

## rxsubmit V1.1

The USS REXX rxsubmit allows to submit and monitor a JES2 batch job. JES3 is not supported! It is provided in a ZIP file, is in ASCII (ccsid 819) and needs to be converted to EBCDIC (ccsid 1047 or 037) during transfer to z/OS UNIX or afterwards when transferring it in binary mode.

- It retrieves the jobname from the job member or file and gets the jobid back from the USS REXX submit() call.
- It uses the REXX SDSF APIs to monitor the job and to retrieve job output data sets to the USS shell.
- It uses the JESMSG LG data set to see where we are in the job and especially how and when the job ends.
- JESJCL and JESYSMSG are ignored. All other data sets are seen as job output data and are retrieved to shell STDOUT.

To be sure to handle the output in JESMSG LG correctly you need to adapt the following lines in rxsubmit that are based on the following output data structure.

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08.45.46 JOB28016 ---- WEDNESDAY, 27 JAN 2021 ----
08.45.46 JOB28016 IRR010I USERID HERING IS ASSIGNED TO THIS JOB.
08.45.46 JOB28016 ICH70001I HERING LAST ACCESS AT 08:36:02 ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2021
08.45.46 JOB28016 $HASP373 UNIXJOB STARTED - INIT 1 - CLASS A - SYS SC70
08.45.46 JOB28016 IEF403I UNIXJOB - STARTED - TIME=08.45.46 - ASID=001F - SC70
-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5-----6-----7-----8-----9-----0
08.45.51 JOB28016 Jobname Procstep Stepname CPU Time EXCPs RC
08.45.51 JOB28016 UNIXJOB --None-- UNIXCMDS 00:00:00 400 256
08.45.57 JOB28016 UNIXJOB --None-- UNIXCMD2 00:00:00 392 00
08.45.57 JOB28016 IEF404I UNIXJOB - ENDED - TIME=08.45.57 - ASID=001F - SC70
-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5-----6-----7-----8-----9-----0
08.45.57 JOB28016 $HASP395 UNIXJOB ENDED - RC=0256
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Here are the lines that you might need to adapt perhaps.

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000084 Do ln=1 To line.0
000085 line = Strip(line.ln)
000086 Parse Var line . ljobid ljobname . 1 . . msgnum . ,
000087 step_name . . retc .
000088 Select
000089 When ljobid=jobid & msgnum="$HASP373" Then Do
000090 Say "Job" jobname "with Jobid" jobid "has been",
000091 "started."
000092 job_started = 1
000093 End
000094 When ljobid=jobid & ljobname=jobname & job_started & ,
000095 Verify(retc,"1234567890")=0 Then Do
000096 job_step = job_step+1
000097 Say "Jobstep" Right(job_step,2,"0") step_name,
000098 "ended with rc" Right(retc,4) !! "."
000099 End
000100 When ljobid=jobid & msgnum="$HASP395" Then Do
000101 RC_info = Word(line,7)
000102 Say "Job" jobname "with Jobid" jobid "ended with",
000103 RC_info !! "."
000104 job_running = 0
000105 Leave ln
000106 End
000107 Otherwise Nop
000108 End
000109 End ln
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Following examples are shown how to start "rxsubmit".

- Using a data set or data set member as parameter...  
**rxsubmit '//hering.job.cntl(unixsamp)'**
- Using a z/OS UNIX file as parameter...  
**rxsubmit ./my.private.job**
- Reading job data from STDIN...  
**"cat '//hering.job.cntl(unixsamp)'" | rxsubmit**

It can happen, that you start "rxsubmit" without specifying STDIN data or a parameter as useful. Then you can use <ctl-v> or <ctl-d> to end processing. However, you could also enter the complete job data by hand, although that is really not ideal. Best is to use <ctl-d> which means End-Of-Input or end of STDIN data.

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$> rxsubmit
<ctl-d>
The job data does not contain any lines. This is invalid.
Rc(2)
$>
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Next a sample shell session is shown.

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$> rxsubmit "'hering.job.cntl(unixsamp)'"
Job UNIXJOB with Jobid JOB28016 has been started.
This is a test job.
Jobstep 01 UNIXCMDS ended with rc 256.
We are done...
xleep: FSUM7351 not found
This is a test job.
We are done...
Jobstep 02 UNIXCMD2 ended with rc 00.
Job UNIXJOB with Jobid JOB28016 ended with RC=0256.
$>
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Note, that you also can send the command to BG by appending an ampersand ( & ) at the end of the command. This frees the shell for running other commands in parallel but keep in mind that output data from the job and commands entered can get shown mixed on the screen.