



The Best of What's New in **DFSMSrmm!**

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Agenda

Retention Method



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- Introduced in release V1R13
- DFSMSrmm provides two retention methods for retaining tape data sets

EXPDT(NEW)

- Allows expiration to be on a specified date
 - Using the expiration date you set
 - All files of a multi volume data set will have the same expiration date

VRSEL

- Uses vital record specifications
- Based on a calculated retention date





- Set RETENTIONMETHOD in parmlib as a system-wide default
- Use EDG_EXIT100 installation exit to set the retention method to be used for new tape data sets
- If EXPDT is in effect
 - Data sets and volumes are not processed during VRSEL inventory management
- If VRSEL is in effect
 - Matches data sets and volumes to vital record specifications





- RETENTIONMETHOD cannot be specified for a SCRATCH volume unless the STATUS operand is also specified
- Specify EXPDT operand only for the first volume in a volume set, other volumes in the set assume the same retention method
- Abbreviate using RM





- CHANGEVOLUME Subcommand
- Use CV to set the retention method for a tape volume/set
 - CV volser RM(XXXXX)

- AV(ADDVOLUME)
 - AV volser RM(XXXXX)
- SV(SEARCHVOLUME)
 - SV volser RM(XXXXX)





- DFSMShsm(and similar applications) should use the EXPDT retention method
 - Minimize the overhead caused by running VRSEL
 - Changes to VRSes will not affect EXPDT-managed data sets and volumes
 - Always know when a volume will expire

 All systems need to be V1R13 or higher when using RM(EXPDT)





LISTCONTROL

Field in BLACK added

```
System options:
PARMLIB Suffix = C1
Operating mode = P Retention period: Default = 6 Maximum = 6666
                                    Catalog = 12 hours
                    Retention method: Method = EXPDT
Control data set name
Journal file data set name =
Journal threshold
                = 0%
Catalog SYSID
                      = Set
Scratch procedure name = S1ATL008
Backup procedure name
IPL date check = N
                     Date format = J
                                              RACF support = P
SMF audit = 0
                      SMF security = 249
                                               CDS id
                                                           = CSTEST
MAXHOLD value = 250
                       Lines per page = 54
                                               System ID
                                                            = EZU34
```





LISTVOLUME

Fields in BLACK added

```
Volume information:
Volume = JJC024 VOL1 = Rack = JJC024 Owner = RMMUSER
 Type = PHYSICAL Stacked count = 0
                                              Jobname = D016216J
 Worldwide ID =
                                              WORM = N
Creation: Date = 08/28/2011 Time = 04:49:14 System ID = W98MVS2
Assign: Date =
                                        System ID = W98MVS2
                        Time =
                                             User ID
Expiration date = 09/02/2016 Original
       set by = OCE JFCB
Retention date =
                       Set retained = NO
Retention method= VRSEL
       set by = OCE DEF
Data set name = RMMUSER.TEST.CBR
```





- New Attribute in V2R1
- Add extra days to the data set record based on reference
- Only for volumes managed by EXPDT
- Manage data based on last read/write date
 - Number of days to be added
- EXPDT updated dynamically after each reference
 - No need to run EDGHSKP





- LASTREF extra days can be set explicitly
 - RMM ADDATASET
 - When the data set is created
 - RMM CHANGEDATASET
 - Anytime for a data set retained by EXPDT
- Will be set via PARMLIB
 - When no management class is in play
 - Change RM from VRSEL to EXPDT
 - When an AD is issued without LASTREF
- Can also be set via the Management Class
 - Set via MCATTR parmlib option
 - When there is a value in Expiry field after days non-usage











