



Implementing Real Time statistics for utility automation

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It is amazing how precise SQL is in describing things ;-) and a simple SQL-code can be the answer

Imagine, that your children were taught SQL as the first foreign Language in school. A question from them to get money for a new computer could be answered by a -904 (resource Unavailable) and when putting the same question to their Mother she could simply answer -803 (Duplicate Row – We have had that question before) -)

So please join us in making SQL a spoken language ;-))

Real Time statistics



- What is Real Time Statistics?
- What do you need to do to make it active?
- What did JN Data do with it?
 - The Idea
 - The Concept
 - Advantages/Disadvantages
 - Production
 - How do I make contact with the "Animal"?"
 - Implementation-evaluation



What is Real Time Statistics ?

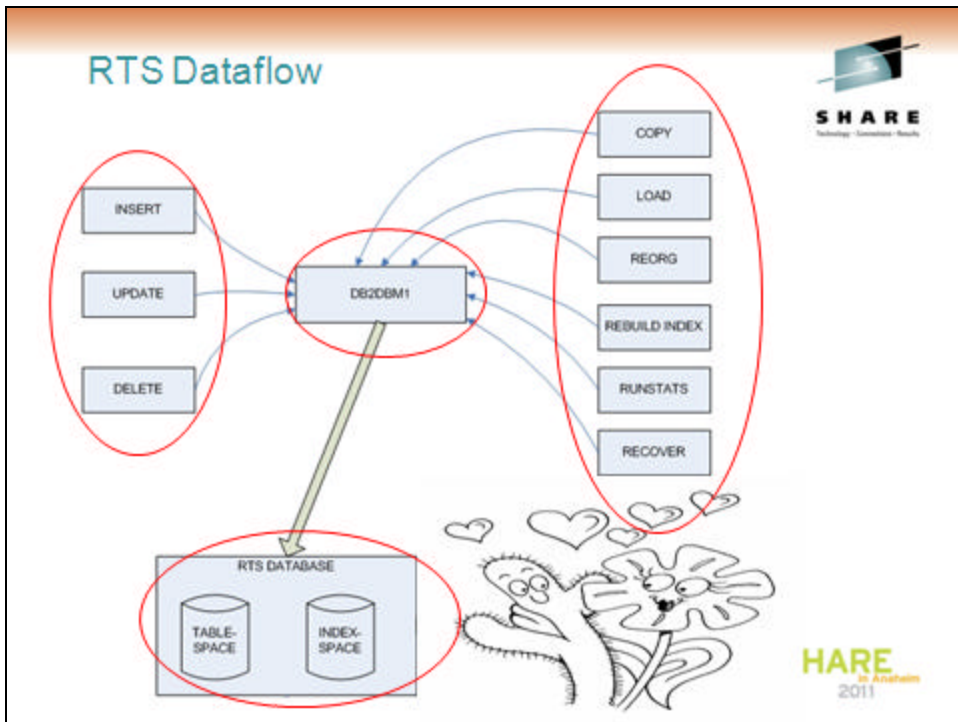


- Real Time Statistics is part of DB2 and has been so since DB2 version 7 but before DB2 9 you had to define the objects and set up the environment yourself.
- Based on activity in the DB2 systems DB2 gathers numbers on table space and index space activity in the DBM1-address space and stores them in the RTS-tables
- DSNZPARM STATSINT (Default 30 Min) determines how often DB2 writes to database
- DSNZPARM UTSORTAL (Apar II14296) help DB2 to use data in Real Time statistics internally for DFSORT workfile allocation



We have set the STATSINT to 1 minute, which means that the DBM1-addressspace outputs activity-records to the RTS tables every 1 minute.

Since the number of affected records are reasonably small we have seen no problems of having this value set at 1 minute



In order to get the full benefit of RTS you have to run a REORG-utility so that the DBM1-addressspace can register an initial Cardinality on Table Spaces and Index Spaces.

When Insert, Update and Delete's happens the DBM1-address space collect these data and updates the RTS-tables at the STATSINT Interval in DSNZPARM

This gives you the operational basis for using RTS for utility automation.

Where are data stored in RTS ?



- In DB2 9 & DB210 Realtime Statistics is part of the system catalog database DSNDB06 in tablespace SYSRTSTS.
- Table SYSIBM.SYSINDEXSPACESTATS contains information about Indexspaces
- Table SYSIBM.SYSTABLESPACESTATS contains information about tablespaces
- Both tables has BIGINT-columns to store big numbers in.
- The field UNCOMPRESSED DATASIZE (DB2 9) is currently unused, so please beware
- Look in the Utility Guide and Reference for documentation relating to DB2 9 & DB2 10.



What you need to do to make it active in DB2 Version 9 and DB2 10?



