

# New England DB2 User's group Meeting

## September 15, 2011

### ***Managing LOB, XML & Temporal Data***

Hussaina Husain

IBM Senior I/T Specialist

[hussaina@us.ibm.com](mailto:hussaina@us.ibm.com)



## Disclaimer

- © Copyright IBM Corporation 2009. All rights reserved.
- U.S. Government Users Restricted Rights - Use, duplication or disclosure restricted by GSA ADP Schedule Contract with IBM Corp.
- **THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS PRESENTATION IS PROVIDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY. WHILE EFFORTS WERE MADE TO VERIFY THE COMPLETENESS AND ACCURACY OF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS PRESENTATION, IT IS PROVIDED “AS IS” WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED. IN ADDITION, THIS INFORMATION IS BASED ON IBM’S CURRENT PRODUCT PLANS AND STRATEGY, WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY IBM WITHOUT NOTICE. IBM SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF THE USE OF, OR OTHERWISE RELATED TO, THIS PRESENTATION OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENTATION. NOTHING CONTAINED IN THIS PRESENTATION IS INTENDED TO, NOR SHALL HAVE THE EFFECT OF, CREATING ANY WARRANTIES OR REPRESENTATIONS FROM IBM (OR ITS SUPPLIERS OR LICENSORS), OR ALTERING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ANY AGREEMENT OR LICENSE GOVERNING THE USE OF IBM PRODUCTS AND/OR SOFTWARE.**
- IBM, the IBM logo, ibm.com, DB2 are trademarks or registered trademarks of International Business Machines Corporation in the United States, other countries, or both. If these and other IBM trademarked terms are marked on their first occurrence in this information with a trademark symbol (® or ™), these symbols indicate U.S. registered or common law trademarks owned by IBM at the time this information was published. Such trademarks may also be registered or common law trademarks in other countries. A current list of IBM trademarks is available on the Web at “Copyright and trademark information” at [www.ibm.com/legal/copytrade.shtml](http://www.ibm.com/legal/copytrade.shtml)
- Other company, product, or service names may be trademarks or service marks of others.

## AGENDA

- Overview of LOB concepts and architecture
- Overview of XML concepts and architecture
- LOB vs XML
  - How are they different
  - When to use
- Overview of Temporal Tables
- Advantages of Temporal tables
- Management LOB, XML objects & Temporal Data
  - CREATE / ALTER / DROP
  - Migrate & Compare
  - Utility Support
  - Tools to administer and manage
- References
- Backup Slides



## DB2 for z/OS LARGE OBJECTS (LOB)

- **Pictures, images, text documents, and movies**
- **3 types**
  - BLOB – Binary Large Object – audio, image data
  - CLOB – Character Large Object – SBCS, mixed character text
  - DBCLOB – Double Byte Character Large Object
- **Each data set of a LOB table space → 64GB; 254 data sets / table space → max of 16TB for a non-partitioned LOB table space**
- **Max of 4096 partitions; 1 LOB table space (max of 254 data sets) / partition → 65,536 TB**
- **Usually accessed via GUI interfaces**



# LOB ARCHITECTURE

## BASE TABLE SPACE

**1 BASE TABLE**

KEY	ROWID	COL 2	LOB IND
A	Lob 1 value	User data A	LOB indicator 1
B	Lob 2 value	User data B	LOB indicator 2

**3**

Lob Indicator – 4 byte VARCHAR  
2 byte flag (existence or validity)  
2 byte version field

**4**

GENERATED ALWAYS  
GENERATED BY DEFAULT

- Rows represent LOBs
- LOB's stored outside Base table
- Base table space may be partitioned
- If partitioned – 1 LOB TS / Partition

**5**

Auxiliary Index  
based on ROWID  
Used to navigate to  
LOB data

One rowid  
for multiple  
LOB cols

AUXID  
AUXVER

❖ If you do not define a ROWID,  
DB2 will generate a hidden ROWID  
column at the end of the table.

❖ No FIELDPROC's, EDITPROC's,  
VALIDPROC's, and check constraints  
allowed on LOB columns.

**LOB TABLE SPACE** – no compression allowed, DB2 V9 eliminated LOB  
locks, instead LRSN and page latching is used, DB2 10 Supports logging > 2 GB and  
DEFINE(NO)

## AUXILIARY TABLE

**2**

AUXID	AUXVER	AUXVALUE (LOB data)
Lob 1 value		LOB data for data row A
Lob 2 value		LOB data for data row B

❖ One LOB TS for each partition of a base table

## XML – Extensible Markup Language

- **Standard for exchanging data – can be transformed to other formats (HTML ...)** – Platform and vendor independent
- **Was developed to overcome the limitations of HTML**
  - Can store almost any type of data
  - Originally stored in flat files
    - Fixed length
    - Delimited
  - Moved to be stored in data bases
- **Define complex documents and structures**
  - Structured or semi-structured
  - Schema or schema-less
- **Flexible**
  - Self describing
  - Easy to extend – add tag

```
<DEPT DEPTNO="D01" NAME="DEVELOPMENT CENTER">
  <PROJ PROJNO="AD3100" NAME="ADMIN SERVICES">
    <EMP EMPNO="000010" EMPNAME="BRIAN BARTAK">
    </EMP>
  </PROJ>
  <PROJ PROJNO="MA2100" NAME="WELD LINE
AUTOMATION">
    <EMP EMPNO="000010" EMPNAME="BRIAN BARTAK">
    </EMP>
    <EMP EMPNO="000110" EMPNAME="VINCENZO
LUCCHESI">
    </EMP>
  </PROJ>
</DEPT>
```

**WELL FORMED**

**ROOT  
NODES  
ELEMENT  
ATTRIBUTES  
VALUES**

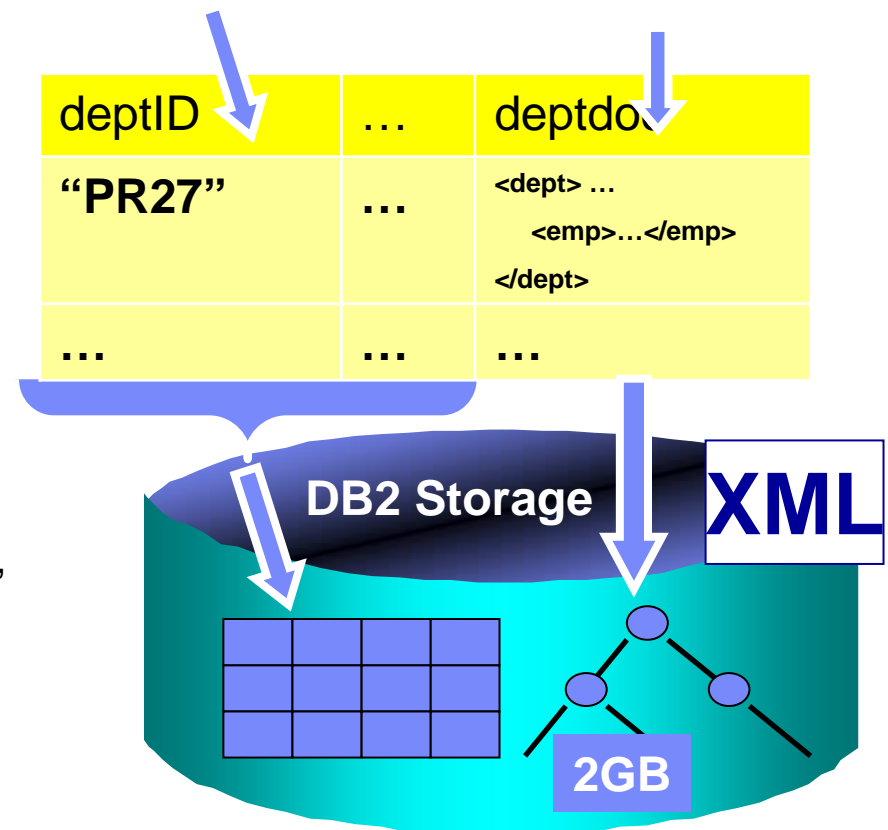
## DB2 9 pureXML Databases



- XML data is stored in XML-typed columns in tables (UTF-8)

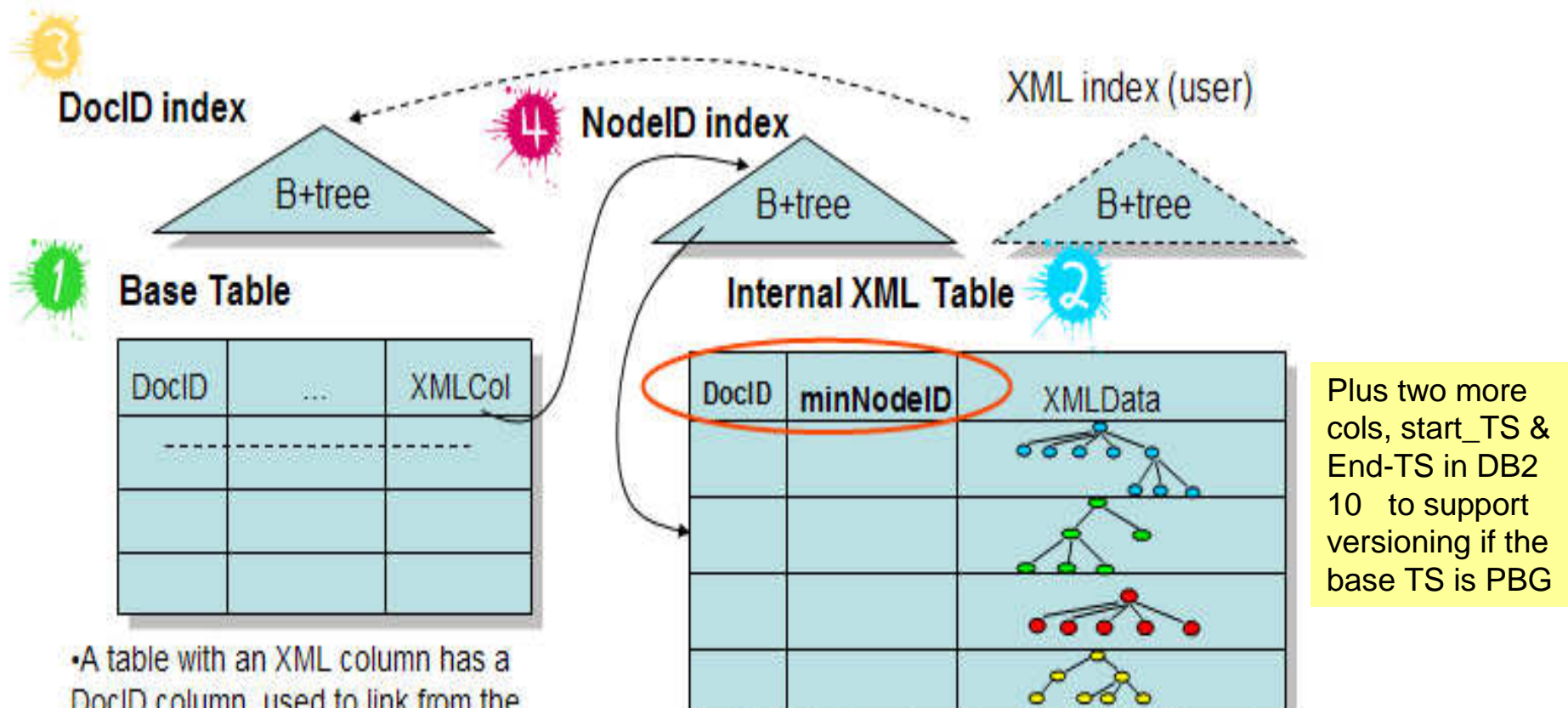
Create table **dept** (deptID char(8),..., deptdoc **xml**);

- XML is stored in a **parsed hierarchical** format
- Relational columns are stored in relational format
- The XML table space inherits the base tablespace attributes
  - Several items like Compression. ...
  - Range-partitioned base table spaces: XML partitioning follows base table partitioning.
  - For non range-partitioned base table spaces, PBG table space is used for XML
- XML table space uses 16KB bufferpool
- No length associated with XML col
- XML type for col, host variable, Parameters for STP and UDF





# XML Storage



Plus two more cols, `start_TS` & `End_TS` in DB2 10 to support versioning if the base TS is PBG

•A table with an XML column has a `DocID` column, used to link from the base table to the XML table.