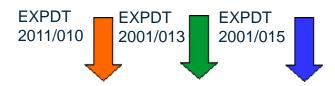
Vol001

Read/Write data set

- Creation date = 2011/001
- EXPDT = 2011/010
- LASTREF = 5

- **Last Read date** = 2011/008
- EXPDT = 2011/013
- LASTREF = 5

- Last Read date = 2011/010
- EXPDT = 2011/015
- LASTREF = 5



TIME



Create 2011/001



Read 2011/008



Read 2001/010



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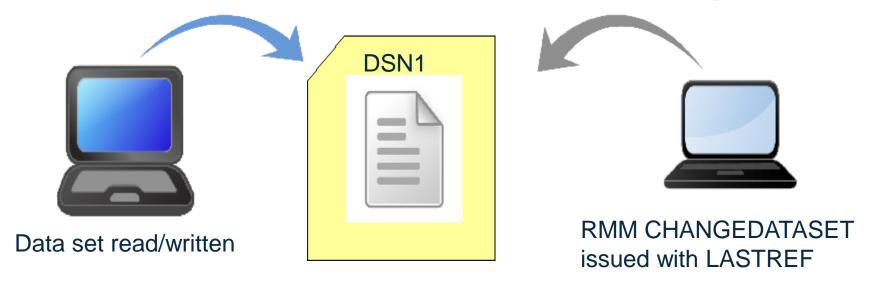
- LASTREF extra days data set attribute
- Kept equal for all files on a multi-volume data set
 - As long as it is retained by VOLUME or SET
- The LASTREF that will keep the volume the longest is propagated to all volumes in a set
 - No additional processing is necessary
 - If the volume is retained by FIRSTFILE
 - Only the first file is relevant for the volume set
- Field names in SMF mapping Reporting Manual
 - MDESB_LASTREF Data set
 - MVESB LASTREF Volume

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EXPDT recalculated if data set is referenced or CD issued



- DS is referenced
 - Current date/time + LASTREF extra days
- CHANGEDATASET is issued
 - Current Expiration date/time + LASTREF extra days



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V2R1 – LASTREF extra_days – CD Examples

- Add 15 extra days
 - RMM CD dsname LASTREF(15)
- Set EXPDT and clear the LASTREF
 - RMM CD dsname EXPDT(2012/001) NOLASTREF
- Set EXPDT but do not change LASTREF
 - RMM CD dsname... EXPDT(2012/001)
 - LASTREF changes when data set is accessed
- Set LASTREF to NULL
 - RMM CD dsname ... NOLASTREF
 - EXPDT remains unchanged



V2R1 – LASTREF extra_days – RM Examples



- If you change the RM from EXPDT to VRSEL
 - LASTREF extra days is reset
 - CV volume RM(VRSEL)

- If you change RM from VRSEL to EXPDT
 - LASTREF extra days set by PARMLIB options
 - Can change later with the CD command
 - CV volume RM(EXPDT)
 - CD dsname LASTREF(5)





V2R1 – LASTREF extra_days - Syntax

```
PARMLIB
                             .-VRSEL-----)-.
           '-+-RETENTIONMETHOD-+-(-+-------)
            '-RM------ +-EXPDT(-| EXPDT retention options |-)-+
EXPDT options
     +---NOLASTREF----+
     '---LASTREF(--extra days--)---'
                                        ,-VOLUME----,
                               +-RETAINBY (-+----+
                                        +-SET----+
                                        '-FIRSTFILE-'
           +---LASTREF (parmlib default) ---+
           +---NOLASTREF----+
           '---LASTREF(extra days)-----'
             +---NOLASTREF----+
             '---LASTREF(extra days)-----'
```



V2R1 – LASTREF extra_days - Messages



- New Messages
 - EDG3367I LASTREF OR NOLASTREF CAN ONLY BE SPECIFIED FOR DATA SETS ON RETENTIONMETHOD(EXPDT) VOLUME
 - EDG3368I FORCE OPERAND REQUIRED

- Changed Message
 - EDG3022E THE INSTALLATION DEFINED MAXIMUM RETENTION PERIOD MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED
 - Defined by **MAXRETPD**