- Since Realtime Statistics is part of the DB2 9 and DB2 10 Codebase it is active at New Function Mode-time
- DSNZPARM **STATSINT** is set (default 30 Minutes). We have set it to 1 (minute)
- DSNZPARM **UTSORTAL=NO** change to YES ensures that adequate Sortwork-file allocation are allocated and it ensures that DB2 can use RTS-information for Utility optimization.



The Installation SDSNSAMP-library contains the basic RTS-definitions.

If you want to have shadow tablesets for viewing growth etc you have to build them yourself. You can use the table-ddl from the basic ones and add a timestamp which you set when you load from the basic table

Still on 8 ☺ What you need to do to make it active in DB2 Version 8 ?



- Details attached to the presentation
- <DB2hlq>.SDSNSAMP member DSNTESS contains the DDL to create database DSNRTSDB. Review it and Run it
- DB2 puts this database in STOP-status at creation time. Run the START DATABASE-command to make it RW.



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Recommended Home-grown extensions



- Generate shadow table sets with date/time
 - 1 table per table spaces for usability at administration
 - Use DSNDB06.SYSRTSTS-DDL as model and add column HIST_TIME TIMESTAMP NOT NULL WITH DEFAULT on both sets of tables and remember to make the tablespace-DDL according to own rules.
 - Use HIST_TIME in indexes as well
 - We have 2 sets of shadow tables: 1 per hour and 1 per day
 - Cleanup of Hourly table. We remove data older than 3 days (Reorg discard)
 - Cleanup of Daily table. We remove data older than 13 months (Reorg discard)



The RTS-tables is updated in place, so if you want to follow the numbers to see when activity is happening you have to unload data on your own timeframe. We use 1 unload pr hour and load the data into a shadow-table where we have build a timestamp-column into the shadow table.

This means that we in the shadow table have one entry pr hour in the detailed table and 1 entry pr day in the other shadow table.

What did JN Data do with it?



- 2 Customers – 2 different approaches to utilities – We have more customers coming in
- Standardizing necessary in order to ensure daily operation
- Database administration need to be centralized
- Focus on Disaster Recovery
- Focus on Cost Efficiency (Reduce disk/tape resource usage)
- Would we build it ourselves or buy a packaged solution?
- The decision was made: we do it on our own ;-)
- We called the project DB2 Automation
- We looked at DSNACCOX and decided that our need for control was beyond the scope of DSNACCOX



Having routines in place that ensures a standardized environment both ensures correct operation and ensures that in the Disaster Recovery situation you can rely on data being available for that purpose as well.

DB2 Automation - The Idea



- We wanted to ensure that we **always** had backups of **ALL** DB2-tables for recovery purposes – no exceptions
- Only the **NECESSARY** Backup, Reorg and Runstats jobs had to be run against the objects (= Huge savings).
- We came from 2 different systems based on fixed scheduling without looking at activity.
- DBA has full responsibility for the administration of DB2-data
- The System run fully automated and be self-adjusting to new objects
- The System must to be fault-tolerant and "self-healing"



We wanted to make the utility-approach for both of our customers the same.

