z/OS 3.2 IBM Education Assistant

Solution Name: EQDIO support for Network Express

Solution Element(s): z/OS Communications Server

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Objectives

- z/OS 3.2 Communications Server has provided support for the Network Express feature available on IBM z17
 - The Network Express feature combines the functionality of both the OSA-Express and RoCE Express features
 - Can be viewed as the next generation "OSA" and "RoCE" adapter

Overview

• Who

- Infrastructure Architects
- z/OS System Administrators

What

• IBM z17 has undergone a transformation with an entirely new System I/O hardware and architecture model for both storage and networking. IBM z17 offers I/O capability that is integrated directly within the Z processor complex. The new system design moves processor and memory closer to I/O capability transforming I/O operations allowing Z workloads to grow and scale to meet the growing transactional needs of current and future workloads.

• Wow

- IBM Z customers will benefit from the increased I/O capacity, scale and density of the Network Express feature.
- Network Express allows RoCE and OSA networking features to converge into a single network feature reducing Z customers' cost for physical networking resources (Z drawer I/O slots, adapters, ports, cables, switch ports).
- Network Express has been updated to support Enhanced QDIO (EQDIO) architecture allowing the
 updated z/OS CommServer software to interact with the Network Express hardware using optimized
 operations required to meet the demand of the continuously growing I/O rates.
- EQDIO builds the foundation for the introduction of advanced Ethernet and networking capabilities for the future of IBM Z.

Overview – IBM Z I/O subsystem transformation

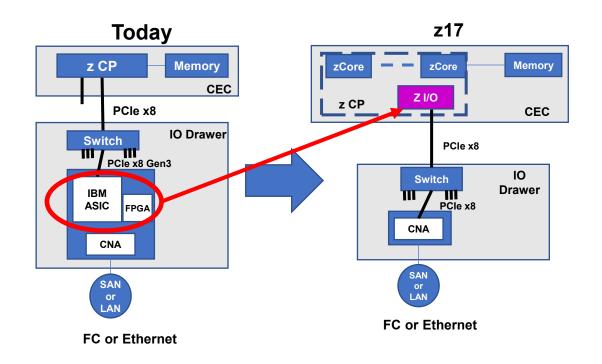
I/O Infrastructure Transformation

The I/O subsystem of IBM Z is built on a solid architectural basis that has provided a long and rich history of I/O (storage and networking) function, throughput and bandwidth improvements, while maintaining application backward-compatibility

The current I/O infrastructure is constrained in terms of being able to deliver
- improved latency,
- additional bandwidth capability, and
- enhanced functionality

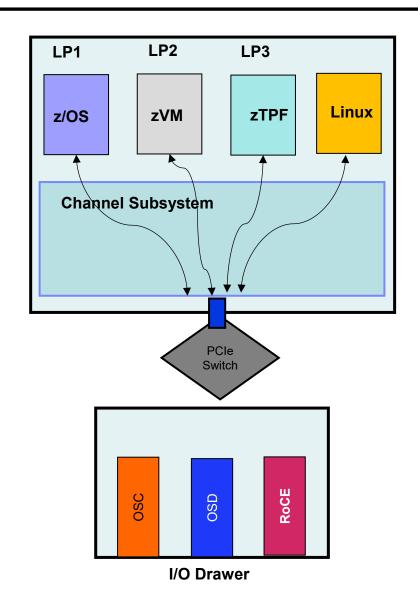
without changes to the current physical packaging and (in the case of networking) architecture

Incorporate the I/O functionality as a unit onto the z CP chip



Overview – Ethernet on Z Today

- Z currently has multiple unique functions that ultimately result in some protocol flowing over an Ethernet link
- Each requires a unique channel type and a unique networking adapter
 - OSD general TCP/IP, UDP, etc.
 - OSC console controller functionality
 - RoCE RDMA capability, used in SMC-R
- When you consider redundancy requirements and your required bandwidth for each protocol for all LPs, the current system networking design can require many:
 - I/O card slots
 - switch cables
 - switch ports



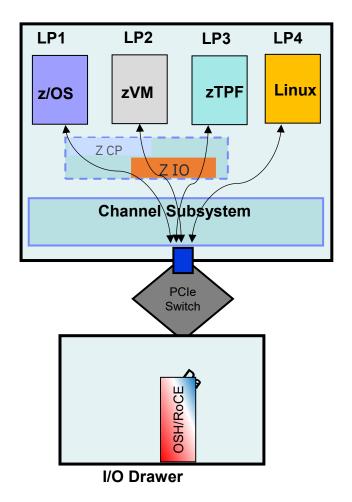
Overview – Converged Multi-Function Network Adapter

- Provides Converged support for multiple networking protocols – provides ability to run existing functions on single physical "appliance"
 - OSH New Enhanced QDIO protocol capability
 - NETH RoCE, RDMA, SMC-R & TCP/IP capabilities
- Characteristics
 - Multi-function networking adapter has 2 Ports per I/O Slot
 - Support for 10GbE and 25GbE
 - Each port on card is a unique CHPID (1 PCHID: 1 Port relationship)
 - Multiple protocols can share the same physical port
 - Each port can be configured to provide a single function or combination of functions
 - LPAR to LPAR traffic supported through the adapter

Note 1. 10 and 25GbE SR and LR optics are planned

Note 2. OSD (QDIO) will continue to be supported on prior generation adapters.

Note 3. Note Linux will access the adapter directly using native PCI FID.



Overview - Enhanced QDIO (EQDIO) Architecture

Enhanced QDIO (EQDIO) architecture is introduced to allow software to interoperate with the OSA firmware and Network Express adapter. There are 3 significant system changes for networking:

Software:

z/OS CS support for Network Express "OSA". The EQDIO device driver has many similarities to QDIO.

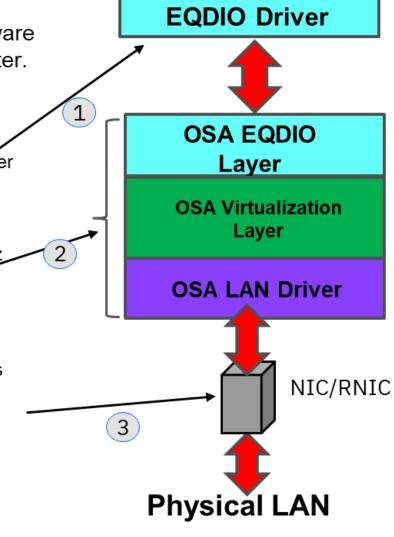
OSA firmware/zCP:

The OSA firmware has been updated to support OSH, EQDIO and the z processor. The OSA firmware's execution environment is has moved an ASIC to the zCP processor core.

Adapter Hardware:

The physical NIC / RNIC hardware adapter is new, the Network Express feature.

Note 1. There are minimal z/OS CS software changes above the stack IF layer.

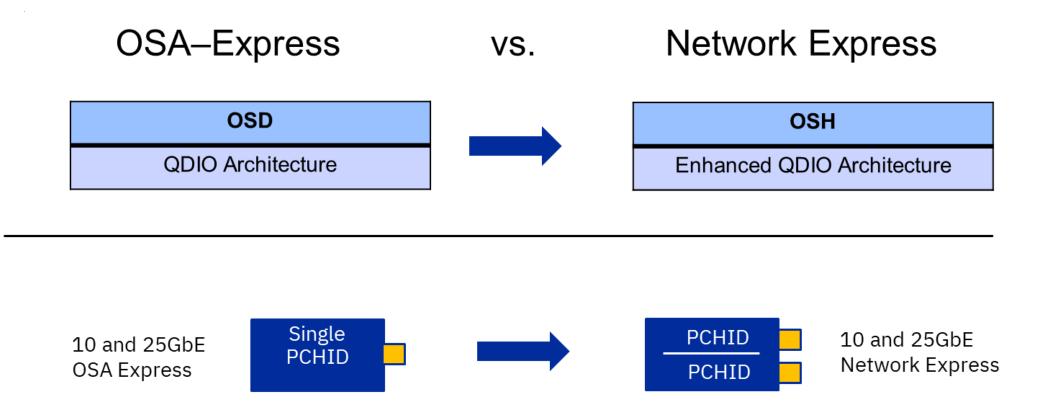


z/OS CommServer

OVECVIEW — z17 and z/OS Networking Key Concepts and Terminology

- 1. New z17 "OSA" network feature name is the "Network Express".
- 2. Each PCHID / port supports "two personalities" for both:
 - OSA for standard Ethernet (via EQDIO) defined as an OSH CHPID defined with channel devices and
 - RoCE for RDMA for SMC-R (via native PCI architecture) defined with FIDs using a new FID Type NETH. NETH supports
 native PCI functions such as RoCE or standard Ethernet used by Linux.
- 3. EQDIO architecture:
 - Does not use MPC architecture. Each OSA interface is defined with a single OSH device number. Control read/write devices are replaced with control queues.
 - The z/OS user defined VTAM TRLE is eliminated! A dynamic TRLE is created for each EQENET INTERFACE.
 - Is layer 2 only (with IP assists/offloads), QDIO headers are eliminated, fully formed IEEE frames flow.
 - Default MTU is 9000 (jumbo). All OSH ports are optical.

Overview: OSA-Express vs. Network Express



No physical 'port' parameter definition required anywhere... in channel (or software) definition (one PCHID / CHPID per port).

Both PCHIDs on a Network Express must be the same type (can't mix ports with different speed or optics)

Each physical port (adapter) supports both Ethernet (z/OS uses EQDIO) and RoCE (native PCI) capabilities.

Overview – RoCE Express vs. Network Express

RoCE Express

VS.

Network Express

FID type ROC2



FID type **NETH**

RoCE-Express FIDs are defined as ROC2.

All the FIDs and VFs are defined on a PCHID and Port basis.

Any OSA IPAQENET INTERFACE can use any valid ROC2 FID (same PNET).

Network Express RoCE PFIDs are defined as NETH. Management of RoCE PFIDs in Resource Groups is eliminated (PF is now within OSA firmware).



No more 'port' parameter required (defined) anywhere; in I/O configure or OS software definition.

z/OS CS SMC-R config is unchanged, but z/OS only supports NETH for OSH, EQENET (when converged with OSH)¹.

Note 1. See later chart on z/OS RoCE supported configurations.