V2R1 – LASTREF extra_days - Coexistence



- APAR OA35808
- Allows you to use LASTREF back to release V1R10
 - Associated PTFs
 - RA10 PSY UA68801
 - RB10 PSY UA68802
 - RC10 PSY UA68803
 - RD10 PSY UA68804
- Required to maintain consistency for multi-volume/data sets created at V2R1
- The default for new single data sets have LASTREF extra days 0
- When existing multi volume data set is enlarged with MOD the LASTREF is set from existing previous data set record



V2R1 – RETAINBY



- RETAINBY determines whether volumes are retained individually or as a set
- Retention method affects how multivolume sets are retained
- RETAINBY operand for EXPDT retention method volume sets only
- (VOLUME | FIRSTFILE | SET)



V2R1 – RETAINBY

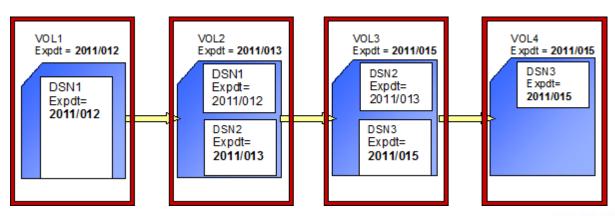


- RETAINBY operand cannot be specified for a volume managed by VRSEL
- RETAINBY operand cannot be specified if the PREVVOL operand is specified
- RETAINBY operand is ignored if you use STATUS(SCRATCH) or STATUS(VOLCAT)
- RETENTIONMETHOD(EXPDT(RETAINBY(value)) specified in PARMLIB
- If RETAINBY is omitted, use what is specified in particle of the complete your session evaluations online at www.SHARE.org/Orlando-Eval in Orlando 2015

V2R1 – RETAINBY(VOLUME)



- EXPDT is considered for each volume separately
- Each file on a volume can increment the volume EXPDT
- Specify RETAINBY for first volume in a multivolume sequence
- Volumes added to the set will assume the same RETAINBY value

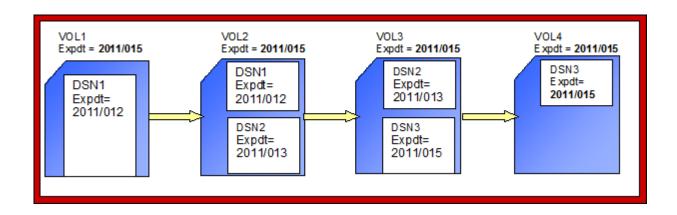




V2R1 – RETAINBY(SET)



- DFSMSrmm uses the highest expiration date of all volumes
- Every file on a volume set can increment EXPDT
- All volumes in the set will have the same EXPDT
 - Volumes released on same run of EXPROC

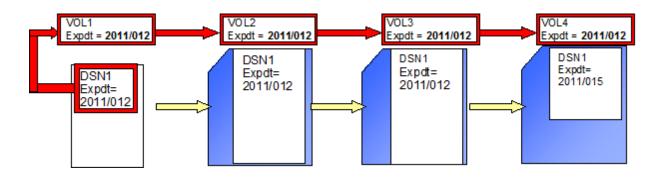








- EXPDT of the first file is used to set expiration for single/mulitvolume sets
- All volumes in a multivolume set will have the same
 EXPDT
 - Volumes released on same run of EXPROC





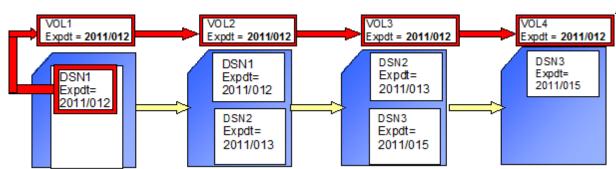
V2R1 – RETAINBY(FIRSTFILE)



- FIRSTFILE can cause discrepancies between volumes and data sets
- Data sets added later to a volume or to a multivolume set can have a different EXPDT