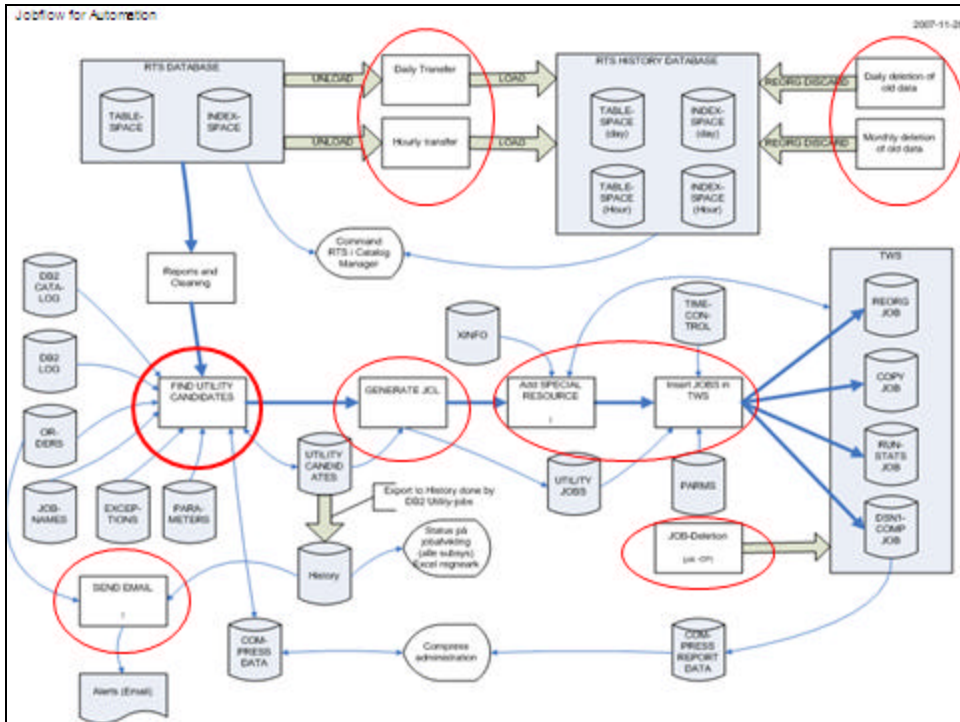
DB2 Automation



- Job generation based on DB2 Real Time Statistics
 - Backup, Reorg, Runstats and DSN1COMP
 - Parameterize whenever possible
 - Register exceptions in exceptions-table
 - Automatic job scheduling in TWS
- Backup (SHRLEVEL CHANGE)
 - Start with one Full Image Copy (we use TAPE for cost-reasons)
 - If Table space update activity - generate Incremental Copy (we use disk here).
 - Every 14th day generate a Full Copy for table spaces without update activity
 - For every 5th Incremental Image Copy a Full Image Copy is next in line.
- Reorg (Online Reorg)
 - Scheduled only on objects that needs this
- RUNSTATS
 - Scheduled only when significant changes.



Trigger values are by default the ones mentioned in DB2 Administration Guide: 'When to reorganize indexes and tablespaces'



The RTS Database is unloaded and loaded into 2 history table space sets

1. On an hourly basis – kept for 3 days (deletion done by REORG DISCARD)
2. On a daily basis – Kept for 13 months (Deletion done by REORG DISCARD)

The system looks in RTS to see if thresholds are met and put the objects in the utility candidate list for future JCL Generation.

The system generates JCL and registers the jobs and special resources in TWS.

If the Jobs are not run because of timeframes etc an Email is sent to the DBA-Team, who decides on what has to be done.

The system cleans up the TWS-database for the already completed jobs and resources.

DB2 Automation – PRO's



- We ensure that we always can do recover after job-failures and disasters
- We do only use the necessary resources for Data administration
- Reduced number of tapes and reduced # of TB disk space
- No manual procedures for Backup, Reorg and Runstats
- Modern, rock solid and robust 7 X 24 service ;-)
- **Recommendation:** Get Incremental Image Copies on Disk for faster recovery etc.



DB2 Automation – Con's



- The earlier scheduled jobs had to be removed from TWS and we had to analyze dependencies for application specific requirements
- The earlier use of Full Image Copies for application specific purposes had to be changed to new archive-procedures (which is still going on)
- We had to invest in disk-capacity for incremental Image Copies (We hope that some day we will get money for the Full Image Copies as well;-))



DB2 Automation in detail – The System



- DBA developed ISPF-application with the following content:
 - DBA "Control Center" for parameters
 - Start- and stop-timeframes controlled via utility-calendar
 - Job-Generation-routine scheduled daily early in the morning
 - Exceptions from standard treatment are registered in the DBA Control Center (Shown later)
 - Dialog to see utility-progress
- TWS
 - Resource <subsys>.<database>.<table space> added
 - Find Utilities in XINFO and generate dependencies to avoid collisions
 - Report errors in Problem Management system (ours is called Service Center and it comes from HP)



XINFO is a product from Horizont in Germany, which extracts information from JCL, TWS, Sourcelibraries, DB2 and many other sources and put them in DB2 tables, that we can use to search for jobs that contains utilities.

DB2 Utility Control Center Main Menu



DB2 Utility Control 0.1 - Main Menu

- | | | |
|-----|-------------|--|
| 1 | Victims | - Utility Candidates |
| 2 | Exceptions | - Exceptions from standard treatment |
| 3 | Job names | - Parameters for job name generation |
| 4 | Orders | - Utility Orders |
| 5 | Parameters | - Parameters for job generation |
| 6 | TWS-appl. | - applications in TWS |
| 7 | Calendar | - START-/STOP-hours and FULL STOP settings |
| 8 | DB2-systems | - DB2-subsystems and data sharing members |
| 9 | Compress | - DSN1COMP-handling |
| ... | | |
| J5 | TWS-jcl | - Look in dataset where TWS gets it from |



Victims = Those who meet the thresholds



DEXX DB2 Utility Control - Victims Row 1 to 18 of 62
KQMANDO ==> Shows: UNHANDLED Scroll ==> CSR

Line Commands:
S = Show details

From: 04 01 2011 (dd mm yyyy) To: 04 01 2011 (dd mm yyyy)

C Database or index	Tablespace	Par.	TS IX	Utility	Status/ Time
DBWA40	TS0001	1	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWA40	TS0003	1	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWA42	TS0005	1	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWA42	TS0010	1	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWE40	TS0002	0	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWE40	TS0003	0	TS	INCR COPY	JOB SCHEDULED
DBWE40	TS0020	0	TS	FULL COPY	JOB SCHEDULED



