

z/OS SDSF Hidden Treasures

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Agenda

- General Tips
- Tables
- Slash command
- Browse (next, prev, defaults, findlim)
- Using sectrace
- REXX (rgen, stems)



GENERAL TIPS

General Tips

- Use **SET DISPLAY ON** to show current settings of your prefix and owner
- Use **SET ACTION ON|SHORT** to display valid action characters
- Use **PREFIX **** and **OWNER *userid*** to default to your own jobs
 - PREFIX ** is a special case so the H panel will display all jobs
- Use **SET SCREEN** to change display attributes

Display Values

- Use SET DISPLAY ON to show your current prefix and owner
- Saved in ISPF profile

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 713-718 (718)
COMMAND INPUT ==> set display SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
SUBRTE STC05594 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 558
PRDUTL04 JOB05595 SUBJCL 1 PRINT A 559
VTDRS86 JOB05586 SUBJCL 1 PRINT A 560
SUBRTE STC05596 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 561
```

Tip: ON is the default

Display Action Characters

- Use **SET ACTION ON | OFF | SHORT** to display valid action characters for the panel
- Saved in the ISPF profile

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF HELD OUTPUT DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINES 236,536      LINE 522-531 (531)
COMMAND INPUT ==> set action                               SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX==* DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
ACTION=+-Extend,-Show,/-Block,%-RunExec,?-JDS,=-Repeat,A-Release,C-Cancel,
ACTION=H-Hold,JS-JobStep,L-List,LL-ListLong,O-Release,OK-ReleaseKeep,P-Purge,
ACTION=Q-OutDesc,S-Browse,Sn-BrowseLocDS,SB-ISPFBrowse,SE-ISPFEit,SJ-JCLEdit,
ACTION=X-Print,XC-PrintClose,XD-PrintDS,XDC-PrintDSClose,XF-PrintFile,
ACTION=XFC-PrintFileClose,XS-PrintSysout,XSC-PrintSysoutClose
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  Prty C ODisp Dest  REC-Cnt  PAGE
    SUBJCL   STC05584 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    56
    SUBRTE   STC05588 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    54
    LOGWRTR  STC05587 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    74

```

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Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF HELD OUTPUT DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINES 236,536      LINE 522-531 (531)
COMMAND INPUT ==> set action short                         SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX==* DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
ACTION=+,,/,//,%,,?,=,A,C,H,JS,L,LL,O,OK,P,Q,S,Sn,SB,SE,SJ,X,XC,XD,XDC,XF,XFC,XS,
ACTION=XSC
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  Prty C ODisp Dest  REC-Cnt  PAGE
    SUBJCL   STC05584 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    56
    SUBRTE   STC05588 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    54
    LOGWRTR  STC05587 SUBJCL   144 K HOLD  LOCAL    74

```



TABLES

Table Tips

- Fast filter rows (SELECT command)
- Position to start of column (LOCATE command)
- Reorder columns and change width (ARRANGE command)
- Show contents of row (/ action)
- Advanced filter rows (FILTER command)
- Printing and copying a table (SNAP command)
- Block and repeat overtypes (// and = actions)
- Overtyping multiple values in same column (+ overtype)
- Run REXX exec against row (% action)
- Change NP column width (+ action or ARRANGE command)
- Actions and overtypes from the command line
- Point-and-shoot
- Searching data set lists (SRCH)

Fast Path Select

- Probably the best hidden treasure in the product !
- **SELECT | S *pattern1* [*pattern2*]**
 - Use S with no operands to reset
- Temporary filter while accessing table
- Not saved in profile or across commands
- Usually names a fixed field pattern
 - Operands vary based on panel
- Overrides prefix and owner is authorized
 - Use instead of changing your PREFIX when you want to filter jobs

Fast Path Select

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 1-26 (572)
COMMAND INPUT ==> s r*                                       SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
    TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
    BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
    SYSLOG STC05354 +MASTER+ 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
    VTAM STC05355 VTAM 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
```

Filters all jobs that
start with R

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 1-15 (15)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
    RACF STC05420 RACF 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
    RACF STC05510 RACF 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
    RMF STC05514 RMF 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
```

Fast Path Select by Job Number

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> s 5522 SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
   TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 15 EXECUTION RS85 RS85
   BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION RS86 RS86
   SYSLOG STC05354 +MASTER+ 15 EXECUTION RS86 RS86
   VTAM STC05355 VTAM 15 EXECUTION RS86 RS86
```

Select by job
number

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-1 (1)
COMMAND INPUT ==> SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
   SUBRTE STC05522 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 376
```

Fast Path Select Override

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-14 (14)
COMMAND INPUT ==> s rmf                                       SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=TS5485 DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  Prty Queue  C Pos  SAff  ASys  Status
    TS5485   TSU05627 TS5485   15 EXECUTION
    TS5485   TSU04454 TS5485    1 PRINT          3
    TS5485   TSU04596 TS5485    1 PRINT          4
  
```

Override prefix and owner and
select all RMF jobs

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-5 (5)
COMMAND INPUT ==> s rmf                                       SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=TS5485 DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  Prty Queue  C Pos  SAff  ASys  Status
    RMF      STC05514 RMF    15 EXECUTION
    RMF      STC04883 RMF     1 PRINT        212
    RMF      STC05042 RMF     1 PRINT        215
  
```

Fast Path Select Override Examples

Panel	Operands
DA, I, O, ST, H, AS	jobname [jobid] jobname [jobnumber] jobnumber
JDS	ddname [stepname] ddname [dsid] dsid
Job Dependency	Jobname [jobid] May match JOBNAME (jobid) or DJobName (DJobID) columns
Job Device	fixedfield (dataset, crstructurename, ipaddr)
Job Group	groupname [groupid]
Job Step	stepname [procstep]

Locate Column

- **LOCATE | L *column-name***
- Used to position to a column
- Instead of left/right scrolling
- Aligns the column first just after fixed field
- Specify enough characters to uniquely name column
- If name not unique, positions to first column name that matches

Locate Column

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 711-718 (718)
COMMAND INPUT ==> locate tgpct SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
   SMFSWTCH STC05592 SMFDMP 1 PRINT 556
   LOGREC86 JOB05593 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 557
   SUBRTE STC05594 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 558
```

