similar to DB2
- Complete history of all VSAM backups and updates
- Simplifies your Disaster Recovery process for VSAM files
- Reduce nightly batch windows by eliminating multiple VSAM copies of critical files





Customer Batch Window Reduction



Step 1 Success Step 2 Success Step 3
Success

Step 4
Success

Step 5
Success

Step 6
Failure

Step 7
Pending

Step 8
Pending



Rerun Steps 1 – 5

Fix Error Resubmit steps 6 - 8

CICS VR Option #1 and #2



Forward recover updates made by batch job steps

Fix Error

Resubmit steps 6 - 8

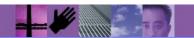
Back out Step 6 updates

Fix Error Resubmit steps 6 - 8



CICS VR Release History

- CICS VR 4.1 GA December 2005
- CICS VR 3.3 GA September 2004
- CICS VR 3.2 GA March 2003
- CICS VR 3.1 GA December 2001
- CICS VR 2.x GA 1990's
- CICS VR 1.1 GA August 1987





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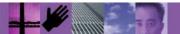
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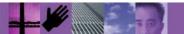


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