•A `DocID` index is used for getting to base table rows from XML indexes.

Each `XMLData` column is a `VARBINARY`, containing a subtree or a sequence of subtrees, with context path. Rows in XML table are freely movable, linked with a `NodeID` index.

▪`NodeID` index maintains document order, maps logical node IDs to physical record IDs.



# XML Storage - Indexes

Session A - [24 x 80]

DB2 Admin DB1S Indexes and Columns/Key Targets of DBA015. Row 1 to 16 of 18  
Command ==> \_ Scroll ==> CSR

Line commands: S - Show

Type	Schema	Name or Expression	Seq	Order	Index Type	Data Type	Length	N	D	S
INDEX	DBA015	I_DOCIDTIME_ACCOUNTI	0		X		0			
COL		DB2_GENERATED_DOCI	1	A		BIGINT	8	Y	K	
INDEX	DBA015	XMLPOTX1	0		D		0			
KT		/DEPT/@DEPTNO	1	A		VARCHAR	3	N		M
KT			2	A		BIGINT	8	Y		B
KT			3	A		VARBIN	128	N		B
INDEX	DBA015	XMLPOTX2	0		D		0			
KT		//@DEPTNO	1	A		VARCHAR	3	N		M
KT			2	A		BIGINT	8	Y		B
KT			3	A		VARBIN	128	N		B
INDEX	DBA015	XMLPOTX3	0		D		0			
KT		/DEPT/PROJ/EMP/STA	1	A		VARCHAR	10	N		M
KT			2	A		BIGINT	8	Y		B
KT			3	A		VARBIN	128	N		B
INDEX	DBA015	XMLPOTX4	0		D		0			
KT		//STARTDATE	1	A		VARCHAR	10	N		M

02/015

Connected to remote server/host demomvs.demopkg.ibm.com using lu/pool TCP00022 and port 23

XML indexes can be defined on XML columns using XMLPATTERN. These value indexes are to accelerate the query processing for the XMLEXISTS() predicate and XMLTABLE() function.

## How is XML different from LOB?

### XML

DB2 9 NFM – pureXML hierarchical

- Self describing – **metadata; structured**
- Data - **multiple types of data in a document; nesting and repeating**
- Inherent ordering – **data items are in order of the data in the document**
- Indexes – **create indexes for search purposes**
- Compression **supported**
- Size – **no architectural limit**
  - For exchanging data, the limit is to 2GB.

### LOB

Flat –**rigid row and column structure**

- Data defined by the column definition – **all data in a column must be the same type**
- Not ordered – **unless using the ORDER BY clause on one or more columns**
- **Cannot create indexes to be used for searching**
- Compression **is not supported**
- Maximum size
  - Non-partitioned 16 TB
  - Partitioned – 65,536 TB

## When should I use XML vs LOB to store data?

FUNCTION	XML	LOB
Flexibility <b>making frequent design changes</b>	Y	
<b>Maximum</b> performance	<b>faster for returning smaller amounts of data</b>	<b>Y (large documents)</b>
Sparse data - <b>attributes do not apply to all occurrences of the entity</b>	Y	
Searches	Y	
INSERT / RETRIEVAL <b>of the entire document</b>		Y
<b>Processing time</b> – subsequent processing <b>depends on data being stored in a relational DB</b>	Y	
<b>Frequent partial</b> updates	Y	

# CREATE / ALTER DB2 Objects

## LOB / XML Columns

### LOB



#### Manual

- Most flexibility, but most time consuming
- Implement your own naming convention



#### Automatic

- CURRENT RULES special register = 'STD' (V8 and higher) or DB2 V9 & 10 Automatic Creation of Objects – **do NOT specify the IN clause**
  - DB2 will create all the necessary LOB objects

### XML



#### DB2 implicitly creates

- XML Table Space
- XML Table
- Adds the DocID when the 1<sup>st</sup> XML column is defined
- DOCID / NODEID Indexes



# MANUAL CREATION of LOB Objects




- **Create the BASE table**
  - Table space must be in the same database where the LOB table space(s) are stored
  - Base table contains a **ROWID**
    - Unique value related to auxiliary tables
    - Only need 1 / base table
- **Create the LOB table space**
  - Need 1 LOB table space for each LOB column in the base table
- **Create the Auxiliary table – 1 per LOB table space**
- **Create the Auxiliary index (only can have 1 / aux table)**

```
--create base table
CREATE TABLE TB01
  ( FKEY INTEGER, ...
    FROWID ROWID,
    FCLOB CLOB(10M),....) ...
```

```
--create LOB table space
CREATE LOBTABLESPACE LTS01 ... NOT
LOGGED;
```

```
--create auxiliary table for LOB column FCLOB
CREATE AUXTABLE AUXTB01 IN DB
  STORES TB01
  COLUMN FCLOB;
```

```
--create index for auxiliary table
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX AUXIX01
  ON AUXTB01...
```

# GENERATED ROWID COLUMN for LOB in a base table

LOB

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help
DB2 Admin -- DSNC Columns in Table DBA104.BOOK_BASE > ----- Row 1 to 5 of 5
Command ==> _ Scroll ==> PAGE

Line commands:
T - Tables X - Indexes A - Auth GR - Grant H - Homonyms I - Interpret
UR - Update runstats LAB - Label COM - Comment DI - Distribution stats
? - Show all line commands

Select Column Name          Col No Col Type Length Scale Null Def FP Col Card
      *          * *          *          * *      * *
-----> -----
BOOK_NUMBER                 1 CHAR      10      0 N    Y    N      -1
DESCRIPTION                 2 CHAR      32      0 N    Y    N      -1
BOOK_TEXT                   3 CLOB       4      0 N    N    N      -1
BOOK_COVER                   4 BLOB       4      0 N    N    N      -1
DB2_GENERATED_ROWID         5 ROWID      17      0 N    A    N      -1
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****

```

A - ROWID ALWAYS

- ✓ ROWID is defined as a varchar 17
- ✓ Only 1 ROWID column – even if there are multiple LOB columns
- ✓ ROWID is a unique and permanent identifier for ea. row in the base table



# AUXR Display Associated AUX Data Columns

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help
DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 3 of 3
Command ==>
Scroll ==> CSR

Commands: GRANT MIG
Line commands:
C - Columns A - Auth L - List
V - Views T - Tables P - Plan
? - Show all line commands

Sel Name Schema
-----
BOOK_BASE_TABLE DBA104
BOOK_BASE_TABLE2 DBA104
BOOK_BASE_TABLE3 DBA104
*****

```

**A** **aUXR**

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help
DB2 Admin ----- DB1S AUX cols for: DBA104.BOOK_B Row 1 to 2 of 2
Command ==> _
Scroll ==> PAGE

Line commands: T - Table C - Column

Auxiliary Table: DBA104.BOOK_BASE_TABLE3
S Owner Name Column Part
* * * *
DBA104 BOOK_BOOK_AVZK0CR2 BOOK_TEXT 1
DBA104 BOOK_BOOK_AVZL1K74 BOOK_COVER 1
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****

```

MR a  
Connected to remote server/host demomvs.demopkg.ibm.com using lu/pool TCP000

Display of the LOB columns defined in the base table

## New Table – Put an **S** to list the table space DB2 created

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 3 of 3  
Command ==>

Commands: GRANT MIG  
Line commands:  
C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - In  
V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - S  
? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T	DB
*		*	*	*
	BOOK_BASE_TABLE	DBA104	T	LOB
	BOOK_BASE_TABLE2	DBA104	T	DSN
	BOOK_BASE_TABLE3	DBA104	T	DSN

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Table Spaces ----- Row 1 to 1 of 1  
Command ==>

Commands: GRANT MIG DIS STA STO  
Line commands:  
T - Tables D - Database A - Auth G - Storage group ICS - Image copy  
DIS - Display table space STA - Start table space STO - Stop table space  
? - Show all line commands

Select	Name	DB Name	Parts	Bpool	L	E	S	I	C	Tables	Act.	pages	Segsz	T	L
*		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	BOOKRBAS	DSN04910	1	BP1	R	N	A	Y	Y	1		-1	4	G	Y

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*

Universal TS PBG for the base tablespace

## AUX – Display Auxiliary Objects

**Session A - [24 x 80]**

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 3 of 3  
 Command ==>

Commands: GRANT MIG  
 Line commands:  
 C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space D - Database  
 V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select prototyping  
 ? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T	DB
*	*	*	*	*
	BOOK_BASE_TABLE	DBA104	T	LO
	BOOK_BASE_TABLE2	DBA104	T	DS
aux	BOOK_BASE_TABLE3	DBA104	T	DS

\*\*\*\*\* END OF \*\*\*\*\*

**Session A - [24 x 80]**

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 2 of 2  
 Command ==>

Commands: GRANT MIG  
 Line commands:  
 C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space D - Database  
 V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select prototyping  
 ? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T	DB	Name	TS	Cols	Rows	Checks
	BOOK_BOOK_AVZK0CR2	DBA104	X	DSN04910	LAVZJJL7		3	-1	0
	BOOK_BOOK_AVZL1K74	DBA104	X	DSN04910	LAVZKSAY		3	-1	0

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*

**Annotations:**

- A**: Points to the 'X' in the 'T' column, indicating an auxiliary table.
- B**: Points to the 'S' in the 'TS' column, indicating the tablespace.
- C**: Points to the 'DSN04910' in the 'DB' column, indicating the database name.

**Names are automatically generated by DB2**

**Drill up to the tablespace**

**TBNAME is 1st 5 characters of the the base table name. 2nd 5 characters are the 1st 5 characters of the LOB column name. The last 8 characters are randomly generated**

# CREATE / ALTER TABLE w/ XML Column(s)

XML

Session A - [24 x 80]

File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help

DB2 Admin -- DB1S Columns in Table TEAM77.BOOK\_BASE > ----- Row 1 to 4 of 4  
Command ==> \_ Scroll ==> CSR

Line commands:  
T - Tables X - Indexes A - Auth GR - Grant H - Homonyms I - Interpret  
UR - Update runstats LAB - Label COM - Comment DI - Distribution stats  
? - Show all line commands

Select	Column Name	Col No	Col Type	Length	Scale	Null	Def	FP	Col Card
*		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
----->									
	BOOK_NUMBER	1	CHAR	12	0	N	Y	N	-1
	DESCRIPTION	2	CHAR	32	0	N	Y	N	-1
	BOOK TEXT	3	XML	6	0	N	N	N	-1
	DB2_GENERATED_DOCID	4	BIGINT	8	0	Y	K	N	-1

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*

K - DOCID column for XML

- DB2 generated *DOCID* column for XML columns
- BIGINT* data type
- 1 *DOCID* - even if there are multiple XML columns

MA a  
Connected

# XML Objects

Implicitly defined XML Tables are stored in SYSTABLES as a type P

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help
DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ---- Row 1 to 1 of 1
Command ==> _ Scroll ==> CSR

Commands: GRANT MIG ALL
Line commands:
C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space D - Database
V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select prototyping
? - Show all line commands

Sel Name Schema T DB Name TS Name Cols Rows Checks
-----
XBOOK_BASE_TABLE TEAM77 P TD77LOBD XB000000 3 -1 0
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****
  