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 711-718 (718)
COMMAND INPUT ==> SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME TGPct OrigNode ExecNode Device Offs Max-RC SrvCl
   SMFSWTCH 0.00 LOCAL LOCAL CC 0000
   LOGREC86 0.00 LOCAL LOCAL CC 0000
   SUBRTE 0.00 LOCAL LOCAL CC 0000
```

Tgpct column is
positioned first

Arrange Columns

- Use arrange command to re-order columns (saved in ISPF profile)
- **arr ?** to display pop-up (most commands use ? to display the pop-up)
- Use command for quick changes
 - **arr *column-name* first**
 - **arr *column-name* last**
 - **arr *column-name1* a *column-name2*** (after)
 - **arr *column-name1* b *column-name2*** (before)
 - **arr default** (to reset to default arrangement)
- Use special column name **.end** to hide columns
 - **arr .end a saff** (All columns after SAff will be hidden)
- Can also change column widths (**arr *column-name* nn**)
- Specify enough characters in *column-name* to make it unique

Arrange first

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 711-715 (715)
COMMAND INPUT ==> arr phasename first SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
SMFSWCH STC05592 SMFDMP 1 PRINT 556
LOGREC86 JOB05593 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 557
SUBRTE STC05594 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 558
```

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 711-715 (715)
COMMAND INPUT ==> SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME PhaseName JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SA
SMFSWCH AWAITING OUTPUT STC05592 SMFDMP 1 PRINT 556
LOGREC86 AWAITING OUTPUT JOB05593 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 557
SUBRTE AWAITING OUTPUT STC05594 SUBJCL 1 PRINT 558
```

Phasename column has been
arranged after fixed field

Arrange after

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 711-715 (715)
COMMAND INPUT ==> arr max-rc a jobid                          SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
    SMFSWCH STC05592 SMFDMP      1 PRINT      556
    LOGREC86 JOB05593 SUBJCL      1 PRINT      557
```

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 711-715 (715)
COMMAND INPUT ==>
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Max-RC Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys S
    SMFSWCH STC05592 CC 0000 SMFDMP      1 PRINT      556
    LOGREC86 JOB05593 CC 0000 SUBJCL      1 PRINT      557
```

Arrange Hidden Columns

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES
COMMAND INPUT ==> arr .end a saff
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
MNTWTOR JOB00665 SUBJCL 9 EXECUTION A  RS87
MNTWTOR JOB01664 SUBJCL 9 EXECUTION A  RS87
TS5485W JOB04866 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  1  RS86
TS5485W1 JOB04868 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  2  RS86
TS5485W2 JOB04869 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  3  RS86
TS5485W3 JOB04870 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  4  RS86
TS5485W  JOB01289 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  5  RS88
```

Columns hidden

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES
COMMAND INPUT ==>
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff
MNTWTOR JOB00665 SUBJCL 9 EXECUTION A  RS87
MNTWTOR JOB01664 SUBJCL 9 EXECUTION A  RS87
TS5485W JOB04866 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  1  RS86
TS5485W1 JOB04868 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  2  RS86
TS5485W2 JOB04869 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  3  RS86
TS5485W3 JOB04870 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  4  RS86
TS5485W  JOB01289 TS5485 9 EXECUTION 7  5  RS88
```

Show Contents of Row

- Action to show all columns for single row in vertical scrollable table
- Enter / in NP against table row
 - Not to be confused with the primary slash command for operator commands
- ISPF Pop-up panel displayed showing title and value for all columns in scrollable area
 - Locate available
 - Can suppress null/blank columns

Show Row Contents

S1 - Mainframe Display

File Edit Session Options Transfer View Script Help

Display Filter view print options search Help

SDSF DA RS22 RS22 PAG 0 CPU/L 37/ 17

COMMAND INPUT ==>

PREFIX=* DEST=(ALL) OWNER=PDSCOT SORT=JOBNAME/A

NP JOBNAME StepName ProcStep JobID Owner

/ PDSCOT ROCKPROC S22T0122 T0816019 PDSCOT

PORTMAP PORTMAP PMAP S0090243 PORTMAP

QDA8DBM1 QDA8DBM1 IEFPROC S0639029 DB2USER

QDA8DIST QDA8DIST IEFPROC S0639043 DB2USER

QDA8IRLM QDA8IRLM S0639022 DB2USER

QDA8MSTR QDA8MSTR IEFPROC S0639021 DB2USER

QDB7DBM1 QDB7DBM1 IEFPROC S0639083 DB2USER

QDB7DIST QDB7DIST IEFPROC S0639089 DB2USER

QDB7IRLM QDB7IRLM S0639076 DB2USER

QDB7MSTR QDB7MSTR IEFPROC S0639075 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092397 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092421 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092422 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092423 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092424 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092425 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092426 DB2USER

QDS2TCB1 QDS2TCB1 IEFPROC S0092427 DB2USER

MB 01A

S1/A 192.168.55.22 S22T0122

S1 - Mainframe Display

File Edit Session Options Transfer View Script Help

Command ==>

Sort column with F5. Use Locate to position to column.

All values column width

column ## value

JOBNAME 01 PDSCOT

StepName 01 ROCKPROC

ProcStep 01 S22T0122

JobID 01 T0816019

Owner 01 PDSCOT

Pos 01 LO

DP 01 FF

Real 01 7,497

Paging 01 0.00

SIO 01 0.00

CPU% 01 0.00

ASID 01 1,203

ASIDX 01 04B3

EXCP-Cnt 01 1136

MB 01A

S22T0122 03/017

S1/A 192.168.55.22 S22T0122 00:00:125 03.017

Filters

- Use filter command to select rows to be displayed
 - Applied after prefix, owner, dest, sysname
 - Filters are saved in ISPF profile
- Use pop-up when entering multiple filters
- Simplified command
 - Single column
 - Operator is EQ
- For example, **fil jobn bpx*** will filter jobs starting with **bpx**
 - Use enough characters to make column name unique
- Use **fil off** to turn off filtering

Filters

Display	Filter	View	Print	Options	Search	Help

SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES				LINE 1-26 (563)		
COMMAND INPUT ==> fil jobn bpx*				SCROLL ==> HALF		
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*						
NP	JOBNAME	JobID	Owner	Prty	Queue	C Pos SAff ASys Status
	TS5485	TSU05627	TS5485	15	EXECUTION	RS85 RS85
	BPXAS	STC05353	BPXAS	15	EXECUTION	RS86 RS86
	SYSLOG	STC05354	+MASTER+	15	EXECUTION	RS86 RS86

Least characters to make column name unique and EQ omitted

Display	Filter	View	Print	Options	Search	Help

SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES				LINE 1-26 (50)		
COMMAND INPUT ==>				SCROLL ==> HALF		
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*				FILTERS=1		
NP	JOBNAME	JobID	Owner	Prty	Queue	C Pos SAff ASys Status
	BPXAS	STC05353	BPXAS	15	EXECUTION	RS86 RS86
	BPXAS	STC05389	BPXAS	15	EXECUTION	RS86 RS86
	BPXAS	STC05390	BPXAS	15	EXECUTION	RS86 RS86
	BPXAS	STC05498	BPXAS	15	EXECUTION	RS85 RS85

Panel being filtered

Only jobs passing filter are shown

Filters

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> fil off SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=* FILTERS=1
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
BPXAS STC05389 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
BPXAS STC05390 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
```

