

When Bad Things Happen to Good Transactions: Analyzing Transaction Problems on System z

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Agenda

- The big picture of modern z/OS transactions
- Common questions asked when analyzing transactions
- IBM Transaction Analysis Workbench for z – Version 1.2
- CICS Trace Analysis using Workbench
- Mobile Workloads and Big Data using Workbench

The big picture of modern z/OS transactions

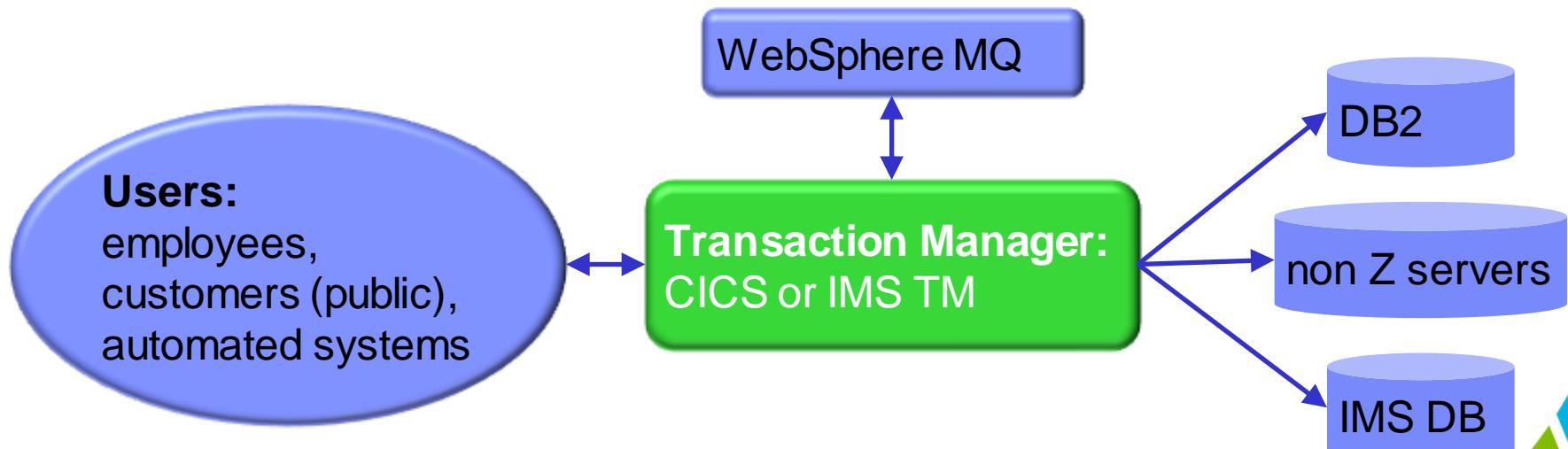
1980s application:

in-house users only; **simple** data, single data store



Today:

users are customers; data is **complex, heterogeneous**, often distributed

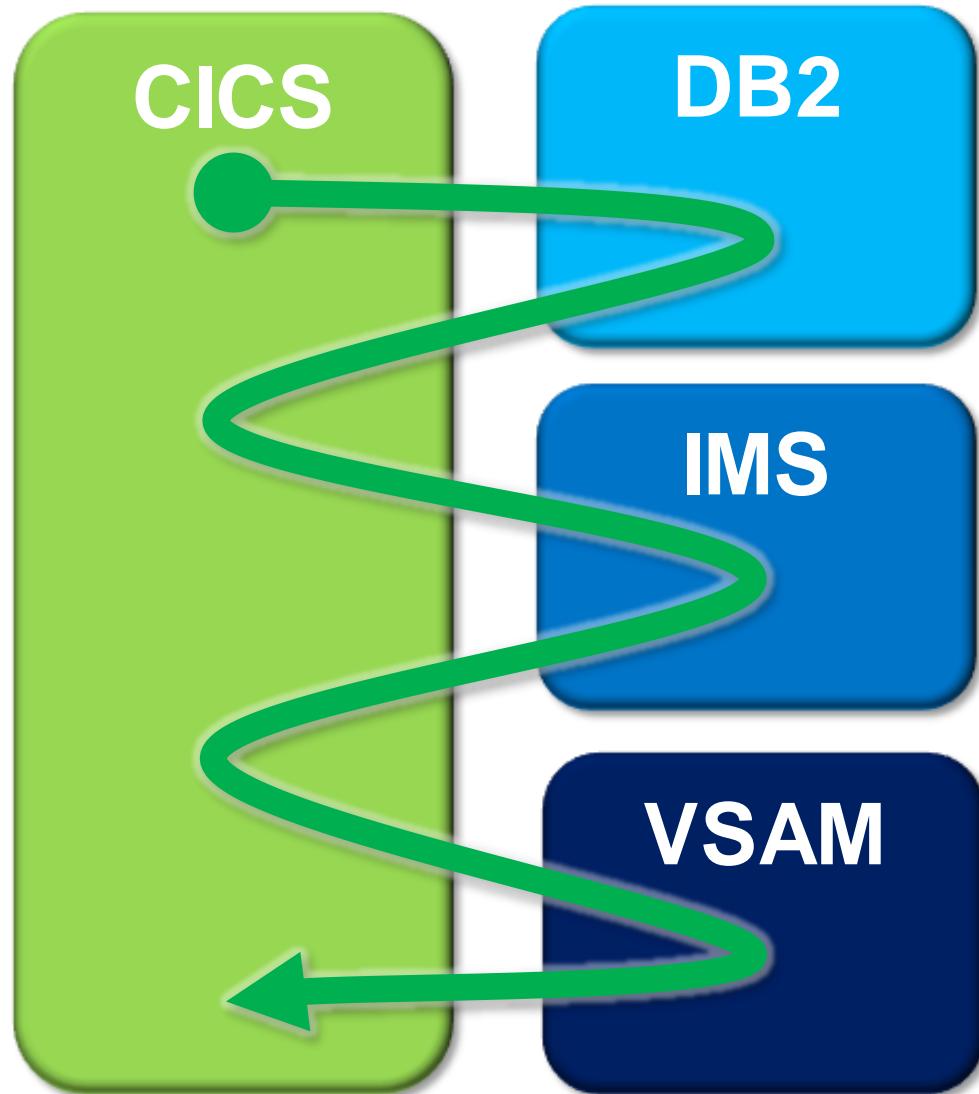


Where is the problem in my z/OS transaction?

- Common questions asked:
 - Who's fault is it anyway?
 - Is a subsystem responsible?
 - IMS, DB2, CICS, WebSphere MQ, etc.
 - Is z/OS the culprit?
 - What instrumentation data is required for problem determination?
 - What is available?
 - Where/how is it collected?
 - Is it accessible?
 - Who is the best person to work on this problem?
 - How is this determined today?

Why are performance issues difficult to identify?