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (1)

OSH and NETH IOCDS Examples

```
FUNCTION PCHID=100,FID=(2000,3),PART=((LP1),(LP3)),TYPE=NETH,VF=1
FUNCTION PCHID=100,FID=(2100,2),PART=LP2,TYPE=NETH,VF=8
FUNCTION PCHID=100,FID=2200,PART=LP2,TYPE=NETH,VF=40,FIDPARM=01
CHPID PCHID=100,TYPE=OSH,PART=(LP1,LP2,LP3),PATH=80,SHARED
CHPID PCHID=101,TYPE=OSH,PART=(LP5,LP6),PATH=85,SHARED
```

- FIDs 2000-2002 with VFs 1-3 are defined on a new VCHID¹ as type NETH. They are assigned to partition LP1 and can be reconfigured to LP3. FID 2000 also defines PCHID 100 as a Hybrid PCHID. So FID 2000 defines PCHID 100 and a VCHID. The VCHID points back to PCHID 100. All FIDs point to the VCHID.
- FIDs 2100-2101 with VFs 8-9 are also defined for PCHID 100 and the same VCHID as above with type NETH. They are assigned to partition LP2 and can be reconfigured to any partition in the system. The FIDs point to the VCHID created with FID 2000.
- FID 2200 with VF 40 is also defined for PCHID 100 and the same VCHID as above with type NETH. It is assigned to LP2 and can be reconfigured to any partition in the system. The VF permits the exploitation of Promiscuous Mode by the operating system. FIDPARM=01 allows the FID(s) on that statement to use promiscuous mode but the operating system has to turn it on. If the FIDPARM value is 00 or not specified, then promiscuous mode is not allowed, and the OS can not turn it on. The 01 value is a permission setting.
- CHPID 80 (ignoring CSS for this discussion) defines a VCHID as type OSH. The CHPID is shared by partitions LP1, LP2, and LP3 and can be configured to any partition in the same CSS. The VCHID points to Hybrid PCHID 100.
- CHPID 85 (ignoring CSS for this discussion) defines a VCHID as type OSH. The CHPID is shared by partitions LP5 and LP6 and can be configured to any partition in the CSS. The CHPID also defines PCHID 101 as a Hybrid PCHID. The VCHID points back to Hybrid PCHID 101.

Note 1. OSH / NETH VCHIDs are an internal construct used internally to represent one of two "personalities" OSA or RoCE.

Note 2. The z/OS requirement for PNETID for OSA or RoCE (SMC-R or HSCI) has not changed. See supported RoCE configurations on chart 38.

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (2)

Network Express and FID Types – Linux Considerations

- Linux will not exploit EQDIO (OSH)¹
- 2. Instead... Linux will use Network Express for both standard Ethernet and RoCE (SMC-R) using existing native PCI support (using a new FID type)
- Network Express will support two new FID types:
 - 1. NETH "Network Express Hybrid mode" used for VFs defined for Network Express adapters in "Hybrid mode" where the FIDs/VFs are managed by OSA firmware.

 NETH is the z/OS use case (OSH channel device used for OSA and NETH FID used for RoCE) and the standard Linux use case.
 - NETD "Network Express Direct mode" used for VFs defined for Network Express adapters in
 "Direct PF access mode", where the FIDs/VFs are managed by system software.
 This is the special Linux use case, such as cloud (NETD FIDs used for both native Ethernet and RoCE). This is a Post-GA z17 deliverable.

Note 1. Linux can exploit OSH as a z/VM guest with z/VM OSD simulated device support (OSH supported as OSD)

Usage & Invocation − 1/0 Configuration (3)

Converging OSA & RoCE

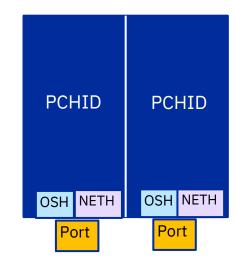
A single port on the new adapter can simultaneously have two 'personalities':

- OSH using Enhanced QDIO for OSA (Ethernet)
- NETH using native PCI for RoCE (SMC-R)

Each 'personality' is backed by a corresponding entity (OSH Channel or NETH PFID)

Each entity can be independently managed (configured/deconfigured), affecting the underlying components of that entity (CHPIDs or FIDs)¹

Service action on the physical card/port will require both entities defined on that card/port to be varied offline



Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (4)

HCD Add Channel Path - OSH

```
Add Channel Path -
Specify or revise the following values.
Processor ID . . . : METIS
Configuration mode . : LPAR
Channel Subsystem ID : 0
Channel path ID . . . . 01 + Channel ID 120 +
Number of CHPIDs . . . . 1
Channel path type . . . OSH
Operation mode . . . . SHR +
Managed . . . . . . No (Yes or No) I/O Cluster +
Description . . . . . ___
Specify the following values only if connected to a switch:
Dynamic entry switch ID __ + (00 - FF)
Entry switch ID . . . . _ +
Entry port . . . . . . _ +
F1=Help
           F2=Split F3=Exit
                               F4=Prompt F5=Reset
                                                      F9=Swap
F12=Cancel
```

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (5)

HCD Add PCIe Function - NETH

```
Add PCIe Function
Specify or revise the following values.
Processor ID . . . . . : METIS
Type . . . . . . . . . . . . NETH
Channel ID . . . . . . . . . . 120 +
Port . . . . . . . . . . . . 1
Virtual Function ID . . . . 1_ +
                                   Physical Function (Y/N)
Number of virtual functions 1
UID . . . . . . . . . . . . . . _
Description . . . . . . . .
F1=Help
           F2=Split
                      F3=Exit
                                F4=Prompt
                                           F5=Reset
                                                      F9=Swap
F12=Cancel
```

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (6)

CHPID Mapping Tool

Maps the I/O ports of your hardware to the CHPID definitions in your IOCP source statements

- Helps to avoid connecting critical paths to single-points-of-failure

Has been enhanced to provide guidance for your configuration

- Will utilize current PNETID definitions to recommend ports to be converged
- Will recommend PCHID replacement values based on SPOF consideration for ordered/plugged configuration

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (7)

z/OS (IOS) OSH device online/offline status

There are no z/OS (i.e. online/offline) **operational** changes for using OSH devices:

- 1. Prior to starting an EQDIO INTERFACE in TCP/IP the device(s) must be defined to the z/OS LPAR.
- 2. If there are no OSH devices defined, then the TCP/IP start will fail.
- 3. If there are no OSH devices available (defined but all are allocated), then the TCP/IP start of the OSH interface will fail.
- 4. If there are OSH devices defined but offline, then the start process will wait for a device to come online (supporting dynamic ENF)
- 5. Sample z/OS displays of unavailable and offline OSH devices follows (next charts). . .

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (8)

```
CHPID Type 35 = OSH
08.57.47
         D M=CHP(09)
08.57.47
         IEE174I 08
                      47
                          DISPLAY M 867
CHPID 09: TYPE=35, DESC OSA HYBRID,
                                    ONLINE
                                                OSH CHPID
DEVICE STATUS FOR CHANNEL PATH
                                                description has been
                                                updated.
2B7 +
SWITCH DEVICE NUMBER = NONE
******
                        SYMBOL EXPLANATIONS
*******
           @ PATH NOT VALIDATED
                                                . DOES NOT
+ ONLINE
                                  - OFFLINE
EXIST
 PHYSICALLY ONLINE $ PATH NOT OPERATIONAL
```

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (9)

Example 1: OSH activation fails when no OSH devices defined to LPAR

```
10.04.43 V TCPIP,TCPCS3,START,EQDIO4103L
```

- 10.04.43 EZZ0060I PROCESSING COMMAND: VARY TCPIP,TCPCS3,START,EQDIO4103L
- 10.04.43 EZZ0053I COMMAND VARY START COMPLETED SUCCESSFULLY
- 10.04.43 EZZ4336I ERROR DURING ACTIVATION OF INTERFACE EQDIO4103L CODE 10103030 DIAGNOSTIC CODE 02
- 10.04.43 EZD2028I INTERFACE EQDIO4103L ACTIVATION FAILED AN INCORRECT CHANNEL UNIT ADDRESS IS SPECIFIED

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (10)

Example 2: Start OSH INTERFACE with OSH device offline (Part 1)

V TCPIP,TCPCS3,START,EQDIO4103L

EZZ0060I PROCESSING COMMAND: VARY TCPIP,TCPCS3,START,EQDIO4103L EZZ0053I COMMAND VARY START COMPLETED SUCCESSFULLY IST1631I IUTE2B70 SUBCHANNEL 2B70 OFFLINE

D NET, ID=ISTTRL, E

IST097I DISPLAY ACCEPTED

IST075I NAME = ISTTRL, TYPE = TRL MAJOR NODE 061

IST1314I TRLE = IUTE2B70 STATUS = ACTIV CONTROL = MPC

IST1314I TRLE = IUTIQDIO STATUS = NEVAC CONTROL = MPC

IST1314I TRLE = IUTSAMEH STATUS = ACTIV CONTROL = MPC

IST314I END

Usage & Invocation — 1/0 Configuration (11)

Example 2: Start OSH INTERFACE with OSH device offline (Part 2)

```
D NET,TRL,TRLE=IUTE2B70
IST097I DISPLAY ACCEPTED
IST075I NAME = IUTE2B70, TYPE = TRLE 082
IST1954I TRL MAJOR NODE = ISTTRL
IST486I STATUS= ACTIV, DESIRED STATE= ACTIV
IST087I TYPE = *NA*
                       , CONTROL = MPC , HPDT = *NA*
IST1715I MPCLEVEL = EQDIO MPCUSAGE = EXCLUSIVE
IST1221I EQDIO DEV = 2B70 STATUS = RESET STATE = OFFLINE
IST2310I ACCELERATED ROUTING DISABLED
                                             DEVNUM: 2B70
                                             ACTDEVNUM: N/A
D TCPIP,TCPCS3,N,DEV,INTFN=EQDIO4103L
EZD01011 NETSTAT CS 3.2 TCPCS3 125
INTFNAME: FODIO4103L INTESTATUS: NOT ACTIVE
 DEVNUM: 2B70 ACTDEVNUM: N/A DEVSTATUS: STARTING
 CHPIDTYPE: OSH CHPID: N/A
                               PCHID: N/A
V 2b70,ONLINE
IEE302I 2B70 ONLINE
EZZ4340I INITIALIZATION COMPLETE FOR INTERFACE EQDIO4103L
```

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (12)

z/OS (IOS) NETH PCI device online/offline status

There are no z/OS (i.e. online/offline) **operational** changes for using native PCI devices:

- 1. RoCE (NETH) interfaces that are defined with PFID and SMCRIPADDR (SMC-Rv2) are dynamically started with the start of the OSH interface
- 2. If the PFID is not available (offline) when the interface is started, then the RoCE interface will not be started. If the PFID subsequently becomes available (after the OSH interface was started) then the dynamically defined interface (EZARIUTxyyyy) must be manually started (no change).
- 3. Sample z/OS PCI display (next chart):

Usage & Invocation — I/O Configuration (13)

Display PCIE

09.38.57 IQP022I 09.38.57 DISPLAY PCIE 767

09.38.57 d pcie

```
PCIE
        0010 ACTIVE
PFID
         DEVICE TYPE NAME
                                   STATUS ASID
                                                JOBNAME
                                                          CHID VFN
00000501 Network Express
                                                          02FC 0001 1
                                   CNFG
00000502 Network Express
                                  CNFG
                                                          02FC 0002 1
09.58.32 d pcie,pfid=501
09.58.32 IQP024I 09.58.32 DISPLAY PCIE 776
PCIE
        0010 ACTIVE
PFID
         DEVICE TYPE NAME
                                  STATUS ASID
                                                         CHID VFN
                                                 JOBNAME
00000501 Network Express
                                                          02FC 0001 1
                                   CNFG
CLIENT ASIDS: NONE
PNetID 1: ZOSNET
```

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (1)

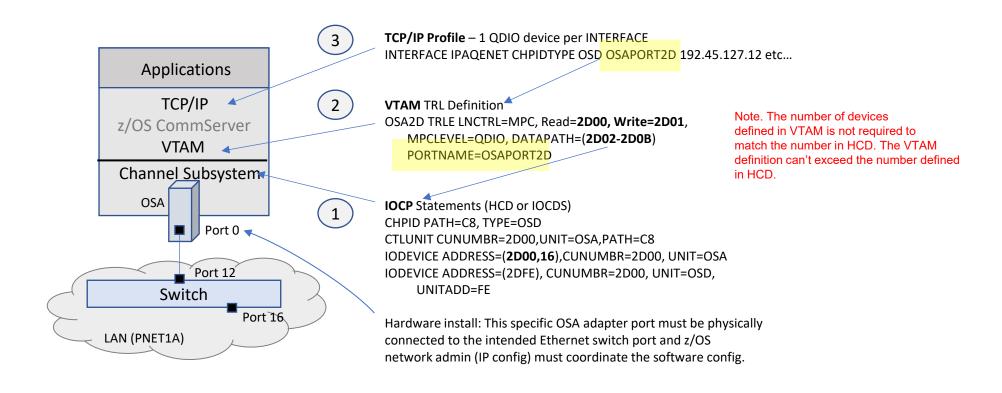
New: z/OS TCP/IP OSH Ethernet Configuration

Туре	Configuration
OSD (QDIO)	IPAQENET/6 INTERFACE (OSD)
OSH (EQDIO)	EQENET/6 INTERFACE (OSH)
RoCEv2	PFID parameter ² of OSD or OSH INTERFACE (dynamically creates RoCE Interface)

z/OS TCP/IP adds a new EQENET/6 INTERFACE statement for OSH in a simplified form.

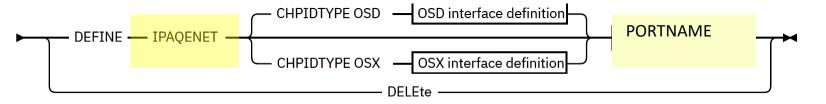
Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (2)

Review: z/OS CommServer OSA (OSD) Configuration



Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (3)

Review: Current z/OS TCPIP QDIO IPAQENET INTERFACE statement for OSD



+ a very long and complex list of additional sub-parameters ...

IPAQENET defines the type of **INTERFACE** (IPA via **QDIO** access to Ethernet)

PORTNAME points to a static (user defined) VTAM definition (TRLE) which is where the user defines a group of OSD subchannel devices (i.e. the MPC Group, could be as few as 3 or up to 16 devices).

The VTAM TRLE defines devices and port number. The devices in the VTAM TRLE are:

- Also defined in HCD (TRLE must match HCD)
- associated with an OSD CHPID, which in turn is associated with a OSA Express PCHID (physical adapter and port)
- shared / used by all INTERFACE statements by all stacks in this z/OS instance using this OSA adapter and port
- arbitrarily assigned to each stack during start device processing (i.e. a specific device number is not relevant)

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (4)

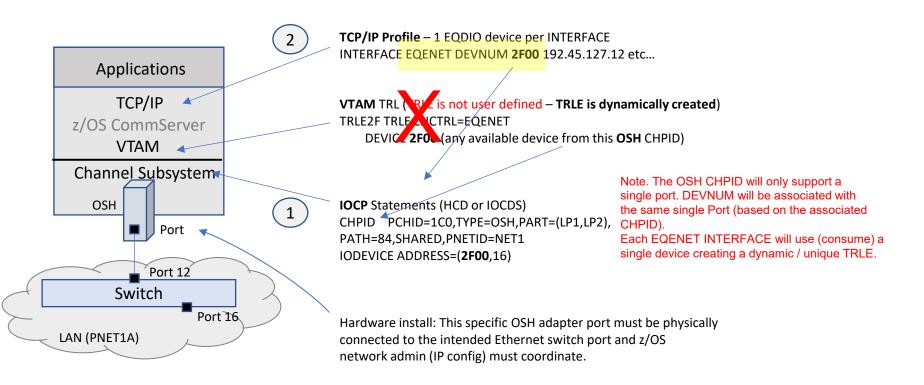
z/OS TCP/IP EQENET (OSH) INTERFACE Simplification

- 1. Eliminate the VTAM user defined TRLE (eliminates the PORTNAME parameter).

 The new TRLE will be dynamically created. A separate TRLE is created for each EQENET INTERFACE that is started. Note that the dynamic TRLE design is similar to HS, ISM and RoCE.
- 2. Simplify the new TCP/IP EQENET (OSH) INTERFACE statement:
 - 1. Replace **PORTNAME** parameter with **DEVNUM** parameter DEVNUM defines a single OSH subchannel device.
 - Note. DEVNUM value **can be any device number** associated with a specific OSH CHPID (e.g. For consistency, configure the first device number in the defined range, such as 2F00, for all INTERFACE statements for a given CHPID and the first available device will be used).
 - 2. Many legacy OSD IPAQENET INTERFACE statement parameters (not related to the IP configuration) have been eliminated (replacement, integrated into the base design, smarter defaults etc.)

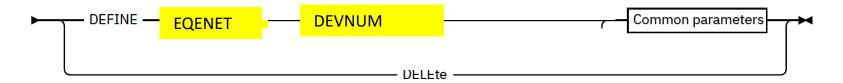
Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (5)

z/OS CommServer EQENET (OSH) Configuration



Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (6)

New: z/OS TCP/IP EQENET INTERFACE statement for OSH



+ a shorter / simpler list of additional sub-parameters ...

Replace INTERFACE type and PORTNAME with the following:

- 1. Add a new INTERFACE Type EQENET (Enhanced QDIO Ethernet) for OSH CHPID
- 2. Add **DEVNUM** (replaces **PORTNAME): Device Number** defines an EQDIO device for an OSH CHPID. Note. Device number provides a reference to the OSH CHPID where the first available (any) device will be used (the actual device number used under the CHPID is arbitrary).

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (7)

EQENET Interface Parameter Changes for OSH

Obsolete Parameters:

- 1. CHPIDTYPE
- 2. OLM
- 3. PRIROUTER/SECROUTER/NONROUTER
- 4. DYNVI ANREG
- 5. READSTORAGE (eliminated, dynamically managed)
- 6. INBPERF (eliminated, internal capability is DYNAMIC with IWQ)

Replaced / Refactored Parameters:

- 1.VMAC (now required)
- 2. subnet mask (now required for IPv4²)
- 3. PORTNAME (replaced with DEVNUM)

Note: Prefix length can be optionally specified for IPv6. If specified, prefix length should be set to 64.

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (8)

Remaining EQENET Interface Parameters for OSH

New OSH Parameters: Existing / Remaining OSH Parameters:

- 1. TYPE (EQENET)
- 2. DEVNUM (nnnn)

- 1. IPADDR/NUM MASK BITS (mask is required)
- 2. VLANID
- 3. SECCLASS
- 4. MONSYSPLEX
- 5. ISOLATE
- 6. SOURCEVIPAINTERFACE
- 7. TEMPIP
- 8. MTU
- 9. SMCR (with sub-parameters...)
- 10. SMCD etc. (see following charts)

Note. SEGMENTATIONOFFLOAD, CHECKSUMOFFLOAD, AUTOIQDC (HSCI) and QDIOACCELERATOR are stack wide parameters which control both QDIO and EQDIO (no changes)

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (9)

DEVNUM Design and Usage Rules

- Device number (DEVNUM) allows a specific **OSH CHPID** to be identified where **any available** (arbitrary) **device** (under the specific OSH CHPID) can be selected and used.
- The **configured device and the actual device** selected for the INTERFACE are not always the same (OSH NetStat displays both the configured and actual device)
- Reminder, port number is NOT configured anywhere (HCD or the OS) one Port per PCHID / CHPID
- Multiple OSH INTERFACEs for the same CHPID:

 If multiple INTERFACEs are configured for the same OSH CHPID on a per stack basis, then each INTERFACE must conform to the following rules¹:
 - The configured DEVNUM value must be the same
 - A unique VLAN ID for each INTERFACE is required
 - VMAC with Route ALL setting is required (VMAC is always required for OSH)
 - Maximum number of interfaces supported per IP protocol is 32

Note 1. The OSH multiple interface rules are identical to OSD (devnum replaces portname)

Usage & Invocation — Auto-Migration (1)

z/OS OSH (EQENET) Auto-Migration Capability

- z/OS CommServer provides a migration capability called "OSH Auto-Migration".
 This function allows a user to continue using their existing IPAQENET INTERFACE definition. It automatically adapts (migrates) an existing IPAQENET OSD INTERFACE definition to EQENET OSH INTERFACE definition.
- To use the Auto-Migrate function on an existing IPAQENET INTERFACE users must:
 - 1. add one new OSH parameter, **DEVNUM** (nnnn) to their existing IPAQENET INTERFACE statement and
 - Configure subnet mask (required for OSH and can't be generated by software)
- Auto-migrate will then function as follows:
 - 1. When z/OS is executing on pre-z17 CPC: Use **PORTNAME** (DEVNUM is ignored) to activate an OSD CHPID
 - 2. When z/OS is executing on z17 CPC: Use **DEVNUM** (PORTNAME is ignored) to activate an OSH CHPID. "Auto-migrate" adapts your existing IPAQENET INTERFACE to EQENET INTERFACE (OSH)
 - Note 1. Auto Migrate converts or ignores existing OSD INTERFACE parameters based on new OSH INTERFACE applicability, syntax and rules (e.g. VMAC always applies etc.). See INTERFACE parameters side by side comparison table.
 - Note 2. z/OS CommServer Network Configuration Assistant (NCA) support will be provided for EQENET and DEVNUM on IPAQENET.