Turn filters off

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> fil ? SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
```

Show filters pop-up

Filters

```

-- Display Filter View Print Options Search Help --
SDSF STA
COMMAND
PREFIX=*
NP JOB
TS5
BPX
SYS
VTA
HZ5
INI AND/OR between columns AND (AND/OR)
INI AND/OR within a column OR (AND/OR)
INI
INI Column Oper Value (may include * and %)
INI JOBNAME EQ BPX*
INI
INI
INI
INI
INI
INI
INI
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INI
INI
INI
INI

```

Filter pop-up retains prior filters. Press enter to restore or change filters.

Printing and Copying a Table

- Use SNAP command to capture a table
 - Print the table
 - Edit the table and save for another application
- SNAP formats all rows and columns of the table
 - Optionally change the editor using **SNAP S | SB | SE | SV**
 - Change edit default using **SET SNAP S | SB | SE | SV**

Printing a Table

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> snap SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys Status
TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
SYSLOG STC05354 +MASTER+ 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
```

Use SDSF browse

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT DISPLAY *SNAP LINE 0 COLUMNS 02- 81
COMMAND INPUT ==> SCROLL ==> HALF
***** TOP OF DATA *****
JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty Queue C Pos SAff ASys St
TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 15 EXECUTION R585 R585
BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
SYSLOG STC05354 +MASTER+ 15 EXECUTION R586 R586
```

SDSF browse window with each row as a line

Tip: Use the **PRINT** command to copy the data set or any edit command if using SE

Block and Repeat Overtypes

- Block command (//) applies an action to multiple rows
 - For example //p ... // applies the p action to a block of rows
- Repeat command (=) repeats last action against the current row
- Block and repeat work for overtypes too!
 - Enter // in NP column on first row
 - Overtyping data in column on first row
 - Enter // in NP column on last row
 - The overtype will be applied to all rows within the block

Block and Repeat Overtypes

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT ALL CLASSES ALL FORMS      LINES 73      LINE 1-3 (3)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                      SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=TS5485 SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty C Forms Dest Tot-Rec
//  TS5485 TSU22565 TS5485 150 F STD LOCAL 10
//  TS5485B JOB22800 TS5485 144 K STD LOCAL 55
//  TS54850 JOB21521 TS5485 144 K STD LOCAL 8
```

Block change
priority to 150

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT ALL CLASSES ALL FORMS      LINES 73      3 COMMANDS ISSUED
COMMAND INPUT ==>                      SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=TS5485 SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID Owner Prty C Forms Dest Tot-Rec
//  TS5485 TSU22565 TS5485 150 F STD LOCAL 10
//  TS5485B JOB22800 TS5485 150 K STD LOCAL 55
//  TS54850 JOB21521 TS5485 150 K STD LOCAL 8
```

Overtyping Extension

- Used to overtype long values
 - When value is too long for column width
 - Column must be completely visible for it to be overtyped
- Used to overtype multiple values
- Enter + in the overtypeable column
 - Must be only value in column
 - Erase any residual data for + to be recognized

Overtypes Extension

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=**  DEST=(ALL)  OWNER=*  SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  SAff  Prty  Queue  C  Pos  ASys  Status
    TS5485    TSU05627  TS5485    +    15  EXECUTION    RS85
    BPXAS     STC05353  BPXAS     RS86    15  EXECUTION    RS86
    SYSLOG    STC05354  +MASTER+  RS86    15  EXECUTION    RS86
    VTAM      STC05355  VTAM      RS86    15  EXECUTION    RS86

```

[illegible]

Enter + in SAff column
to display overtype
extension pop-up

Running REXX against a row

- Use %execname action character
 - Concatenate execname to //SYSPROC or //SYSEXEC
- Exec is passed parameters including the row token
 - Use row token to derive attributes of row
- Use pop-up to specify arguments or long execname
- Use arrange command to increase size of NP column
 - Allow enough room for execname
 - Temporary change with + in NP

Running REXX Against a Row

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=**  DEST=(ALL)  OWNER=*  SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID  Owner  SAff  Prty Queue  C Pos  ASys Status
%a 1 TS5485  TSU05627 TS5485  RS85  15 EXECUTION  R585
    BPXAS  STC05353 BPXAS  RS86  15 EXECUTION  R586

```

Run exec and pass arg

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=**  DEST=(ALL)  OWNER=*  SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME JobID  Owner  SAff  Prty Queue  C Pos  ASys Status
%  TS5485  TSU05627 TS5485  RS85  15 EXECUTION  R585
    BPXAS  STC05353 BPXAS  RS86  15 EXECUTION  R586

```

Display pop-up

Running REXX Against a Row

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help

SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ===> SCROLL ===> HALF

PR
NP
%

REXX Exec

Command ===> _____

Supply the exec name and arguments, separated by blanks.

Exec	Arguments	_____
_____	_____	_____

F1=Help F5=Generate REXX F12=Cancel

atus

Specify name and arguments

Invokes RGEN to generate exec

Increase Width of NP (Permanent)

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> arr ? SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP JOBNAME JobID Owner SAff Prty Queue C Pos ASys Status
   TS5485 TSU05627 TS5485 RS85 15 EXECUTION R585
   BPXAS STC05353 BPXAS RS86 15 EXECUTION R586
  
```

Show arrange pop-up

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS
COMMAND INPU
PREFIX=** D
NP JOBNAME
   TS5485
   BPXAS
   SYSLOG
   VTAM
   HZSPROC
   INIT
   INIT
   INIT
   INIT

```

Arrange Row 1 to 10 of 56

Command ==> _____

To move a column, select with / (// for a block), then type A (after) or B (before). Special function keys:
 F5/17=Refresh list F11/23=Clear input F6/18=Default order

NP width	Current width: 4
Column	Width Description
JobID	8
Owner	8
SAff	5

Type a new value

Increase Width of NP (Temporary)