- Today's complex transaction workloads may span multiple subsystems
- Each subsystem has its own instrumentation data; data collection can be difficult
- Complex environments increase number of possible points of failure



IBM Transaction Analysis Workbench for z/OS v1.2

- A tool for cross-subsystem problem analysis:
 - Locates and extracts instrumentation data
 - User specified exceptions identify poor transaction performance
 - Provides a view of end-to-end transaction life cycle activity
 - Assists in better assignment of problems to the correct group

Workbench: Components

- ISPF dialog:
 - Used for systems definitions, interactive problem analysis and configuring batch workloads
- Batch Interface:
 - Performs automated file selection, report analysis, and data preparation for other platforms.
- Eclipse GUI Interface:
 - Allows first responders, application development teams, and other non-expert users to gather and perform basic diagnostics on the instrumentation data

Workbench: Instrumentation data sources

IMS	CICS	DB2	WebSphere MQ, App Server	z/OS
IMS log and trace	CMF performance class (SMF 110)	DB2 log	MQ log extract	SMF
IMS monitor	CICS trace (DFHAUXT or GTF)	DB2 accounting	MQ statistics (SMF 115-1, -2)	OPERLOG
CQS log stream		DB2 performance trace (IFCIDs)	MQ accounting (SMF 116)	
IMS Connect event data (collected by IMS Connect Extensions)		Near Term History (collected by OMEGAMON XE for DB2)	WAS request activity performance statistics (SMF 120-9)	
OMEGAMON ATF				
IRLM long lock detection (SMF 79-15)				

Workbench: Session Manager (ISPF and GUI)

- Problem analysis information maintained using Workbench repository:
 - Problem registration details
 - Workflows and session templates
 - Extracted subsystem and z/OS instrumentation data
 - Reports run
 - Interactive analysis sessions (**ISPF only**)
 - Notes
 - Analysis history (**ISPF only**)

Workbench Session Manager – collaborative workspace

1. Register problem details (ISPF or GUI)
2. Workflow contains all the tasks to be performed (ISPF or GUI)
3. Files contains the list of log files for this problem (ISPF or GUI)

Session 00000021	
Option ==>	_____
Description : CICS MRO w/ VSAM, DB2 and IMS	
1	Register Update the problem registration details
2	Workflow Perform the diagnostic tasks
3	Files Locate and manage the log files required for diagnosis
4	Reporting Run batch reports
5	Investigate Perform interactive log file analysis
6	History Review the problem history

4. Reporting for CICS, IMS, DB2, SMF, and OPERLOG (ISPF only)
5. Investigate provides interactive problem determination (ISPF only)
6. History has written notes and jobs history for problem (ISPF only)

Session: Details

1. What is the problem? Including short and long descriptions
2. When and where did the problem occur? Important for log selection!
3. Who is going to fix it?

<u>File</u>	<u>Help</u>
Problem Details	
Command ==> <u> </u>	Row 1 to 7 of 7 Scroll ==> <u>PAGE</u>
Key : <u>00000021</u>	Description...
Summary : <u>CICS MRO w/ VSAM, DB2 and IMS</u>	Description...
Severity : <u>2</u>	
Reference : <u>TICKET-9102</u>	— When problem occurred —
Reported by . . . : <u>John</u>	YYYY-MM-DD HH.MM.SS.TH
Assigned to . . . : <u>Jim</u>	From <u>2012-02-24</u> <u>20.40.00.00</u>
Status : <u>OPEN</u>	To <u>2012-02-24</u> <u>21.00.00.00</u> Zone . . <u>LOCAL</u>
Systems where problem occurred (maximum of 32):	
/ System +	Type +
<u>FTS1</u>	<u>IMAGE</u>
<u>CICSPLEX</u>	<u>CICS</u>
<u>CICSTOR</u>	<u>CICS</u>
<u>CICSAOR</u>	<u>CICS</u>
<u>CICSDOR</u>	<u>CICS</u>
<u>IMSP</u>	<u>IMS</u>
<u>DB2P</u>	<u>DB2</u>
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Session: Workflow

1. Contains tasks – batch jobs and instructions
2. Batch jobs can locate log files, create extracts and transaction indexes, run reports
3. Can be predefined with a “template” set up by the expert
4. All jobs run under the session create a new task
5. Batch job output is saved and can be viewed here

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File Help
_____
Tasks
Command ==> _____ Row 1 to 18 of 18
_____  
Scroll ==> CSR

NEW Create a new task
AUTO Create file selection and extract tasks
SCHED Schedule all the tasks (or select required tasks only)

/ Task Status Description
-- 1 DONE Select SMF files for IMAGE system FTS1
-- 2 DONE Select SMF files for CICS system CICSTOR
-- 3 DONE Select SMF files for CICS system CICSAOR
-- 4 DONE Select SMF files for CICS system CICSDOR
-- 5 DONE Select log files for IMS system IMSP
-- 6 DONE Select SMF files for DB2 system DB2P
-- 7 DONE Select log files for DB2 system DB2P
-- 8 DONE Create SMF extract for CICS system CICSTOR
-- 9 DONE Create SMF extract for CICS system CICSAOR
-- 10 DONE Create SMF extract for CICS system CICSDOR
-- 11 DONE Create log extract for IMS system IMSP
-- 12 DONE Create SMF extract for DB2 system DB2P
-- 13 DONE Create log extract for DB2 system DB2P
-- 14 DONE Create index for IMS systems
-- 15 DONE Create index for CICS systems
-- 16 DONE CICS Performance Analyzer report
-- 17 CC 0004 CICS Tran Summary - Response & CPU
-- 18 CC 0000 IMS Tran Summaru - Response & CPU
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Session: Files

1. All log files and other data sets associated with the problem are registered here
2. Files can be automatically located - IMS, DB2 and SMF
3. Manually enter other types of log files
4. Supports all data set types and log streams

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File Help

Locate and Manage Log Files      Row 1 of 7 More: < >
Command ==> _____          Scroll ==> CSR

NEW Insert a new log file.
AUTO Run automated file selection to locate log files.

Log Files:
/   Exc Data Set Name           _____ System _____ File
____ JM3.SMF.EXTRACT           Name    Type    Type
____ JM3.CICS.CMF.MRO.EXTRACT  FTS1    IMAGE   SMF
____ JM3.CICS.DBCTL.INDEX      CICSPLEX CICS   SMF
____ IBB1.SLDSP.IBB1.D12055.T2049325.V16  IMSP    IMS    LOG
____ DSNDB2A.DBA3.ARCLG1.A0000083  IMSP    IMS    LOG
____ DB2P                         DB2P    DB2    LOG
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Session: Reporting

1. IMS Performance Analyzer – selected reports only
2. CICS Performance Analyzer – selected reports only

Reporting

Option ==> _____

Select a reporting option then press Enter.