In this case it may be better to use RETAINBY(VOLUME)

or **RETAINBY(SET)**





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V2R1 – RETAINBY



- Only used with the EXPDT retention method
- Can be set explicitly with the RMM AV or CV command
 - Cannot explicitly be set for volumes other than the first
 - Propagated to all other volumes in the same volume set
- Can also be set when specified in PARMLIB for the first volume in a set
 - OPTION RM(EXPDT(RETAINBY(value)))
 - When ADDVOLUME was specified w/out RETAINBY
 - When a volume record is created due to OCEOV processing
 - When RM changes changed from VRSEL to EXPDT, and RETAINBY was not specified

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V2R1 – RETAINBY – outputs



LISTCONTROL

```
System options:
PARMLIB Suffix = CL
Operating mode = P Retention period: Default = 1 Maximum = NOLIMIT
                                Catalog = 12 hours
Catalog = 12 hours
Use of Management Class Attributes = NONE
Retention method: Default = EXPDT
RM(VRSEL) defaults:
                          RM(EXPDT) defaults:
 Retain by = VOLUME
                           Retain by = VOLUME
              = VOLUME
 Move By
 VRS selection = NEW
                           LASTREF extra days = 14
 VRS change
               = INFO
 VRSMIN action = FAIL
 VRSMIN count = 1
 VRS job name = 2
 GDG duplicate = BUMP
 GDG cycle by
               = GENERATION
```

V2R1 – RETAINBY – outputs



LISTVOLUME

```
Volume information:
Volume = A03700 \quad VOL1 = Rack = 
                                         Owner = RMMUSER
 Type = PHYSICAL Stacked count = 0
                                          Jobname = SSTEINHA
 Worldwide ID =
                                          WORM
                                                = N
Assign: Date = 2011/207  Time = 03:36:16
                                     System ID = EZU0037
                                     User ID = RMMUSER
Expiration date = 2011/237
                       Original = 2011/237
       set by = OCE JFCB
Retention date =
                       Set retained = NO
Retention method= EXPDT
       set by = LCS DEF
    retain by = FIRSTFILE
Data set name = DS1
```

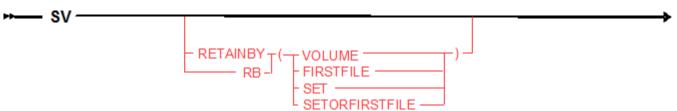


V2R1 – RETAINBY – outputs



SEARCHVOLUME

Return a list of volumes based on RETAINBY attribute



tatus: RELEASED												
OLSER	VSEQ DSNAME	JOBNAME		ASSIGNED	EXPDT		ACTIONS 1	LOCATION	HOME		RLS ACT	HOLD
A01502	1 RMMUSER.A01502.A111111.B2222222.C333333.D4444	RMMTEST1		2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
A01503	1 RMMUSER.A01503.A111111.B222222.C333333.D4444			2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
A01504	2 RMMUSER.A01504.X111111.Y222222	RMMTEST1		2010/243	2010/245			SHELF	SHELF			
401505	1 RMMUSER.A01505.X111111.Y222222	RMMTEST1		2010/243	2010/245			SHELF	SHELF			
A01506	2 RMMUSER.A01504.X111111.Y222222 1 RMMUSER.A01505.X111111.Y222222 1 RMMUSER.A01506.X111111.Y222222 1 RMMUSER.A01507.X111111.Y222222	RMMTEST1		2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
A01507	1 RMMUSER.A01507.X111111.Y222222	RMMTEST1		2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
01508	1 RMMUSER.A01508			2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
A01509	2 RMMUSER.A01509			2010/243	2010/246			SHELF	SHELF			
A01510	3 RMMUSER.A01510			2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
401511				2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
A01512				2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
01513								SHELF	SHELF			
OTUME	s in this status: 12	10 0										
	retained volumes subject to EXPDTDROP 09/03/ : NOCHANGE VSEO DENAME		EXPRSN	ASSIGNED	EXPDT	RM RR RETDATE	ACTIONS 1	LOCATION	HOME	DEST	RIS ACT	ногл
Status VOLSER	NOCHANGE VSEQ DSNAME	JOBNAME										
Status /OLSER 	NOCHANGE VSEQ DSNAME 1 RMMUSER.A01500.DATA.SET1	JOBNAME		2010/243				SHELF	SHELF			
Status VOLSER A01500 A01501	NOCHANGE VSEQ DSNAME 1 RMMUSER.A01500.DATA.SET1 1 RMMUSER.A01501	JOBNAME		2010/243 2010/243	2010/248 2010/249			SHELF SHELF	SHELF SHELF			
	NOCHANGE VSEQ DSNAME 1 RMMUSER.A01500.DATA.SET1	JOBNAME		2010/243 2010/243 2010/243	2010/248 2010/249 2010/248			SHELF SHELF SHELF	SHELF SHELF			