Exceptions – those who will not be handled



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DBXK          DB2 Utility Control - Exceptions      Row 1 to 20 of 28
Command ==>          Scroll ==> CSR

Line Commands:          PF11: Show Comments
C = Copy      I = Insert  D = Delete

          Run-  DSNL  ----- Current -----
C Database  Space    Part Copy Reorg stats  COMP  From-date  To-date  Remarks
-----
BMCACT** LOGS      0 Y  N  Y  N  2006-11-16  9999-12-31
DB****A2  *****  0 Y  N  N  N  2008-02-04  9999-12-31 *
DBARTSDE  *****  0 N  N  N  Y  2007-06-22  9999-12-31 *
```



help – panel to understand setting



```
HELP ----- Help for DB2 UTILITY CONTROL ----- HELP  
Command ==>
```

```
Exceptions from standard-treatment (Nothing)
```

```
A star(+) in Database/Space means a wildcard-character  
An Hashmark(#) in Database/space means a wildcard Numeric Number
```

```
The Y in COPY/REORG/RUNSTATS/DSN1COMP means that the object(s)  
is included in job-generation
```

```
The N in COPY/REORG/RUNSTATS/DSN1COMP means that the object(s)  
is NOT included in job-generation
```

```
ENTER = Continue      PF3 = Cancel
```



Parameter-settings for COPY



DE/KK DB2 Utility Control - Parameters Row 21 to 38 of 38
Command ==> Scroll ==> CSR

List Commands:
C = Copy I = Insert D = Delete

C	Operation	Utility	Parameter	Value
		COPY		
	DEUTWS01	COPY	WORKSTATION	DE/KK
	DEUTWS03	COPY	XINFO_LOCATION	DE/KK
	DEUVIC01	COPY	CHANGELIMIT	25
	DEUVIC01	COPY	CHANGELIMIT_MIN_PAGES	100000
	DEUVIC01	COPY	DEFAULT_SHRLEVEL	CHANGE
	DEUVIC01	COPY	JOB_PREFIX	DBAUC
	DEUVIC01	COPY	LOG_MAP	OFF
	DEUVIC01	COPY	MAX_INCR	5
	DEUVIC01	COPY	MAX_PART_PR_JOB	100
	...			



Calendar – When can we run jobs ?



DB/CL

DB2 Utility Control - Calendar

Row 1 to 4 of 4

Command ==>

Scroll ==> CSR

Line Commands:

X = FULL STOP - all utility-jobs stop at next step

R = Remove FULL STOP

Utility	Working hours							FULL STOP
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun	
COPY	Start: 00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00	03.00	_____	N
	Stop : 08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	_____	_____	
DSNLCOMP	Start: 00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00	00.00	03.00	_____	N
	Stop : 08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	_____	_____	
REORG	Start: 02.00	02.00	02.00	02.00	02.00	02.00	_____	N
	Stop : 08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	08.00	_____	_____	
RUNSTATS	Start: 17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	07.00	_____	N
	Stop : 20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	_____	_____	

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JCL Generated by the system for TWS



```
EDIT      XXXXXX.TWS.DB2UTIL                      Row 00001 of 06208
Command ==>                                       Scroll ==> PAGE

  Name      Prompt      Size      Created      Changed      ID
. DBAACAAA          411      2010/01/04    2010/01/04 01:00:57  TWSUSER
. DBAACAAAB         382      2010/01/04    2010/04/01 01:02:09  TWSUSER
--
. DBAACAAK          311      2010/01/04    2010/01/04 01:02:21  TWSUSER
. DBAACAAAL         235      2010/01/04    2010/01/04 01:02:22  TWSUSER
. DBAACAAAM         311      2010/01/04    2010/01/04 01:02:22  TWSUSER
--
```



JCL Sample - COPY



```
//DBAACAAA JOB (060000,11),'DB2 IMAGECOPY' ...
//* JOBBET Generated xx, added to TWS
...
//JOBSTART E/EC PGM=IKJEFT1B,COND=(4,LT) ← Note 1 Status setting
... Rxxx does the job
//TIME1 E/EC PGM=IKJEFT1B,COND=(4,LT) ← Note 2 Check Runtime requirements
... Rxxx does the job
//COPY0002 E/EC PGM=DSNUTILB,PARM='DECK,',' ',COND=(4,LT)
//SYSTEMPL DD DISP=SHR,DSN=xxx
//SYSIN DD *
LISTDEF COPY0002
COPY LIST COPY0002
FULL YES
SHRLEVEL CHANGE
COPYDDN (PIC)
PARALLEL 5
TAPEUNITS 10
CHECKPAGE
```



JOBSTART set status for Job Started in the utility-system

TIME1 checks for Full Stop and that thresholds are OK

Viewing RTS-data (Home-grown) (from BMC Catalog Manager)