```

Table space name is automatically generated by DB2

- Table name is automatically generated by DB2
- Appended an X to the front of the base table name



# Display of LOB/XML related objects using Admin Tool-DS command

Session A - [24 x 80]

File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Database Structures ----- Row 1 to 10 of 10  
 Command ==> \_ Scroll ==> PAGE

Line commands: S - Show object DSN - Data sets

Sel	Type	Object Name	Qualifier	DBID	PSID/ ISOBID	OBID	Note
*	*		*	*	*	*	*
D-----		DSN05085-----		4160	0	0	
S		BOOKRBAS	DSN05085	4160	2	1	UTS - PBG
T		BOOK_BASE_TBLE_V92	DBA104	4160	0	3	
X		I_DOCIDBOOK_BASE_T	DBA104	4160	17	16	
S		LBYCCOSY	DSN05085	4160	5	4	LOB
T		BOOK_BOOK_BYCDJETR	DBA104	4160	0	6	Auxiliary
X		IBOOK_BOOK_BYCEQUF	DBA104	4160	9	8	
S		XB000000	DSN05085	4160	11	10	XML
T		XBOOK_BASE_TBLE_V92	DBA104	4160	0	12	XML
X		I_NODEIDXBOOK_BASE	DBA104	4160	15	14	

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*

**LOB / XML**

MA a 02/015

Connected to remote server/host demomvs.demopkg.ibm.com using lu/pool TCP00027 and port 23



# Display associated XML data column

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S Tables, Views, and Aliases ---- Row 1 to 1 of 1

Command ==>

Scroll ==> DATA

Commands: GRANT MIG ALL

Line commands:

C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space D - Database

V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select

? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T DB Name	TS Name	Cols
*	*	*	*	*	*
-----					
xmlr	CUSTOMER	DSN8910	T DSN8D91X	DSN8S91X	4
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****					

DB2 Admin ----- DB1S XML Cols for: DSN8910.CUSTOMER

Command ==>

"RFIND " is not active

Line commands: T - Table C - Column

XML Tbl	XML Tbl
S Schema	Name
*	*
-----	
DSN8910	XCUSTOMER
DSN8910	XCUSTOMER000
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****	

## DROP LOB / XML Objects

## \_LOB & xm

### ▪ LOB

– DROP objects created (**CURRENT RULE = 'STD'** or without In clause)

- Enforcing PK index
- Enforcing unique key index
- Index on ROWID column on base table if applicable
- Auxiliary Table
- Auxiliary Index
- TS for base table and auxiliary table



– DROP base table or base table space **manually created**

- Auxiliary table and auxiliary index are dropped
- **LOB tablespace definition remains**

### ▪ XML

– DROP base table or base table space

- Auxiliary XML table and auxiliary XML indexes are dropped



## DROP IMPACT REPORT from Admin Tool

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help
[Icons]

DB2 Admin ----- DSNCR DROP Impact Analysis Details ----- Row 1 to 8 of 8
Command ==> _ Scroll ==> CSR

SQL Statement: DROP TABLE          "DBA104"."BOOK_BASE_TABLE3"

Commands: RE-SORT DROP
Line commands: S - Show object DRD - DROP RESTRICT on DROP

Sel Type  Object Name/Grantor>Grantee Owner  Note
*         *                               *
-----
S         DSNDB04.BOOK1NL2             DBA104  Implicit
T         BOOK_BASE_TABLE3            DBA104
S         DSNDB04.LA08310B             DBA104  LOB
T         BOOK_BOOK_A0841Z70          DBA104  Aux. Table
X         IBOOK_BOOK_A084FTW          DBA104
S         DSNDB04.LA08348S             DBA104  LOB
T         BOOK_BOOK_A083TRE7          DBA104  Aux. Table
X         IBOOK_BOOK_A0837I6          DBA104
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****

Display dependent auxiliary tables and indexes for LOB objects

```

MR a 02/015

Connected to remote server/host demomvs.demopkg.ibm.com using lu/pool TCP00009 and port 23

## Restrict Virtual Storage use by LOB- zPARMS

Default bufferpool for user LOB data . . . . .	BP0	(TBSBPLOB	) *
Default bufferpool for user XML data . . . . .	BP16K0	(TBSBPXML	) *
Contract CT long storage pool . . . . .	NO	(CONTSTOR	) *
Manage stg to minimize size . . . . .	YES	(MINSTOR	) *
Kilobytes for LOB values . . . . .	10240	(LOBVALA	) *
Megabytes for LOB values . . . . .	4096	(LOBVALS	) *
Maximum number of LE tokens . . . . .	20	(LEMAX	)
Max KB storage per user for XML values . . . . .	204800	(XMLVALA	) *
Max MB storage per system for XML values . . . . .	10240	(XMLVALS	) *

**LOBVALA** – upper limit for amount of variable storage that each USER can have for storing LOB values

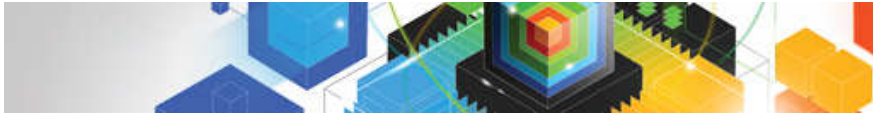
**LOBVALS** – upper limit for the amount of variable storage each system can have for storing LOB values in megabytes

## Restrict Virtual Storage use by XML- zPARMS

Default bufferpool for user LOB data . . . . .	BP0	(TBSBPLOB	) *
Default bufferpool for user XML data . . . . .	BP16K0	(TBSBPXML	) *
Contract CT long storage pool . . . . .	NO	(CONTSTOR	) *
Manage stg to minimize size . . . . .	YES	(MINSTOR	) *
Kilobytes for LOB values . . . . .	10240	(LOBVALA	) *
Megabytes for LOB values . . . . .	4096	(LOBVALS	) *
Maximum number of LE tokens . . . . .	20	(LEMAX	)
Max KB storage per user for XML values . . . . .	204800	(XMLVALA	) *
Max MB storage per system for XML values . . . . .	10240	(XMLVALS	) *

**XMLVALA** – upper limit for amount of memory that each thread can have for processing XML data (recommendation is to set at least 4x the max document size)

**XMLVALS** – upper limit for the amount of memory that each subsystem can have for processing XML data (set to max # threads \* 2gb or XMLVALA)



## Performance Enhancement of DB2 10- Inline LOB

- Prior: A LOB value is housed in a separate table and table space
- DB2 10: A portion of the LOB value can be stored with the base table data
- LOBs of “smallish” size may fit entirely
  - **Performance improvement**
- Inline portion can be used in an index on expression



## Inline LOB example- using DB2 Admin Tool

DB2 Admin ----- DSNB Alter Table ----- 18:53

Command ==>

```

Column name . . MYLOB          > (? to look up)
Column type  . . CLOB          (Built-in only)
Data length  . . 1000         (Built-in only)
Inline length . 200           (0-32680 BLOB or CLOB, 0-16340 DBCLOB)
Precision    . .              (used only w/FLOAT and DECIMAL)
Scale        . .              (used only w/DECIMAL and TIMESTAMP)
Type schema  . .              > (User-defined only)
Type name    . .              > (User-defined only)
WITH TIME ZONE .              (Yes/No - for TIMESTAMP only)

Allow nulls  . . YES (Yes or blank-nullable, No-NOT NULL)
FOR ? DATA  . .      (B-Bit, S-SBCS, M-Mixed, blank-N/A)
WITH DEFAULT . . YES (Yes, No, L (SECLABEL) or enter value below)
Default value . .              >
GENERATED    . . (A-ALWAYS,          D-DEFAULT,
                  I-ALWAYS AS IDENTITY, J-DEFAULT AS IDENTITY,
                  E-ALWAYS AS UPD TIMESTAMP, F-DEFAULT AS UPD TIMESTAMP,
                  Q-ALWAYS AS ROW BEGIN,   R-ALWAYS AS ROW END,
                  X-ALWAYS AS TRANSACTION START ID)
  
```

FIELDPROC

**Alter table to convert to or add a LOB column**

### •DB2 Object Comparison Tool

**•Inline LOB column length can be changed using masking**

**•UDT with inline length can be compared**

**•Inline length can be ignored using ignore**

# DB2 Admin Tool V10.1 INLINE LOB

```

Session A - [24 x 80]
File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help

DB2 Admin ----- DSNB System Parameters - Application Programming ----- 08:40
Command ==>

DB2 System: DSNB
DB2 SQL ID: DNET018
More: -

Optimization hints allowed . . . . . NO (OPTHINTS ) *
Enables data retrieval from index key . . . . . NO (RETVLCFK ) *
Release cursor with hold locks . . . . . (RELCURHL ) *
Upper limit on the degree of parallelism . . . . . 0 (PARAMDEG )
Allow update of partitioning Key . . . . . (PARTKEYU ) *
Always use EDM best fit . . . . . (EDMBFIT ) *
Default subsystem ID . . . . . DSNB (SSID )
Eval during uncommitted data . . . . . NO (EVALUNC ) *
Pad null-terminated string . . . . . NO (PADNTSTR )
Enable PQ39223 optimizer enhancements . . . . . (OPTNTJP )
Default padding for new indexes . . . . . NO (PADIX ) *
Default for CURRENT REFRESH AGE special register . . . . . 0 (REFSHAGE ) *
Current maintained table types for optimization . . . . . SYSTEM (MAINTYPE ) *
Star join queries . . . . . ENABLE (STARJOIN ) *
Star join max pool . . . . . (SJMXPPOOL ) *
Enable new function mode indicator . . . . . YES (NEWFUN )
Implicit timezone . . . . . CURRENT (IMPLICIT_TIMEZ.)
Inline LOB length . . . . . 0 (LOB_INLINE_LEN.)

```

MA a 02/015

Connected to remote server/host demomvs.demopkg.ibm.com using lu/pool TCP00025 and port 23

## What's Temporal Table

- Retain historical copies of a row –SYSTEM\_TIME
  - **When updated, created and deleted**
- Maintain rows based upon business-determined periods - BUSINESS\_TIME
- **Bi-temporal table – is both a System Period and Application Temporal Table**
- Can query data “as of” a point in time
- **One of the major improvements in DB2 10 is to reduce the**
  - complexity and amount of coding needed to implement “versioned” data, data that has different values at different points in time
- XML & LOB support temporal data.

## Temporal tables - Example

