IMS V7 & V8 Overview

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**IMS Directions**

** IMS V7**
- Large DB
- High Avail. DB
- IMS Java
- Rapid Restart

** IMS V8**
- Extend DB Connectivity
- Enhance Sysplex Operations
- Simplify Install Process
- Enhance Management Tools

** IMS V9**
- Availability - OLR
- Reduced Sysgen efforts
- Sysplex DB Commands

** IMS V10**
- Logical Front End-Back End Split
- DBRC Parallelism
- Incremental Dynamic Resource Definition

** IMS V11**
- Physical Front End-Back End Split
- Sysplex Enhancements
V7 Database items

- High Availability Large DB (HALDB)
- Online Recovery Service (ORS)
- Open DB Access (ODBA)
- Change Accumulation Enhancements
- Image Copy 2 Compression
- DBRC GENMAX and RECOVPD
- DBRC PROCOPT = L / LS support
- I/O Error Handling for DEDBs
- DEED Scan Segment Expansion
HALDB

DB Name = MAGIC
TYPE=HDAM

HALDB Master Name = MAGIC
TYPE=PHDAM
Partitions: PART1, PART2, PART3
- **Large Database**
  - Databases are partitioned
    - Up to 1001 partitions per database
    - Partitions can have up to 10 data set groups
  - > 40 terabytes

- **High Availability Database**
  - Partition independence
    - Allocation, authorization, reorganization, and recovery are by partition
  - Self healing pointers
    - Reorganization of partition does not require changes to secondary indexes or logically related databases which point to it

**IMS Version 7 High Availability Large Database Guide**
Online Recovery Service:
- Online recovery of IMS database data sets
- Parallel processes used for multiple recoveries
- Time stamp recovery to any time is supported

Benefits:
- Simplified recovery processes
- Faster recoveries, especially for multiple data sets
- Elimination of some database outages to create recovery points

A DBA’s View of IMS Online Recovery Service
V7 Transaction Manager items

- IMS Connect
- Java Application Support
- CQS Enhancements for Shared Queues
- Asynchronous OTMA / APPC
- Callable Interface to OTMA
- VTAM Generic Resources enhancements
- Rapid Network Reconnect (RNR)
- TM and MSC Message Routing and Control User Exit
- Queue Space Notification Exit enhancement
- Deferred VTAM ACB Open
- RACF PassTicket Support
- USERID Clarification
- SLUP/Finance Session Cold Termination
- SLU2 Enhancement
- Spool Enhancement
- ETO Enhancements
V7 System items

- IMS Monitor and IMS PA Enhancements
- DBRC enhancements
  - Concurrent Upgrade of RECONs
  - Online RECON Access Preference
  - RECON Loss Notification
- ACBG EN Processing and Limits
- CPLOG Specification
- System Parameters Display
- Install / IVP Process

IMS Version 7 Release Planning Guide (GC26-9437-02)
http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/epubs/pdf/DFSR10E1.PDF
V8 Architecture

Common Service Layer (CSL)

- Operations Manager (OM)
- Structured Call Interface (SCI)
- Resource Manager (RM)

Coupling Facility (CF)
- Resource Structure
- MSGQ Structures
- LOGR Structures
- Shared VSO Cache
- OSAM Cache

Shared Databases

IMS Control Region (DL/I, Dep Regions, DBRC)

Single Point of Control (SPOC)

Automation

Master Terminal

End User Terminal
V8 Transaction Manager items

- **Availability/ Recovery**
  - Sysplex Terminal Management
  - APPC / OTMA Synchronous Shared Queues support
  - APPC enhancements
  - Shared Msg Queues and FP EMH CF Duplexing support

- **Systems Management**
  - Sysplex Wide Resource Manager
  - Coordinated Online Change
  - Single Image Operations Management
  - Transaction Trace
  - Syntax Checker

- **Performance/ Capacity**
  - MSC FICON support
  - CSA / VSCR enhancements

- **Application Development**
  - Java and XML enhancements
  - Dynamic LE Runtime Parameters
Single Point of Control (SPOC)

TSO/ISPF Application

Operations Manager
- Routes Commands
- Provides an API
- Provides a SPOC and supporting TSO/ISPF Application for entering commands

IMS Control Region

MVSa

Operations Manager (OM)

(SCI)

MVSb

IMS Control Region

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V8 Database items

- **Availability/ Recovery**
  - IMS / DB2 Coordinated disaster recovery support
  - DBRC Enhancements
  - DB Image Copy 2 Enhancements
  - Parallel Database Processing
  - Batch RRS support

- **Systems Management**
  - Coordinated Online Change
  - Single Image Operations Manager
  - Syntax Checker
  - Fast Path Shared VS CF enhancements

- **Performance / Capacity**
  - Fast Path DE DB Enhancements
  - CSA / VS CR Enhancements

- **Application Development**
  - Java enhancements
  - Dynamic LE Runtime Parameters
Performance / Constraint Relief

- **CSA Virtual Storage Constraint Relief**
  - Full function and Fast Path CSA usage below the 16 MB line reduced by up to 47%.

