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SCRT is a z/OS Component Starting with z/OS V2R3
Element/Component: Sub-Capacity Reporting Tool (5752SCRT2)

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Trademarks

- See url <http://www.ibm.com/legal/copytrade.shtml> for a list of trademarks.
- Additional Trademarks:
 - “None”.

Session Objectives

- Give a brief overview of the Sub-Capacity Reporting (SCRT) delivery changes with z/OS V2R3

Overview

- Problem Statement / Need Addressed
 - The Sub-Capacity Reporting Tool (SCRT) is a tool that many IBM clients are required to run on a monthly basis.
 - SCRT has been distributed as a web download since introduction.
 - No standard support process.
 - Requires separate distribution and maintenance channels.
- Solution
 - Starting with z/OS V2R3, SCRT (Java) will be shipped as a component of z/OS.
 - SCRT service requests are handled by z/OS Support as of November 2016.
- Benefit / Value
 - Simplified SCRT tool install and application of maintenance.
 - A standard service process allows for better defect tracking and documentation.

Additional Details

- SCRT will also continue to be available on the web.
- SCRT *Version.Release.Modification* numbering mechanism will continue as currently defined.
 - z/OS PTFs will be built to ship SCRT deliverables.
 - PTFs will be available to correspond with web deliverable availability dates.
- Standard SCRT install location in filesystem is :
 - /usr/lpp/scrt
- Sample JCL (in SYS1.SAMPLIB) will be preconfigured with this location.

Usage & Invocation

- Modify sample JCL in SYS1.SAMPLIB:
 - ISCJCL80 → Java 8.0 31-bit sample JCL
 - ISCJCL86 → Java 8.0 64-bit sample JCL
- Follow the standard SCRT JCL customization as documented in “Using the Sub-Capacity Reporting Tool”.

Interactions & Dependencies

- Software Dependencies
 - SCRT minimum supported Java is IBM Java Technology Edition, V7.0.
 - Note: SCRT SAMPLIB JCL are based on IBM Java Technology Edition, V8.0.
- Hardware Dependencies
 - None.
- Exploiters
 - None.

Migration & Coexistence Considerations

- None.

Installation

- None.

Session Summary

- SCRT is shipped as part of z/OS starting with V2R3.
- SCRT services requests should no longer be directed to scrt@us.ibm.com (as of November 2016).

Appendix

- “Using the Sub-Capacity Reporting Tool”, SC23-6845-08
- Sub-Capacity Reporting Tool (IBM External Site):
 - <http://www-03.ibm.com/systems/z/resources/swprice/subcap/scrt/>