```
DBXX-R ----- DATABASE LIST ----- ROW 1 OF 1
Command ==>                               Scroll ==> PAGE
                                           01

CMD will show commands for this list. Type command and press ENTER
LISTS: AL CO DS IC IM IS IX MX PA RE RI SG TB TS UA US VW
LIKE DBARTSDB

Cmd Database Owner Stogroup Buf Pool DBID ROShr Type Group Encode
---v---1---v---2---v---3---v---4---v---5---v---6---v---7---v---
RTS DBARTSDB XXXXXX SYSDEFLT BP1 712 E
***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****
```



Viewing RTS Data



```
DEXX ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS ----- Row 1 to 4 of 4
Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> PAGE
Database   : DBARTSDE      Line commands: PT = Partitions  IX = Index
Current view: TABLESPACE      D = Day history  H = Hour history
                                   S = Detail        O = Object names
Day history range:      Primary command : CO = Select another sixth column
  From 2010 12 04
  To 2011 01 04      Sum:                8.078.162 33.694.608 15.380.645
                                   Total                Changes
  Tablespa Part Date   Time rows      NACTIVE   Space (KB) since backup
-----
_ SYSRTSID  * 20110104 1008  MASS DELETE   985.153  4.697.280  8.510.632
_ SYSRTSIX      20110104 0853   98.096.139  4.043.375 16.185.696      0
_ SYSRTSTD  * 20110104 1006  MASS DELETE   615.307  3.051.360  6.870.013
S_ SYSRTSTS      20110104 0403   78.936.940  2.434.327  9.760.272      0
***** Bottom of data *****
```



Viewing RTS Data – Table space Detail



DBUO ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS - DETAILS -- Row 1 to 27 of 36
KOMMANDO ==> Scroll ==> PAGE

COLUMN	VALUE
UPDATESTATSTIME	2011-01-04-04.03.04.967898
NACTIVE	2434327
NPAGES	2433786
EXTENTS	23
LOADRLASTTIME	2009-08-24-15.30.53.766133
REORGLASTTIME	2010-12-16-04.52.25.962182
REORGINSERTS	3004775
REORGDELETES	0
REORGUPDATES	0
REORGUNCLUSTINS	0
REORGDISORGL0B	0
REORGMASDELETE	0
REORGNEARINDREF	0
REORGFARINDREF	0
STATSLASTTIME	2010-12-16-04.05.07.970141
STATSINSERTS	3004775
STATSDELETES	0
STATSUPDATES	0
STATSMASDELETE	0
COPYLASTTIME	2011-01-04-04.03.04.967898



Viewing RTS Data



```

DEXX ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS ----- Row 1 to 4 of 4
Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> PAGE
Database      : DBARTSDE      Line commands: PT = Partitions  IX = Index
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-- SYSRTSIX      20110104 0853   98.096.139  4.043.375 16.185.696         0
-- SYSRTSTD * 20110104 1006  MASS DELETE    615.307  3.051.360  6.870.013
D_ SYSRTSTS      20110104 0403   78.936.940  2.434.327  9.760.272         0
***** Bottom of data *****
  
```



Viewing RTS-Data – History Daily



DEXX ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS ----- Row 1 to 21 of 61
 Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> PAGE
 Database : DBARTSDB Line commands: S = Detail O = Object names
 Current view: TS DAY
 Primary command : UT = Toggle utility info (is ON)
 Day history range: Primary command : CO = Select another sixth column
 From 2010 12 04
 To 2011 01 04 Sum:

Tablespa	Part	Date	Total Time rows	NACTIVE	Space (KB)	Changes since backup
---	SYSRTSTS	CURRENT	78.936.940	2.424.327	9.760.272	0
---	SYSRTSTS	20110104	78.722.211	2.427.412	9.717.072	0
---	SYSRTSTS	0	LOAD RESUME--			
---	SYSRTSTS	20110102	78.507.861	2.420.413	9.717.072	0
---	SYSRTSTS	0	LOAD RESUME--			
---	SYSRTSTS	20110101	78.292.911	2.413.470	9.674.592	0
---	SYSRTSTS	0	LOAD RESUME--			

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Viewing RTS Data



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DEXX ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS ----- Row 1 to 4 of 4
Command ==> _____ Scroll ==> PAGE
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Current view: TABLESPACE      D = Day history  H = Hour history
                                   S = Detail        O = Object names
Day history range:      Primary command : CO = Select another sixth column
  From 2010 12 04
  To 2011 01 04      Sum:          8.078.162 33.694.608 15.380.645
                    Total          Changes
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H_ SYSRTSTS      20110104 0403  78.936.940  2.434.327  9.760.272      0
***** Bottom of data *****
```