V2R1 – RETAINBY - Syntax



Specifies the default for the volume record RETAINBY attribute

```
PARMLIB
OPTION >--+--
                           .-VRSEL-----)-.
          '-RM----- +-EXPDT(-| EXPDT retention options |-)-+
EXPDT retention options:
    +---NOLASTREF----+
     '---LASTREF(--extra days--)---'
                            ,-VOLUME----,
                             +-RETAINBY (-+----+
                                     +-SET----+
                                     '-FTRSTFTLE-'
          +---RETAINBY(-parmlib default-)-----+
          +---RETAINBY (--+--VOLUME----+
                    +--FIRSTFILE--+
                    +--SET----+
            +--RETAINBY (--+--VOLUME----+) -+
                      +--FIRSTFILE-+
                      '--SET----'
```



V2R1 – RETAINBY - Messages



- New Messages
 - **EDG3369I** FILE EXPIRATION ATTRIBUTES ACCEPTED BUT IGNORED FOR THE VOLUME EXPIRATION BECAUSE VOLUME IS RETAINED BY FIRSTFILE
 - EDG3370I RETAINBY CAN ONLY BE SPECIFIED FOR A RETENTIONMETHOD(EXPDT) VOLUME
 - EDG3371I RETAINBY CAN ONLY BE SPECIFIED FOR THE FIRST VOLUME IN A SET
 - EDG3372I CHANGE OF EXPIRATION DATE NOT ALLOWED FOR VOLUMES RETAINED BY FIRSTFILE



V2R1 – RETAINBY - Coexistence



- APAR OA35808
- Allow you to use RETAINBY back to release V1R10
 - Required to maintain consistency for multi-volume/data sets created at V2R1
- When a data set is enlarged with MOD and a new volume record is added due to EOV, RETAINBY is set existing previous volume record
- When a volume is added to a set using the CV/AV PREVVOL
 - RETAINBY is set from the previous volume record
- A new single volume record created in a lower release will get RETAINBY(VOLUME) assigned
- Above assumes EXPDT retention method





- RETAINBY and LASTREF
- Can be set by CHANGEDATASET and/or CHANGEVOLUME
- Possible to set during conversion(EDGCNVT)
 - If set during conversion, no additional updates required
 - Only for EXPDT retention method





- Use the EDGCNVT program to set a default value
- Options added via SYSIN DD
 - OPTION EXPDT_RETAINBY
 - OPTION EXPDT_LASTREF
- For specific volumes or data sets use EDGCLREC and/or EDGCDREC
 - Records created during extraction
 - Used as input to the EDGCNVT program
 - LVEXPDT_RETAINBY field in 'L record' EDGCLREC
 - LDS1LRED field in 'L record' EDGCLREC
 - DSNLRED field in 'D record' EDGCDREC





- OPTION EXPDT_RETAINBY (VOLUME | FIRSTFILE | SET)
- VOLUME
 - EXPDT set to maximum volume or data set expiration date
 - VOLUME is the default if EXPDT_RETAINBY is omitted

FIRSTFILE

- EXPDT is set to the expiration of the first file on the volume or set
- All volumes in a set will have the same expiration date

SET

- EXPDT set to the highest expiration date of all volumes/data sets
- All volumes in a set will have the same expiration date





