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JES2 support of JES3 //\*ROUTE XEQ JECL



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  - None.



### Session Objectives

- z/OS 2.3 implemented support for many JES3 JECL statements
  - The JES3 //\*ROUTE XEQ statement was not one of them
- z/OS 2.4 adds support for the JES3 ROUTE XEQ JECL
  - Non-error path intended to be the same as JES3



#### Overview

- Who (Audience)
  - JES2 customers with JES3 JECL that includes the //\*ROUTE XEQ statement
- What (Solution)
  - JES2 now recognizes and honors the JES3 //\*ROUTE XEQ JECL
- Wow (Benefit / Value, Need Addressed)
  - One less JES3 JECL statement that needs to be converted moving to JES2
    - JES3 customers identified the //\*ROUTE XEQ statement as commonly used



### Usage & Invocation

- JES2 now supports a //\*ROUTE XEQ JECL statement
  - Syntax rules the same as JES3

```
//*ROUTE XEQ dest[.vmguest]
```

- Does NOT support alternate /\*ROUTE XEQ syntax
  - Conflicts with the JES2 /\*ROUTE XEQ statement
- Rules for //\*ROUTE XEQ
  - Must be at the top of the job
    - Only JECL can be placed between JOB card and ROUTE JECL card
  - Must be followed by a JOB or NJB card
    - If the destination node is not the home (local) node
  - Stream ends when EOF or another JOB card encountered
    - JOB card has to be outside of an instream data stream



# Usage & Invocation (cont.)

- Differences from JES3 (Happy path)
  - Only one NJB card after //\*ROUTE XEQ converted to JOB
    - JES3 converts 2 NJB cards
- Parameters to enable support:

```
INPUTDEF JES3JECL=SUPPORT
JECLDEF JES3=(ROUTE=PROCESS)
```

• New error message:

\$HASP6175 - jobname Job to be transmitted has no records

New for JES2 //XMIT and /\*XMIT and JES3 //\*ROUTE XEQ

```
$HASP6176 - jobname Expected JOB/NJB statement not found after //*ROUTE XEQ
```

\$HASP6177 - Encountered statement



# Usage & Invocation (cont.)

• New (to JES2) password management option for //\*ROUTE XEQ NODE (name) JES3 LOCAL CHK=YES | NO

- If defaulted or set to NO, then passwords from the 1<sup>st</sup> job card are passed in the NJE header for the second job
- If set to YES, then the 1<sup>st</sup> job card is validated locally and passed as submitter for the second job
- Scope of this parameter is JESPlex.
- This parameter does not apply if the destination on ROUTE XEQ is the home (local) node
  - In this case the first job card is not used
- Existing JES2 keyword on NODE statement PENCRYPT also applies
  - Controls if passwords are sent encrypted
  - Also updated to have a JESPlex scope



# Usage & Invocation (cont.)

Equivalence table for initialization statements (NJERMT vs NODE)

PWCNTL= specification	JES3_LOCAL_CHK=	PENCRYPT=
LOCALCHK	YES	n/a
SENDCLR	NO	NO
SENDENC	NO	YES



## Usage & Invocation - Miscellaneous

- Updated \$QGET tracing
  - New fields in JES2 trace 31 to give information on
    - Number of jobs skipped for duplicate
    - Number of jobs skipped for class limits
    - Number of times exit 49 was called
    - Additional exit timing information
  - Add a new \$QGET rolling trace
    - Data similar to TRACE 31 recorded in internal CTRACE
- SAPI rolling trace updated to include disposition flags
- New HASP055 message when HASP050 shortage relieved
- Allow leading 0s in \$P/\$S device commands
  - \$P PRT001 instead of \$P PRT1



### Usage & Invocation - Miscellaneous

- C headers for many JES common SSI (IAZ) mapping macros
  - IAZSMFxx SMF mapping macros
  - Most IAZSSxx SSI extensions
  - IAZJPxxx, IAZCTKN, IAZJCOR, IAZSPLIO, IAZSYMDF



## Interactions & Dependencies

 To exploit this item, all systems in the Plex must be at the new z/OS level: No

- Software Dependencies
  - None
- Hardware Dependencies
  - None
- Exploiters
  - None



## Migration & Coexistence Considerations

- The NODE statement PENCRYPT is now MAS scope
  - This may cause an informational message at first 2.4 startup
- From JES2 z/OS 2.2 or z/OS 2.3
  - APAR OA53860 needed on z/OS 2.2 or z/OS 2.3 member to coexist in a MAS with z/OS 2.4
  - APAR OA53860 is also highly recommended for fall back
  - Some new data structures created by z/OS 2.4 JES2 may result in problems if OA53860 is not installed.



# Installation

None



# Appendix

#### Publications

- z/OS V2R4.0 JES Application Programming SA32-0987-40
- z/OS V2R4.0 JES2 Commands SA32-0990-40
- Z/OS V2R4.0 JES2 Diagnosis GA32-0993-40
- z/OS V2R4.0 JES2 Initialization and Tuning Guide SA32-0991-40
- z/OS V2R4.0 JES2 Initialization and Tuning Reference SA32-0992-40
- z/OS V2R4.0 JES2 Installation Exits SA32-0995-40
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