Viewing RTS Data – Detail hourly



```

DEXX ----- REAL-TIME STATISTICS ----- Row 1 to 21 of 154
Command ==>
Database : DBARTSDB Line commands: S = Detail O = Object names
Current view: TS HOUR
Primary command : UT = Toggle utility info (is ON)
Day history range: Primary command : CO = Select another sixth column
From 2010 12 04
To 2011 01 04
Sum:
Tablesps Part Date Time rows Total NACTIVE Space (KB) Changes
-----
SYSRTSTS CURRENT 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 1000 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0900 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0800 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0700 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0600 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0500 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 20110104 0400 78.936.940 2.434.327 9.760.272 0
SYSRTSTS 0 0400 LOAD RESUME--
    
```



TWS-actions – JCL for adding



```
//TWSAPPL EXEC PGM=EQQYLTOP
//*=====
//* ADD REORG-JOB TO TWS APPLICATION-DATABASE
//*=====
//STEPLIB DD DISP=SHR,DSN=Your.TWS.LOADLIB
//EQQMLIB DD DISP=SHR,DSN=Your.TWS.MSGSLIB
//EQQMLOG DD SYSOUT=*
//EQQDUMP DD SYSOUT=*
//EQQUDUMP DD SYSOUT=*
//EQQWSDS DD DISP=SHR,DSN=Your.TWS.Workstation.database
//EQQYPARM DD DISP=SHR,DSN=Your.TWS.PARM(PIF)
//SYSIN DD *
OPTIONS DURUNIT(SECONDS) SUBSYS(XXXX) ACTION(ADD)
```



The JCL above shows what you have to run in order to define the requirements for the Automated utilities

TWS-actions – Add Application



```
ADSTART ACTION(ADD)
ADID(DBXXCOPY310001) ADVALFROM(110104)
  CALENDAR(WORKDAY7)
DESCR('DB2 COPY')
ADTYPE(A)
OWNER('DBA')
PRIORITY(5) ADSTAT(A)

ADRUN ACTION(ADD)
NAME(DAILY) RULE(3) VALFROM(110104) VALTO(110104)
TYPE(R)
IATIME(0334) DLDAY(1) DLTIME(0100)

ADRULE EVERY DAY(DAY) WEEK
```



ADSTART

DBXX is the Datasharing group

COPY is the Utilityname

31 is the day-number

0001 is the sequence number

080731 is the actual date from which the application is valid

ADRUN

When do the application run from/to which is defined as 1 day by the system

ADRULE

Runs every day of the week

TWS-actions – Add Operation



ADOP ACTION(ADD)
OPNO(1) JOBN(DUMMY) WSID(DUM1) ADOPCATM(M)
DURATION(000001)
AEC(Y)
AJSUB(Y) AJR(Y) TIME(N) CLATE(N)
PSNUM(1)
ADOPPWTO(N) MONITOR(N)
ADOPJOB CRT(N)
ADOPUSRSYS(N) ADOPEXPJCL(N) CSCSCRIPT(N)
USEXTNAME(N) USEXTSE(N)



Each job is defined as operations in TWS, where we tell TWS the following

JOBN The start operation is always dummy in TWS ;-)

WSID The default for the Dummy-operation

TWS-actions – Add Operation



```
ADOP ACTION(ADD)
OPNO(2) JOB( DBAUCAAA) WSID( DBXX) ADOPCATM(M)
DESCR('COPY')
DURATION(000001)
HIGHRC( 04)
AEC(Y)
STARTDAY(0) STARTTIME( 0000)
AJSUB(Y) AJR(Y) TIME(Y) CLATE(N)
PSNUM(1)
ADOPPWTO(N) RESTARTABLE(Y) REROUTABLE(Y) MONITOR(N)
ADOPJOBCRT(N)
ADOPUSRSYS(N) ADOPEXPJCL(N) CSCSCRIPT(N) USEXTNAME(N)
USEXTSE(N)
ADDEP ACTION(ADD)
PREWSID(DUM1) PREOPNO(1)
```



Each job is defined as operations in TWS, where we tell TWS the following

JOBN The generated JOBname from the automation system

WSID The Datasharing group

DESCR REORG defines that this is a reorg Operation

HIGHRC Tells TWS that the return Code of 4 is accepted without putting the job on the error queue

STARTTIME Tells TWS that this Operation can start at 0000 AM

TWS-actions – Add Special Resource for Catalog and Utility



```
ADSR ACTION(ADD)
RESOURCE('DBXX.DBXXX.TSXXXX')
USAGE(X)
QUANTITY(000001) KEEPONERR(N)
```



ADSR defines special resources that are used both in this automated system and is added to utility jobs that run against the same resource

The Resources are build on <Data sharing group name>.<Database name>.<Table space name>

USAGE(X) tells TWS that jobs using this resource have exclusive control

If the job fails the resource is released.(KEEPONERR(N))

TWS-actions – Add Special Resource for Catalog and Utility



```
ADSR ACTION(ADD)  
RESOURCE('DBXX.CATALOG') ← Note 1 Catalog  
USAGE(S)  
QUANTITY(000001) KEEPONERR(N)
```

```
ADSR ACTION(ADD)  
RESOURCE('VSMNORTH')  
USAGE(X)  
QUANTITY(000005) KEEPONERR(N)
```



The Ressource DBXX.CATALOG is added ind order to tell TWS that the utilities are allowed to run at the same time as the DB2 catalog utilities are run (normally backup).