1	IMS	Transaction and system analysis using IMS PA
2	CICS	Transaction and system analysis using CICS PA
3	CICS-DBCTL	Combined CICS and IMS analysis of transactions
4	SMF	z/OS and subsystem analysis
5	DB2	DB2 accounting exception analysis
6	OPERLOG	Sysplex operations log (SYSLOG)

3. CICS-DBCTL – end-to-end from CICS into IMS
4. DB2 – exception reporting and extract
5. OPERLOG – MVS operations log (SYSLOG)

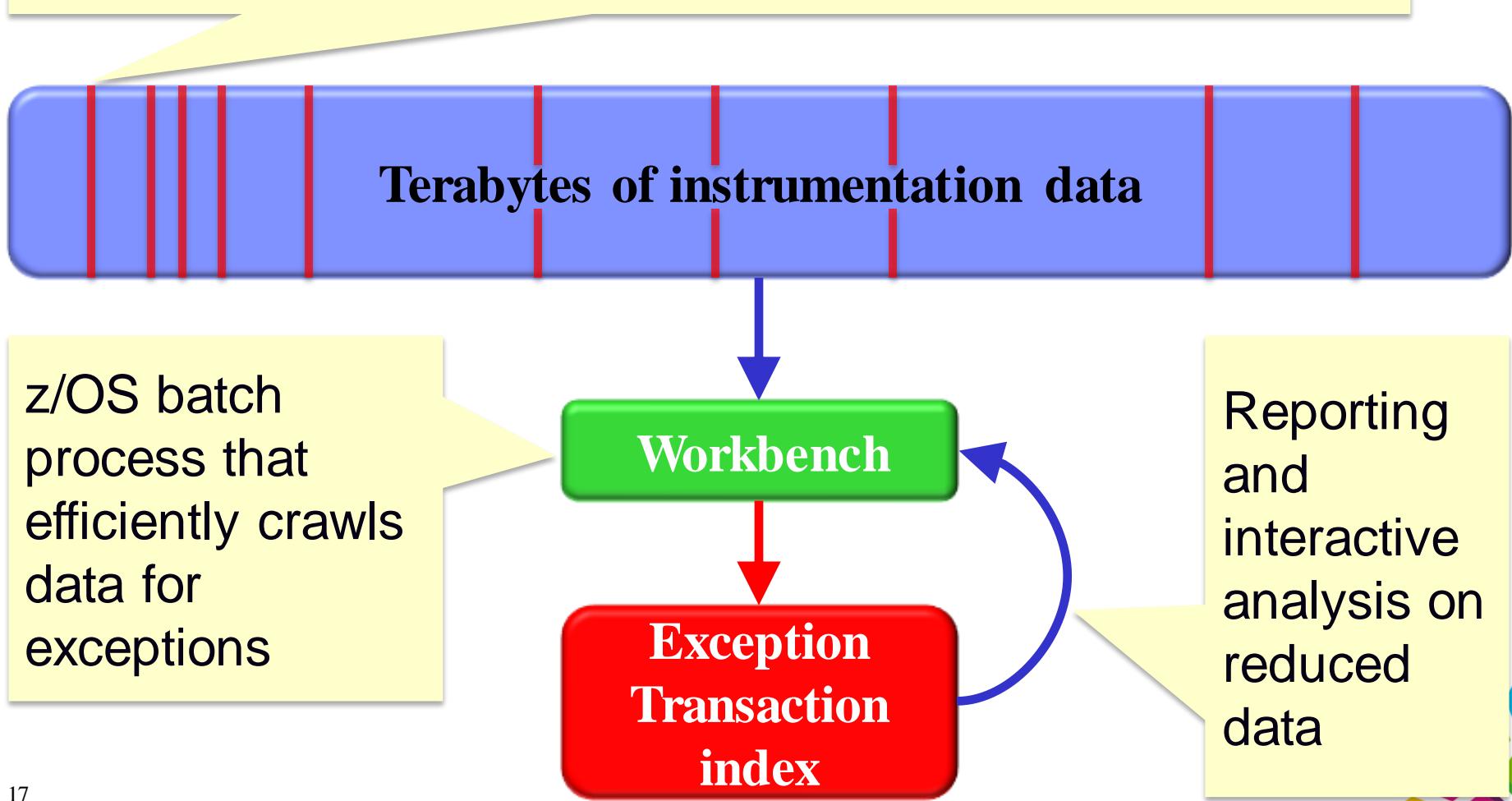
Reporting using CICS PA or IMS PA

CICS Performance Analyzer															
Performance Transaction summary: Response time and CPU															
Tran	#Tasks	Avg Response Time	Max Response Time	>0.5 Response Time	Avg Dispatch Time	Avg User CPU	Avg Suspend Time	Max Suspend Time	Avg Dispwait Time	Avg FC Wait Time	Avg DB2SQLwt Time	Avg IMS Wait Time	Avg	Avg	Avg
		Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time
CSMI	55	2.3161	34.3956	21.82%	.0293	.0065	4.2868	34.3071	.0004	.0020	.0180	.0114			
PART	25	2.1760	43.5463	20.00%	.0098	.0064	5.1662	43.5337	.0035	.0000	.0000	.0000			
Total	236	2.1215	43.5463	31.36%	.0114	.0032	2.1101	43.5337	.0030	.0005	.0042	.0027			