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=**  DEST=(ALL)  OWNER=*  SYSNAME=*
NP      JOBNAME  JobID   Owner   SAff  Prty Queue   C Pos   ASys Status
+8  TS5485  TSU05627 TS5485  RS85   15 EXECUTION  R585
    BPXAS   STC05353 BPXAS   RS86   15 EXECUTION  R586

```

Use + operator to expand NP width

```

Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                           SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=**  DEST=(ALL)  OWNER=*  SYSNAME=*
NP      JOBNAME  JobID   Owner   SAff  Prty Queue   C Pos   ASys Status
    TS5485  TSU05627 TS5485  RS85   15 EXECUTION  R585
    BPXAS   STC05353 BPXAS   RS86   15 EXECUTION  R586
    SYSLOG  STC05354 +MASTER+ RS86   15 EXECUTION  R586

```

Width increased to 8 characters until
panel is reaccessed or RESET

Actions and Overtypes on the Command Line

- Access rows by row number
 - **SET ROWNUM (ON|OFF)**
- Specify action character or range on command line
 - **5-8 12 c**
 - Issues **c** action against rows 5 through 8 and 12
- Specify column name and value on command line
 - **1 prty=100**
 - Overtypes the PRTY column for row 1 to 100

Actions and Overtypes from the Command Line

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF HELD OUTPUT DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINES 123,931    LINE 1-26 (231)
COMMAND INPUT ==> set rownum                          SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=
NP  JOBNAME JobID Max-RC Owner Prty C ODisp Dest RE
    MYGROUP  G0006757 JCL ERROR TS5485 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SUBRTE   STC07327 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    BPXAS    STC07311 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    BPXAS    STC07329 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    BPXAS    STC07331 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    BPXAS    STC07330 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    OOPSLIST JOB07335 CC 0000 PDZTEAM 144 X HOLD LOCAL
    TS5485   TSU07337 ABEND S522 TS5485 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SMFDUMP  STC07338 CC 0012 SMFDMP 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SUBJCL   STC07341 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    LOGWRTR  STC07343 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SUBRTE   STC07344 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    IOS050   JOB07346 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 X HOLD LOCAL
    SUBJCL   STC07348 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SMFSWCH  STC07347 CC 0000 SMFDMP 144 X HOLD LOCAL
    SMFSWCH  STC07347 CC 0000 SMFDMP 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    SUBRTE   STC07350 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
```

Turn on row numbering

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF HELD OUTPUT DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINES 123,931    LINE 1-26 (231)
COMMAND INPUT ==> 5-8 12 c                            SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=
NP  ### JOBNAME JobID Max-RC Owner Prty C ODisp Dest
    1 MYGROUP  G0006757 JCL ERROR TS5485 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    2 SUBRTE   STC07327 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    3 BPXAS    STC07311 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    4 BPXAS    STC07329 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    5 BPXAS    STC07331 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    6 BPXAS    STC07330 CC 0000 BPXAS  144 K HOLD LOCAL
    7 OOPSLIST JOB07335 CC 0000 PDZTEAM 144 X HOLD LOCAL
    8 TS5485   TSU07337 ABEND S522 TS5485 144 K HOLD LOCAL
    9 SMFDUMP  STC07338 CC 0012 SMFDMP 144 K HOLD LOCAL
   10 SUBJCL   STC07341 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
   11 LOGWRTR  STC07343 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
   12 SUBRTE   STC07344 CC 0000 SUBJCL 144 K HOLD LOCAL
```

Cancel jobs on rows 5 through 8 and 12

Point-and-shoot

- SDSF supports various point-and-shoot functions
 - NP
 - Invoke browse (or not) depending on **SET BROWSE**
 - Fixed field
 - Invoke default action for the column
 - Example is **JDS** for JOBNAME on **DA**, **H**, **I**, **ST** and **O** panels
 - Can be toggled with **SET PAS ON | HIDE | OFF**
 - Alias of **SET FFPS**
 - **SET PAS HIDE** enables fixed field for point-and-shoot
 - Fixed field will not be conditioned turquoise
 - Conditioned same as row highlighting
 - Memory address fields
 - Invokes SDSF memory browse on the 31bit or 64bit address
 - Inherits the ASID and SYSNAME from the row (if present)

Searching Data Set Lists

- Starting with z/OS 2.3, SDSF includes several displays that show lists of various types of data set
 - **APF** Authorized Load Libraries
 - **LNK** Link List
 - **LPA** Link Pack Area List
 - **PARM** Logical PARMLIB
 - **PROC** JES2 Proclibs
 - **JDD** Job Allocated Data Sets (action on **DA** and other panels)
- Use the **SRCH** command to search the list using a member name pattern
 - **SRCH** *member_pattern* [**F** | **NF** | **ALL**]
 - Member name pattern can include standard * and % masking characters
 - Optionally restrict results by :
 - Data sets containing member (F)
 - Data sets not containing member (NF)

SDSF JOB DDNAMES RS22 RS22 04B3 PDSCOT LINE 14-31
COMMAND INPUT ==> srch isrp*
PREFIX=* DEST=(ALL) OWNER=PDSCOT SYSNAME=
NP TYPE Seq Status DataSetName

NP	TYPE	Seq	Status	DataSetName
SYSEXEC	1	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	2	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	3	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	4	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	5	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	6	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	7	OPEN		
SYSEXEC	8	OPEN		
ISPLLIB	1	OPEN		
ISPLLIB	2	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	1	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	2	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	3	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	4	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	5	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	6	OPEN		
ISPMLIB	7	OPEN		
ISPPLIB	1	OPEN		

Display Filter View Print Options Search

SDSF DATA SET SEARCH ISRP* ALL
COMMAND INPUT ==>
PREFIX=* DEST=(ALL) OWNER=PDSCOT SYSNAME=
NP DSNAM Seq Vo

Name	Prompt	Size	Created	Changed	ID
ISRP*		415	2016/12/15	2022/05/31 09:23:14	TS5582

Row 0000001 of 0000001
Command ==> scroll ==> PAGE

SRTE.LIBDEF.ISPMLIB
SRTE.LIBDEF.ISPPLIB.NEXT
PDSCOT.ISPPLIB
RSPLEX01.LIBDEF.ISPPLIB
RSRTE.LIBDEF.ISPPLIB
ROCKET.USER.SPFPLIB
ISP.SISPPENU
SYS1.SBPXPENU
DEV RTE.ASG.LSC.TOOLS.ISPPLIB
SYS1.SBLSPNL0
PDSCOT.ISPSLIB

MA 01A

S1/A 192.168.55.22

S22T0122 04/015

S22T0122 15/004



SLASH COMMAND

Slash Command

- Slash command tips:
 - End your command with trailing + to continue command using pop-up
 - Enter / with no text to recall last command using pop-up
 - Use the pop-up for mixed case command text
 - Use full screen mode to enable insert mode for command text
 - Categorize your slash commands using command groups

Slash Command Extension