- **Parallel Database Open**
  - Database opens <= 5% faster
  - Normal Restart <= 56% faster; Emergency Restart <= 39% faster; Shutdown <= 19% faster.

- **Fast Path database capacity**
  - Maximum Data Entry Database size up from < 1 terabyte to 8 terabytes
  - Maximum number of areas allowed in a single DEDB increased from 240 to 2048

- **Logging**
  - Logging bandwidth <= 27 MB per second to OLDS on ESS M800 with FICON channels
  - WADS I/O response times < 1 millisecond on ESS M800.

- **Java Message Processing Region**
  - Persistent Reusable Java Virtual Machine replaces High Performance Java Benchmark program achieved steady throughput rate of 2134 transactions per second.

- **Coupling Facility Structure Duplexing**
  - Uninterrupted transaction processing if a coupling facility or duplexed structure is lost.
V8 Prerequisites.

OS/390 V2R10 (5647-A01) with DFSMS

- RACF (included in separately orderable SecureWay Security Server) or equivalent, if security is used
- High Level Assembler Toolkit

OS V1R2 required for:

- APPC/OTMA Synchronous Shared Qs
- MSC Ficon CTC support
- Shared Qs/EMH CF Duplexing support
- System Mgd Duplexing of VSO structures

Recommended for Resource Mgr and Coordinate OLC

Enhances usability of Sysplex Terminal Manager

DBRC Migration / Coexistence SPE

- on IMS V6
- on IMS V7
# IMS Tools for V8... (1/2)

## Database Administration

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...IMS Tools for V8 (2/2)

- **Database Application Management**
  - IMS Batch Terminal Simulator 2 5655-A14
  - IMS Connect for z/OS 12 5655-E51
  - IMS Program Restart Facility for OS/390 2 5655-E14

- **Database Performance Management**
  - IMS Network Compression Facility 5655-E41
  - IMS Performance Analyzer for OS/390 3 5655-E15
  - IMS Queue Control Facility for OS/390 1 5697-E99

- **Database Recovery and Replication**
  - IMS DataPropagator for z/OS 3 5655-E52
  - IMS DEDB Fast Recovery 2 5655-E32
  - IMS High Performance Change Accumulation 5655-F58
  - IMS Image Copy Extensions for OS/390 1 5655-E10
  - IMS Online Recovery Service for z/OS 1 5655-E50
**IMS Transaction Manager**
- Multiple Systems Coupling (MSC) Facility FICON CtC support
- Sysplex Coupling Facility (CF) enhanced support
  - CF Duplexing for IMS Shared Queues and Fast Path (FP) Expedited Message Handler (EMH)
- New Java Region types for new Scaleable J VM

**IMS Database Manager**
- Sysplex Coupling Facility (CF) enhanced support
  - IMS Fast Path Virtual Storage Option (VSO) CF support
  - IMS DB Data Sharing support provided through IRLM
- JDBC support for DB2, CICS, and WebSphere
- Batch Remote Recovery Service (RRS) support
- SLDS Read Support
for further information...

- IMS Installation and Maintenance Processes
- IMS Version 7 Release Planning Guide
- IMS Version 7 Release Guide
- IMS Version 7 and Java Application Programming
- IMS Version 7 Java Update
- IMS Version 7 High Availability Large Database Guide
- A DBA’s View of IMS Online Recovery Service
- IMS V8 Release Planning Guide
- IMS Version 8 Implementation Guide
- IMS in the Parallel Sysplex; Vol. I: IMSplex Technology Review
- Introduction to the IBM Problem Determination Tools
IMS-related Services

- **Product**
  - IMS Software
  - IMS Tools details
  - IMS Upgrades

- **Services - Classic**
  - Installation
  - Migration to IMS and/or from IMS to DB2-with DL/I re-use or re-write
  - Tuning services
  - Data Propagation-IMS to DB2

- **Services - Modern**
  - Integration Services for MQSeries & WebSphere
  - Java Development
  - EAB/IMS wrapping skills
  - Cobol/IMS to Java rewrite
  - IMS Web enablement details
  - E-business profiling
  - Wireless/PalmOS connectivity to IMS legacy systems
  - Re-write Cobol/DL/I applications