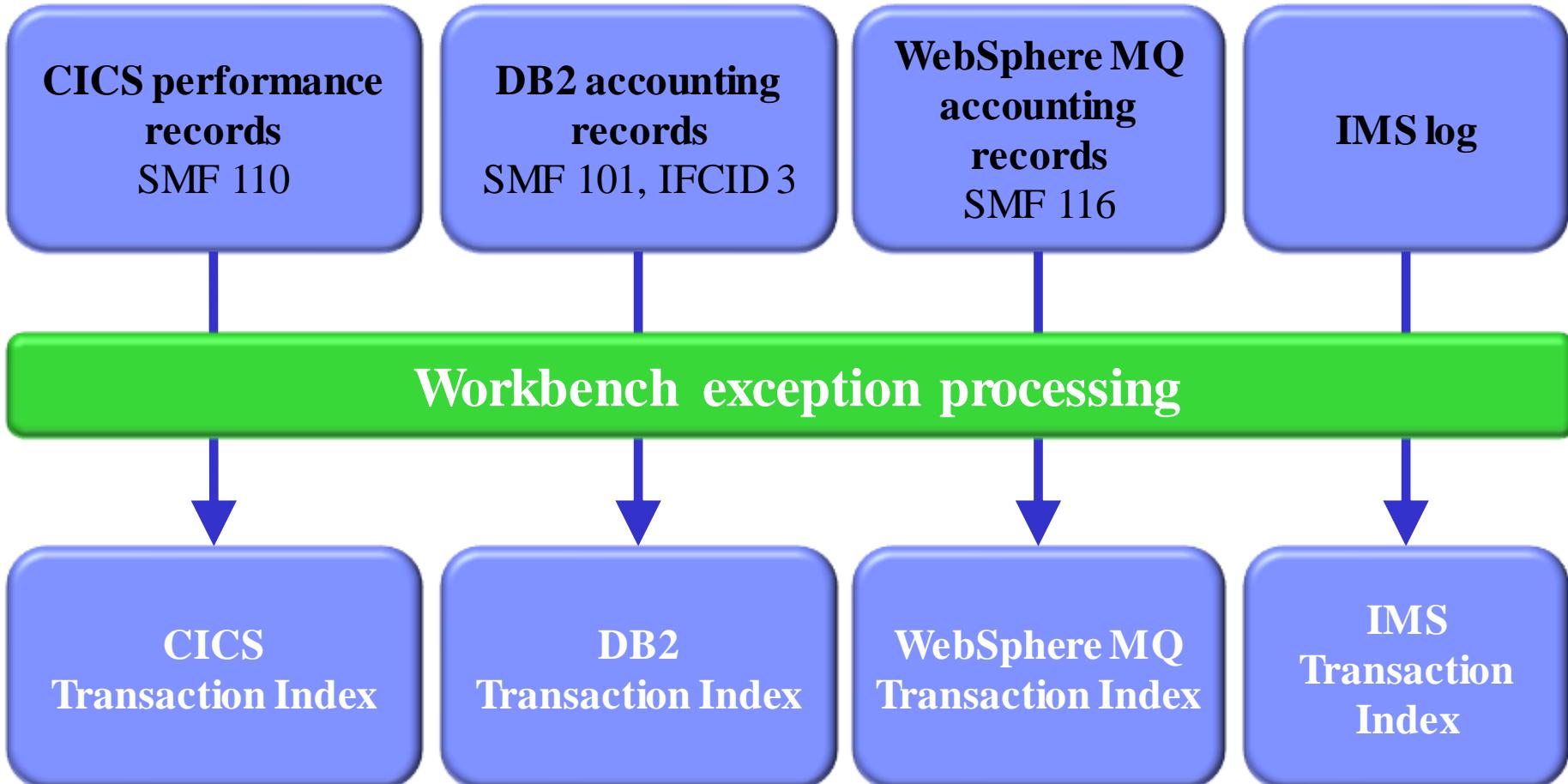
IMS Performance Analyzer															
Transaction summary: Response & CPU															
APPLID	Tran	Avg Tran Process Time	Max Tran Process Time	>1.0 Process Time	Avg Process CPU	Max Process CPU	Avg DB Get Count	Avg DB Updat Count	Avg FP Get Count	Avg FP Updat Count	Avg	Avg	Avg	Avg	Avg
		Count	Time	Time	Time	Time	Count	Count	Count	Count	Count	Count	Count	Count	Count
CICSIMS	CSMI	89129	0.086663	5.065890	23.21%	0.001693	1.278172	4	6	2	3				

Workbench exception processing

Exception: a transaction that matches specific *exception criteria*, such as long response time or an abend



Workbench Transaction Index processing



1. Transaction indexes are created by the workbench (a session workflow will create them)
2. They are used to identify all the transaction and UOR workloads in IMS, DB2 and CICS
3. The transaction index is a special extract - one record per transaction in time sequence
4. Contain summarized performance and resource usage information
5. Can be filtered to include exception transactions only
6. Can be used for reporting and to identify problem transactions

CICS Exception Transaction Index via ISPF

File Help Line Actions

File Help

SMF Transaction Index Request

Command ==> _____

Original Data Set . . . : JCH.CICS.CMF.MRO.EXTRACT
/ CICS index 'JM3.DBCLT.EXCEP.INDEX'
- DB2 accounting . . .
- MQ accounting . . .

Exception criteria:
/ Transaction ABEND (CICS only)
/ Response time threshold . . . 0.5 (0.00001 to 999999 seconds)

Extract Interval
YYYY-MM-DD HH.MM.SS.TH
From 2012-02-24 20.40.00.00
To 2012-02-24 21.00.00.00

Exception Candidate CICS Transaction Index

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File Mode Filter Time Labels Options Help
BROWSE JM3.CICS.DBCTL.EXCEP.INDEX Record 00000001 More: < >
Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> CSR
               Navigate < 00.00.01.000000 > Date/Time 2012-02-24 20.45.15.289374
/ _____ Friday 2012-02-24 LSN
   6E13 CICS Transaction CMF-000000000001
TranCode=MROU Program=TWM$MROT Userid=TWM LTerm=SC0TCP22 Terminal=CP22
RecToken=FUFWTR/C92C56A9B17F1881 Resp=15 986901 CPU=0.027538
ACCT=FTS3.SC0TCP22.2C56A9B17F18 Task=156 Abend=AEIV
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Quickly Identify
Transactions
performing
outside exception
criteria

Exception Index was created to show **CICS Transactions (x'6E13')** records that have Abended.

Session: Investigate

1. Session log files are merged in time sequence
2. Often log files are very large. Use time slicing to process required time period only – very quick!

Command ==> _____		Investigate			Row 1 of 5 More: < >	
					Scroll ==> CSR	
		Time Slice (ON)				
		Time	Date	Duration		
/	S	HH.MM.SS.thmiju 20.40.38.002499	YYYY-MM-DD 2012-02-24	HH.MM.SS 00.17.55	Zone LOCAL	Filter +
Type	Data Set Name				Coverage	
SMF	JCH.SMF.EXTRACT				PARTIAL	
CMF	JCH.CICS.CMF.MRO.EXTRACT				COMPLETE	
IMS	JM3.CICS.DBCTL.INDEX				PARTIAL	
IMS	IBB1.SLDSP.IBB1.D12055.T2049325.V16				PARTIAL	
DB2	DSNDB2A.DBA3.ARCLG1.A0000083				PARTIAL	
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3. Select all or some of the files only
4. See coverage information for time slice specified

