

IBM Education Assistance for z/OS V2R1

Item: CIM Port Decommissioning

Element/Component: CIM



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Presentation Objectives

- z/OS Storage Management: CIM_FCPort channel Port Decommission
 - Introducing DMTF Port Decommission Interface
 - As defined in DMTF CIM schema 2.31
 - Platform specific extension:
 - Introducing IBMzOS_FCCUPort CIM class for control unit port representation of z/OS

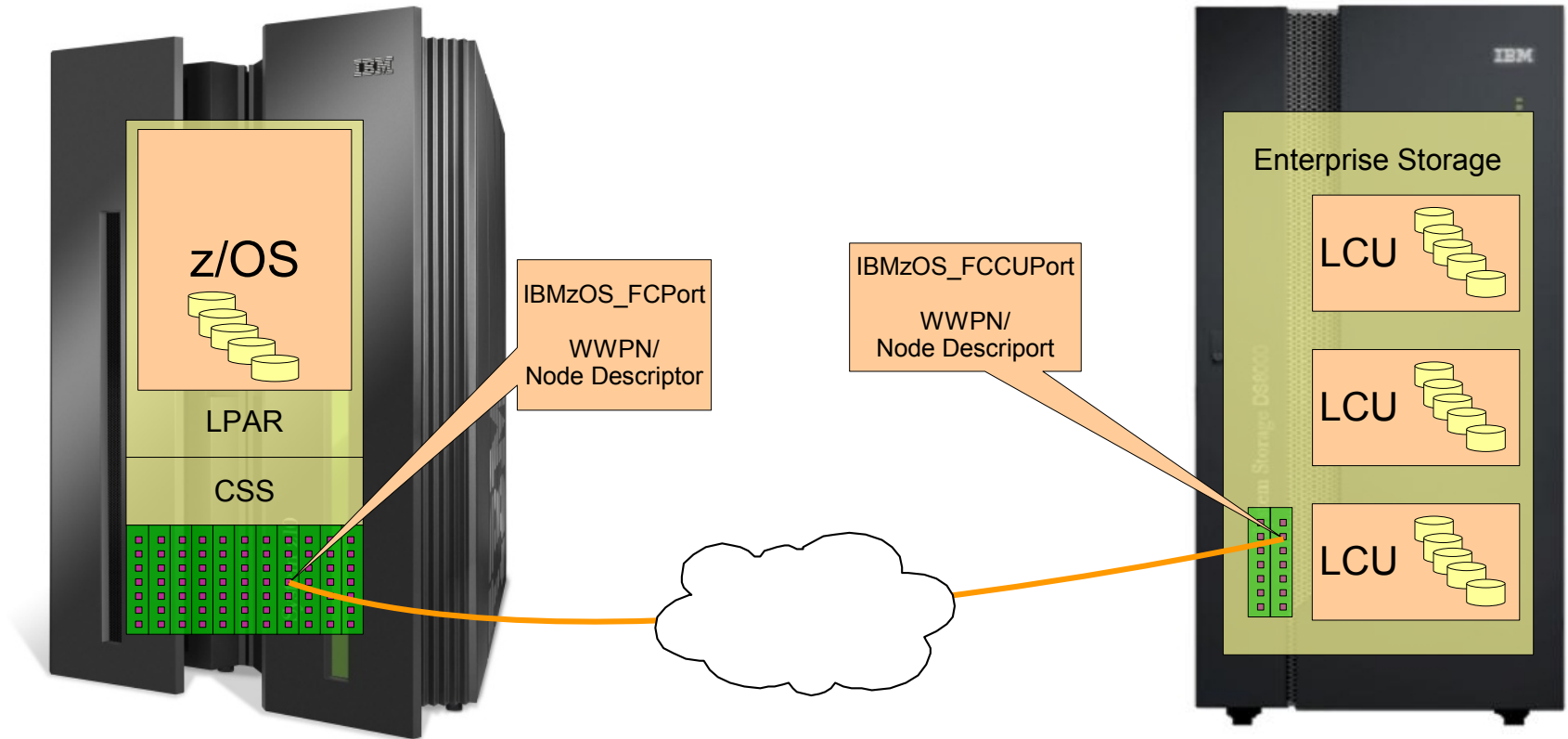


Overview

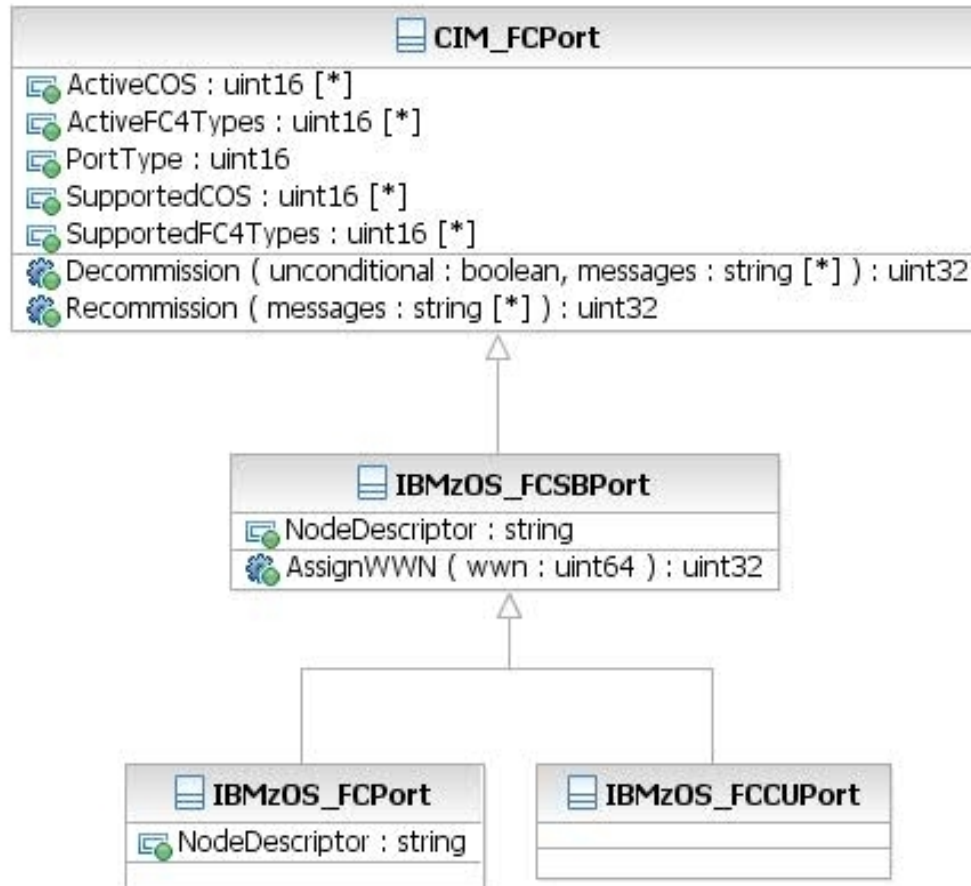
- Problem Statement / Need Addressed
 - If a device or control unit ports needs to be taken down related to a fabric action, it has to be assured that any users of those ports are first given the opportunity to cease using them.
- Solution
 - Support DMTF Port Decommission Interface to
 - Decommission a FICON or Control Unit port
 - Recommission a FICON or Control Unit port
- Benefit / Value
 - Reduce or eliminate outages caused by accidentally shutting down ports that are in use.



Overview



CIM Class Diagram for Port Decommissioning



CIM classes for Port Decommissioning

- New Control Unit Port representation IBMzOS_FCCUPort class
 - NodeDescriptor
 - e.g. “002107.900.IBM.75.000000074011.0103”
 - PermanentAddress
 - WWPN of control unit port

- FICON port representation IBMzOS_FCPort class
 - New Property
 - NodeDescriptor
 - e.g “002097.E40.IBM.51.000000070B82.F04F”
 - Existing Properties
 - StatusDescriptions[]
 - When OperationalStatus Stopped (11) value of “DECOMMISSIONED”
 - DeviceID
 - CHPID decimal representation
 - PermanentAddress
 - WWPN of the channel



Instance Method CIM_FCPort::Decommission

Decommission a switch port. All channels or devices attached to the port will be taken offline. The system will reject this command for a channel port if it would remove the last path to an online device. For a device port, the system will not take a device offline if it would remove the last path to an online device.

Synopsis:

```
uint32 Decommission(boolean Force, string Messages[])
```

Parameters:

boolean Force (in):

(Default: false)

Takes a port offline even if it is the last path to a device or affects the systems ability to communicate with a device over this path.

string EmbeddedInstance("CIM_Message") Messages[] (out):

When the decommissioning request was denied or more detail information is available for a successful invocation, this parameter returns one or more IOS message(s).