```
_ Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> /This is an incomplete command+          SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP
  JOBNAME JobID  Owner  SAff  Prty Queue  C Pos  ASys Status
  TS5485   TSU05627 TS5485  R585   15 EXECUTION      R585
  BPXAS    STC05353 BPXAS   R586   15 EXECUTION      R586
  SYSLOG   STC05354 +MASTER+ R586   15 EXECUTION      R586
```

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                               LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> /THIS IS AN INCOMPLETE COMMAND+          SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP
  Edit Options Help
  -----
  System Command Extension
  ==> THIS IS AN INCOMPLETE COMMAND
  ==>
  Comment
  Group          Show * (F4 for list) More: +
  => RO R586,$D PROCLIB
  => V E000,CONSOLE
  => RO R586,C U=TS5485
  => RO R586,C U=TS4855
  => RO R586,C U=TS485
```

Command propagated to input area so it can be completed

Slash Command Groups

- Slash command pop-up allows you to:
 - Associate a command with a group
 - Associate a comment with a command
 - Display commands based on group pattern
 - Lists all groups
 - Save a command without issuing it
 - Delete a single command, group of commands, or all recent commands
 - View details about a command

Slash Command Groups

- To add a command to a group
 - Access slash command pop-up (/ with no operands)
 - Type command in input area
 - Enter a group name (any name provided by you)
 - Optionally enter a comment
 - Hit enter to issue the command or PF10 to save the command without issuing it
- Enter a show pattern to display commands by group in the recent list
 - Asterisk shows all commands
 - Up to 20 commands shown in recent list
 - Other than Asterisk will show the last 20 commands that match

Slash Command Groups

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> / SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP Edit Options Help
-----
System Command Extension
==> $dq
==>
Comment Display queue
Group JES2 Show JES2 (F4 for list)
=> $da
=>
=>
=>
=>
=>
=>
=>
=>
=>
F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
```

Command text

Group

Show pattern filters
recent list

Recent commands
matching show pattern

Save to list without issuing

Recalling Commands

- Commands are saved in recent list
 - Scroll to desired command
 - Put cursor under command
 - Hit enter to recall command to input area
- Command recalled along with group and comment
 - Comments are not shown in the recent list
 - Group not shown but listed based on show pattern

Recalling commands

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3MO      RSPLEX0G  RS86      LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==>> /      SCROLL ==>> HALF
PR
NP
  Edit Options Help
  -----
  System Command Extension

  ==>> F SDSF,D
  ==>> _____ STORELIMIT
  Comment Display SDSF status
  Group   SDSF          Show *          (F4 for list)
  => F SDSF,D
  => $DA
  => D M=CPU
  => V E000,CONSOLE
  => RO RS88,S SDSF
  => D U,UR,,,100
  => D U,UR,,,OFFLINE
  => R 8,CANCEL
  => d t
  => $da
  => D A
  => S WTOR

  F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
NC          Network connections      Network
```

Put cursor under command to be recalled and press enter

Tip: recent list does not show group or comment. Recall the command or press F6 for detail view

Tip: Use Group and Show to get a list of all the commands matching

Recalling commands

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0      RSPLEX0G  RS86      LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> /      SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP
  Edit Options Help
  -----
  System Command Extension
  ==> $DA
  ==>
  Comment Display JES active jobs
  Group JES2 Show * (F4 for list)
  More: +
  => F SDSF,D
  => $DA
  => D M=CPU
  => V E000,CONSOLE
  => RO RS88,S SDSF
  => D U,UR,,,100
  => D U,UR,,OFFLINE
  => R 8,CANCEL
  => d t
  => $da
  => D A
  => S WTOR
  F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
  -----
  NC      Network connections      Network
```

Command recalled

Removing Commands

- Commands are saved in recent list
- Last command issued is moved to the top
- You can remove a single command
 - Put cursor under command
 - Hit F11 to remove it from list

Removing Commands

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
SDSF MENU V2R3M0 RSPLEX0G RS86 LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> / SCROLL ==> HALF
PR NP
Edit Options Help
-----
System Command Extension
=====
Comment _____ STORELIMIT
Group JES2 Show * (F4 for list) More: +
=> F SDSF,D
=> $DA
=> D M=CPU
=> V E000,CONSOLE
=> RO RS88,S SDSF
=> D U,UR,,100
=> D U,UR,,OFFLINE
=> R 8,CANCEL
=> d t
=> $da
=> D A
=> S WTOR
F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
```

Put cursor under command to be removed and press F11

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
SDSF MENU V2R3M0 RSPLEX0G RS86 LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> / SCROLL ==> HALF
PR NP
Edit Options Help
-----
System Command Extension
=====
Comment _____ STORELIMIT
Group JES2 Show * (F4 for list) More: +
=> F SDSF,D
=> $DA
=> D M=CPU
=> V E000,CONSOLE
=> RO RS88,S SDSF
=> D U,UR,,OFFLINE
=> R 8,CANCEL
=> d t
=> $da
=> D A
=> S WTOR
=> panelid
Clear complete | ails F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
```

Command removed from recent list

Removing All Recent Commands

- Type the show pattern for the groups to be displayed
- Hit enter to display the recent commands
- Position cursor outside of the recent list
- Hit F11 (Clear)
- Select an option
 - Recent commands matching show pattern
 - All commands matching show pattern
 - Selected commands from list
- The confirmation shows the number of commands that will be processed

Removing All Recent Commands

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0 RSPLEX0G RS86 LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> / SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP
```

```
Edit Options Help
-----
System Command Extension

==> $DA
==> STORELIMIT
Comment Display JES active jobs
Group JES2 Show * (F4 for list) More: +

=> F SDSF,D
=> $DA
=> D M=CPU
=> V E000,CONSOLE
=> RO RS88,S SDSF
=> D U,UR,,,100
=> D U,UR,,,OFFLINE
=> R 8,CANCEL
=> d t
=> $da
=> D A
=> S WTOR

F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
```

```
NC Network connections Network
```