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (10)

Sample INTERFACE statements: EQENET IPv4 and IPAQENET IPv4 with DEVNUM

```
**********************
 IPV4 INTERFACE DEFINITIONS
 ************************
INTERFACE 04ETHA2 DEFINE EQENET; Enhanced QDIO (Ethernet) OSH
 DEVNUM 2B70
 IPADDR 16.12.37.160/20
 VLANID 702
 VMAC
 MTU 1500
 SMCR PFID 3140 SMCRIPADDR 16.12.37.165
INTERFACE 04ETHA2 DEFINE IPAQENET; Enhanced QDIO Migration OSH
 DEVNUM 2B70
 PORTNAME PORTQDIO
 IPADDR 16.12.37.160/20
 VLANID 702
 VMAC
 MTU 1500
 READSTORAGE GLOBAL
 INBPERF DYNAMIC WORKLOADQ
 SMCR PFID 3140 SMCRIPADDR 16.12.37.165
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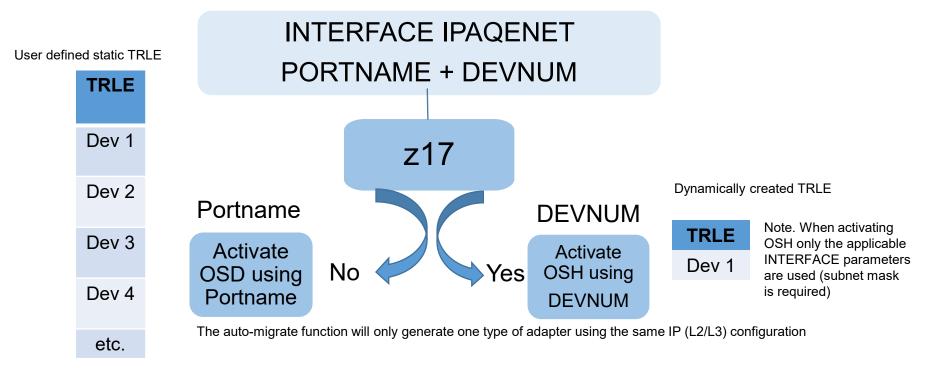
Sample INTERFACE statements: EQENET IPv6 and IPAQENET IPv6 with DEVNUM

```
************************
 IPV6 INTERFACE DEFINITIONS
 ***********************
INTERFACE V604ETHA2 DEFINE EQENET6 ; Enhanced QDIO (Ethernet) OSH
 DEVNUM 2B70
 INTFID 0:16:207:3
 IPADDR 2001:0DB8:172::16:207:3
 VLANID 601
 VMAC
 MTU 9000
INTERFACE V604ETHA2 DEFINE IPAQENET6 ; Enhanced QDIO Migration OSH
 DEVNUM 2B70
 PORTNAME PORTQDIO
 INTFID 0:16:207:3
 IPADDR 2001:0DB8:172::16:207:3
 VLANID 601
 VMAC
 MTU 9000
 READSTORAGE GLOBAL
 INBPERF DYNAMIC WORKLOADQ
```

Usage & Invocation — Auto-Migration (2)

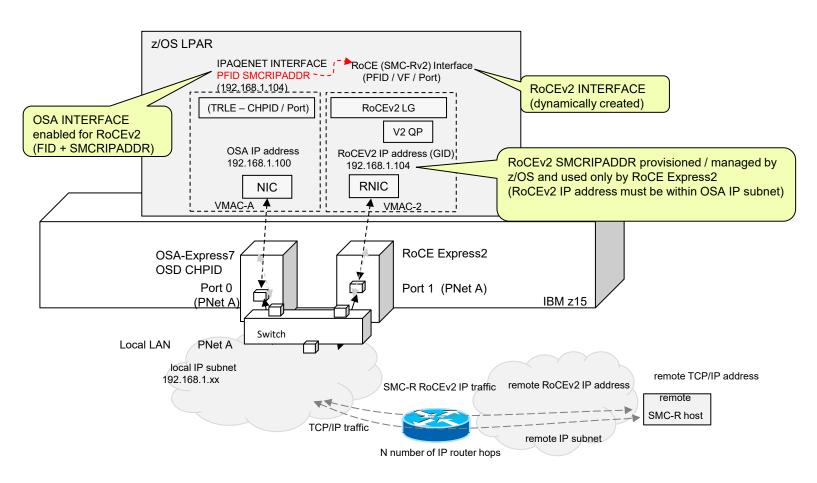
z/OS OSH Auto-Migrate Concepts

OSD IPAQENET Interface statement dynamically switches to OSH EQENET when activated on z17



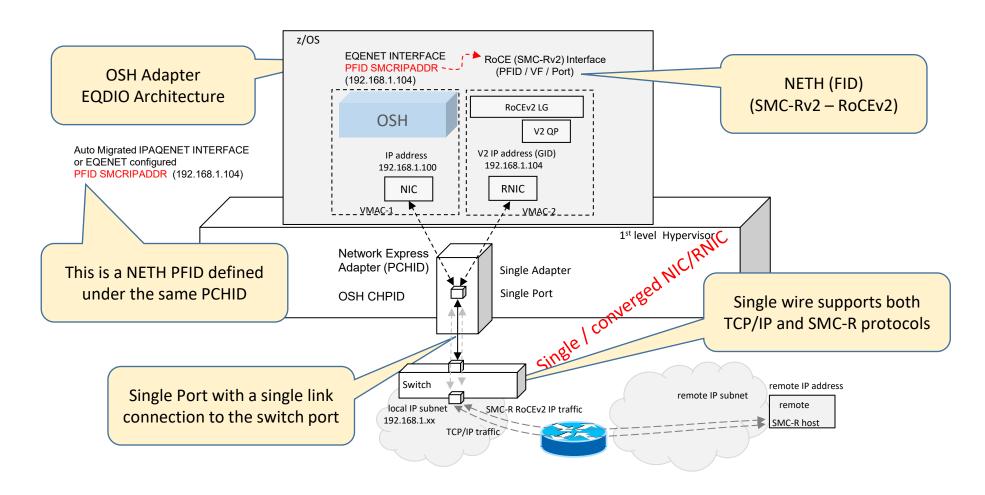
Usage & Invocation — RoCEv2 Configuration (1)

Current OSD with ROC2 (RoCEv2) Configuration



Usage & Invocation — RoCEv2 Configuration (2)

OSH with NETH (RoCEv2 with converged NIC / RNIC)



Usage & Invocation – RoCE Configurations

Options	OSA	RoCE FID	Combination Notes	Plans
	Туре	Туре		
1	OSH	NETH	Network Express (OSA and RoCE) - converged (NIC/RNIC same PCHID)	Supported
2	OSD	NETH	OSA-Express OSD CHPID with Network Express RoCE (NETH)	Supported
3	OSH	NETH	Network Express (OSA and RoCE) - non-converged (i.e. OSH and NETH are on separate PCHIDs / ports)	Not supported

SMC-R Hardware Configuration Support Options:

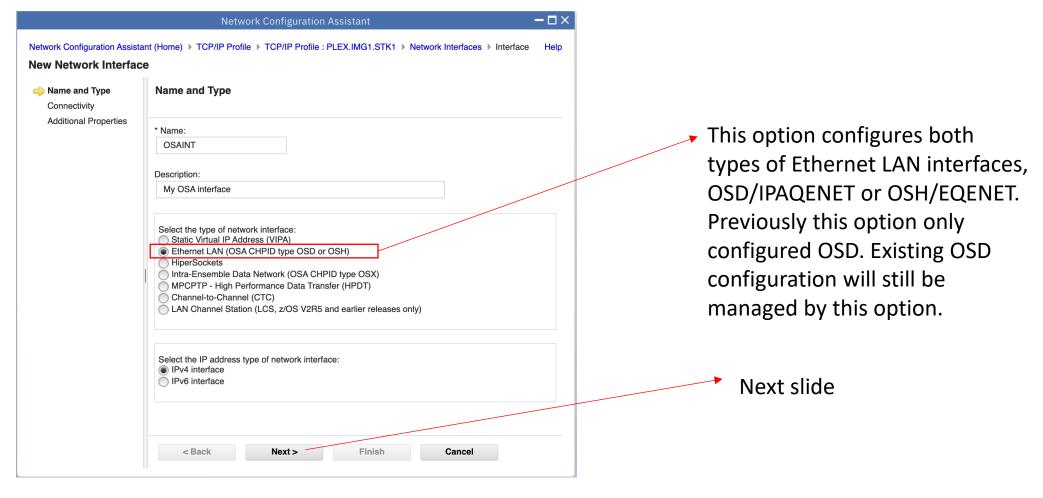
- 1. Network Express OSA (OSH) with converged Network Express Roce (NETH).
- 2. OSA-Express configured with Network Express (NETH) RoCE for SMC-Rv2.
- 3. Network Express OSA and RoCE in non-converged configuration is not supported (Unique PCHIDs/Ports)

Notes:

- 1. SMC-R still requires PNetIDs, even with converged OSH/NETH configuration.
- 2. NETH PFIDs may be coded on GLOBALCONFIG SMCR statements for SMC-Rv1 communications. These PFIDs are accessible to OSD and OSH interfaces for SMC-Rv1.
- 3. For clients using IBM Network Express 10G or 25G with z/OS versions 2.5, 3.1 or 3.2, it is recommended to set up a maximum of 16 NETH FIDs on the same adapter when OSH is also enabled.

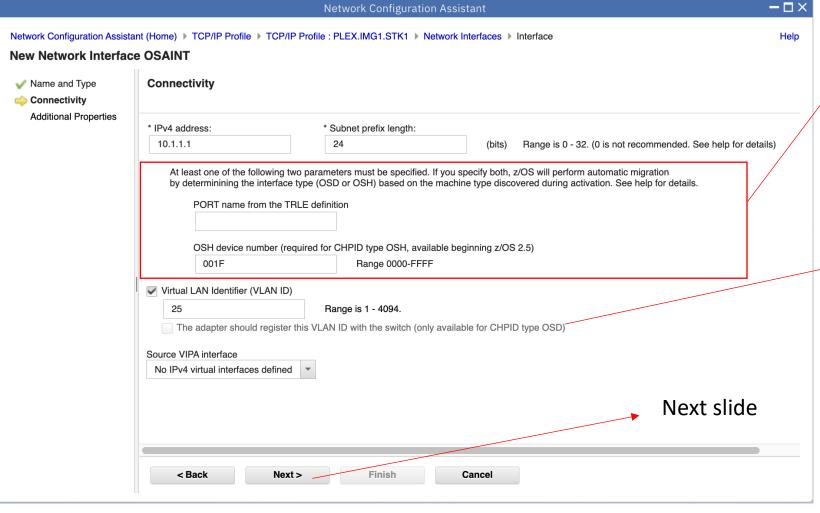
Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (12)

In the z/OSMF Network Configuration Assistant (NCA), OSH and OSD interfaces are configured on the same panels, to help enable automatic migration



Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (13)

The NCA uses choices you make on the connectivity panel to decide which type of interface to configure

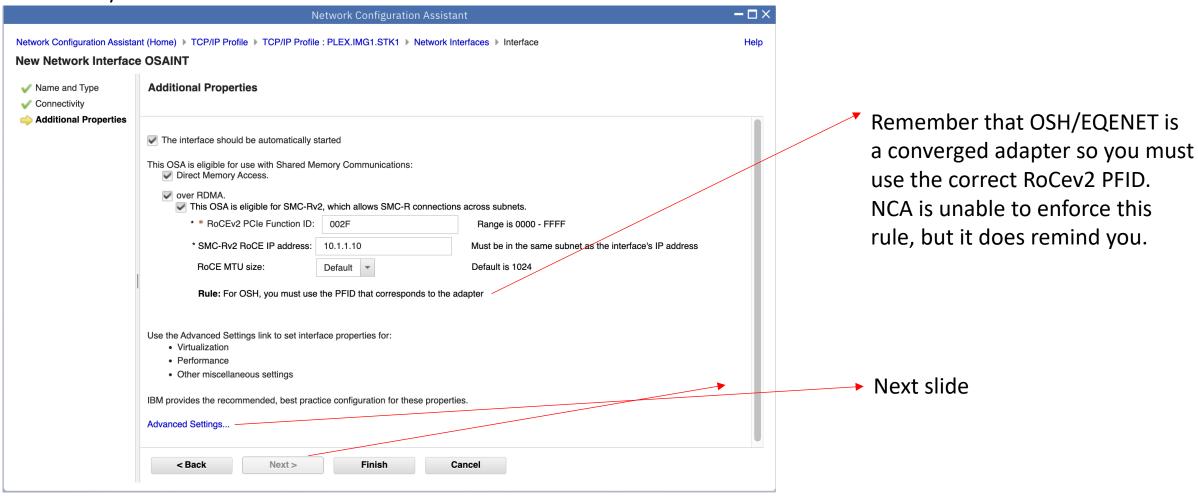


If you configure:

- Port Name only, NCA generates configuration for an OSD (IPAQENET) interface
- OSH device number only, NCA generates configuration for an OSH (EQENET) interface.
 - In this case, fields irrelevant to EQENET will be greyed out on this and subsequent interface configuration panels
- Both port name and device number, NCA generates configuration for an automigrated OSD interface

Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (14)

In Additional Properties, if you are using SMC-Rv2 you would configure it here, same as you did with OSD interfaces



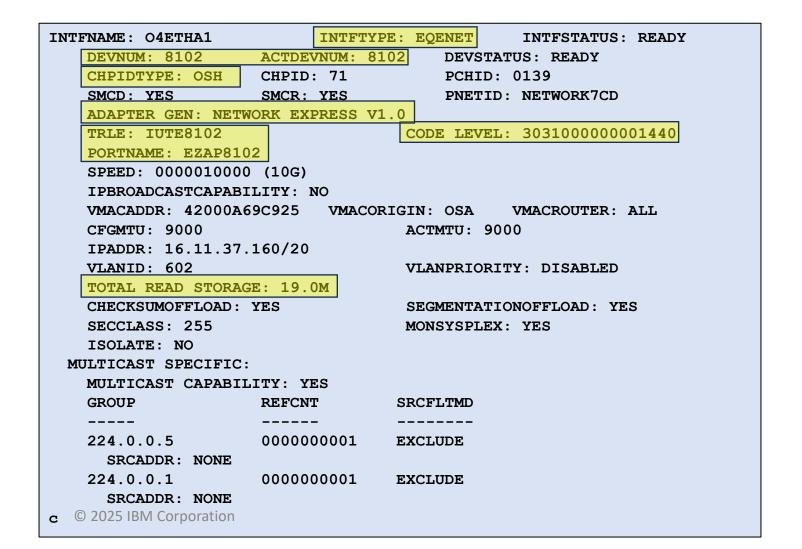
Usage & Invocation — TCP/IP Configuration (15)

This is an example, on an advanced properties panel, of parameters not relevant to OSH/EQENET interfaces being greyed out for that interface type



Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (1)

Example 1. NetStat devlinks report for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 1 of 2)



- Interface type is EQENET
- Configured device and actual device
- CHPIDTYPE is OSH (EQDIO)
- OSA Generation
- TRLE and PORTNAME dynamically generated
- OSA firmware level
- ReadStorage dynamically managed (not user defined)

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (2)

Example 1. NetStat devlinks report for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 2 of 2)