- OPTION EXPDT_LASTREF extra_days
- extra_days
 - Days that the data set will be retained after the data set was last referenced
 - Decimal number between 0 and 93000
- EXPDT is set to the maximum of LASTREF extra_days and the data set expiration date
- 0 is the default if LASTREF extra_days is omitted
 - Essentially EXPDT gets assigned the create date



V2R1 – Conversion considerations



- EDGCNVT processing RETAINBY
- Attribute set for single volume or of the first volume set by priority
 - 1. LVEXPDT_RETAINBY field in EDGCLREC
 - 2. SYSIN OPTION EXPDT_ RETAINBY value
 - 3. **EXPDT_ RETAINBY VOLUME**
- Subsequent volumes of a multi-volume data set inherit the RETAINBY attribute from the first volume



V2R1 – Conversion considerations



- EDGCNVT processing LASTREF
- Attribute set for single volume or of the first volume set by priority
 - 1. LDS1LRED/DSNLRED field in EDGCLREC or EDGCDREC
 - 2. SYSIN OPTION EXPDT_LASTREF extra_days
 - 3. **NOLASTREF**
- Subsequent files of a multi-volume data set inherit the LASTREF extra days attribute from the first file of a multivolume data set



V2R1 – Conversion considerations



- New Message
- EDGCNVT-00180 Expiration date YYYY/ddd of volume nnnnnn is lowered to YYYY/ddd, which is the expiration date of first data set in volume set: dsname on volume nnnnnn.
 - Essentially a WARNING message
 - Indicates that the expiration date has been lowered
 - EDGCNVT detects that the volume EXPDT_RETAINBY is FIRSTFILE
 - Updates all volume expiration dates to date of the first data set in the volume set
 - Sets a return code of 4
 - You may want to check your input
 - Only see this message when the EXPDT is lowered

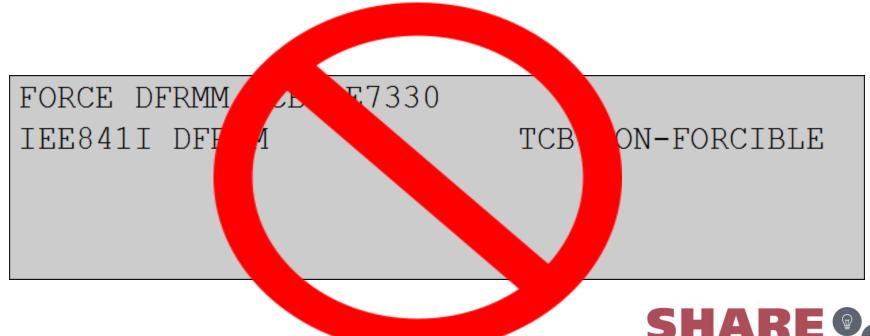


V2R1 – Console Support

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- Added the FORCE TCB command
- Forcing DFRMM address space tasks may cause integrity problems
- DFRMM Address Space is ineligible for the FORCE TCB



V2R2 – WHILECATALOG



- EXPDT retention method is fast and simple
 - Did not allow for Catalog control
- New WHILECATALOG attribute for datasets
- Catalog status can now control the expiration of volumes retained by the retention method EXPDT
- Useful for GDG datasets that get uncataloged automatically



V2R2 – WHILECATALOG



WHILECATALOG(ON)

- Data sets will not expire if they are cataloged
- Data sets never cataloged will expire on their expiration date

WHILECATALOG(UntilExpired)

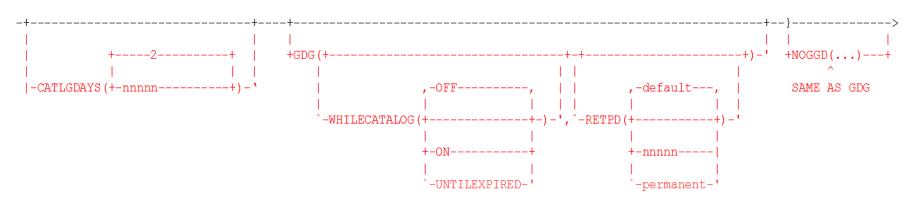
- Data sets will expire on expiration date when cataloged
- Data sets that become uncataloged will be eligible for expiration
- Expiration date will decrease?
- WHILECATALOG can be set as default or via CD command