With cursor outside of recent list, press F11

Removing All Recent Commands

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0      RSPLEX0G  RS86      LINE 1-26 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> /      SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP  Edit Options Help
    -
    =      Select Clear Option
    =      Select an option to clear commands. The number of commands
    =      affected is shown in parentheses.
    C      — 1. Recent matching the value for Show (20)
    G      2. All matching the value for Show (29)
    3. From list...
    =
    =      F1=Help  F12=Cancel
    =
    => V E000,CONSOLE
    => RO RS88,S SDSF
    => D U,UR,,,100
    => D U,UR,,,OFFLINE
    => R 8,CANCEL
    => d t
    => $da
    => D A
    => S WTOR
    F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
NC      Network connections      Network
```

Select option for
commands to be removed

Using Full Screen Mode

- You can toggle the slash command pop-up between full screen and pop-up mode
- ISPF prevents insert mode from flowing to next line in pop-up mode
 - Due to attributes used to draw the pop-up frame
- Use full screen mode to enable insert mode in the text area
 - Toggle with F5
- Mode (pop-up or fullscreen) saved in ISPF profile

Using Full Screen Mode

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                LINE 1-26 (563)
COMMAND INPUT ==> /                          SCROLL ==> HALF
PR
NP
```

```
  Edit Options Help
  -----
  System Command Extension

  ==> $dq
  ==>
  Comment Display queue
  Group JES2 Show JES2 (F4 for list)
  => $da
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  =>
  F5=FullScr F6=Details F7=Up F8=Down F10=Save F11=Clear F12=Cancel
```

Toggle to full screen mode

Using Full Screen Mode

[illegible]

Single input area spanning two lines

Toggle to pop-up mode



BROWSE

Browse Tips

- Skip data sets (NEXT and PREV commands)
- Browse default (SET BROWSE command)

Browse Next and Prev

- Use NEXT and PREV commands to jump to next or previous data set
 - Alternative to scrolling
 - Positions to start of data set
- Tip: when browsing a job under JES2, use N 3 to position to first application data set
- Also **sn** and **s-n** action characters

Browse Next

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT DISPLAY TS5485   TSU05631  DSID    2 LINE 0          COLUMNS 02- 81
COMMAND INPUT ==> n 3          SCROLL ==> HALF
***** TOP OF DATA *****
J E S 2  J O B  L O G  --  S Y S T E M  R S 8 5  --  N

20.59.45 TSU05631 ---- THURSDAY, 15 FEB 2018 ----
20.59.45 TSU05631 $HASP373 TS5485   STARTED
1 //TS5485   JOB 'ACCT#',
  //          REGION=80000K
2 //ROCKPROC EXEC ROCKPROC
XX***** ROCKET COMMON ISPF LOGON PROCEDURE FOR ALL VM GUESTS *****
XX*****
XX* PLEASE DO NOT MAKE CHANGES TO THIS PROC. ALL ISPF CHANGES *****
XX* ARE NOW DONE USING LIBDEF SERVICES. IF YOU ARE UNCERTAIN HOW *****
XX* TO ACCOMPLISH THIS, PLEASE ASK FIRST. THANKS, BRUCE *****
XX*****
XX* 03/20/07 LWB ADD SYS1.SBPXEXEC TO SYSEXEC
XX* 07/28/05 BCW NEW VERSION OF SHARED ROCKPROC UTILIZING LIBDEF
XX*****
3 XXROCKPROC EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01,REGION=0M,DYNAMNBR=175,PARM='%LOGINIT'
```

Skip 3 data sets

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT DISPLAY TS5485   TSU05631  DSID    103 LINE 1        COLUMNS 02- 81
COMMAND INPUT ==>          SCROLL ==> HALF
Time          *** ISPF transaction log ***                               Us

20:59   Start of ISPF Log - - - - Session # 34 -----
20:59   TSO      - Command - - - - %@SDSF
***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****
```

Browse Next Action Character

```

  _ Display  Filter  View  Print  Options  Search  Help
-----
SDSF STATUS DISPLAY ALL CLASSES                                LINE 1-26 (564)
COMMAND INPUT ==>>                                           SCROLL ==>> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  JOBNAME  JobID  Owner  SAff  Prty  Queue  C Pos  ASys  Status
s4  TS5485   TSU05631 TS5485  RS85   15 EXECUTION  RS85
    BPXAS    STC05353 BPXAS  RS86   15 EXECUTION  RS86

```

Browse and skip 4 data sets

```

  _ Display  Filter  View  Print  Options  Search  Help
-----
SDSF OUTPUT DISPLAY TS5485   TSU05631  DSID   103 LINE 1      COLUMNS 02- 81
COMMAND INPUT ==>> -          *** ISPF transaction log ***    SCROLL ==>> HALF Us
Time
20:59 Start of ISPF Log - - - - Session # 34 -----
20:59 TSO - Command - - - %@SDSF
***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****

```

Browse Default

- Use browse default to invoke browse by placing cursor in NP area and hitting enter
 - Rather than typing S action character
- **SET BROWSE S | SB | SE | NONE**
 - Controls whether browse default is used and default action to be taken
- Use SET CURSOR to control cursor placement after an action
 - **SET CURSOR (ON|TOP|OFF|?)**
 - **ON** – keep cursor on last row you worked with
 - **TOP** – scroll table to last line you worked with and move cursor to command line
 - **OFF** – return cursor to command line

Change FINDLIM

- Findlim controls number of records searched using find command
 - Default is 5000 records
- Hit repeat find when findlim reached to continue
- Change limit with **findlim** command
- **findlim *number* | ?**
 - *number* is 1000 to 9999999
- **findlim 100000**
 - Searches 100000 recors before stopping

Operlog Color

- Control color and highlighting in operlog
- SET SCREEN command
- By default, messages are colorized in operlog as they were first issued
- You can change attributes based on descriptor code

```
Display  Filter  View  Print  Options  Search  Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0      RSPLEX
COMMAND INPUT ==>> SET SCR
PREFIX==**  DEST=(ALL) OWN
NP  NAME      Description
   DA      Active users
   I      Input Queue
   O      Output Queue
   H      Held output
   ST     Status of jo
   JG     Job groups
   SYM    System symbols

                                Set Screen Characteristics
                                Select the elements that you want to customize.
                                1. Basic settings and tabular panels
                                2. OPERLOG panel
                                F1=Help  F12=Cancel
                                System
```

Operlog Color

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0 RSPLEX | Set Screen Characteristics
COMMAND
PREFIX=
NP NA
DA
I
O
H
ST
JG
SY
LO 1 - System failure
SR 2 - Immediate action required
MA 3 - Eventual action required
JC 4 - System status
SE 5 - Immediate command response
RE 6 - Job status
EN 7 - Task-related
PS 8 - Out of line
SY 9 - Operator's request
EN 10 - Not defined
DY 11 - Critical eventual action
AS 12 - Important information
IN F1=Help F5=Refresh F6=Default F11=Cuaattr F12=Cancel

Set Screen Characteristics: OPERLOG Panel

Use color and highlighting 1 1. Yes 2. No More: +

Type values to override the original color and highlighting.
Press F5/17 to see changes.