```
CREATE TABLE EMPDDB
(Empname VARCHAR (40),
Salary INTEGER,
SysTmSta TS(12) NN GENERATED ALWAYS AS ROW BEGIN,
SysTmEnd TS(12) NN GENERATED ALWAYS AS ROW END, ..
PERIOD SYSTEM_TIME (SysTmSta, SysTmEnd));
```

```
CREATE TABLE EMPHIST
(Empname VARCHAR (40),
Salary INTEGER,
SysTmSta TS(12)
SysTmEnd TS(12) .. )
;
```

Step	Date	Activity
1	6/15/2007	New Employee Hired
2	6/15/2008	Employee Gets Salary Raise
3	9/15/2008	Employee quits

```
ALTER TABLE ADD VERSIONING USE HISTOY TABLE EMPHIST
```

Empname	Salary	SysTmSta	SysTmEnd
---------	--------	----------	----------

```
INSERT INTO EMPDDB
```

```
VALUES ('John Smith', '75000')
```

Empname	Salary	SysTmSta	SysTmEnd
John Smith	75000	6/15/2007	12/31/9999

Current Row

```
UPDATE EMPDDB
```

```
SET Salary=Salary+5000
WHERE Empname='John Smith'
```

Empname	Salary	SysTmSta	SysTmEnd
John Smith	75000	6/15/2007	6/15/2008
John Smith	80000	6/15/2008	12/31/9999

History Row

Current Row

```
DELETE FROM EMPDDB
```

```
WHERE Empname = 'John Smith'
```

Empname	Salary	SysTmSta	SysTmEnd
John Smith	75000	6/15/2007	6/15/2008
John Smith	80000	6/15/2008	9/15/2008

History Row

History Row

## Create Temporal table -using Admin Tool- specify begin & end dates

```

ADB26CUU  ----- VA1A Create Table Column Number      5 ----- 10:34
Command ==>

CREATE TABLE                                     Schema . . . ADMR2      >
Column name . . . SYS_STA                        > Name . . . CUST_COVERAGE      >
Data type . . . TIMESTMP                        > (Column number      5)
Data length . . .                               > (Built-in only)
INLINE LENGTH . .                               > (Built-in only)
Precision . . .                                 > (0-32680 BLOB or CLOB, 0-16340 DBCLOB)
Scale . . . 12                                  > (FLOAT and DECIMAL only)
Type schema . . .                               >
Type name . . .                               >
WITH TIME ZONE . . NO
Allow Nulls . . . NO (Yes or blank--nullable, No-NOT NULL)
FOR ? DATA . . . (B-Bit, S-SBCS, M-Mixed, blank-N/A)
WITH DEFAULT . . . (Yes, No, L (SECLABEL) or enter value below)
Default value . .
GENERATED . . . Q (A-ALWAYS, D-DEFAULT,
                  I-ALWAYS AS IDENTITY, J-DEFAULT AS IDENTITY,
                  E-ALWAYS AS UPD TIMESTAMP, E-DEFAULT AS UPD TIMESTAMP,
                  Q-ALWAYS AS ROW BEGIN, R-ALWAYS AS ROW END,
                  X-ALWAYS AS TRANSACTION START ID)

FIELDPROC
Program name . . (Optional)
Program parm . .
Hidden . . . NO (Yes/No)

```

**Specify BEGIN and END dates as GENERATED ALWAYS**

# Create Temporal table -using Admin Tool- specify system or business period

```

ADB26CTF ----- VA1A Create Table Columns ----- Row 1 to 9 of 9
Command ==> Scroll ==> CSR

Sc
Na  ADB26TOP ----- VA1A Create Table Options -----
Co  Enter values and
Li
I  EDITPROC . . . . .
Se  VALIDPROC . . . . .
--  AUDIT . . . . . (None, Changes, or All)
*   DATA CAPTURE . . . . . (None/Changes)
*   CCSID . . . . . (EBCDIC, UNICODE, ASCII)
*   RESTRICT ON DROP . . . . . (Yes/No)
*   VOLATILE . . . . . (Yes/No)
*   APPEND . . . . . (Yes/No)
*   PBG size . . . . . (in GB)
*   PRP . . . . . (Yes/No)
*   System period . . . . . YES
*   Business period . . . . . YES
*
*   BUS_END          DATE          4      0 N      N      9 INSERT
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****

```

**System Time, Business Time or Both**

System period . . . . . YES  
Business period . . . . . YES



## Create Temporal tables –Example- Admin Tool

```

ADB26CTF ----- DSNB Create Table Columns ----- Row 1 to 5 of 5
Command ==> Scroll ==> CSR

Schema . . . J148286 > Database . . . J148286
Name . . . EMPDB > Table space . .

Commands : CREATE PRIMKEY TBLOPTS PART HASH
Line commands: M - Move A - After B - Before
Inn - Insert U - Update D - Delete Rnn - Repeat

                                Operation
Select Column Name      Col Type      Length Scale Null D Col No Type
*                        *              * *      * *      * *
-----> -----
NAME                     CHAR          8      0 N      N      1
SALARY                   SMALLINT      2      0 N      N      2
START_TIME               Timestmp     13     12 N      Q      3
END_TIME                 Timestmp     13     12 N      R      4
TID                      Timestmp     13     12 Y      X      5
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****

```

The base table has columns with temporal attributes

Q –AS ROW BEGIN

R –AS ROW END

X –AS  
TRANSACTION  
START ID

Any System Time columns can be defined as Implicitly Hidden

## Create Example- Temporal History Table using Admin Tool

```
ADB26CTF ----- DSNB Create Table Columns ----- Row 1 to 5 of 5
Command ==> Scroll ==> CSR

Schema . . . J148286 > Database . . . J148286
Name . . . EMPHIST > Table space . .

Commands : CREATE PRIMKEY TBLOPTS PART HASH
Line commands: M - Move A - After B - Before
Inn - Insert U - Update D - Delete Rnn - Repeat

Select Column Name      Col Type      Length Scale Null D Col No Type      Operation
*                      *              *      * *      *      * *
-----> -----> -----> -----> -----> ----->
NAME                    CHAR          8        0 N      N        1
SALARY                  SMALLINT      2        0 N      N        2
START_TIME              TIMESTMP     13       12 N      N        3
END_TIME                TIMESTMP     13       12 N      N        4
TID                    TIMESTMP     13       12 Y      Y        5
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****
```

- The **history** table has the same columns but without temporal attributes

# Alter table for Temporal Table –Admin Tool

```

ADB21TA n ----- DSNAL Alter Table ----- 17:23
Command ===>

Table schema . . . : J148286 >
Table name . . . : TEMPORAL_TABLE >

AUDIT . . . . . NONE      (None, Changes, or All)
DATA CAPTURE . . . . NONE  (None/Changes)
VALIDPROC . . . . . NULL   (NULL/Program name)
RESTRICT ON DROP . . NO    (Yes/No)
VOLATILE . . . . . NO      (Yes/No)
APPEND . . . . . NO        (Yes/No)

ALTER TABLE with any of the above changes OR select one of the options below

ADD column                                ADD MATERIALIZED QUERY
ADD PRIMARY KEY                          DROP MATERIALIZED QUERY
DROP PRIMARY KEY                         REFRESH MATERIALIZED TABLE
ADD FOREIGN KEY                          ADD PARTITIONING KEY
DROP FOREIGN KEY                         ADD PARTITION
ADD CHECK constraint                     ADD CLONE
DROP CHECK constraint                    DROP CLONE
ADD UNIQUE constraint                    ADD VERSIONING
DROP UNIQUE constraint                   DROP VERSIONING
/ ADD PERIOD

ACTIVATE COLUMN ACCESS CONTROL           ACTIVATE ROW ACCESS CONTROL
DEACTIVATE COLUMN ACCESS CONTROL          DEACTIVATE ROW ACCESS CONTROL
ADD COLUMN MASK                          ADD ROW PERMISSION
DROP COLUMN MASK                         DROP ROW PERMISSION
  
```

- **Alter the table**
- **ADD PERIOD**
  - Add the **SYSTEM\_TIME** period attribute
- **ADD VERSIONING**
  - Begins versioning the data on DML
- **DROP VERSIONING**
  - Removes versioning of data

## Alter Table to add Period (system time) for Temporal Data from Admin Tool

```
ADBPTAP n ----- DSNB Add Period ----- 10:48
Command ===>

ALTER TABLE "J148286"."EMPDB"
ADD PERIOD

Type . . . . . S (S-SYSTEM TIME or B-BUSINESS TIME)

Start column name . . START_TIME > (? to lookup)
End column name . . . END_TIME > (? to lookup)
```

- Alter the table
- ADD PERIOD to add the SYSTEM\_TIME or BUSINESS\_TIME period

# Alter Table to add Versioning to associate Temporal Data with History table -Admin Tool

```
ADBPTAV n ----- DSNB Add Versioning ----- 10:48
Command ===>

ALTER TABLE "J148286"."EMPDB"
ADD VERSIONING USE HISTORY TABLE

Table schema . . J148286 > (Optional, default is J148286)
Table name . . . EMPHIST > (? to lookup)
```

- Alter the table
- ADD VERSIONING
- Choose the table to become the history table

## Display of columns for the Bi-Temporal Table-Admin Tool

```
DB2 Admin -- DSNT Columns in Table IOD07S.POLICY          ----- Row 1 to 8 of 8
Command ==> _                                           Scroll ==> PAGE

Line commands:
T - Tables  X - Indexes  A - Auth  GR - Grant  H - Homonyms  I - Interpret
UR - Update runstats  LAB - Label  COM - Comment  DI - Distribution stats
? - Show all line commands