Overall perspective: MRO Transaction Lifecycle with Relative Times

CICS
CMF

IMS
log

DB2
Log &
Trace

Coordinated
Syncpoint

BROWSE JCH.SMF.EXTRACT +						Record 00028179 More: < >
Command ==>		Slice . . Duration	Date	Time	20.40.38.002499	Scroll ==> CSR
		Code Description < 00.00.00.00000 >	2012-02-24	Friday	Time (Relative)	
/						
TX	6E13	CICS Transaction TranCode=MROU Task=286	TOR	20.57.15.950542		
	6E13	CICS Transaction TranCode=CSMI Task=72	AOR	+0.001969		
	6E13	CICS Transaction TranCode=CSMI Task=82	FC=4	+0.018608		
	6E13	CICS Transaction TranCode=CSMI Task=60	IMS=12	+0.018608		
	CA01	Transaction Program=DFHTWM04 LTerm=FUWFWIR		+0.019642		
	08	Application Start TranCode=CSMI Program=DFHTWM04		+0.019642		
	5050	Database REPL Database=DI21PART Region=0001		+0.034078		
	5050	Database DLET Database=DI21PART Region=0001		+1.265202		
	6E13	CICS Transaction TranCode=CSMI Task=57 DB2=14		+1.262832		
	072	Create thread start		DBA3 +1.264293		
	.	.				
	061	SQL UPDATE CURSOR C1		STMT=000354 DBA3 +1.272195		
	0020	Begin UR		+1.272609		
	0600	DB2 Update In-Place in a Data Page		+1.272625		
	058	SQL call completion	SQLCODE=0	STMT=000354 DBA3 +1.272673		
	0600	DB2 Savepoint		+1.273665		
	021	Lock detail		DBA3 +1.274140		
	0600	Delete from a Data Page		+1.274209		
	.	.				
	0600	Insert into a Data Page		+2.175537		
	058	SQL call completion	SQL=05	STMT=000433 DBA3 +2.175602		
	5610	Syncpoint Start of Phase 1 Region=0001		+2.178900		
	5950	FP Database Update Database=IVPDB3 Region=0001		+2.178921		
	5611	Syncpoint End of Phase 1 Region=0001		+2.226836		
	0020	End Commit Phase 1		+2.232817		
	3730	Syncpoint End of Phase 1 Region=0001		+2.242026		
	5937	FP Syncpoint Program=DFHTWM04 Region=0001		+2.242924		
	56FA	Transaction Statistics Region=0001		+2.242963		
	07	Application Terminate Region=0001		+2.243907		
	070	Commit phase 2 start		DBA3 +2.244799		
	0020	Begin Commit Phase 2		+2.245105		
	5612	Syncpoint End of Phase 2 Program=DFHTWM04 Region=0001		+2.245664		
	.	.				
	0020	End Commit Phase 2		+2.248257		
	003	DB2 Accounting 003 Source=CICS		+2.249216		
	075	Terminate thread end		DBA3 +2.250783		
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Session: History

1. Keep analysis notes for yourself or to share with other SMEs
2. Quickly resume analysis sessions using Tag feature

History

Row 1 to 11 of 11
Command ==> [CSR](#)

Select a history item or use the NEW command to create a new note.

/ Type	Description
— TAG	Personal savepoint for JMB
— JOB	CICS Tran Summary - Response & CPU
— JOB	IMS Tran Summaru - Response & CPU
— TAG	Personal savepoint for Jim Martin
— TAG	CICS transaction #286 HELP ME!!

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3. Also use Tags to identify points in transaction lifecycle which may require further investigation.
4. Allows for collaborative problem analysis.

CICS Trace Analysis

Deep-Dive Investigation using CICS Trace

- The CICS trace (either DFHAUXT or GTF) can be used as a diagnostic data source to identify where CICS transaction delays occur
 - Individual transactions can be tracked; including along side CMF and the DB2 trace if required
- EXEC CICS and SQL calls can be analyzed in detail
- Trace events are displayed in the same familiar format as IPCS. However all the standard workbench formatting and navigation features apply, making the CICS trace more accessible
 - The entire contents on the trace entry can be displayed
 - Elapsed time delays are easily identified
- When GTF is collecting both the CICS and DB2 traces, then you will see both in the display

Application call detail

1. Use tracking to display only those events associated with the problem transaction
2. Scroll through the application calls to see where any long delays occurred

BROWSE	JCH.AUXG	Record	00000001	More: < >
Command	==>	Scroll	CSR	====>
/	Navigate < 00.00.01.000000 >	Date/Time	2015-02-11 21.05.22.199441	
TX	Tracking	Wednesday	2015-02-11	Time (Elapsed)
TX AP	E160 EXEC ENTRY LINK PROGRAM('MQBANK') CHANNEL('MQ-CHANNEL') COBOLII STMT_#(03828)		85171	21.05.22.199441
AP	1940 APLI ENTRY START_PROGRAM PROGRAM(MQBANK) CEDF_STATUS(CEDF) EXECUTION_SET(FULLAPI) ENVIRONMENT_TYPE(EXEC) SYNCRETURN(NO) LANGUAGE_BLOCK(1DA0353C) COMMAREA(00021302 , 9B02C6B0)	85171	0.000141	
AP	E160 EXEC ENTRY GET CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA') INTO(AT X'23FE52F0') FLENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00160)	85171	0.000016	
AP	E161 EXEC EXIT GET CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA') INTO(AT X'23FE52F0') FLENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00160)	85171	0.000011	
AP	E160 EXEC ENTRY PUT CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA') CHANNEL('MQ-CHANNEL') FROM(AT X'23FE52F0') FLENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00528)	85171	0.354026	2
AP	E161 EXEC EXIT PUT CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA') CHANNEL('MQ-CHANNEL') FROM(AT X'23FE52F0') FLENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00528)	85171	0.000014	
AP	E160 EXEC ENTRY PUT CONTAINER('MQ-DATA-AREA') CHANNEL('MQ-CHANNEL') FROM(AT X'24700008') FLENGTH(2148) COBOLII STMT_#(00541)	85171	0.000002	

CICS-DB2 transaction replay with trace

BROWSE MY.BAD.CICS.DB2.XACT				Record 00000001 More: < >
				Scroll ===> CSR
Command ==>				
/	Filtering	Navigate < 00.00.01.000000 >	Date/Time 2013-10-08 15.28.01.407051	
1	6E13 CICS Transaction		Tuesday 2013-10-08 Time (Elapsed)	15.28.01.407051
		TranCode=FBOX Program=FBOCCP01 Userid=TWM LTerm=SC0TCP07 Terminal=CP07		
		RecToken=FUWTCIC/CC145FE27199CC84 Resp=1.686043 CPU=0.007469 DB2=2		
		ACCT=FTS3.SC0TCP07.145FE27199CC Task=249		
— AP	0100 USER EVENT USER-EXIT-PROGRAM-ENTRY	00249	0.077862	
— AP	2520 ERM ENTRY COBOL-APPLICATION-CALL-TO-TRUE(DSNCSQL)	00249	0.000001	2
— DS	0002 DSAT ENTRY CHANGE_MODE	00249	0.000003	3
— DS	0003 DSAT EXIT CHANGE_MODE/OK	00249	0.000043	
— AP	2522 ERM EVENT PASSING-CONTROL-TO-OPENAPI-TRUE (DSNCSQL)	00249	0.000003	
— AP	3180 D2EX1 ENTRY APPLICATION REQUEST EXEC SQL CALL STATEMENT	00249	0.000001	4
— AP	3250 D2D2 ENTRY DB2_API_CALL 225E4358	00249	0.000006	
— AP	326C D2D2 EVENT ABOUT_TO_ISSUE_DB2_API_REQUEST	00249	0.000011	
— AP	326D D2D2 EVENT RETURN_FROM_DB2_API_REQUEST	00249	1.602778	5
— AP	3251 D2D2 EXIT DB2_API_CALL/OK	00249	0.000025	
— AP	3181 D2EX1 EXIT APPLICATION-REQUEST SQLCODE 0 RETURNED ON EXEC SQL CALL STATEMENT	00249	0.000019	
— AP	2523 ERM EVENT REGAINING-CONTROL-FROM-OPENAPI- TRUE(DSNCSQL)	00249	0.000028	
— DS	0002 DSAT ENTRY CHANGE_MODE	00249	0.000011	
— DS	0003 DSAT EXIT CHANGE_MODE/OK	00249	0.000127	
— AP	2521 ERM EXIT COBOL-APPLICATION-CALL-TO-TRUE(DSNCSQL)	00249	0.000003	
— 003	Thread accounting	DBA6	0.003547	
	TranCode=FBOX Userid=TWM ClientID=FUWTCIC			
	RESP=1.607763 CPU1=0.001412 CPU2=0.000969 I/O3=0			
	ACCT=FTS3.SC0TCP07.145FE27199CC Source=CICS SEL=1 UPD=1 CAL=1			
	LogRecs=6 GetPage=14616 UpdPage=1 MaxLock=2			6
	LUWID=FTS3/DBA6LU/CC145FE748D3/0002			
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1. CICS transaction shows long response time; but only two DB2 calls issued
2. Transaction (task id 249) issues a DB2 call
3. Mode switch from QR to L8
4. EXEC SQL request is a CALL to a Stored Procedure
5. DB2 takes 1.6 seconds to respond; CICS can only wait
6. DB2 accounting confirms the long response time, with the only clue being the excessive GetPage count. The DB2 trace confirms that this is caused by a table scan.

