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Fun Times in the land of *Dump Reading*

.....and Language Environment

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

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COBOL/370

MLE

COBOL for VSE/ESA

Millennium Language Extensions

COBOL for MVS & VM

DB2

COBOL OS/390

VisualAge COBOL

LANGUAGE ENVIRONMENT/370

LANGUAGE ENVIRONMENT for MVS & VM

LANGUAGE ENVIRONMENT OS/390

LANGUAGE ENVIRONMENT for VSE/ESA

MVS

MVS/ESA

OS/390

VSE/ESA

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CICS CICS/ESA

SYSTEM/390

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Session Objectives

Understand and identify

- WHAT TO DO when you get an ABEND/DUMP
- HOW TO GET the information just in case you DO ABEND/DUMP
- COBOL options that can HELP YOUR DEBUGGING LIFE
- Language Environment RUN-TIME options that can help your DEBUGGING LIFE
- COBOL tricks for debugging
- LE tools for debugging
- Where to FIND THE INFORMATION YOU NEED

Terms & Definitions

- **Program Exception**
 - **Conditions detected by hardware**
 - **Unexpected**
 - **OC7, OC1, OC4 for example**
- **ABEND**
 - **Always “on purpose”**
 - **“User” requested**
 - **“System” requested**

➤ **Program Exceptions**

Some of the “not so common” variety

➤ **OC2 & OC3**

- Privileged Operation & EXECUTE exception
- Not common in COBOL, more likely Assembler

➤ **OC5**

- Addressing Exception

➤ **OC6**

- Specification Exception

➤ NOTES: there are many more exceptions, but these are the ones typical for application arenas!

➤ **Program Exceptions**

The “VERY common” variety

- **OC1**
 - Operation Exception
- **OC4**
 - Protection Exception
- **OC7**
 - Data Exception

- **Program Exceptions**
- **Some “kind of” common ones**

- **OC8**
 - Fixed-point overflow
- **OCA**
 - Decimal overflow
- **OC9**
 - Fixed-point Divide Exception
- **OCB**
 - Decimal Divide Exception

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- **PSW – Program Status Word**
 - Contains critical information used by the SYSTEM
- **DSA (Stack Frame)**
 - Dynamic Save Area (same as stack frame)
 - Each executing program in the call chain has a stack frame built upon entry to a routine, and “collapsed” upon return from the called module
- **Byte**
 - 8 bits of information
 - Represented by HEX characters (2 chars = 1 byte)
- **Fullword or Word**
 - 4 bytes
- **Halfword**
 - 2 bytes
- **Doubleword**
 - 8 bytes

➤ **DUMP**

Well – lots of definitions for this one ☺

- Webster: “A state of depression, doldrums”
- Winchell: “An opportunity for fun and challenging times”
- In computer terms:
 - Dump contains the contents of internal computer storage areas
 - The areas dumped vary depending upon the options
 - Compiler options
 - Execution or Language Environment Run-Time Options
 - The dump information is the HEX representation of what was occurring at the time of the ABEND or EXCEPTION
- Just one of several TOOLS to help resolve program problems, not the ONLY tool!

➤ **More terms ...**

- AMODE – addressing mode
 - What addresses the executable modules “speaks” AND “understands”
 - Effected at LINKEDT time
 - Values possible are 31, 24, ANY
 - Multiple modules statically linked will receive “lowest common denominator”
- RMODE – Residency mode
 - Where module is “eligible” to live
 - Compiler option RMODE can influence AMODE
 - No AMODE option exists except as PARM override on LINKEDT
 - Values possible: 24, ANY

- Compiler options for debugging and/or problem avoidance
 - **NUMPROC(PFD|NOPFD|MIG)**
 - TRUNC(OPT|BIN|STD)
 - OPTIMIZE(STD|FULL)|NOOPTIMIZE
 - LIST|NOLIST
 - OFFSET|NOOFFSET
 - MAP|NOMAP
 - XREF(SHORT|FULL)|NOXREF
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 - **SSRANGE|NOSSRANGE**
 - **TEST(NONE,SYM,SEPARATE)**

APAR **PQ74201** for the TEST(NONE, SYM, SEPARATE) option

A strategy for Debugging

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Beginning “Begins” HERE!

➤ **Problem determination begins with the basics!**

1. Has the program executed correctly previously?
2. Was any output produced?
3. ***WHAT HAS CHANGED?***
4. Did the program compile cleanly?
5. Did the program LINK cleanly?
6. Check output messages
7. Did the program produce any output?
8. Who issued the message?
9. If the program abended what is the ABEND CODE?
10. If the program abended due to a program exception, what type of exception?