V2R2 – WHILECATALOG - PARMLIB



NEW EXPDT PARMLIB SETTINGS:



- Can be defined in PARMLIB
- Separate RETPD and WHILECATALOG defaults for GDG and for non-GDG datasets
 - Useful for old GDG datasets that get uncataloged automatically
- Global RETPD value is used when not specified in EXPDT
- CATLGDAYS tells RMM how many days to keep
 - Data set with WHILCATLOG after it has been uncataloged

V2R2 – WHILECATALOG – Parmlib Examples



- EXPDT(GDG(WHILECATALOG(ON),RETPD(0))
 NOGDG(WHILECATALOG(ON),RETPD(0)))
 - EXPDT specified in JCL, kept beyond EXPDT if cataloged
- EXPDT(NOGDG(WHILECATALOG(UntilExpired),RETPD(PE RMANENT)))
 - EXPDT specified in JCL, expires on expiration date
- EXPDT(GDG(WHILECATALOG(ON),RETPD(5)))
 - By default GDGs are released after uncataloged
 - Keep 5 additional days after being uncataloged



V2R2 - WHILECATALOG(ON)



Current Date - 2010/01/01

Expiration date already past(DSN1/2)

Data sets held by Catalog = 2

Volume will not expire

Current Date - 2010/01/02

Expiration date already past(DSN2)

Data sets held by Catalog = 1

Volume will not expire

Current Date – 2010/01/03

Expiration date already past(DSN1)

Data sets held by Catalog = 0

Volume ready to expire

VOLUME 1

DSN1 Cataloged: Yes

EXPDT: 2009/01/01

DSN2

Cataloged: Yes EXPDT: 2009/01/01

VOLUME 1

DSN1

Cataloged: **No**

EXPDT: 2010/01/02

DSN2

Cataloged: Yes

EXPDT: 2009/01/01

VOLUME 1

DSN1 Cataloged: No EXPDT: 2010/01/02 DSN2 Cataloged: **No** EXPDT: **2010/01/03**



V2R2 - WHILECATALOG(UNTILEXPIRED)



VOLUME 1

Current Date - 2010/01/01

Vol. Exp. Date:2011/01/01(OrUncatlg)

Volume will not expire

Current Date - 2010/01/02

Vol. Exp. Date:2011/01/01(OrUncatlg)

Volume will not expire

DSN1 is uncataloged

Current Date - 2010/01/03

Vol. Exp. Date: 2010/01/03

Volume ready to expire

DSN2 is uncataloged

DSN1 Cataloged: Yes

EXPDT: 2011/01/01

DSN2

Cataloged: Yes

EXPDT: 2011/01/01

VOLUME 1

DSN1

Cataloged: No

EXPDT: 2010/01/02

DSN2

Cataloged: Yes

EXPDT: 2011/01/01

VOLUME 1

DSN1

Cataloged: No

EXPDT: 2010/01/02

DSN2

Cataloged: No

EXPDT: 2010/01/03

Volume expiration date decreases

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V2R2 – WHILECATALOG – outputs

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LISTCONTROL

GDG cycle by

```
Retention period: Default = 6 Maximum = NOLIMIT
                Catalog = 12 hours
Use of Management Class Attributes = NONE
Retention method: Default = EXPDT
                            RM(EXPDT) defaults:
RM(VRSEL) defaults:
 Retain by = VOLUME
                             Retain by
                                                = VOLUME
 Move By = VOLUME
 VRS selection
                             LASTREF extra days = 0
                = NEW
 VRS change
                = INFO
                             Catalog Days
                                                = 4
 VRSMIN action = FAIL
                             GDG : WHILECATALOG = OFF
 VRSMIN count = 1
                                     RETPD = 6
 VRS job name
                = 2
                             Non-GDG: WHILECATALOG = ON
 GDG duplicate
                 = BUMP
                                     RETPD = 6
```