Descriptor code Color Highlight Intensity
1 - System failure
2 - Immediate action required
3 - Eventual action required
4 - System status
5 - Immediate command response
6 - Job status
7 - Task-related RED
8 - Out of line
9 - Operator's request
10 - Not defined
11 - Critical eventual action
12 - Important information
```



SECTRACE

Security Trace (Sectrace)

- Traces all SAF calls made by SDSF
 - Messages written to ULOG or WTP
- Simplifies diagnosing authorization problems
 - Resource name, access level, and class

Using Sectrace

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0      RSPLEX0G RS85          LINE 1-26 (49)
COMMAND INPUT ==> set sectrace                SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  NAME      Description      Group      Status
   DA      Active users      Jobs
   I      Input Queue      Jobs
   O      Output Queue      Output
   H      Held output Queue  Output
   ST      Status of jobs    Jobs
   JG      Job groups       JES
   SYM     System symbols    System
```

Enable sectrace

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF MENU V2R3M0      RSPLEX0G RS85          LINE 1-26 (49)
COMMAND INPUT ==> st                SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=** DEST=(ALL) OWNER=* SYSNAME=*
NP  NAME      Description      Group      Status
   DA      Active users      Jobs
   I      Input Queue      Jobs
   O      Output Queue      Output
   H      Held output Queue  Output
```

Perform scenario (command, action, overtype, etc.)

Using Sectrace

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
-----
SDSF ULOG  CONSOLE TS5485                LINE 0          COLUMNS 44- 123
COMMAND INPUT ==>                        SCROLL ==> HALF
***** TOP OF DATA *****
ISF045W Unable to open table library ISFTABL, number of saved commands may be 1
ISF050I USER=TS5485 GROUP=ISFSPROG PROC=ROCKPROC TERMINAL=S85TCP04
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=READ CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFCMD.DSP.S
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=READ CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFCMD.DSP.S
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=UPDATE CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFATTR.JO
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=UPDATE CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFATTR.JO
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=UPDATE CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFATTR.JO
ISF051I SAF Access allowed SAFRC=0 ACCESS=READ CLASS=SDSF RESOURCE=ISFCMD.ODSP.
ISF031I CONSOLE TS5485 ACTIVATED
***** BOTTOM OF DATA *****
```

Results of access calls are added to ULOG

Early Sectrace

- Use WTP option to view sectrace messages during SDSF initialization
 - Useful when diagnosing group assignment problems
- Invoke SDSF using option S
 - **s.sectrace(wtp)**
- Add sectrace option to SDSF command (from option 6 or TSO ready)
 - **sdsf sectrace(wtp)**
- Enabling via the existence of special DDs
 - **alloc fi(isfsectw) dummy reus** – sectrace issued as WTP
 - **alloc fi(isfsectr) dummy reus** – sectrace written to ULOG



SDSF/REXX

- Have you used SDSF/REXX yet?
 - Simple way to access SDSF panel data using REXX
 - Automated tasks
 - Search job output for events
 - Verify result of test cases
 - One time tasks
 - Modify groups of jobs
 - Search syslog for specific messages
- Start with simple exec and build up
 - Address SDSF “isfexec st’
 - Address SDSF “isfact st token(*“token”*) parm(np d)”

SDSF/REXX Tips

- Generate REXX execs using RGEN
- Use nomodify option to suppress creation of row tokens
- Use stem notation for isfact to process multiple rows
- Use verbose option to debug execs
- Use isfquery() to query environment settings
- **REXXHELP** | **REXXH** command to display SDSF/REXX documentation
- **COLSHELP** | **COLSH** command to display column names valid for panel

RGEN Command

- Generate starter exec you can modify
- Select from a list of examples or generate exec based on current context
 - Generates all commands to navigate to the panel you are on
- Starter exec is generated in an ISPF temporary data set
 - Be sure to **copy** the exec to a permanent data set prior to editing !!
- Generated exec contains ISPF note lines for tips and hints
 - Notes are not saved to the data set being edited
 - Issue ISPF reset command to remove notes from the view

RGEN List of Examples

- Enter **rgen x** from any panel
 - Displays a pop-up with list of working SDSF/REXX examples
 - Select an example
- Copy the exec and modify as needed

RGEN List of Examples

```
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SDSF MENU V2R3M0 RSPLX06 RS86 LINE 1-25 (50)
COMMAND INPUT ==> rgen x SCROLL ==> HALF
PREFIX=* DEST=(ALL) OWNER= SORT=NAME/A SYSNAME=*
ACTION=S-Select
NP NAME Description Group Status
APF APF data sets System
AS Address space memory Jobs
CFC CF Connections Sysplex
CFS CF Structures Sysplex
CK Health checker System
CSR Common storage remaining Memory
DA Active users Jobs
DEV Device activity Devices
DYNX Dynamic exits System
ENC Enclaves WLM
ENQ Enqueues System
FS File systems OMVS
```

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REXX Examples Row 1 to 15 of 22
Command ==>
Sort by type (F5) or description (F6).
Type Description
- Action Cancel a job
- Action Cancel a set of jobs
- Action Invoke an EXEC with the % action character
- Action List action characters
- Action List job data sets
- Action Modify a value for a set of jobs
- Action Modify values for selected jobs (overtyp)
- Browse Browse a single data set with EXECIO
- Browse Browse a single data set with ISFBROWSE
- Browse Browse check output
- Browse Browse check output from check history
- Browse Browse check output with ISFBROWSE
- Browse Browse job output with EXECIO
- Browse Browse job output with ISFBROWSE
- Browse Browse job output with ISFBROWSE - groups of lines
```

RGEN List of Examples

```
SDSF EDIT      RGEN TS5485.RS86.SPFTEMP1.CNTL      Columns 00001 00072
Command ==>                                         Scroll ==> HALF
***** Top of Data *****
000001 /* REXX */
000002 Arg debug
000003
==MSG> Important: Copy this generated exec from temporary dataset
==MSG> TS5485.RS86.SPFTEMP1.CNTL
==MSG> and edit that copy to prevent your changes from being lost.
==MSG>
000004 /*****
000005 *
000006 * SDSF RGEN Generated Example:
000007 * Browse check output
000008 *
000009 * This exec was generated by the SDSF RGEN command on
000010 * Wednesday 2017/07/19 at 15:01:55.67.
000011 *
000012 * 5650-ZOS
000013 * SDSF level = z/OS 02.03.00 (HQX77B0)
000014 *
000015 * This sample uses function available since z/OS V1R9.
000016 *
=====
===== For more information and examples, use the SDSF REXXHELP
===== command. To search SDSF's help, use SEARCH search-string.
000017 *****/
000018
=NOTE= Tip: All SDSF/REXX execs must include the following statement:
000019 rc=isfcalls('ON')
```

RGEN generates a fully functional exec that you can modify

RGEN List of Examples