But the Catalog utility cannot start when this ressource is in use (it has defined the ressource with USAGE(X)i

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TWS-actions – Delete application



```
/*=====
/* FUNCTION: DELETE OLD UTILITY-APPLICATIONS FROM TWS
/*=====
//TWSDEL EXEC EQQYCAIN,PARM=OPCC
//SYSIN DD *
ACTION=OPTIONS,BL=Y,BLPRT=Y,LTP=N;
ACTION=DELETE,RESOURCE=AD,ADID=DBXXCOPY310001;
/*
```

Spec. Ressource is added to daily plan and is automatically deleted
When new daily plan is generated



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Achievements



- RUNSTATS only executed when needed
- Necessary backups for disaster/re-establishing within SLA-limits always as SHRLEVEL CHANGE
- Reorgs only when needed and always as Online Reorgs.
- Compression-Candidates found automatically
- Calendar-control ensures minimal collision with Online-window
- The System comprises today COPY, REORG, RUNSTATS and DSN1COMP (Compress candidates)



By automating all utility-operation all new databases and table spaces are automatically handled by this system and is without having to build separate jobflows etc.

Runstats are applied only when activity in the RTS-tables tells the system, that it is required

Reorg's are based on activity and parameters telling that data are disorganised

Compression-candidates are spotted based on size

By going from FULL COPY YES to FULL COPY NO (Incremental) we have saved a lot of backup-space

Achievements economics

- Cut Backup-tape capacity in half
- Postponed Tape-equipment upgrade with savings
- Cut CPU-consumption for backup/reorg/runstats in half
- Postponed CPU-upgrade with even bigger savings
- Backup's > 25mb on Tape. Rest on Disk
 - Reduced Disaster-recovery-time
 - We are considering a limit of 300 mb before we write to tape

References



- DB2 Utility Guide and Reference (DB2 9) Appendix E
- DB2 Utility Guide and Reference (DB2 10) Appendix E
- DB2 Administration Guide (DB2 V8) – Appendix G tells about RTS and what it means for those still on 8.
- DB2 Admin Tool has an interface to viewing the Real Time Statistics data – but only the system supplied ones.
- Good REXX-knowledge both with REXX and DSNREXX helps a lot when building systems like this.
- Good TWS-knowledge helps you to automate ;-)



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Questions ?



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Still on 8 ☺ What you need to do to make it active in DB2 Version 8 ?



- <DB2hlq>.SDSNSAMP member DSNTTESS contains the DDL to create database DSNRTSDB. Review it and Run it
- DB2 puts this database in STOP-status at creation time. Run the START DATABASE-command to make it RW.
- Space-calculation CAN be done by Math. I recommend that you use -1 in PRIQTY and SECQTY and thus let DFSMS handle the growth.
- DSNZPARM STATSINT is set (default 30 Minutes). We have set it to 1 (minute)



The Installation SDSNSAMP-library contains the basic RTS-definitions.

If you want to have shadow tablesets for viewing growth etc you have to build them yourself. You can yuse the table-ddl from tha basic ones and add a timestamp which you set when you load from the basic table

The Database (DB2 8)



```
CREATE DATABASE
DSNRTSDB
  BUFFERPOOL BP1
  INDEXBP BP1
  STOGROUP SYSDEFLT
  CCSID EBCDIC
```



The Above DDL is what it takes to define the database that comprises the Real Time Statistics tablespaces/tables and indexes

Use another Bufferpool than the catalog's (we use BP0 for the Catalog)

Table space-DDL (DB2 8)

```
CREATE
TABLESPACE DSNRTSTS
  IN DSNRTSDB
  USING STOGROUP SYSDEFLT
  PRIQTY -1
  SECQTY -1
  ERASE NO
  FREEPAGE 0
  PCTFREE 5
  GBPCACHE CHANGED
  COMPRESS NO
  TRACKMOD YES
  SEG SIZE 32
  BUFFERPOOL BP1
  LOCKSIZE ROW
  LOCKMAX 0
  CLOSE NO
  CCSID EBCDIC
```



The Real Time Statistics tables are defined in a segmented tablespace with Segsize 32

We use automatic space management, where DB2 and SMS decides on the growth this is indicated as the -1 in both the SECQTY and PRIQTY