List of transactions batch report

One line per transaction shows the breakdown of response time into its constituent components: Application processing, EXEC CICS, EXEC SQL, EXEC DLI and syncpoint.

Use the ISPF dialog or batch trace to obtain a more detailed drill down of a poor performing transaction

----	2014-05-30	Tran	Program	Userid	TaskNo	Response	SyncTime	--APPL--	---EXEC	CICS-----	----EXEC	SQL----
11.03.01.674583	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		673	13.203473	0.002563	0.003277	6.888614	116	6.310280	5
11.03.21.625670	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		675	3.040745	0.002589	0.001862	0.016044	63	3.021377	3
11.03.34.109714	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		677	3.025561	0.002717	0.001908	0.003416	63	3.018757	3
11.03.41.587541	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		679	19.441418	0.010744	0.004735	9.939777	169	9.494987	7
11.04.09.401905	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		681	3.010018	0.002356	0.002107	0.003718	63	3.003115	3
11.04.19.849607	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		683	3.047110	0.002502	0.001801	0.003690	63	3.040181	3
11.04.30.041429	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		685	3.037615	0.002956	0.002014	0.003611	63	3.030569	3
11.04.37.404134	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		687	3.408803	0.002388	0.002312	0.003931	63	3.401387	3
11.04.48.120039	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		689	3.014745	0.002967	0.002027	0.003739	63	3.007527	3
11.04.56.615558	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		691	3.085321	0.002502	0.001929	0.003721	63	3.078352	3
11.05.09.111860	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		693	10.037665	0.003005	0.003348	3.435576	116	6.597059	5
11.05.23.455150	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		695	2.963219	0.003212	0.001876	0.003723	63	2.956117	3
11.05.34.250374	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		697	3.053035	0.002665	0.002118	0.003696	63	3.045243	3
11.05.41.495384	MENU	MENUPGM1	TONY		699	3.034837	0.002680	0.002097	0.004055	63	3.027258	3

CICS Trace report

The Trace report shows the significant application events in the lifecycle of each transaction, in particular the EXEC calls and the application processing time between the calls. Transaction response time is broken down in two ways.

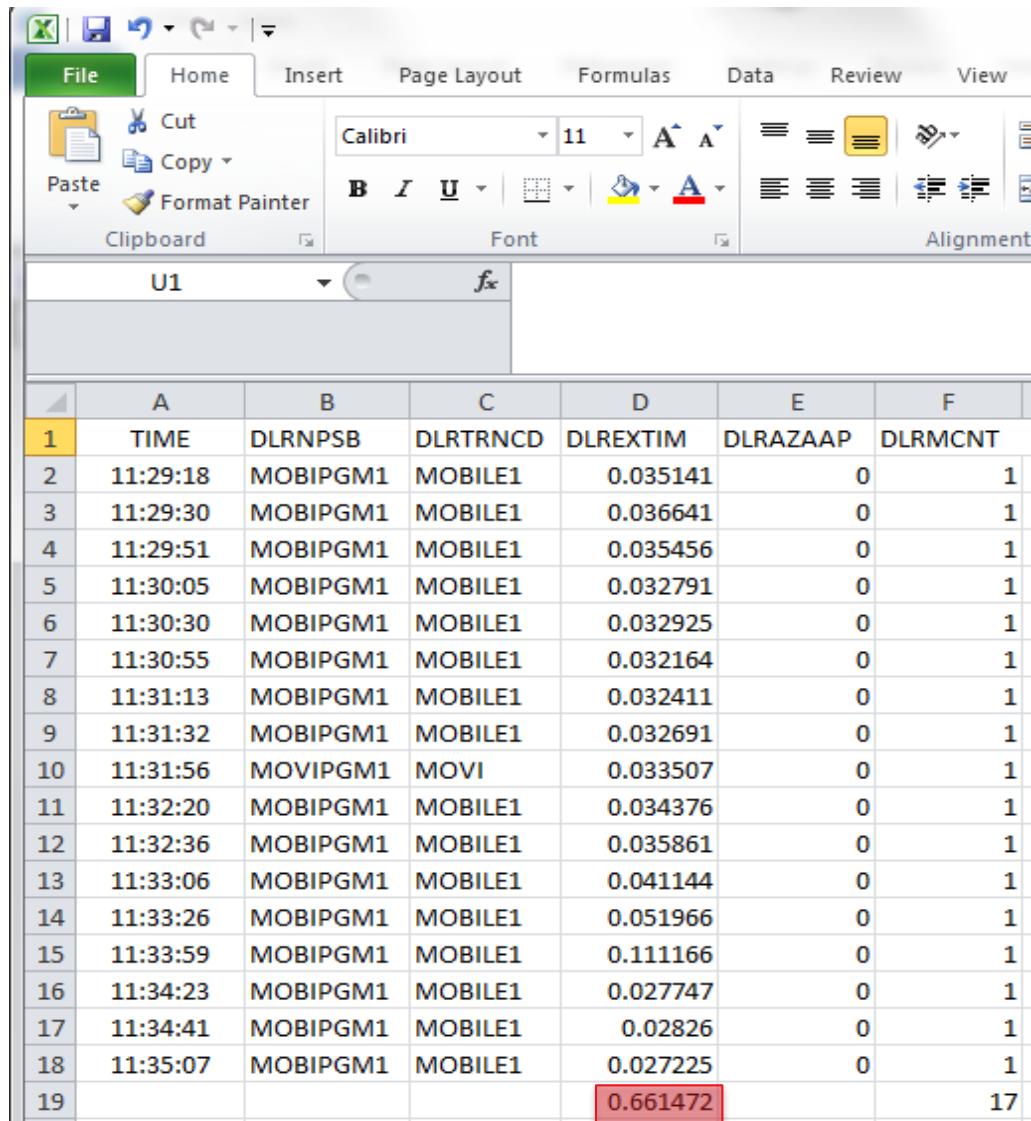
1. The event start time relative to the start of the transaction appears on the left hand side
2. The event elapsed time appears on the right hand side
3. The active program is displayed. When the transaction links to another program then the new program name is reported until it returns
4. The statement number will help you locate the position of interest in your program