```
Address SDSF "ISFEXEC CK E (" verbose ")"  
lrc=rc
```

```
call msgrtn "ISFEXEC CK"  
if lrc<>0 then /* If request failed */  
  Exit 20
```

```
msgrtn: Procedure expose isfmsg isfmsg2.  
Arg req
```

```
/*-----*/  
/* Process numbered messages */  
/*-----*/  
Say "*** Numbered messages associated with" req "follow ..."
```

Tip: The isfmsg2. stem contains numbered messages
associated with the request and isfmsg2.0 contains
a count of the number of variables that follow.

```
do ix=1 to isfmsg2.0  
  Say isfmsg2.ix  
end
```

```
if isfmsg<>"" then /* If short message present */  
  do  
    Say "*** Short message associated with the request is:" isfmsg  
  end
```

```
return
```

Inspect isfmsg2 stem after
request

rgen generated
subroutine

RGEN List of Examples

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REXX Examples

Row 1 to 15 of 22

Command ==> _____

Sort by type (F5) or description (F6).

Type	Description
— Action	Cancel a job
— Action	Cancel a set of jobs
— Action	Invoke an EXEC with the % action character
— Action	List action characters
— Action	List job data sets
— Action	Modify a value for a set of jobs
— Action	Modify values for selected jobs (overtyp)
— Browse	Browse a single data set with EXECIO
— Browse	Browse a single data set with ISFBROWSE
— Browse	Browse check output
— Browse	Browse check output from check history
— Browse	Browse check output with ISFBROWSE
— Browse	Browse job output with EXECIO
— Browse	Browse job output with ISFBROWSE
— Browse	Browse job output with ISFBROWSE - groups of lines

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REXX Examples

Row 16 to 22 of 22

Command ==> _____

Sort by type (F5) or description (F6).

Type	Description
— Info	Issue the WHO comand
— Operlog	Work with the OPERLOG
— Print	Print to SYSOUT
— Syslog	Find a message in the SYSLOG
— Syslog	Work with the SYSLOG
— Tabular	Access a tabular panel and create column variables
— Tabular	Access a tabular panel and create SDSFROW variable

***** Bottom of data *****

Using NoModify Option

- Row tokens are generated by default
- Row token used to identify the row for a subsequent action
- Suppress generation when row will not be modified (i.e. no actions will be performed)
 - Improves performance
 - Reduces storage utilization
- **Address SDSF “isfexec st (nomodify”**
 - The **token.** stem will not be generated

Using Stem Notation for isfact

- Specifying isfact row token
 - Single row token
 - List of row tokens
 - Stem variable containing row tokens
- Stem variable useful when modifying multiple rows
 - Can be done in a single request
- Pair with isfexec
 - isfexec creates the token stem
 - **isfact token((token.))**
 - Note double parenthesis to show the variable is a stem

Using Verbose Option

- Add verbose option to list all SDSF special variables read or set
- Messages returned in the isfmsg2 stem
 - May cause many messages to be issued
- Helpful when you expect data to be returned in a variable but not found
 - Common problem when changing stem prefix
- **Address SDSF “isfexec st (verbose”**
- Enables verbose and sectrace via special DD
 - Does SAY for isfmsg2 and the WHO command
 - **alloc fi(isfrxdbg) dummy reus or //ISFRXDBG DD DUMMY**

Using Verbose Option

```
Address SDSF "ISFEXEC ST ( VERBOSE"
```

```
isfmsg2.56 is: ISF147I REXX variable SDSFFILTER fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.57 is: ISF147I REXX variable ISFFILTER fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.58 is: ISF147I REXX variable SDSFFILTERMODE fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.59 is: ISF147I REXX variable ISFFILTERMODE fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.60 is: ISF147I REXX variable SDSFSORT fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.61 is: ISF147I REXX variable ISFSORT fetched, return code 00000001 value is ''.  
isfmsg2.62 is: ISF146I REXX variable JNAME.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'TS5485R'.  
isfmsg2.63 is: ISF146I REXX variable TOKEN.1 set, return code 00000001 value is '6ysXMjwso5KjYfXxfPVBQnt19eXA9W1A'.  
isfmsg2.64 is: ISF146I REXX variable ROWACTIVE.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'Y'.  
isfmsg2.65 is: ISF146I REXX variable JOBID.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'JOB07582'.  
isfmsg2.66 is: ISF146I REXX variable OWNERID.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'TS5485'.  
isfmsg2.67 is: ISF146I REXX variable JPRI0.1 set, return code 00000001 value is '9'.  
isfmsg2.68 is: ISF146I REXX variable QUEUE.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'EXECUTION'.  
isfmsg2.69 is: ISF146I REXX variable JCLASS.1 set, return code 00000001 value is 'A'.
```



WHAT'S NEW?

What's New Help

```
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-----
SDSF MENU 3.1      MCLXCF01  AQFT
COMMAND INPUT ==>
NP  NAME      Description      Group
  DA      Active users      Jobs
  I       Input queue        Jobs
  ST      Status of jobs      Jobs
  JG      Job groups          JES
  MOS     Members in the MOS   JES

1 _1. Help contents...
   2. What's new...
   3. Web sites...
   4. REXX...
   5. Panels...
   6. About...
CSR
```

```
Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
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SDSF HELP  AQFT      SECTION MAIN                      LINE 1-56 (174)
COMMAND INPUT ==>                                SCROLL ==> CSR
NP  Help-Text
s _ What's new in z/OS SDSF Version 3 Release 1
    Enhancements in previous releases
    SDSF Panels
    SDSF messages and codes
    Troubleshooting SDSF
```

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Display Filter View Print Options Search Help
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SDSF HELP  AQFT      SECTION NEWIN31                   LINE 1-56 (297)
COMMAND INPUT ==> _                                SCROLL ==> CSR
NP  Help-Text
    Summary of changes for SDSF 3.1

    Changes made for SDSF 3.1 as updated .

    Summary of changes as updated

    New:
      o New panels
        - System information panels
          o The Coupling Facilities panel (CF) displays information about all
            of the coupling facilities that are defined in the sysplex.
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