Table for Table space information (DB2 8)



```
CREATE TABLE
"SYSIBM".TABLESPACESTATS (
  DBNAME CHAR(8) NOT NULL FOR SBCS DATA
, "NAME" CHAR(8) NOT NULL FOR SBCS DATA
, "PARTITION" SMALLINT NOT NULL
, DBID SMALLINT NOT NULL
, "PSID" SMALLINT NOT NULL
, UPDATESTAT TIME TIMESTAMP NOT NULL WITH DEFAULT
, TOTALROWS DOUBLE
, NACTIVE INTEGER
, SPACE INTEGER
, EXTENTS SMALLINT
, LOADRLASTTIME TIME TIMESTAMP
, REORGLASTTIME TIME TIMESTAMP
, REORGINSERTS INTEGER
, REORGDELETES INTEGER
, REORGUPDATES INTEGER
```



The Above DDL and the continuation on thje next foil is the definition for the Tablespace information table

Table space information DB2 8 cont.



```
,REORGUNCLUSTINS INTEGER
,REORGDISORGLIB INTEGER
,REORGMASSDELETE INTEGER
,REORGNEARINDREF INTEGER
,REORGFARINDREF INTEGER
,STATSLASTTIME TIMESTAMP
,STATSINSERTS INTEGER
,STATSDELETES INTEGER
,STATSUPDATES INTEGER
,STATSMASSDELETE INTEGER
,COPYLASTTIME TIMESTAMP
,COPYUPDATEDPAGES INTEGER
,COPYCHANGES INTEGER
,COPYUPDATELRSN CHAR(6) FOR BIT DATA
,COPYUPDATETIME TIMESTAMP
) IN DSNRSTDB.DSNRSTST
CCSID EBCDIC
NOT VOLATILE
APPEND NO;
```



Table definition for Indexspaces (DB2 8)



```
CREATE TABLE
"SYSIBM".INDEXSPACESTATS
(DBNAME CHAR(8) NOT NULL      FOR SBCS DATA
,INDEXSPACE CHAR(8) NOT NULL  FOR SBCS DATA
,"PARTITION" SMALLINT NOT NULL
,DBID SMALLINT NOT NULL
,"ISOBID" SMALLINT NOT NULL
,"PSID" SMALLINT NOT NULL
,UPDATESTAT TIME TIMESTAMP NOT NULL WITH DEFAULT
,TOTALENTRIES DOUBLE
,NLEVELS SMALLINT
,NACTIVE INTEGER
,SPACE INTEGER
,EXTENTS SMALLINT
,LOADRLASTTIME TIMESTAMP
,REBUILDLASTTIME TIMESTAMP
,REORGLASTTIME TIMESTAMP
,REORGINSERTS INTEGER
,REORGDELETES INTEGER
```



Table-definition for index DB2 8 (Continued)



```
,REORGAPPENDINSERT INTEGER  
,REORGSEUDODELETES INTEGER  
,REORGMASSDELETE INTEGER  
,REORGLAFNEAR INTEGER  
,REORGLAFFAR INTEGER  
,REORGNUMLEVELS INTEGER  
,STATLASTTIME TIMESTAMP  
,STATINSERTS INTEGER  
,STATSDELETE INTEGER  
,STATSMASSDELETE INTEGER  
,COPYLASTTIME TIMESTAMP  
,COPYUPDATEDPAGES INTEGER  
,COPYCHANGES INTEGER  
,COPYUPDATELRSN CHAR(6) FOR BIT DATA  
,COPYUPDATETIME TIMESTAMP )  
IN DSNRTSDB.DSNRTSTS CCSID EBCDIC  
NOT VOLATILE  
APPEND NO
```



Index Table space info DB2 8 (The Default)



```
CREATE UNIQUE
INDEX "SYSIBM".INDEXSPACESTATS_IX
ON "SYSIBM".INDEXSPACESTATS
(DBID ASC,
"ISOBID" ASC,
"PARTITION" ASC )
USING STOGROUP SG SMS
PRIQTY -1
SECQTY -1
ERASE NO
FREEPAGE 0
PCTFREE 10
GBPCACHE CHANGED
CLUSTER
BUFFERPOOL BP1
CLOSE NO
COPY NO
PIECESIZE 2G
COMPRESS NO
```



This index the default one

Index Table space info DB2 8(The Home-grown)



```
CREATE
INDEX "SYSIBM".INDEXSPACESTATS_I2
ON "SYSIBM".INDEXSPACESTATS
(DBNAME ASC,
INDEXSPACE ASC,
"PARTITION" ASC)
USING STOGROUP SG SMS
PRIQTY -1
SECQTY -1
ERASE NO
FREEPAGE 0
PCTFREE 10
GBPCACHE CHANGED
NOT CLUSTER
BUFFERPOOL BP1
CLOSE NO
COPY NO
PIECESIZE 2G
COMPRESS NO
```



We have build our own index which gives us the oppertunity to use the names in stead of the numbers for searching the RTS-tables

The Indexspace-table and indexes are build over the same kind of template.