----	2015-02-11	Program	Event	Elapsed
21.05.22.158271	BANK		ATTACH TRAN=BANK TASK=85171	
+0.000750	BANK	(1)		0.000750
+0.000993	BANK	HANDLE ABEND PROGRAM('ABNDPGM')	COBOLII STMT_#(02028)	0.000007
+0.001001	BANK	(2)		0.000001
+0.001002	BANK	RETRIEVE INTO('CLAIMS.MQINPUT.INV013 BANKING')		0.000013
		LENGTH(684)	COBOLII STMT_#(02037)	
+0.001015	BANK	(3)		0.000055
+0.001071	BANK	ENQ RESOURCE('CLAIMS.MQINPUT.INV013')		0.000008
		LENGTH(21)	MAXLIFETIME(233) NOSUSPEND COBOLII STMT_#(02072)	
.	.			
+0.035945	BANK	SYNCPOINT	COBOLII STMT_#(02198)	0.005159
+0.041104	BANK	(36)		0.000048
+0.041153	BANK	PUT CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA')	CHANNEL('MQ-PROD')	0.000015
		FROM(AT X'23FCF890')	LENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(03807)	
+0.041168	BANK	(37)		0.000001
+0.041170	BANK	LINK PROGRAM('MQSEND')		0.000141
+0.041322	MQSEND	(38)		0.000016
+0.041339	MQSEND	GET CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA')		0.000011
+0.041350	MQSEND	INTO(AT X'23FE52F0')	LENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00160)	0.000002
+0.041352	MQSEND	(39)		0.000027
+0.041380	MQSEND	GETMAIN SET(X'24700008')		
+0.395407	MQSEND	LENGTH(307360) INITIMG(X'40')	COBOLII STMT_#(00180)	0.354026 ***
+0.395421	MQSEND	(40)		0.000014
+0.395424	MQSEND	PUT CONTAINER('MQ-WORK-AREA')	CHANNEL('MQ-PROD')	0.000002
		FROM(AT X'23FE52F0')	LENGTH(32767) COBOLII STMT_#(00528)	
.	.	(41)		0.000021
+1.062302	BANK	PUT CONTAINER('MQ-DATA-AREA')	CHANNEL('MQ-PROD')	
		FROM(AT X'24700008')	LENGTH(2148) COBOLII STMT_#(00541)	
		.		
		END OF TRANSACTION		0.000000

Mobile Workloads and Big Data

Mobile Workload Pricing using TAW

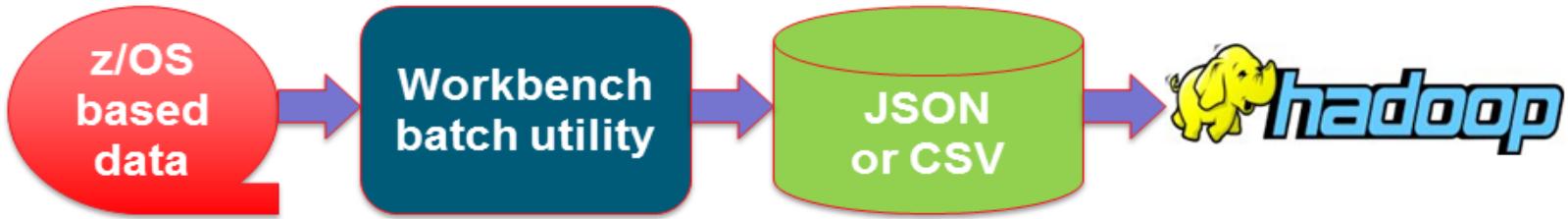
TAW provides a CSV file containing selected (mobile, for example) transaction CPU usage information. The CSV can then assist you to measure your mobile workload for [IBM Mobile Workload Pricing for z/OS.](#)



The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled 'TAW' with a green header bar. The ribbon menu includes File, Home, Insert, Page Layout, Formulas, Data, Review, and View. The 'Home' tab is selected, showing the 'Font' and 'Alignment' toolbars. The main table has columns labeled A through F. Column A is labeled 'TIME' and contains timestamp entries from 11:29:18 to 11:35:07. Column B is labeled 'DLRNPSB' and contains 'MOBIPGM1'. Column C is labeled 'DLTRNCD' and contains 'MOBILE1'. Column D is labeled 'DLREXTIM' and contains numerical values ranging from 0.027225 to 0.111166. Column E is labeled 'DLRAZAAP' and contains '0'. Column F is labeled 'DLRCNT' and contains '1'. Row 19 is highlighted with a red border, and the value '0.661472' is displayed in the D cell of row 19. The bottom right corner of the slide features a colorful graphic of overlapping geometric shapes.

A	B	C	D	E	F
1	TIME	DLRNPSB	DLTRNCD	DLREXTIM	DLRAZAAP
2	11:29:18	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.035141	0
3	11:29:30	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.036641	0
4	11:29:51	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.035456	0
5	11:30:05	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.032791	0
6	11:30:30	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.032925	0
7	11:30:55	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.032164	0
8	11:31:13	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.032411	0
9	11:31:32	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.032691	0
10	11:31:56	MOBIPGM1	MOVI	0.033507	0
11	11:32:20	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.034376	0
12	11:32:36	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.035861	0
13	11:33:06	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.041144	0
14	11:33:26	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.051966	0
15	11:33:59	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.111166	0
16	11:34:23	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.027747	0
17	11:34:41	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.02826	0
18	11:35:07	MOBIPGM1	MOBILE1	0.027225	0
19				0.661472	17

BigData and IT analytics using Transaction Analysis Workbench



- ✓ Most z/OS based performance instrumentation can be loaded quickly and easily into HADOOP; including SMF, CICS, DB2, IMS, WebSphere MQ, WebSphere Application Server
- ✓ Supports InfoSphere BigInsights and Cloudera
- ✓ CSV can be written directly into zFS file system
 - ASCII format; compatible with the requirements of the HADOOP UPLOAD
 - Use NFS or FTP to facilitate scheduled and automated upload into HDFS
- ✓ ISPF dialog provides the “BigData” option to assist you in the setup of jobs to collect the required data and generate the necessary CSVs
- ✓ The CSV process generates additional output to assist in the take-up:
 - HCatalog - table abstraction and a storage abstraction system that makes it easy for multiple tools to interact with the same underlying data
 - Schema – DDL to create a DB2 table
 - JSON metadata – describes all the fields in the table by name, with their attributes, as well as a detailed description