Select Column Name          Col No Col Type Length Scale  Null Def FP      Col Card
      *                * *                *      * *      * *      *
-----
CLIENT                     1 CHAR           4         0 N      N      N      1
TYPE                       2 CHAR           4         0 N      N      N      3
COPAY                      3 SMALLINT        2         0 N      N      N      2
EFF_BEG                    4 DATE            4         0 N      N      N      5
EFF_END                    5 DATE            4         0 N      N      N      5
SYS_BEG                    6 TIMESTMP       13        12 N      Q      N      2
SYS_END                    7 TIMESTMP       13        12 N      R      N      1
TRANS_ID                   8 TIMESTMP       13        12 Y      X      N      2
***** END OF DB2 DATA *****
```

## Display associated Temporal history table from Admin Tool

ADB21T in ----- DSNB Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 1 of 1  
 Command ==> Scroll ==> DATA

Commands: GRANT MIG ALL

Line commands:

C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space  
 V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select p  
 ? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T DB Name	TS Name	Cols
	*	*	* *	*	*
-----					
HIST	POLICY_INFO	DDS0301	T DSN00118	POLICYRI	5

END OF DB2 DATA

BASE- Display associated base table

H - History table

ADB21T in ----- DSNB Tables, Views, and Aliases ----- Row 1 to 1 of 1  
 Command ==> Scroll ==> DATA

Commands: GRANT MIG ALL

Line commands:

C - Columns A - Auth L - List X - Indexes S - Table space D - Database  
 V - Views T - Tables P - Plans Y - Synonyms SEL - Select prototyping  
 ? - Show all line commands

Sel	Name	Schema	T DB Name	TS Name	Cols	Rows	Chks	C
	*	*	* *	*	*	*	*	*
-----								
BASE	HIST_POLICY_INFO	DDS0301	H DSN00119	HISTRPOL	5	0	0	

\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DATA \*\*\*\*\*



## Benefits of using temporal tables ...

- **Move the logic from application layer to database layer**
- Consistent handling of temporal data
- **Reduce Application development time by up to 10x**
- **Run current applications with no code change**
- **Preserve execution time for current queries going after**
  - current data (System Time)
- Business Problems you can solve with temporal tables
  - Ensure that a customer only has one financial position at a given time
    - Was an insured covered for a procedure on a specific date?
    - Was that information correct at the time the claim was processed?
  - Answer a customer complaint about an old bill
  - ... and many, many more

## DB2 Admin Tool V10.1 Temporal Table

### What Customers' Appreciate about DB2 System Time and Versioning

- Simplicity of enabling History generation in DB2 10
  - DDL change to add system time begin and end columns, TranID begin time
  - Define schema matching history table
  - Hook up current and history tables
- Non-disruptive Enablement
  - Existing applications continues to work on current table
- Flexibility for History tables
  - may be managed differently
  - may be indexed differently
- Customers can **satisfy new compliance laws** faster and cheaper
- **For clients with existing history and history generation processes**
  - Simplification of the process of history generation – both enablement and maintenance
  - Preservation of investment –alter history tables into DB2 history tables

## Browsing/Editing Business Time data “AS OF” with DB2 Table Editor

```

ETI$EDIT V4R3 ----- Edit Table Rows
Option ==> _

Table ==> POLICY_INFO      >      Creator ==> PDI

-----

Cmd S POLICY_ID COVERAGE      BUS_START  BUS_END
-----
A123      12,000 01/01/2008 06/01/2008
A123      13,000 06/01/2008 07/01/2008
A123      14,000 07/01/2008 08/01/2008
A123      15,000 08/01/2008 01/01/2009
***** Bottom of Data *****
  
```

**Select from multiple time periods**

```

ETI$DPSC V4R3 ----- Select Columns
Option ==> _      Scroll ==> CSR

Saved Table Profile exists N (Y or N) Location ==>
And/Or on Where Clause A
Long or Short Data Types L (L or S) Creator
Omit Business Time Columns N Table

Retrieve Data As Of: 06/15/2008

-----

Select Ord Srt Frz Type      Column Name      Where Clause
-----
1      A      N      CHAR(4)      POLICY_ID
2      A      N      INTEGER      COVERAGE
3      1      A      N      DATE      BUS_START
4      A      N      DATE      BUS_END
***** Bottom of Data *****
  
```

**Retrieve Business Time data AS OF specific date**



## Temporal Table-System Period Versioning Considerations

- **Base and History tables must be RECOVERed as a set**
  - **VERIFYSET NO can override the need to RECOVER together**
- **No utility operations that deletes data from base table**
  - **LOAD REPLACE**
  - **REORG DISCARD**
  - **CHECK DATA DELETE YES**
- **No CHECK utilities that invalidate AUX/LOB/XML**
- **Cannot ALTER the schema while versioning**
- **No temporal SELECT, UPDATE, or DELETE against the History**
- **Cannot be an MQT**
- **Cannot have a Clone Table, Column Mask, Row Permission**



# Managing LOB, XML & Bi-Temporal Data using DB2 Utilities

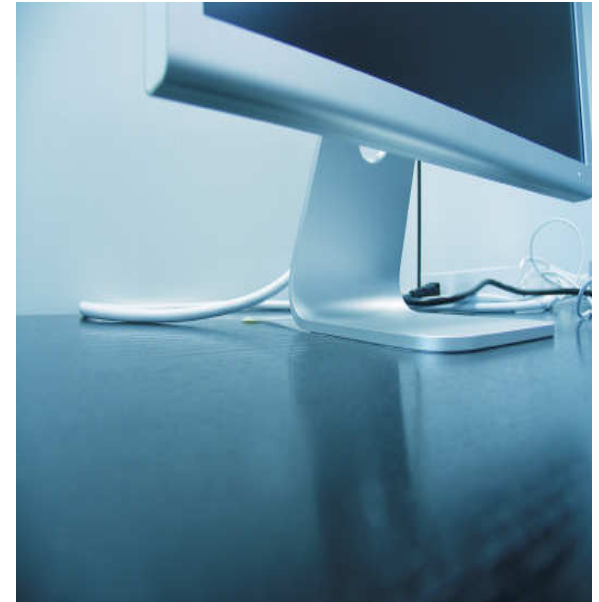
## DB2 Utilities Suite 10

- COPY( Full, Incremental, Concurrent, FlashCopy), RECOVER (with VERIFYSET, ENFORCE, BACKOUT), REORG with AUX YES/NO, RUNSTATS & autonomic statistics
- CHECK DATA /INDEX /LOB with SHRLEVEL CHANGE, REPAIR, REPORT Table
- LOAD and UNLOAD, with file reference variable & spanned format
- Load with PERIODOVERRIDE and TRANSIDOVERRIDE to reload into temporal table columns that are defined as GENERATED ALWAYS.
- LISTDEF ALL to support all related objects including XML/LOB & HISTORY option to support History for Temporal data
- **Restriction:**
  - **DSN1COPY can't be** used to copy XML table spaces from one subsystem to another, since DB2 XML data is condensed by substituting strings by unique IDs which are stored in SYSIBM.SYSXMLSTRINGS and are not available in the XML table space. (Use Migrate function of DB2 Admin Tool to copy DDL, Data or Runstats)



## Unloading a LOB/XML

- Application
  - Host Variable
    - Enough application storage to retrieve the entire document
  - LOB Locators for LOB (extracting in pieces)
  - SQL FETCH WITH CONTINUE & FETCH CURRENT CONTINUE
  - File Reference Variable
- DB2 UNLOAD Utility or HPU (High performance Unload)
  - Normal Output record along with the data from non-LOB/XML, can't be > 32K
  - SPANNED format in DB2 10, can be of any size
  - File Reference Variable with Template
  - Always unload from the base table





## DB2 9 File Reference Variables

### LOB / XML

- Used to import / export data between a LOB/XML column and an external file outside of DB2
- Can be used to retrieve an entire LOB/XML.
- Use less CPU and avoid using application storage
- Bypasses any restrictions of the program language
- 3 types
  - BLOB\_FILE
  - CLOB\_FILE
  - DBCLOB\_FILE
- Supported by LOAD / UNLOAD
- External files can be PDS/PDSE or HSF files
- Application

# UNLOAD SYNTAX

## LOB & XML

TEMPLATE LOBFRV1 DSN 'UN.&DB..&TS..RESUME'

DSNTYPE(PDS) UNIT(SYSDA)

TEMPLATE LOBFRV2 DSN 'UN.&DB..&TS..PHOTO'

DSNTYPE(PDS) UNIT(SYSDA)

UNLOAD DATA FROM TABLE DSN8910.EMP\_PHOTO\_RESUME

(EMPNO CHAR(6),

RESUME VARCHAR(255) CLOBF LOBFRV1,

PHOTO VARCHAR(255) BLOBF LOBFRV2)

SHRLEVEL CHANGE

## OUTPUT