```
INTERFACE STATISTICS:
    BYTESIN
                                       = 8042214
    INBOUND PACKETS
                                       = 81593
    INBOUND PACKETS IN ERROR
                                       = 0
    INBOUND PACKETS DISCARDED
                                       = 0
    INBOUND PACKETS WITH NO PROTOCOL = 0
                                       = 1025416
   BYTESOUT
    OUTBOUND PACKETS
                                       = 10502
    OUTBOUND PACKETS IN ERROR
                                       = 0
   OUTBOUND PACKETS DISCARDED
                                       = 0
 ASSOCIATED IQD CONVERGED INTERFACE: EZAIQCF9 IQC STATUS: READY
                                       = 19714
    BYTESIN
    INBOUND PACKETS
                                       = 121
    BYTESOUT
                                       = 53236
    OUTBOUND PACKETS
                                       = 464
  SMCR CAPABILITY: V2
    ASSOCIATED MULTI-SUBNET RNIC INTERFACE: EZARIUT1314E
      ROCE PFID: 314E
                                        SMCRMTU: 4096
      SMCRIPADDR: 16.11.39.160
  UNASSOCIATED ISM INTERFACES: EZAISMU1 EZAISMU2 EZAISMU3 EZAISMU4
IPV4 LAN GROUP SUMMARY
LANGROUP: 00002
  NAME
                    STATUS
                                 ARPOWNER
                                                   VIPAOWNER
  O4ETHA1
                    ACTIVE
                                 O4ETHA1
                                                   NO
 O4ETHA9 IBM Corporation ACTIVE
                                 O4ETHA0
                                                   YES
```

- Associated HSCI interface
- Associated SMC interfaces

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (3)

Example 2. NetStat devlinks report for auto-migrated OSH EQENET IPv4 (partial report)

INTFNAME: 04ETHA2 INTFTYPE: EQENET INTFSTATUS: READY **AUTOMIGRATED** **DEVNUM: 8102** ACTDEVNUM: 8104 **DEVSTATUS: READY** PCHID: 0139 CHPIDTYPE: OSH CHPID: 71 SMCD: YES SMCR: YES PNETID: NETWORK7CD ADAPTER GEN: NETWORK EXPRESS V1.0 TRLE: IUTE8104 CODE LEVEL: 303100000001440 PORTNAME: EZAP8104 SPEED: 0000010000 (10G) IPBROADCASTCAPABILITY: NO VMACADDR: 42000C69C925 VMACORIGIN: OSA VMACROUTER: ALL CFGMTU: 9000 ACTMTU: 9000 IPADDR: 16.12.37.160/20 VLANID: 702 VLANPRIORITY: DISABLED TOTAL READ STORAGE: 19.0M CHECKSUMOFFLOAD: YES SEGMENTATIONOFFLOAD: YES SECCLASS: 255 MONSYSPLEX: YES ISOLATE: NO

- Auto-migrated interface
- Missing parms for EQENET can be auto-generated (like VMAC)
- However, subnet mask MUST be defined by user

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (4)

Example 3. NetStat devlinks report for OSH EQENET6 IPv6 (partial report)

INTFNAME: V604ETHA1 INTFTYPE: EQENET6 INTFSTATUS: READY

DEVNUM: 8103 ACTDEVNUM: 8103 DEVSTATUS: READY

CHPIDTYPE: OSH CHPID: 71 PCHID: 0139

SMCD: YES SMCR: YES PNETID: NETWORK7CD

ADAPTER GEN: NETWORK EXPRESS V1.0

TRLE: IUTE8103 CODE LEVEL: 303100000001440

PORTNAME: EZAP8103

OUESIZE: 0 SPEED: 0000010000

VMACADDR: 42000B69C925 VMACORIGIN: OSA VMACROUTER: ALL

DUPADDRDET: 1

CFGMTU: 9000 ACTMTU: 9000

VLANID: 602 VLANPRIORITY: DISABLED

INTFID: 0011:0032:0037:0160 TOTAL READ STORAGE: 19.0M

CHECKSUMOFFLOAD: YES SEGMENTATIONOFFLOAD: YES

SECCLASS: 255 MONSYSPLEX: YES

ISOLATE: NO TEMPPREFIX: ALL Interface type is EQENET6

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (5)

Example 4. NetStat devlinks report for auto-migrated OSH EQENET6 IPv6 (auto-migrated)

INTFNAME: V604ETHA1 INTFTYPE: EQENET6 INTFSTATUS: READY **AUTOMIGRATED** **DEVNUM: 8103** ACTDEVNUM: 8103 **DEVSTATUS: READY** PCHID: 0139 CHPIDTYPE: OSH CHPID: 71 SMCD: YES SMCR: YES PNETID: NETWORK7CD ADAPTER GEN: NETWORK EXPRESS V1.0 TRLE: IUTE8103 CODE LEVEL: 303100000001440 PORTNAME: EZAP8103 OUESIZE: 0 SPEED: 0000010000 VMACADDR: 42000B69C925 VMACORIGIN: OSA VMACROUTER: ALL DUPADDRDET: 1 **CFGMTU: 9000 ACTMTU: 9000** VLANID: 602 VLANPRIORITY: DISABLED INTFID: 0011:0032:0037:0160 TOTAL READ STORAGE: 19.0M CHECKSUMOFFLOAD: YES SEGMENTATIONOFFLOAD: YES SECCLASS: 255 MONSYSPLEX: YES ISOLATE: NO TEMPPREFIX: ALL

- Auto-migrated interface
- Missing parms for EQENET6 can be auto-generated (like VMAC)

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (6)

Example 5. Display OSAINFO EQENET IPv4 (OSH)