V2R2 – WHILECATALOG - outputs



LISTVOLUME

```
Volume information:
Volume = 003186 VOL1 = INT001 Rack = 003186 Owner = RMMUSER
 Type = PHYSICAL Stacked count = 0 Jobname =
Worldwide ID =
                                           WORM = N
Creation: Date = 08/28/2011 Time = 04:49:14 System ID = W98MVS2
                                       System ID = W98MVS2
Assign: Date = Time =
                                       User ID =
Expiration date = 09/02/2016
                               Original =
Expiration time = 06:57:06 Datasets Kept By Catlq: 0
        set by = OCE JFCB
Retention date =
                       Set retained = NO
Retention method= VRSEL
       set by = OCE DEF
     retain by = FIRSTFILE
```

V2R2 – WHILECATALOG - outputs



LISTDATASET

```
Data set name = NISHINAL.TEST.ORDER
Volume = BC0047
                                 Physical file sequence number = 1
Owner = RMMUSER
                                           Data set sequence = 1
Create date = 02/20/2015 Create time = 06:16:06
                                                   System ID =
W98MVS1
Expiration date = 02/20/2016
                                          Expir. time = 03:00:00
                                Original expir.date =
        set by = OCE DEF
LASTREF Extra Days = 14
                                      WHILECATALOG = OFF
Block size
                                       Block count = 3456789012
                   = 80
```

V2R2 – UXTABLE



- Dynamic table
 - Retention policies
 - Special keyword dates
 - Assignment of scratch pool
- Permanent retention was not previously supported in the UXTABLE
- EDGCVRSG macro has been updated
- RETPD=PERM now supported



V2R2 – WHILECATALOG - Coexistence



- APAR OA46974
 - z10 processor or higher
 - General-instructions-extension facility
- APAR OA48120(PE)
- z9 processor
- Volume kept by WHILECATALOG=ON
 - Will not get scratched by running EXPROC on a lower level system



Questions?





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Appendix



Publications(V2R1)

- z/OS V2R1.0 DFSMSrmm Application Programming Interface(SC23-6872-00)
- z/OS V2R1.0 DFSMSrmm Managing and Using Removable Media(SC23-6873-00)
- z/OS V2R1.0 DFSMSrmm Implementation & Customization Guide(SC23-6874-00)
- z/OS V2R1.0 DFSMSrmm Reporting(SC23-6875-00)
- z/OS V2R1.0 DFSMSrmm Diagnosis Guide(SC23-6876-00)

Publications(V2R2)

- z/OS V2R2.0 DFSMSrmm Implementation and Customization Guide (SC23-6874)
- z/OS V2R2.0 DFSMSrmm Managing and Using Removable Media (SC23-6873)
- z/OS V2R2.0 DFSMSrmm Application Programming Interface (SC26-7403)



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 - IBM System z
 - IBM Academic Initiative System z
 - IBM Master the Mainframe Contest
 - IBM Destination z
 - Millennial Mainframer
 - IBM Smarter Computing
- Top LinkedIn groups related to System z:
 - System z Advocates
 - SAP on System z
 - IBM Mainframe- Unofficial Group
 - IBM System z Events
 - Mainframe Experts Network
 - System z Linux
 - Enterprise Systems
 - Mainframe Security Gurus
- Twitter profiles related to System z:
 - IBM System z
 - IBM System z Events
 - IBM DB2 on System z
 - Millennial Mainframer
 - Destination z
 - IBM Smarter Computing
- YouTube accounts related to System z:
 - IBM System z
 - Destination z
 - IBM Smarter Computing

- Top System z blogs to check out:
 - Mainframe Insights
 - Smarter Computing
 - Millennial Mainframer
 - Mainframe & Hybrid Computing
 - The Mainframe Blog
 - Mainframe Watch Belgium
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