```
"000001","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX3JT)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX3JT)"
"000002","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5BS)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5BS)"
"000003","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5CC)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5CC)"
"000004","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5CK)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5CK)"
```

...

❖ Generate UNLOD utility using Automation Tool or Admin Tool or use HPU

# Populating a LOB/XML

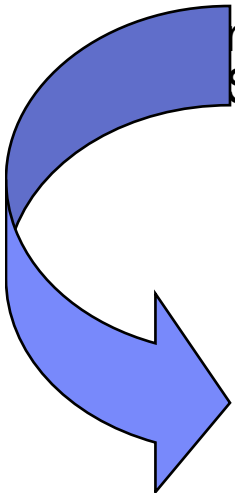
- LOAD utility

1. **Basic LOAD utility: Objects** ( includes non-LOB/XML + LOB/XML data )

- Loads data as normal fields from the LOAD input file
- Always LOAD into the base table
- DB2 loads LOB to auxiliary table and XML to XML table
- Use SPANNED option if the input file is created in a SPANNED format

2. Using **file reference variables** when each LOB/XML value is a member in a separate input file (DB2 9) (PDS/PDSE or HSF or Spanned)

- Normal input file
  - Contains the data for the non-LOB/XML columns and the names of the LOB/XML input files (BLOBF, CLOBF, DBCLOBF)
  - LOAD syntax contains the names of the input files for LOB/XML
  - Base data + file names for LOB/XML data cannot > 32k
- LOB/XML input file
  - Can be PDS, HFS directory
  - Contains the entire LOB/XML value



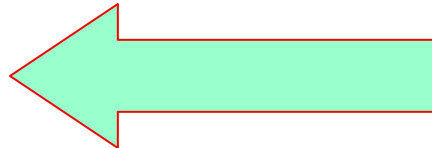
# LOAD Syntax for using File Reference Variables

Names of the files containing the LOB / XML column values

//SYSREC DD \*

1 "000001","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX3JT)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX3JT)"  
 "000002","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5BS)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5BS)"  
 "000003","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5CC)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5CC)"  
 "000004","UN.DB1.TS1.RESUME(AI3WX5CK)","UN.DB1.TS1.PHOTO(AI3WX5CK)"

LOAD DATA FORMAT DELIMITED  
 INTO TABLE MY\_EMP\_PHOTO\_RESUME  
 (EMPNO CHAR,  
**RESUME VARCHAR CLOBF,**  
**PHOTO VARCHAR BLOBF)**



DB2 Administration Tool generates LOAD JCL using Template for file reference

## Populating (LOADING) a LOB/XML

### 3. For LOB only, Cross Loader (load data directly from another table)

- LOB value can be > 32k
- DB2 uses a separate buffer for the LOB data – above the 16mb line

#### ■ Application – INSERT

- Use a host variable large enough to hold the entire LOB/XML value
- Use File Reference variables (DB2 9)
- For XML, INSERT/UPDATE with or without schema validation



## DB2 CHECK UTILITY to check consistency for LOB/XML

AUXERROR / LOBERROR / XMLERROR REPORT/INVALIDATE

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	LOB	XML
<b>CHECK DATA SHRLEVEL reference/change</b>	<b>Check <u>consistency</u> between a base table space and any associated LOB or XML table spaces. Report on <u>missing</u> LOBs &amp; XML.</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b> With INCLUDE XML TABLESPACES
<b>CHECK INDEX SHRLEVEL reference/change</b>	<b>Check consistency of indexes with data to which the index points</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b>
<b>CHECK LOB (SHRLEVEL reference/change)</b>	<b>Checks consistency of a LOB table space (structural defects). Checks validity.  Doesn't report on <u>missing</u> LOBs</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>N/A</b>

❖ **Generate Check utility using DB2 Admin Tool**

## Why do you need to REORG a LOB / XML table space or auxiliary index?

- Performance
- Reclaim physical space
- Improve clustering

**SHRLEVEL NONE** – REORG is done in place  
**SHRLEVEL REFERENCE/CHANGE** – uses a shadow data set  
**RECOMMENDED METHOD** for REORG LOB/XML TS

## ***How do you know when to REORG a LOB or XML?***

- ORGRATIO and FREESPACE in SYSLOBSTATS for LOB
- DSNUM and EXTENTS in SYSTABLEPART
- DSNUM, EXTENTS, LEAFNEAR, LEAFFAR, and PSEUDO\_DEL\_ENTRIES in SYSINDEXPART
- REORGINSERTS, REORGDLETES, REORGUPDATES, REORGDISORGLOB, REORGMASDELETE, and EXTENTS in SYSTABLESPACES
- DISORGED\_LOBS, DISORGED\_LOBS\_PCT from Real Time Stats



# Display LOB statistics to determine if Reorg is required-Admin Tool

Session B - [24 x 80]

File Edit View Communication Actions Window Help

DB2 Admin -- DSNCL OLB Stat for DSN8D81L.DSN8S81M ----- Row 1 to 1 of 1

Command ===> \_

Line commands:  
I - Interpret RH - Runstats History

Sel Date/Time of Update	Avg Size	Free Space	Org Ratio
2007-06-29-05.47.40	63117	2540	100.00

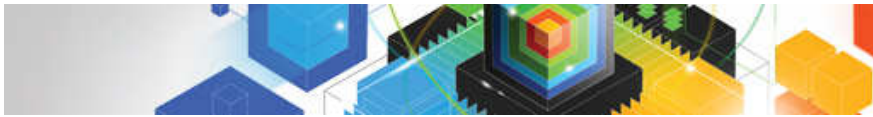
\*\*\*\*\* END OF DB2 DNTN \*\*\*\*\*

**LOB ts only**

**FREESPACE** – amount of space available for more LOBS (in KB)  
 • Updates LOBS are written out – their old space becomes free  
 • As FREESPACE approaches 0 → time to RESIZE using REORG SHRLEVEL REF

**ORG RATIO**  
 100 = Perfect organization  
 1 = Disorganized  
 0 = Fully disorganized

02/015



## Reorg considerations for LOB/XML Table Space

- REORG of a base table space does not result in a reorganization of the auxiliary LOB/XML objects
- FOR XML, must specify the name of the auxiliary XML object or LISTDEF with XML/ALL or for LOB specify AUX YES
- For XML TS, cannot specify
  - DISCARD
  - REBALANCE
  - UNLOAD EXTERNAL
- Must also specify the WORKDDN keyword
- When LOADING XML data, compression only occurs at the time of the REORG
- ❖ **DB2 Automation Tool generates appropriate REORG JCL based on exceptions**



# Managing LOB, XML & Bi-Temporal Data using IBM DB2 Tools

## **IBM DB2 Tools:**

- **Drive immediate DB2 10 out-of-the-box Performance Savings**
- **Fast Data Unload**
  - DB2 High Performance Unload (supports LOB, XML, Bi-Temporal table)
  - Can run outside DB2 and can create output in multiple formats
- **Enhance DB2 Utility performance with High speed DB2 utility sort**
  - DB2 Sort
    - Improves DB2 utility sort performance
    - DB2 Sort leverages the strengths of the System z platform, DB2 for z/OS and the DB2 Utilities Suite to drive:
      - Significant savings in elapsed time and CPU during utility sort processing, especially LOAD, REORG and RUNSTATS
      - Relief from application constraints of large volumes of data in highly-transactional workloads performing numerous insert, update and delete operations against DB2 for z/OS databases

## Enhance Management- DB2 Utility Enhancement Tool V2.1

- Offers a proactive way to cancel threads holding locks so the utility or a batch job can complete without -904 failure
- Extends utility functions:
  - **LOAD:**
    - **CONSTANT** or **conditionally replace the value**
    - **PRESORT** to reduce elapsed/CPU times
  - **REORG:**
    - Automatically size and create the mapping table/index and drop upon completion
  - **CHECK DATA**
    - **Discards to** a flat file in a load format and creates Load control cards
    - Automatically creates/sizes discard table and drops it upon completion
- **Utility Syntax Monitor**
  - Changes utility syntax at run-time based on Policy rules to Enforce company IT policies
    - **ADD/ REMOVE /SUBSTITUTE parameters**
    - **FAIL the utility based on object name, or user ID**
  - Each action is logged
    - **Audit who is doing what**
    - **See what syntax was originally specified**
    - **See what the original syntax was changed to**

# Extend Administration Capabilities

## ■ DB2 Administration Tool & Object Compare

- Support of LOB, XML, Bi-Temporal tables & DB2 10 features
