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Next, let's see what the requirements are to connect to a DB2 server.

If the connection is local, that is the DB2 client and DB2 server are on the same system then normally there is no setup required.

the information required to connect

is added to the system local DB2 directories

at the time the Create Database command was executed.

If the connection is remote then you need to perform some setup at the server and some setup up at the client. At the server

you need to turn on the TCPIP listeners

and specify the DB2 instance port they listen to.

At the client you need to add entries to the node and system directories

Let me show you how to perform this set up now.

So for the setup required at the server you first need to turn on the TCPIP listeners using the command

db2set DB2COMM=TCPIP

So after I issue this command, then TCPIP is set.

So let me show you how to run that command.

You type: db2set DB2COMM=TCPIP

Enter the command as shown, no spaces are allowed

before or after the equals sign. So I press enter.

Now I can do a db2set -all

and you can confirm from here

that the db2 registry variable has been set.

Next, you need to specify the DB2 instance port

where the TCPIP listener will listen to.

You do this with the command: db2 update dbm cfg

using either the port number, which in this case is 50000

or the service name which in this case, is db2c\_DB2.

If you want to use a service name, ensure the services file has a correct entry or mapping for this services name.

The services file Linux is located in /etc/services

On Windows it's located in this directory that is shown here.

So in that file you should have an entry like this.

db2\_DB2 and then it maps to 50000.

So let me show you how to do this from the command window.

Issue the command db2 update dbm cfg using svcname 5000

and press enter.

and then the update is successful. You can check the values

by doing a: db2get dbm cfg, and press enter.

and then you can see the values set correctly to 50000.

now if you wanted to use a service name you could issue the same command.

instead of 50000 you type: db2c\_DB2, and then press enter.  
and now the change has occurred you can verify again  
that by doing a : db2 get dbm config  
And now you can see SVCENAME is set to db2c\_DB2.  
Now when you set the service name to a string  
as mentioned before you need to also have  
or verify that you have an entry in the  
services file with this same information.  
So let's take a look at the services file on Windows.  
I already have the services file shown here under this directory  
Let's take a look at the contents of that file. Let me just quickly change  
the extension so I can quickly open it with Notepad. And then I go to the end  
and I can see that I do have the string db2c\_DB2  
and it maps to 50000.  
So if you had changed the SVCENAME to something else  
here instead of these, just make sure there is a corresponding  
string and mapping to the corresponding port that you want.  
So this is good so I'm going to close  
this file and I'm just going to change the extension back to what it was, no extension.  
And now the setup required that the server is finished.  
you may also want to do a db2stop and db2start  
if you wish or if things are not working  
just to ensure that these settings have been correctly changed.  
Now let's talk about the setup required at the client.  
First, you need to create an entry in the node directory.  
This can be done with the CATALOG command that is shown here.  
catalog tcpip node mynode  
This is an arbitrary name, you can choose any name you wish  
remote (then you specify either the host name or the  
ip address) in this case it's, myhost.ibm.com  
server (here you specify 50000, this would be the port number  
or it can also be the service name.  
So whatever is presented here in different colours other than black  
represents variables that you need to input.  
The 2nd command that is used to populate  
the system database directory is this command.  
catalog database (then you specify the name or alias of your database)  
at node mynode  
So here is where you have to point to the previously  
created entry in the node directory.  
Note that these catalogs commands will not check  
the information that you entered is correct or not.  
So you can put invalid host names

or numbers or database names.

At the time you attempt to connect,

is when you will receive error connection messages.

now when you connect from your client application

to your database server, the application will probably have

a statement like this: connect to (the name of the database)

user (the user ID), using (the password of that user)

These user ID and password normally have to be defined

at the DB2 server side. This is by default.

If you use the IBM Data Studio tool

all the entries in system db directory

and the node db directory or local db directory

are done for you behind the scenes by this tool.

This next chart shows both the client and the server

and summarizes the charts previously shown.

Note the chart is colour-coded. So for example, mydb1 is in green

and the chart shows the places where it is used.

This concludes this presentation.

Thank you for watching.

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