```
DISPLAY OSAINFO RESULTS FOR INTENAME: O7ETHB0
DATAPATH: 2FA0
                    REALADDR: 0045
                    CHPID: D2
PCHID: 0114
                                 CHPID TYPE: OS?
OSA CODE LEVEL: 3031240022221484
ACTIVE SPEED: 10 GB/SEC
                               GEN: NETWORK EXPRESS V1.0
MEDIA: MULTIMODE FIBER
                               JUMBO FRAMES: YES ISOLATE: NO
PHYSICALMACADDR: 9C63C0530F12 LOCALLYCFGMACADDR: 9C63C0530F12
QUEUES DEFINED OUT: 5 IN: 8 ANCILLARY QUEUES IN USE: 7
SAPSUP: 00400001
                               SAPENA: 00000000
                                 0
INTERFACE PACKET DROPS:
CONNECTION MODE: LAYER 2
IPV4 ATTRIBUTES:
 VLAN ID: 663
                           VMAC ACTIVE: YES
 VMAC ADDR: 42006A530F12 VMAC ORIGIN: OSA
                                                 VMAC ROUTER: ALL
REGISTERED ADDRESSES:
 IPV4 UNICAST ADDRESSES FOR ARP OFFLOAD:
   ADDR: 16.11.16.105
   ADDR: 16.11.17.105
   ADDR: 16.11.19.105
    TOTAL NUMBER OF IPV4 ADDRESSES:
```

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (7)

Example 5. Display Netstat ARP (OSH)

```
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.17.133
Interface: O7ETHB0
                           ETHERNET: 0204100B1185 IQC: EZAIQC29
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.106
Interface: O7ETHB0
                           ETHERNET: 0202BE0910A8 IQC: EZAIQC29
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.109
Interface: O7ETHB0
                           ETHERNET: 020256790A52 IOC: EZAIOC29
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.110
Interface: O7ETHB0
                           ETHERNET: 020257790A53 IOC: EZAIOC29
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.237
Interface: O7ETHB0
                           ETHERNET: 0062EC524510 IOC: EZAIOC29
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.234
                           ETHERNET: F44E05882D10 IOC: EZAIOC29
Interface: O7ETHB0
Querying ARP cache for address 16.11.16.224
Interface: O7ETHB0
```

Usage & Invocation — Netstat Displays (8)

Example 5. Display Netstat ND (OSH)

QUERY NEIGHBOR CACHE FOR FE80::262:ECFF:FE52:4510

INTFNAME: V607ETHB0 INTFTYPE: EQENET6 IQC: EZ6IQC29

LINKLAYERADDR: 0062EC524510 STATE: REACHABLE
TYPE: ROUTER ADVDFLTRTR: YES

QUERY NEIGHBOR CACHE FOR FE80::F64E:5FF:FE88:2D10

INTFNAME: V607ETHB0 INTFTYPE: EQENET6 IQC: EZ6IQC29

LINKLAYERADDR: F44E05882D10 STATE: REACHABLE TYPE: ROUTER ADVDFLTRTR: YES

Usage & Invocation — TRLE Display

Example 9. Display Net,TRLE EQENET IPv4 (OSH)

```
IST075I NAME = IUTE3B20, TYPE = TRLE
IST1954I TRL MAJOR NODE = ISTTRL
IST486I STATUS= ACTIV, DESIRED STATE= ACTIV
IST087I TYPE = *NA* , CONTROL = MPC , HPDT = *NA* IST1715I MPCLEVEL = EQDIO MPCUSAGE = EXCLUSIVE
IST2337I CHPID TYPE = OSH CHPID = D5 PNETID = PLEX1
IST1221I EQDIO DEV = 3B20 STATUS = ACTIVE
                                   STATE = ONLINE
IST1717I ULPID = TCPSVT ULP INTERFACE = O7ETHD0
IST2309I ACCELERATED ROUTING ENABLED
IST924I -------
IST2468I
              INBOUND TRANSMISSION INFORMATION:
IST924I --------
               QUEUE STORAGE QUEUE TYPE CUR MIN MAX STATUS
IST2469I QUEUE/
IST24701 ID
             -----
IST2205I -----
IST2471I CTRL/0
               CONTROL 1.0M 1.0M 1.0M ACTIVE
               PRIMARY 8.0M 8.0M
IST2472I READ/6
                                     8.0M ACTIVE
IST2472I READ/7
               BULKDATA 8.0M 8.0M
                                     8.0M ACTIVE
               SYSDIST *NA* *NA*
IST2472I READ/8
                                     *NA* NOT IN USE
                  4.0M 4.0M 4.0M ACTIVE
IST2472I READ/9
                   *NA* *NA*
IST2472I READ/11
              ZCX
                                     *NA* NOT IN USE
IST2472I READ/12
              IPROUTER
                          4.0M 4.0M 4.0M ACTIVE
IST924I ------
IST2480I CACHED READ STORAGE = 3.0M
IST2481I TOTAL READ STORAGE = 28.0M
IST924I ------
IST2473I
              OUTBOUND TRANSMISSION INFORMATION:
IST924I --------
IST2474I QUEUE/ QUEUE
                       UNITS OF WORK
                                    OUEUE
IST2475I ID
              TYPE
                      CUR AVG MAX STATUS
IST2205I -----
IST2476I CTRL/1
              CONTROL
                         0 1 4 UNCONGESTED
IST2477I WRT/2
              PRIORITY1
                         0 2 2 UNCONGESTED
IST2477I WRT/3
              PRIORITY2
                                  3 UNCONGESTED
IST2477I WRT/4
              PRIORITY3
                                  0 UNCONGESTED
IST2477I WRT/5
              PRIORITY4
                                  3 UNCONGESTED
```

Usage & Invocation — Tuning Statistics (1)

Example 5. Display TNSTAT for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 1 of 4)

```
= 25062
                                               ID = IUTE2FA0 896
IST1230I TIME
               = 15500662
                           DATE
IST2488I DEV
               = 2FA0
                           OID/TYPE = GLOBAL
IST1719I PCIREALO =
                         0 PCIREAL =
                                         23684
IST1720I PCIVIRTO =
                         0 PCIVIRT =
                                           6951
IST1750I PCITHRSO =
                         0 PCITHRSH =
IST1751I PCIUNPRO =
                         0 PCIUNPRD =
                 0 RPROCDEF =
IST1752I RPROCDEO =
IST1753I RREPLDEO =
                         0 RREPLDEF =
IST924I -----
IST2488I DEV = 2FA0 QID/TYPE = CTRL/0 (READ)
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                         0 LOWREAD =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                         0 PACKCNT =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                         0 BYTECNT =
IST924I -----
               = 2FA0 QID/TYPE = CTRL/1 (WRITE)
IST2488I DEV
                   0 PACKCNT =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                         0 BYTECNT =
IST924I -----
               = 2FA0 QID/TYPE = WR/2 PRIORITY1
IST2488I DEV
                    1 SBPEAVG =
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
IST1756I QDPTHMAX =
                         0 QDPTHAVG =
IST2483I SETCNTO =
                         0 SETCNT
IST2484I SETICNTO =
                         0 SETICNT =
IST2485I SETFCNTO =
                         0 SETFCNT =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                         0 SBPECNT =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                         0 PACKCNT =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                         0 BYTECNT =
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                         0 PKTIOD
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                         0 BYTIQD
```

Usage & Invocation — Tuning Statistics (2)

Example 5. Display TNSTAT for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 2 of 4)

```
IST2488I DEV
                 = 2FA0
                             QID/TYPE = WR/3 PRIORITY2
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                           0 SBPEAVG =
                                                0
IST1756I ODPTHMAX =
                           0 ODPTHAVG =
IST2483I SETCNTO =
                           0 SETCNT
IST2484I SETICNTO =
                           0 SETICNT =
IST2485I SETFCNTO =
                           0 SETFCNT =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                           0 SBPECNT =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                           0 PACKCNT =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                           0 BYTECNT =
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                           0 PKTIQD
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                           0 BYTIQD
IST924I ------
IST24881 DEV = 2FA0 OID/TYPE = WR/4 PRIORITY3
                           0 SBPEAVG =
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                                                0
IST1756I QDPTHMAX =
                           0 QDPTHAVG =
IST2483I SETCNTO =
                           0 SETCNT
IST2484I SETICNTO =
                           0 SETICNT =
IST2485I SETFCNTO =
                           0 SETFCNT =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                           0 SBPECNT =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                           0 PACKCNT =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                           0 BYTECNT =
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                           0 PKTIOD
IST1811I BYTIODO =
                           0 BYTIOD
IST924I ----
```

Usage & Invocation — Tuning Statistics (3)

Example 5. Display TNSTAT for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 3 of 4)

```
IST2488I DEV
                             QID/TYPE = WR/5 PRIORITY4
                = 2FA0
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                          16 SBPEAVG =
IST1756I ODPTHMAX =
                           0 ODPTHAVG =
IST2483I SETCNTO =
                           0 SETCNT
                                            39749
IST2484I SETICNTO =
                           0 SETICNT =
                                            38911
IST2485I SETFCNTO =
                           0 SETFCNT =
                                            79939
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                           0 SBPECNT =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                                            76866
                           0 PACKCNT =
                                         83343059
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                           0 BYTECNT =
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                           0 PKTIQD =
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                           0 BYTIQD =
IST924I -----
                       OID/TYPE = RD/6 (PRIMARY)
IST2488I DEV
                = 2FA0
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                           7 SBPEAVG =
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                           0 LOWREAD =
IST2185I FRINVCTO =
                           0 FRINVCT =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                           0 SBPECNT =
                                            22432
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                                            71247
                           0 PACKCNT =
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                           0 BYTECNT =
                                         82665905
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                           0 PKTIQD =
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                           0 BYTIQD =
IST924I -----
                          QID/TYPE = RD/7 (BULKDATA)
IST2488I DEV
                = 2FA0
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                           3 SBPEAVG =
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                           0 LOWREAD =
IST2185I FRINVCTO =
                           0 FRINVCT =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                           0 SBPECNT =
                                             1612
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                           0 PACKCNT =
                                             4334
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                           0 BYTECNT =
                                          6099406
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                           0 PKTIQD =
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                           0 BYTIQD =
```

Usage & Invocation — Tuning Statistics (4)

Example 5. Display TNSTAT for OSH EQENET IPv4 (Part 4 of 4)