- Catalog Navigation
- Change Management (Enhanced CM) & DB2 10 Pending Changes
  - Migration of DDL, DATA and /or Catalog Statistics
  - Utility generation, LISTDEF/TEMPALTE support
  - Space Management and performance queries
  - Compare object definitions and apply the changes to synchronize the environments

## Automate Routine Maintenance jobs

- DB2 Automation Tool:
  - Automate routine maintenance tasks as and when needed basis
  - Prevent unnecessary maintenance from being run
    - Saves on CPU and IO costs
  - Easy to setup:
    - Define object, exception, utility profiles, and combine them into a job profile to generate the utility JCL
  - Provides statistical history reports for trend analysis and forecasting
  - Data Page Display allows to edit data pages directly to correct invalid data
  - DB2 Command Processor allows to issue DB2 commands without having to leave the interface
  - Dataset Manager enables to view, evaluate, and relocate DB2 data sets
  - DB2 10 support:
    - Supports Autonomic Statistics
    - Supports FlashCopy Image Copy
    - Supports Avoiding Unnecessary Reorgs
      - Set REORG thresholds based on DB2 10 Best Practices
        - > Detect when Indexes are insensitive to Clustering
        - > Avoid REORGs for poorly structured Indexes

# Manage Backup/Recovery using advanced technology

## DB2 Recovery Expert V2.2

- Simplifies and automates the recovery processes
- Recommends the fastest and least costly recovery options
- Builds and validates the recovery plans supporting all types of recoveries including the recovery of dropped objects
- Provides an instantaneous backup and recovery solutions using fast replication storage hardware
- Automates backup/restore of an entire DB2 subsystem or partial backups
- Copies and restores individual DB2 objects or groups of DB2 objects from the system level backups
- Exploits FlashCopy Image Copy to take Consistent Online Image Copies in seconds
- Exploit RECOVER BACKOUT for faster recoveries
- Includes a subset of DB2 Log Analysis services
  - Undo and Redo of LOB, XML & Bi-Temporal Data for application recovery plan
  - Quiet point analysis
- Automates disaster recovery process



## Identify, and Restore unwanted changes & Automate Subsystem and Object Cloning

### ➤ DB2 Log Analysis Tool 3.2

- Report on log activity & Quiet time detection
- Generate Undo and Redo records for application repair, testing and debugging including LOB/XML/Temporal tables
- Support FlashCopy Image Copy

### ➤ DB2 Cloning Tool V2.2

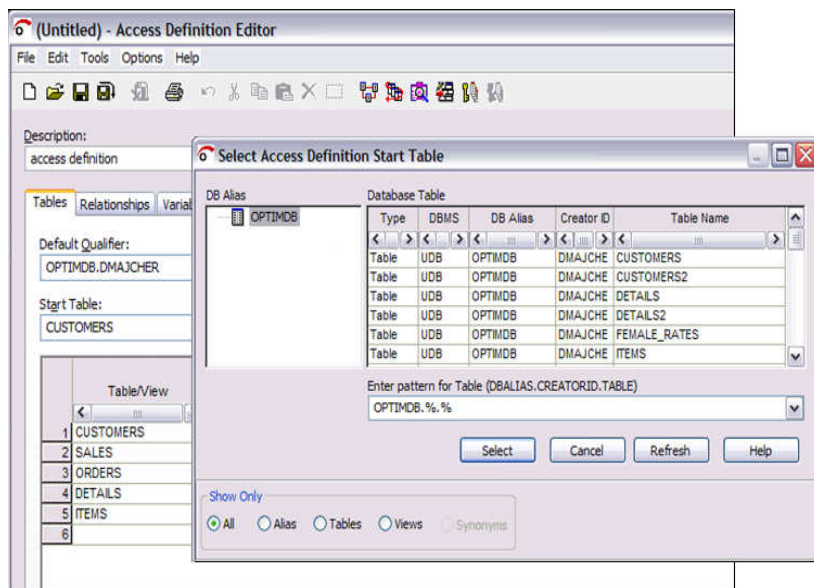
- Exploit Storage-based copies to drastically reduce CPU and outages
- Create Subsystem and Object Clones with minimal effort
  - Automatically reduce number of Data Sharing Members
  - Convert Data Sharing to non-Data Sharing
  - Create Subsystem Clone from System Level Backup created by Recovery Expert
  - Mask sensitive production data
- Supports native IBM, EMC and Hitachi Storage-based copies

# Create “right-size” production-like environments for application testing



**Test Data Management**

## IBM InfoSphere Optim Test Data management Solution



## Data Masking

### Benefits

- Protect sensitive information from misuse & fraud
- Prevent data breaches and associated fines
- Achieve better data governance

### Requirements

- Create referentially intact, “right-sized” test databases
- Automate test result comparisons to identify hidden errors
- Shorten iterative testing cycles and accelerate time to market

### Benefits

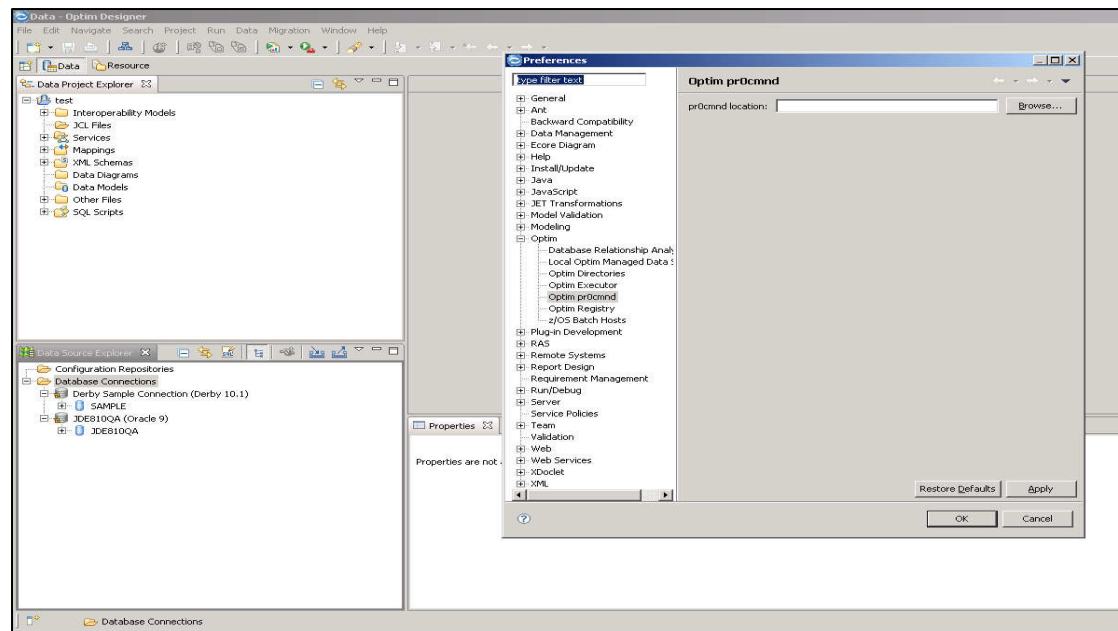
- Deploy new functionality more quickly and with improved quality
- Easily refresh & maintain test environments
- Reduce storage and operational costs

# Manage data growth and improve performance by intelligently archiving historical data



Data Growth

## IBM InfoSphere Optim Data Growth Solution



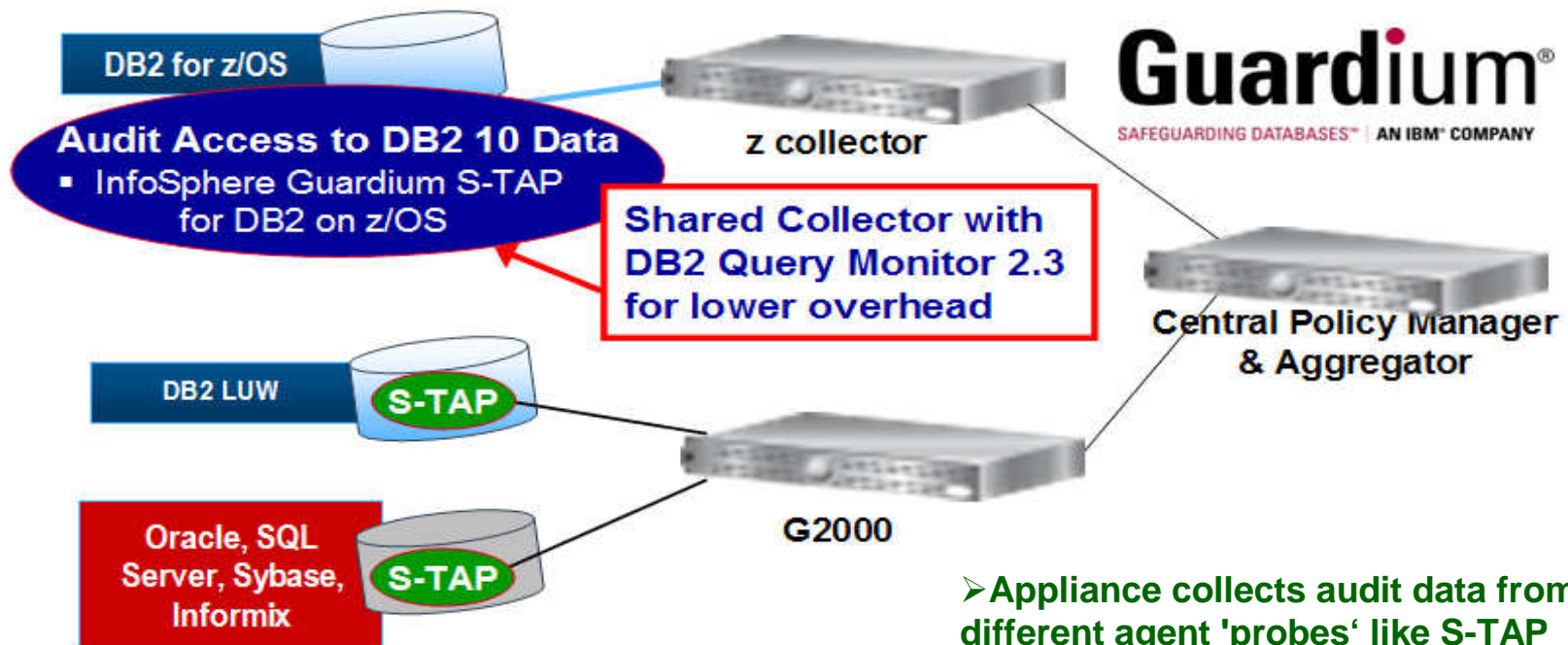
### Requirements

- Archive, manage and retain application data according to business policies
- Minimize downtime during application upgrades
- Consolidate application portfolio and retire legacy applications

### Benefits

- Reduce hardware, storage and maintenance costs
- Streamline application upgrades and improve application performance
- Safely retire legacy & redundant applications while retaining the data

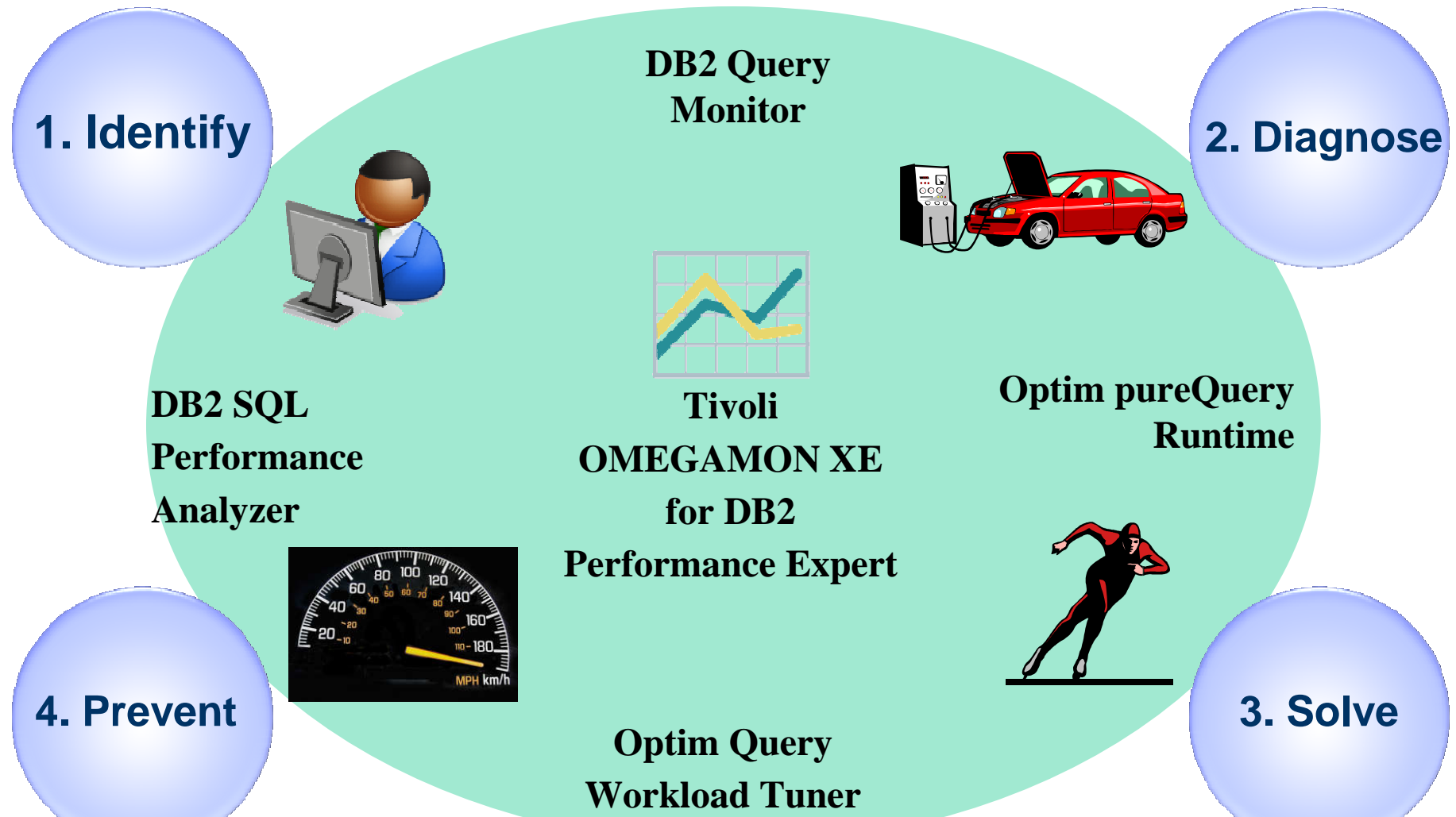
# Safeguard Data- InfoSphere Guardium S-TAP for DB2 on z/OS & Data Encryption Tool



- Real time security monitoring & blocking attackers
- Non-invasive architecture
  - Outside database
  - Minimal performance impact
  - No DBMS or application changes
- Cross-DBMS solution
- 100% visibility including local DBA access

- Appliance collects audit data from different agent 'probes' like S-TAP
- Comprehensive Audit trail, Pre-packaged compliance reporting
- Audit repository and policy engine self contained in hardened hardware appliance No root privileges made available to the customer
- Complete separation of roles protection

## Performance Management & Tuning



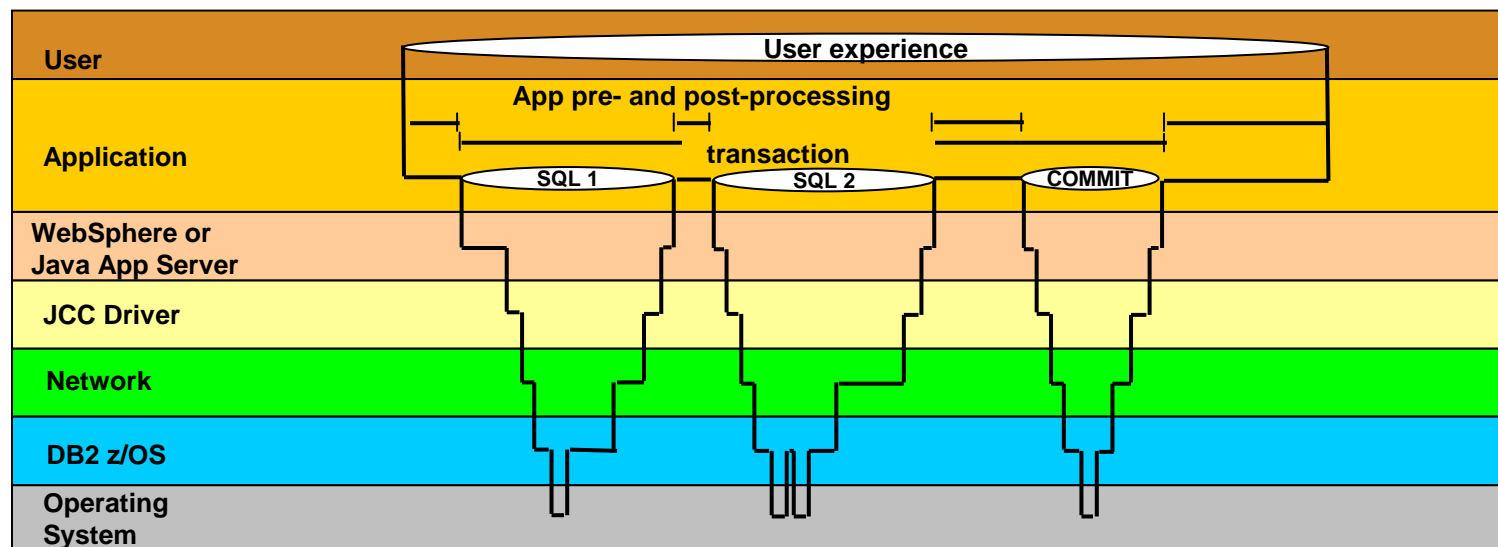
Identify, diagnose, solve and prevent performance problems

# Optimize Dynamic Infrastructure Performance

## OMEGAMON XE for DB2 Performance Expert 5.1 Exploitation

### Extended Insight

- Surface DB2 for z/OS end-to-end response time metrics
  - Visibility to **all** the components that make up end-user response time
  - Facilitates platform-agnostic identification of response time bottlenecks
  - Enables near-instantaneous response to and prevention of application slowdowns
- Leverages Tivoli Enterprise Portal GUI





# Exploit DB2 10 for z/OS with IBM DB2 Tools

*Accelerate your ability to leverage compelling DB2 10 features with comprehensive Tools support*

Data Encryption Tool for IMS and DB2 Databases

DB2 Administration Tool / DB2 Object Compare for z/OS

DB2 Audit Management Expert for z/OS

DB2 Automation Tool for z/OS

DB2 Bind Manager for z/OS

DB2 Change Accumulation Tool for z/OS

DB2 Cloning Tool for z/OS

DB2 High Performance Unload for z/OS

DB2 Log Analysis Tool for z/OS

DB2 Object Restore for z/OS

DB2 Path Checker for z/OS

DB2 Query Management Facility for z/OS

DB2 Query Monitor for z/OS

DB2 Recovery Expert for z/OS

DB2 SQL Performance Analyzer for z/OS

DB2 Table Editor for z/OS

DB2 Utilities Enhancement Tool for z/OS

DB2 Utilities Suite for z/OS

InfoSphere Change Data Capture

InfoSphere Data Event Publisher

InfoSphere Replication Server

InfoSphere Optim Data Growth Solution for z/OS

Optim Development Studio

Optim pureQuery Runtime

Optim Query Workload Tuner

InfoSphere Optim Test Data Management Solution for z/OS

Tivoli OMEGAMON XE for DB2 Performance Expert on z/OS

Exploitation PTFs: <http://www-01.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?uid=swg21409518>





## REFERENCES

- **DB2 UDB for z/OS home page**  
<http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2/zos/index.html>
- **Redbook -LOBs with DB2 for z/OS: Stronger and Faster, SG24-7270**
- **Redbook- Extremely pureXML in DB2 10 for z/OS-SG24-7915-00**
- **Redbook-DB2 V9 for z/OS Technical Overview, SG24-7330**
- **Redbook-DB2 10 for z/OS Technical Overview, SG24-7892-00**
- **DB2 10 for z/OS *Managing Performance*, SC19-2978-01**
- **DB2 V9 XML Guide, SC18-9858-04**
- **DB2 10 XML Guide SC19-2981-02**
- **DB2 Tools for z/OS home page**  
<http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2imstools>

# RUNSTAT profile using DB2 10 Autonomic Statistics – DB2 Automation Tool V3.1