IBM InfoSphere BigInsights: BigSheets

- CICS-DB2 transactions with performance metrics from both subsystems

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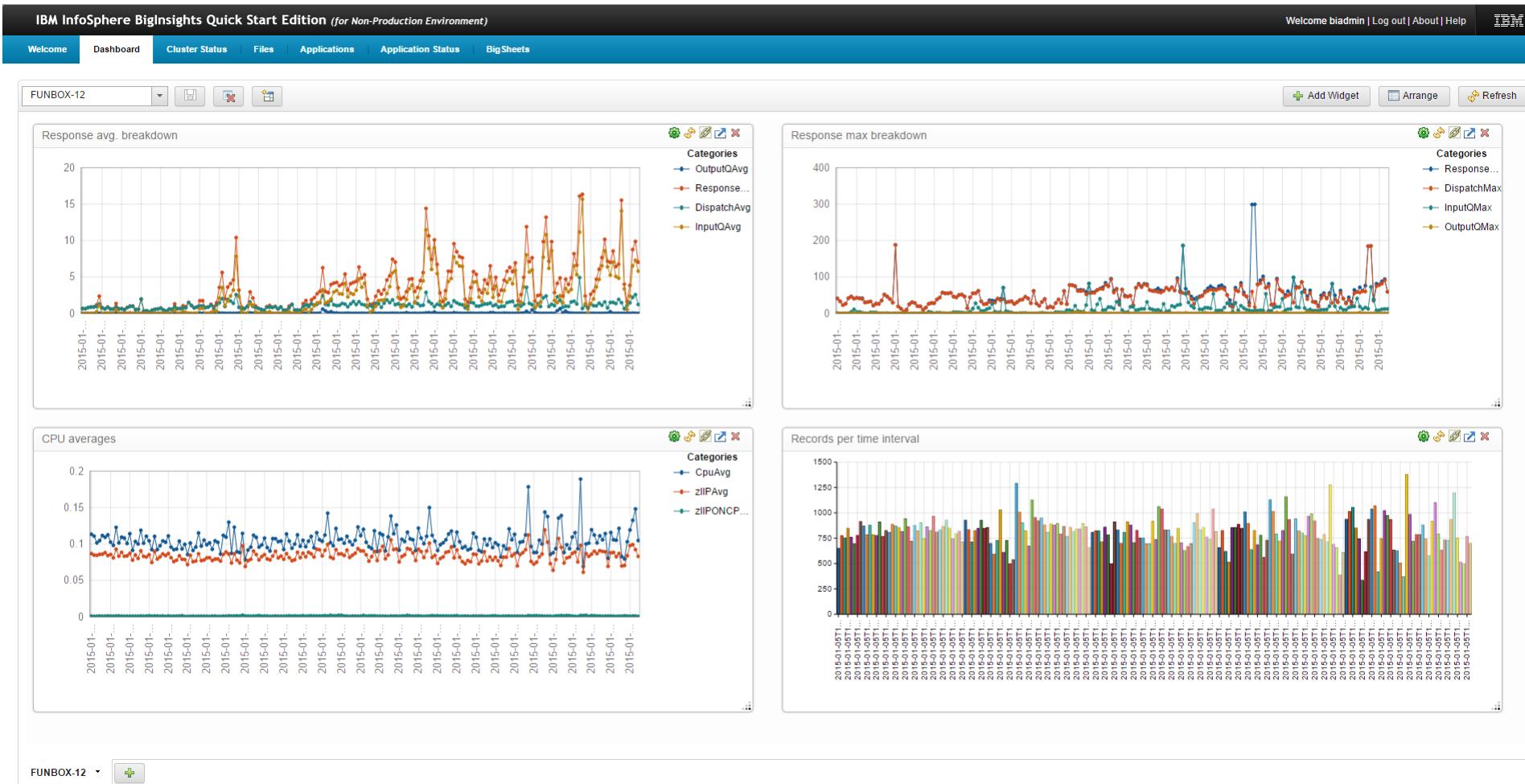
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	Time	Tran	CICS_Time	DB2_Time	Total_Time	CICS_over_DB2
1	2013-05-30 11:03:01.674	FB66	0.0116	3.6814	3.6931	0.0031
2	2013-05-30 11:03:21.625	FB66	0.0072	1.8377	1.8449	0.0039
3	2013-05-30 11:03:34.109	FB66	0.0070	1.8447	1.8518	0.0038
4	2013-05-30 11:03:41.587	FB66	0.0164	5.4990	5.5155	0.0029
5	2013-05-30 11:04:09.401	FB66	0.0070	1.8332	1.8402	0.0038
6	2013-05-30 11:04:19.849	FB66	0.0068	1.8468	1.8537	0.0037
7	2013-05-30 11:04:30.041	FB66	0.0070	1.8313	1.8383	0.0038
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14	2013-05-30 11:05:41.495	FB66	0.0070	1.8402	1.8472	0.0038
15	2013-05-30 11:05:52.184	FB66	0.0069	1.8427	1.8496	0.0037
16	2013-05-30 11:06:02.395	FB66	0.0069	1.8227	1.8296	0.0038
17	2013-05-30 11:06:08.873	FB66	0.0068	1.8376	1.8445	0.0037
18	2013-05-30 11:06:21.721	FB66	0.0069	1.8433	1.8503	0.0037
19	2013-05-30 11:06:37.943	FB66	0.0067	1.8356	1.8423	0.0036
20	2013-05-30 11:06:54.983	FB66	0.0069	1.8361	1.8430	0.0037
21	2013-05-30 11:07:05.063	FB66	0.0068	1.8311	1.8380	0.0037
22	2013-05-30 11:07:18.551	FB66	0.0069	1.8392	1.8461	0.0037
23	2013-05-30 11:07:32.263	FB66	0.0068	1.8396	1.8465	0.0037
24	2013-05-30 11:07:43.511	FB66	0.0068	1.8423	1.8491	0.0036
25	2013-05-30 11:07:58.717	FB66	0.0068	1.8338	1.8407	0.0037
26	2013-05-30 11:08:09.448	FB66	0.0070	1.8335	1.8406	0.0038
27	2013-05-30 11:08:21.191	FB66	0.0069	1.8510	1.8579	0.0037
28	2013-05-30 11:08:36.904	FB66	0.0070	1.8308	1.8378	0.0038
29	2013-05-30 11:08:48.393	FB66	0.0068	1.8257	1.8326	0.0037
30	2013-05-30 11:08:58.503	FB66	0.0067	1.8329	1.8397	0.0036
31	2013-05-30 11:09:07.661	FB66	0.0071	1.8340	1.8411	0.0038
32	2013-05-30 11:09:22.824	FB66	0.0071	1.8346	1.8417	0.0038
33	2013-05-30 11:09:32.249	FB66	0.0069	1.8379	1.8449	0.0037

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IBM InfoSphere BigInsights: Dashboard

- This dashboard monitors the performance of transactions that were processed in WebSphere Application Server for z/OS
- Response time, CPU time and transaction through-put are all monitored from a single screen
- The data is sourced from SMF 102.9 – every transaction that runs in WebSphere Application Server



Questions?



More information

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