```
QID/TYPE = RD/9
IST2488I DEV
                  = 2FA0
                                                 (EE)
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                             0 SBPEAVG =
                                                    0
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                             0 LOWREAD
                             0 FRINVCT =
IST2185I FRINVCTO =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                             0 SBPECNT
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                             0 PACKCNT
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                             0 BYTECNT
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                             0 PKTIOD
IST1811I BYTIODO =
                             0 BYTIOD
IST924I -----
IST2488I DEV
                               QID/TYPE = RD/10 (IPSEC)
                  = 2FA0
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                             0 SBPEAVG =
                                                    0
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                             0 LOWREAD
                             0 FRINVCT =
IST2185I FRINVCTO =
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                             0 \text{ SBPECNT} =
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                             0 PACKCNT
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                             0 \text{ BYTECNT} =
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                             0 PKTIOD
IST1811I BYTIODO =
                             0 BYTIOD
IST924I -----
                               QID/TYPE = RD/12 (IPROUTER)
IST2488I DEV
                  = 3B20
IST2482I SBPEMAX =
                             0 SBPEAVG =
                                                    0
IST2487I LOWREADO =
                             0 LOWREAD
IST2185I FRINVCTO =
                             0 FRINVCT
IST2486I SBPECNTO =
                             0 SBPECNT
IST1722I PACKCNTO =
                             0 PACKCNT
IST1236I BYTECNTO =
                             0 BYTECNT
IST1810I PKTIQDO =
                             0 PKTIOD
IST1811I BYTIQDO =
                             0 BYTIOD
```

Usage & Invocation — AIMON

- VTAM start option
- Monitors interfaces for overdue adapter interrupts when enabled.
- When overdue interrupt detected, will drive a virtual interrupt to prevent a stall condition.
- · Now supports "EQDIO" keyword
- Now enabled by default