```

AUTOTOOL V3R1 ----- Runstats Options ----- 2011/01/21 11:41:58
Option ==> _____ Scroll ==> PAGE
Commands END - Return to the previous screen.
Press <PF7/PF8> to scroll for additional options.
Creator: DBA104      Name: AUTONOMIC STATS      User: DBA104
More: -

Numcols              ==> 1 (Number)
Count . . . . . ==> 10 (Number)
Histogram Numcols    ==> _____ (Number)
Numquantiles . ==> _____ (Number)
Save Stats in Repository ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)
Profile . . . . . ==> - (Blank - Not used,
                        U - Use,
                        I - use Include npi,
                        D - Delete,
                        P - uPdate,
                        S - Set,
                        E - set from Existing stats)

Optional Skeletons:  BEFORE  AFTER
JCL Skeletal . . . . . ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)
Control Cards Skeletal ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)
Step End Skeletal . . . ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)
    
```

Define the set of statistics to be collected when running autostats

**Autonomic statistics** – stored procedures used to determine whether statistics should be collected or recollected (ADMIN\_UTL\_MONITOR; ADMIN\_UTL\_EXECURE; ADMIN\_UTL\_MODIFY)

# DB2 Automation Tool V3.1 FLASHCOPY

```
AUTOTOOL V3R1 ----- Image Copy Options ----- 2011/01/21 12:43:46
Option  ==> _____
```

```
Creator: DBA104      Name: AUTONOMIC STATS      User: DBA104
```

Enter the Image Copy options to associate with this utility profile

	Take Image Copy	View/Update Options
Local Primary . . . . .	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)
Local Backup	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)
Recovery Site Primary . . .	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)
Recovery Site Backup	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)
FlashCopy	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)	==> <u>N</u> (Y - Yes, N - No)

## Flashcopy –

Save CPU and elapse time

Create with COPY, REORG, LOAD, REBUILD INDEX

Can be used by RECOVER

# FLASHCOPY CONSISTENT Option- DB2 Automation Tool V3.1

```

AUTOTOOL V3R1 ----- FlashCopy Options ----- 2011/01/21 12:47:08
Option ==> _____
  Tablespace Reorg FlashCopy
  Creator: DBA104      Name: AUTONOMIC STATS      User: DBA104

Update DSN create spec . => Y (Y - Yes, N - No)
CONSISTENT . . . . . => N (Y - Yes, N - No)
Unit Type                => _____ (SYSDA - DISK - etc.)
Catalog Options
DISP=Status . . . . . =>    (M - MOD, N - NEW, O - OLD, S - SHR)

    Normal Termination  =>    (C - CATLG, D - DEL, K - KEEP, U - UNCATLG)

    Abnormal Termination =>    (C - CATLG, D - DEL, K - KEEP, U - UNCATLG)

Data Class . . . . . => _____ (8 character class)
Storage Class           => _____ (8 character class)
Management Class . . . => _____ (8 character class)
Expiration date *or*    => _____ (YYYYDDD - YYDDD)
Retention period        => _____ (4 digit number)
  
```

## COPY & LOAD w/ SHRLEVEL CHANGE

CONSISTENT copy – copy the object and back out uncommitted changes

# FLASHCOPY w/ RECOVER using DB2 Automation Tool V3.1

```

AUTOTOOL V3R1 ----- Recover Utility Profile Options ----- 2011/01/21 12:56:26
Option ==> _____

Exception Rule . . . . . ==> A (A - Accepted, R - Rejected, B - Both)

Utility ID ==> RECOVER (16 characters)
TO method . . . . . ==> L (L - Log, C - Copy, E - Error)
Alter method options ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)
Site . . . . . ==> L (L - Local, R - Recovery, blank)

Optional Skeletals: -- BEFORE -- -- AFTER --
JCL Skeletal . . . . . ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)
Control Cards Skeletal ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)
Step End Skeletal . . . . . ==> _____ ==> _____ (8 Character Name)

Rebuild Ix Statistics Optns ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)
Online Rebuild Index ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)
  Alter Online Rbld Options ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)
Perform LOB Dependency checks ==> Y (Y - Yes, N - No)
  Exclude objects that failed Dependency check ==> Y (Y - Yes, N - No)

FlashCopy . . . . . ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No) ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)

```

# Generate RECOVER BACKOUT using DB2 Automation Tool V3.1

AUTOTOOL V3R1 ----- Recover Utility Log Options ----- 2011/01/21 12:54:05  
Option ==>

Commands: END - Return to the previous screen.  
PF7/PF8 - Scroll for additional options.

Creator: DLC Name: RECOVER User: DBA104  
More: +

Object event . . . . . ==> \_ (Q - Quiesce, blank)  
Event generation ==> 00 (00 -1 -2 -3 ... -9)

Select point-in-time . . . ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)  
Log RBA/LRSN ==> \_\_\_\_\_ (blank = current)  
Log timestamp:

Select RESTOREBEFORE . . . ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)  
RESTOREBEFORE Log RBA/LRSN ==> \_\_\_\_\_ (blank = none)  
RESTOREBEFORE Log timestamp

Verifyset . . . . . ==> Y (Y - Yes, N - No)

Backout ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)

Reuse existing datasets . . ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No, L - Log only)  
Parallel object restores ==> N (Y - Yes, N - No)  
Max nbr of parallel objects ==> 0 (0 = optimal)  
Nbr of dynamic tape drives ==> 0 (0 = optimal)

TOLOGRBA  
TOLOGPOINT  
RESTOREBEFORE  
VERIFYSET  
BACKOUT  
PARALLEL  
FROMDUMP  
DUMPCCLASS

Read DB2 log backwards

## DB2 Automation Tool V3.1 Exceptions on Real Time Stats on DISORGED\_LOBS DISORGED\_LOBS\_PCT

```

AUTOTOOL V3R1      ---- Update Exceptions Profile Display --- 2011/09/10 22:42:26
Option ==> _____ Scroll ==> CSR
    Commands: END - Save and exit.
Line Commands: A - And  O - Or  S - Select  D - Deselect  R - Repeat
    CONDitions: LT|<|LE|<=|EQ|=|GT|>|GE|>=|NE|!=|<> "*" indicates DAT stat
-----
Creator: DNET018      Profile: WHEN TO REORG LOBS      User: DNET018
Share Option: U (U - Update, V - View, N - No)
Description: DEMO WHEN TO REORG LOBS      Scroll Right for Column Help
Use Stats From: C (R - Repository,      Update Runstats Options: N (Y - Yes,
                  C - Catalog,                      N - No)
                  U - Runstats,      Save Triggers in Repository: N (Y - Yes,
                  S - Shadow,                      N - No)
                  H - History)      WTO number of triggered Objects: N (Y - Yes,
                                      N - No)
Combine IX/TS Exceptions if evaluating IX triggering a TS: N (Y - Yes, N - No)
-----
S Statistics Type--- *Column----- Cond -----Exception Value-----
_ REALTIME REORG TS  UNCLUST_INS_PCT      _      _
0                  DISORGED_LOBS      >      100
0                  DISORGED_LOBS_PCT    >      20
_                   RELOCATED_ROWS      _      _
_                   RELOCATED_ROWS_PCT  _      _
_                   MASS_DELETES        _      _

```

## Undo Redo of Bi-temporal Data- Supports undo/redo of LOB/XML

```
Menu Utilities Compilers Help
BROWSE      PDMCWH.ALA.V330.SQLOUT.TEST          Line 00000000 Col 001 080
Command ==>                                     Scroll ==> CSR
***** Top of Data *****
--UNDO SQL FOR SUBSYSTEM: DA1A
--#00000001 *UNDO INSERT* URID:00192753D000 DATE
DELETE FROM
PDMCWH"."D330_TEMPORAL_BUSINESS_DATA"
WHERE
  "BK" = 'P138'
AND "EFF_BEG" = '2004-09-01'
AND "EFF_END" = '2006-05-01'
AND "CLIENT" = 'C882'
```

**Undo Business Time**

```
Menu Utilities Compilers Help
BROWSE      PDJOH2.ALA.RUN.SQLOUTR              Line 00000000 Col 001 080
Command ==>                                     Scroll ==> CSR
***** Top of Data *****
--REDO SQL FOR SUBSYSTEM: DA1A
--#00000001 *REDO INSERT* URID:0014F9FC7634 DATE/TIME:2010-11-19/13.07.16 ....
INSERT INTO
PDJOH2"."POLICY_INFO"
VALUES(
  'A123'
+12000
  '2010-01-01'
  '2010-07-01'
```

**Redo Business Time**