Return values:

- | | |
|-----------------------|---|
| 0 – Confirmed: | The port was taken offline |
| 1 – Denied other: | The port cannot be taken offline for an unspecified reason. |
| 2 – Denied In Use: | The port cannot be taken offline because it is still in use. |
| 3 – Denied last Path: | The port cannot be taken offline because it is the last path to a device. |

Authorizations:

Caller requires UPDATE access to SAF profile IOSPORTS CL(FACILITY)



Instance Method CIM_FCPort::Recommission

Recommission a switch port that was DECOMMISSIONED. All channels or devices attached to the port that were online before the DECOMMISSION will be brought back online.

Synopsis:

```
uint32 Recommission(string Messages[])
```

Parameters:

string EmbeddedInstance("CIM_Message") Messages[](out):

When the decommissioning request was denied or more detail information is available for a successful invocation, this parameter returns one or more IOS message(s).

Return values:

- | | |
|-------------|---|
| 0 – OK: | The port was successfully brought online. |
| 1 – Other: | The port cannot be taken online for an unspecified reason. |
| 2 – Denied: | The port is not in state decommissioned and therefore cannot be recommissioned. |

Authorizations:

Caller requires UPDATE access to SAF profile IOSPORTS CL(FACILITY)



Instance Method CIM_FCPort::AssignWWN

Binds a WWN for a port without an identified WWPN.

Attention: The binding is lost after IPL.

Synopsis:

```
uint32 AssignWWN( uint64 wwn )
```

Parameters:

uint64 wwn (in): The world wide name to be assigned to the port in decimal number format.

Return values:

- | | |
|---|--|
| 0 | Completed without error. |
| 1 | The WWN could not be assigned because the logical device already has a fixed WWPN, discovered from the hardware. |
| 2 | The logical device already has the same WWPN bound to it. |
| 3 | Unexpected error |

Authorizations:

Caller requires UPDATE access to SAF profile IOSPORTS CL(FACILITY)



Example

```
cimcli execQuery 'SELECT * from CIM_FCPort WHERE PermanentAddress="5005076401260ABA"'
```

```
path=
//BOESOC1/root/cimv2:IBMzOS_FCPort.CreationClassName="IBMzOS_FCPort",DeviceID="67",
SystemCreationClassName="IBMzOS_ComputerSystem",SystemName="TEST.ibm.com"

//Instance of IBMzOS_FCPort
instance of IBMzOS_FCPort
{
    ....
    Name = "TEST:2:43";
    PermanentAddress = "5005076401260ABA";
    NodeDescriptor = "002097.E40.IBM.51.000000070B82.F043";
    ....
};
```



Example (cont.)

```
cimcli invokeMethod 'IBMzOS_FCPort.CreationClassName="IBMzOS_FCPort",
DeviceID="67",SystemCreationClassName="IBMzOS_ComputerSystem",SystemName="TEST.ibm.com"'
Decommission
```

```
IOS320I Switch port decommission request for CHPID 34 WWPN 5005076401260ABA
IOS322I Switch port decommission request for WWPN 5005076401260ABA for the following paths:
        CHPID 43 to device(s) 05000-0505F,050A0-050AF,05100-0513F
        05150-0516F,051A0-051AF,051D0-051EF
        05300-0530F,053A0-053AF,05400-05ADF
        05B00-05BDF,05C00-05CDF,05D00-05D5F
        05F00-05F7F,05FA0-05FFF
IOS324I Switch port DECOMMISSION request successful for WWPN 5005076401260ABA
```



Installation

- To invoke the Decommission or Recommission method the caller requires UPDATE ACCESS on IOSPORTS FACILITY class profile
 - Missing authorization is indicated by message CEZ03031E.

```
PERMIT IOSPORTS CLASS(FACILITY) ID(CFZUSR) ACCESS(UPDATE)
```

```
CEZ03031E Request user ID CFZUSR requires UPDATE permission on profile  
IOSPORTS CL(FACILITY) .
```



Presentation Summary

- z/OS representation of a control unit port by IBMzOS_FCCUPort class.
- z/OS CIM adds support for ...
 - Decommission/Recommission on FICON channel ports
 - Decommission/Recommission on control unit channel ports

... to gracefully take path's offline.
- Use of this support requires
 - Additional security definitions



Appendix

- IBM z/OS Common Information Model Users Guide Book# SC34-2671
- CIM & WBEM Standards by the DMTF
 - <http://www.dmtf.org/standards>