```
D NET, VTAMOPTS, OPT=AIMON
AIMON = (EQDIO, IQDIO, ISM, QDIO, ROCE)
```

Usage & Invocation — INOPDUMP

- VTAM start option
- Specifies whether VTAM dumps should be generated when certain inoperative conditions are detected.
- Now supports "EQDIO" keyword

Usage & Invocation — Post-GA functionality

- No EQDIO support on z/OS 2.4 or a VSE client
- SNMP support for OSA (OSH) will not be available at zNext GA (targeted for Sept/2025)
- OSAENTA (Network Traffic Analyzer) trace support will not available (Alternatively, a sniffer (wireshark) trace may be used)
- QDIOSYNC support will not be available (Automated mechanism to collect SW and HW traces concurrently)
- zOS guest deployed in zVM vSwitch environment must be Layer 3 QDIO (IPAQENET (OSD CHPID) OSA-Express)
 - A z/VM vSwitch attached to a Network Express card must operate in Layer-2 mode. This means that a z/OS guest cannot be deployed on this vSwitch, as the z/OS guest must use a QDIO interface (a current z/VM limitation) and z/OS does not support Layer-2 with QDIO. Linux supports both modes today, so Linux guests using QDIO can use this configuration.

Installation & Configuration — APARs for enablement

z/OS CommServer APARs:

- OA64896 for SNA
- PH54596 for TCP/IP

IOS APAR:

• OA63265

Summary

- z/OS 3.2 Communications Server has provided support for the Network Express feature available on IBM z17
- Can be viewed as the next generation converged "OSA" and "RoCE" adapter
- Increased I/O capacity, scale and density of the Network Express feature
- Simpler configuration
- Auto-migration from IPAQENET/IPAQENET6 to EQENET/EQENET6 supported
- Converges the OSA-Express and RoCE Express functionality into a single Network Express feature
 - Allows customers to now exploit SMC-Rv2 technology without provisioning additional hardware

Appendix — Getting started with z/OS OSH Planning

- For the purposes of IP **network planning**, the OSH planning task can be viewed as installing, configuring and deploying the next generation of OSA.
- With this in mind, most users will continue using their current network IP configuration for defining their new OSH (EQENET) interface.
- With the assumption that your OSH will reuse your existing IP attributes of your current OSA IP interface (i.e. IPAQENET network configuration) to access your existing Ethernet, then your OSH configuration becomes a complete reuse (takes over your current IP config). There are no new IP network resources to plan for or required to deploy, such as IP address, IP subnet, source IP, VLANs or IP Routes etc.

Note. If you plan to provision entirely new IP interfaces (new IP address etc.) or connect to different LANs, then this approach represents a completely new IP INTERFACE. For this approach you should consider configuring an entirely new EQENET INTERFACE statement (i.e. there is no opportunity for reusing your current IP configuration).

Appendix — OSH Migration

- Assuming you're reusing your existing IP configuration (OSH reuses OSD), then moving your z/OS images from pre-z17 (OSD) to z17 (OSH) requires updating your TCP/IP INTERFACE statements for OSH.
- This "migration need" for z/OS movement between machines generations could be:
 - Short term need: 1 time or minimal times (initial migration tasks, test phase, etc.) or
 - Long term need: you plan having both pre-z17 and z17 machines coexist for a longer period of time and z/OS instances will be moved regularly among the different generations of CPCs.
- Users can manage the z/OS movement (migration) and switching between OSD (IPAQENET) and OSH (EQENET) by using existing techniques such as using z/OS System Symbolics:
 - based on the IPL'ed z Generation z/OS could INCLUDE specific files (old vs new INTERFACE statements) or
 - replace specific individual INTERFACE parameters or the entire INTERFACE STATEMENT

Appendix — z/OS OSH Preplanning/Migration

- Planning for number of cards: Considerations for capacity planning, required bandwidth, number of cards (LPARs and card sharing, High Availability planning etc.).
- Physical connectivity planning (assume reuse of existing cables and switch ports)¹
- Plan for System Z OSH Hardware Configuration Tasks (HCD/IOCDS/CHPID Mapping):
 - OSH: PCHID, CHPID and devices
 - NETH: FIDs/VFs for RoCE
- Decision: Verify OSH will reuse your existing IP INTERFACE configuration
- Decision: Determine your migration approach:
 - Use Auto-Migrate (DEVNUM on IPAQENET) or
 - Define EQENET and manage with INCLUDE statements

Appendix — Current z/OS TCP/IP Ethernet Configuration

Туре	Configuration
OSE (LCS) ¹	DEV/LINK/HOME
OSD (QDIO)	DEV/LINK/HOME
	INTERFACE
ROCE	Dynamic (PFID parameter of INTERFACE)

z/OS V2.5 Availability Announcement 221-260 SoDs²:

- V2R5 would be the last z/OS release to support OSE (LSA and LCS)
- V2R5 would be the last z/OS release to support DEV/LINK/HOME for OSA

Note 1. Removal of OSE support removes both LCS (TCP/IP) and LSA (VTAM)

Note 2. https://www.ibm.com/common/ssi/ShowDoc.wss?docURL=/common/ssi/rep_ca/0/897/ENUS221-260/index.html&lang=en

Appendix — z/OS TCP/IP Ethernet Configuration

Туре	Configuration
OSD (QDIO)	INTERFACE
ROCE	Dynamic (PFID parameter of INTERFACE)

The removal of legacy Ethernet (OSE) reduces and simplifies the options.

Appendix — IPAQENET vs. EQENET Keyword Comparison (Part 1)

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Keyword	(default)	EQENET (OSH)	Keyword Definition - OSH Applicability, Changes and Notes
define	IPAQENET	EQENET	INTERFACE type: IPAQENET (OSD) can be automatically migrated to EQENET (OSH) with DEVNUM keyword
CHPIDTYPE	OSD OSX	N/A	CHPID (hardware) TYPE: Eliminated for OSH (only one possible CHPID type for OSH)
Portname	value	N/A	Defines specific OSD physical port (PCHID) via user statically defined VTAM TRLE (VTAM definition): The TRLE is defined with a matching portname value. A group of devices are defined in the TRLE definition (must match HCD). VTAM arbitrarily assigns first avail device to each interface. Portname is obsolete for OSH. User defined TRLEs are also obsolete (the TRLE is dynamically created). Portname is replaced by devnum (see devnum).
Devnum	Value*	value	Defines (any valid) OSH device for a given CHPID: VTAM uses devnum to find specific CHPID then finds any available device under this CHPID for the interface. * When devnum is defined for OSD (new for 2.5 only) it is ignored on pre z17 machines and is used on z17 machines to automatically migrate IPAQENET statement to EQENET
IPADDR	value	value	Static IP address of this interface: No change (see TEMPIP)
num_mask_bits	mask	mask	Subnet mask: Optional for OSD (required for some cases, e.g. multiple interfaces for the same OSA port, SMC etc.) OSH requires Subnet mask (also required for OSD when IPAQENET is auto-migrated using devnum)
TEMPIP	No parameters	No parameters	Defines Interface without an IP Address. Allows dynamic IP address definition over interface using DHCP. Once DHCP flows complete, interface is restarted with new IPADDR. No changes for OSH
Prirouter	NonRouter PriRouter SecRouter	N/A	Pri/Sec/Non Router: Only applied to OSD when not using VMAC. VMAC is required for OSH (keyword is obsolete for OSH)
VLANID	value	value	VLANID value: When defined host is VLAN aware. No change for OSH (required when multiple interfaces are defined for the same physical port).
INBPERF	Balanced Dynamic MINCPU MINLATENCY	N/A	Defines Inbound Performance characteristics (complex variations): Balanced, Dynamic, MINCPU or MINLATENCY settings. Keyword is obsolete for OSH. OSH always uses DYNAMIC mode
INBPERF DYNAMIC	NOWORKLOADQ WorkloadQ	N/A	Controls IWQ: Dynamic NOWORKLOAD WORKLOADQ (IWQ) Keyword is obsolete for OSH. OSH always uses IWQ (possible service mode only off switch -TBD)
VMAC	VMAC VMAC value	VMAC VMAC value	Defines Virtual MAC: Optional for OSD (required for some cases) OSH requires VMAC (VMAC is required for OSD for auto-migrate). OSH continues to support user defined VMACs, OSA generated VMAC is recommended.
VMAC	RouteALL RouteLocal	RouteAll RouteLocal	Controls OSA inbound routing: RouteALL: OSD Default - All packets are routed inbound RouteLocal: Only packets destined for IP Addresses in the home list are routed inbound. No changes for OSH (see note 3)

Yellow cells indicate an OSD keyword that has been eliminated (N/A) for OSH

Note. Obsolete keywords are ignored for auto-migrate but are invalid for the EQENET

Green cells indicate an optional OSD keyword required for OSH and is auto generated for auto-migrate case.

Note. New required keywords must be defined for both auto-migrate and for EQENET definition statement

Red cell indicates an optional OSD keyword required for OSH and is also required for auto-migrate (can NOT be auto generated).

Appendix — IPAQENET vs. EQENET Keyword Comparison (Part 2)

Keyword	IPAQENET (OSD) (default)	EQENET (OSH)	Keyword Definition - OSH Applicability, Changes and Notes
SMCR	SMCR	SMCR	Controls SMCR eligibility for this interface – SMCR remains the default (NOSMCR disables SMCR for the interface) – no change for OSH
SMCR	PFID SMCRIPADDR SMCRMTU	PFID SMCRIPADDR SMCRMTU	SMC-Rv2 Parameters: Enables and defines SMC-Rv2 for this IP interface (PFID and IP addr are both required): PFID (specific RNIC), RoCEv2 IPv4 addr, optional MTU (defaults to 1k). No changes for OSH.
SMCD	SMCD	SMCD	Controls SMCD eligibility for this interface – SMCD remains the default (NOSMCD disables SMCD for the interface) – no change for OSH
Sourcevipa interface	vipa_name	vipa_name	Defines source VIPA. No changes for OSH
MTU	value	value	Defines the MTU for this interface. OSD default is 8992. MTU can be defined in multiple places. OSH default is 9000.
Readstorage	Global Max, Min, AVG	N/A	Defines static value for the amount of read storage for inbound processing. OSD default GLOBAL setting uses VTAM setting. N/A for OSH (storage is dynamically managed)
IPBCAST	IPBCAST	IPBCAST	Defines (enables) IPBCAST over this interface – no changes for OSH
SECCLASS	255 sec_class	255 sec_class	Defines security class for IP filtering. No changes for OSH
NoMonSysplex	NoMonsysplex MonSysplex	NoMonSysplex MonSysplex	Defines interface for sysplex autonomics monitoring. No changes for OSH
DynVLANReg	NoDynVLANReg	N/A	Defines (enables) dynamic VLAN switch registration. Not supported (obsolete) for OSH.
OLM	NonOLM OLM	N/A	Defines Optimized Latency Mode for OSD. Not supported (obsolete) for OSH.
ISOLATE	NoISOLATE ISOLATE	NoISOLATE ISOLATE	Defines (enables) LP-LP traffic within the CPC (vs. forcing all traffic to flow externally). No change for OSH

Notes:

- Users can explicitly define the new EQENET INTERFACE statement, or they can continue using their existing IPAQENET statements by adding DEVNUM on their IPAQENET INTERFACE statements which will automatically migrate IPAQENET to EQENET. When on a z17 machine the value specified on DEVNUM must reference a valid EQDIO device (HCD). DEVNUM auto-migration requires INTERFACE keywords (green cells above):
 - 2 VMAAC
 - b. Subnet mask
- 2. Refer to the IP Configuration Guide and IP Configuration Reference for additional details.

Yellow cells indicate an OSD keyword that has been eliminated (N/A) for OSH

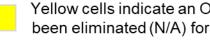
Note. Obsolete keywords are ignored for auto-migrate but are invalid for the EQENET definition statement.

Green cells indicate an optional OSD keyword that is required for OSH

Note. New required keywords must be defined for both auto-migrate and for EQENET definition statement.

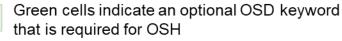
Appendix — IPAQENET6 vs. EQENET6 Keyword Comparison (Part 1)

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Keyword	IPAQENET6 (OSD) (default)	EQENET6 (OSH)	Keyword Definition - OSH Applicability, Changes and Notes
DEFINE	IPAQENET6	EQENET6	INTERFACE type: IPAQENET6 (OSD) can be automatically migrated to EQENET6 (OSH) with DEVNUM keyword
DELETE	interface_name	interface_name	Specifies that this interface should be deleted from the list of interfaces
ADDADDR	value	N/A	Allows the addition of IP addresses to an existing interface definition. Eliminated for OSH
DELADDR	Value	N/A	Allows the deletion of IP addresses from an existing interface definition. Eliminated for OSH
DEPRADDR	Value	N/A	Allows the deprecation of IP address on an existing interface definition. Eliminated for OSH
ADDTEMPPREFIX	Value	N/A	Allows the addition of prefixes to the list of temporary prefixes on an existing interface definition. Eliminated for OSH
DELTEMPPREFIX	Value	N/A	Allows the deletion of prefixes from the list of temporary prefixes on an existing interface definition. Eliminated for OSH
CHPIDTYPE	OSD OSX	N/A	CHPID (hardware) TYPE: Eliminated for OSH (only one possible CHPID type for OSH) Error is generated if CHPIDTYPE OSX is specified on IPAQENET statement that also specifies DEVNUM
PORTNAME	value	N/A	Defines specific OSD physical port (PCHID) via user statically defined VTAM TRLE (VTAM definition): The TRLE is defined with a matching portname value. A group of devices are defined in the TRLE definition (must match HCD). VTAM arbitrarily assigns first available device to each interface. PORTNAME is obsolete for OSH. User defined TRLEs are also obsolete (the TRLE is dynamically created). PORTNAME is replaced by DEVNUM (see DEVNUM).
DEVNUM	value*	Value	Defines (any valid) OSH device for a given CHPID: VTAM uses DEVNUM to find specific CHPID, then finds any available device under this CHPID for the interface. * When DEVNUM is defined for OSD (new for 2.5 and 3.1) it is ignored on pre zMetis machines and is used on zMetis machines to automatically migrate IPAQENET6 statement to EQENET6
IPADDR ipv6_addr	values	values	Static IP addresses of this interface: Optional for OSD (see INTFID) No changes for OSH



Yellow cells indicate an OSD keyword that has been eliminated (N/A) for OSH

Note. Obsolete keywords are ignored for auto-migrate but are invalid for the EQENET definition statement.



Note. New required keywords must be defined for both auto-migrate and for EQENET

Appendix — IPAQENET6 vs. EQENET6 Keyword Comparison (Part 1) continued

Keyword	IPAQENET6 (OSD)	EQENET6 (OSH)	Keyword Definition - OSH Applicability, Changes and Notes
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INTFID	value	Value	Optional 64-bit interface identifier in colon-hexadecimal format. If specified, allows forming the link-local address for the interface and appended to manually configured prefixes to form complete IPv6 addresses on the interface. No changes for OSH
TEMPPREFIX	ALL NONE prefix/prefix_length	ALL NONE prefix/prefix_length	Set of prefixes for which temporary IPv6 addresses can be generated. Allows dynamic IP address definition over interface using DHCPv6. No changes for OSH
PRIROUTER	NONROUTER PRIROUTER SECROUTER	N/A	PRI/SEC/NONROUTER: Only applied to OSD when not using VMAC. VMAC is required for OSH (keyword is obsolete for OSH)
VLANID	value	Value	VLANID value: When defined host is VLAN aware. No change for OSH (required when multiple interfaces are defined for the same physical port).
INBPERF	BALANCED DYNAMIC MINCPU MINLATENCY	N/A	Defines Inbound Performance characteristics (complex variations): BALANCED, DYNAMIC, MINCPU or MINLATENCY settings. Keyword is obsolete for OSH. OSH always uses DYNAMIC mode
INBPERF DYNAMIC	NOWORKLOADQ WorkloadQ	N/A	Controls IWQ: Dynamic NOWORKLOAD WORKLOADQ (IWQ) Keyword is obsolete for OSH. OSH always uses IWQ (possible service mode only off switch -TBD)
VMAC	VMAC VMAC value	VMAC VMAC value	Defines Virtual MAC: Optional for OSD (required for some cases) OSH requires VMAC (VMAC is required for OSD for auto-migrate). VMAC ROUTEALL is used as default if VMAC is not specified during auto-migration. OSH continues to support user defined VMACs, OSA generated VMAC is recommended.
VMAC	ROUTEALL ROUTELOCAL	ROUTEALL ROUTELOCAL	Controls OSA inbound routing: ROUTEALL: OSD Default - All packets are routed inbound ROUTELOCAL: Only packets destined for IP Addresses in the home list are routed inbound. No changes for OSH (see note 3)
SMCR	SMCR	SMCR	Controls SMCR eligibility for this interface – SMCR remains the default (NOSMCR disables SMCR for the interface) – no change for OSH
SMCD	SMCD	SMCD	Controls SMCD eligibility for this interface – SMCD remains the default (NOSMCD disables SMCD for the interface) – no change for OSH
SOURCEVIPA INTERFACE	vipa_name	vipa_name	Defines source VIPA. No changes for OSH
MTU	value	Value	Defines the MTU for this interface. OSD default is 9000. MTU can be defined in multiple places. No changes for OSH.
READSTORAGE	Global Max, Min, AVG	N/A	Defines static value for the amount of read storage for inbound processing. OSD default GLOBAL setting uses VTAM setting. N/A for OSH (storage is dynamically managed)
SECCLASS	255	255	Defines security class for IP filtering. No changes for OSH
NOMONSYSPLEX	NOMONSYSPLEX MONSYSPLEX	NOMONSYSPLEX MONSYSPLEX	Defines interface for sysplex autonomics monitoring. No changes for OSH
DYNVLANREG	NODYNVLANREG	N/A	Defines (enables) dynamic VLAN switch registration. Not supported (obsolete) for OSH.
ISOLATE	NOISOLATE ISOLATE	NOISOLATE ISOLATE	Defines (enables) LP-LP traffic within the CPC (vs. forcing all traffic to flow externally). No change for OSH
DUPADDRDET1	value	Value	Optional, defines number of times to attempt duplicate address detection. (Minimum value is 0, maximum is 2, and default is 1). NO changes for OSH

Yellow cells indicate an OSD keyword that has been eliminated (N/A) for OSH

Note. Obsolete keywords are ignored for auto-migrate but are invalid for the EQENET definition statement.

Green cells indicate an optional OSD keyword required for OSH and is auto generated for auto-migrate case.

Note. New required keywords must be defined for both auto-migrate and for EQENET definition statement.