- **Message Prefix can be useful:**

- **CEE** – Language Environment
- **IGY** – COBOL Compiler messages
- **IGZ** – COBOL run-time messages
- **EDC** – C/VSE
- **IBM** – PL/I
- **DFH** – CICS
- **DSN** – DB2
- **ICE** – DFSORT
- **IDC** – VSAM Access Method Services

- **Language Environment run-time messages**
 - Life has changed!
 - With Language Environment the messages look different
 - Prefixed with CEE indicates a message from LE
 - Prefixed with IGZ is a run-time COBOL message
 - All are documented in the Language Environment Debugging Guide and Run-Time Message
 - Execution options also impact amount of information in the LE produced dump

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- With Language Environment & COBOL messages look different
 - New messages at execution
 - CEE3321C Execution Failed with VSE CANCEL CODE 20 and interruption code 07
 - Just means something broke - look further!
 - U4038
 - If TERMTHDACT(DUMP)
 - U4039
 - If TERMTHDACT(UADUMP)
 - CEEnnnn MSG ... maybe
 - Indicates something that Language Environment detected
 - IGZnnnn MSG ... maybe
 - This is a message from COBOL

➤ **Let's revisit the typical IBM abend codes in COBOL application programs and the “new” LE message code**

- SOC7 –Data Exception CEE3207S
 - The data is incorrect for the operation being attempted
 - Usually this is storage that is defined as COMP-3 but does not contain valid packed decimal data for some reason
- SOC4 –Protection Exception CEE3204S
 - Number and/or format of parameters do not match between main and sub program
 - Overwriting your own storage areas (going outside the bounds of a table or going outside the bounds of a data item with reference modification)
 - Attempting to access file I/O without a successful OPEN or following a CLOSE
- SOC1 – Operation Exception CEE3201S
 - Trying to execute what should be a valid instruction but no instruction is at the location
 - Typically caused by overwriting storage, or a missing subprogram module
- SOC9 or SOCB – Divide by zero (and no ON OVERFLOW coded) CEE3209S CEE320BS
- Attempting to pass 31-bit address to AMODE(24) program will cause abend as well – but the message is VERY SPECIFIC

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- OK – let's take a look at the job output from a processing example where execution resulted in a program check & abend:

```
BG 0000 // JOB COBVSORT
      DATE 08/22/2003, CLOCK 11/11/33
BG 0000 ILU321I J1 COBVSORT SORT  COMPLETE, INSERT 5, DELETE 5, IN 0, OUT 0
BG 0000 COBVSORT - PROGRAM CHECKING NOW! !
BG 0000 ILU321I J1 COBVSORT SORT  COMPLETE, INSERT 5, DELETE 0, IN 0, OUT 0
BG 0000 CEE3321C EXECUTION FAILED WITH VSE CANCEL CODE 20 AND INTERRUPTION
      CODE 07.
BG 0000 0S02I A CANCEL OR CANCEL ALL MACRO WAS ISSUED
BG 0000 0S00I JOB COBVSORT CANCELED
BG 0000 0S07I PROBLEM PROGRAM  PSW = 071D0000 8052123E
END OF LISTLOG UTILITY
1S78I JOB TERMINATED DUE TO  PROGRAM ABEND
EOJ COBVSORT  MAX.RETURN CODE=0008
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Key Sections of a Language Environment Dump
 - Initially the 1st line shows CEE5DMP and the level of LE
 - This is the LE “program” that produces the dump
 - Condition processing indicates this condition was not handled, therefore, “unhandled”
 - ENCLAVE refers to the run-unit currently executing: SMPLSORT
 - Information for thread (the one and only thread)

```
CEE5DMP V1 R4.3: CONDITION PROCESSING RESULTED IN THE UNHANDLED CONDITION.  
08/22/03 11:11:36 AM PAGE: 1
```

INFORMATION FOR ENCLAVE SMPLSORT

INFORMATION FOR THREAD 8000000000000000

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The next key area of the dump is the TRACEBACK area which will be for the current thread (multi-threaded) or only thread
 - **DSA Addr:** Address of the DSA (Dynamic Save Area)
 - **Program Unit:** Enclave Name in REVERSE ORDER OF EXECUTION
 - **PU Addr:** Load Address in memory (the program storage itself is NOT part of the DUMP output)
 - **PU Offset:** Entry point within the Program Unit for the ENCLAVE
 - **Entry:** Entry point name
 - **E Addr:** address of this entry point within the program unit
 - **E Offset:** offset of this entry point within the program unit
 - **Statement:** if you compiled with TEST(NONE,SYM) this is the line number
 - **Service Level** Indicates maintenance level
 - **Status:** shows the reverse sequence of how you got to/through each module

INFORMATION FOR ENCLAVE SMPLSORT										
INFORMATION FOR THREAD 800000000000000000										
TRACEBACK:										
DSA ADDR	PROGRAM UNIT	PU ADDR	PU OFFSET	ENTRY	E ADDR	E OFFSET	STATEMENT	SERVICE	STATUS	
00544478	CEEHDSP	0139F590	+00002B82	CEEHDSP	0139F590	+00002B82		BASELVL	CALL	
01356038	SMPLSORT	00500078	+00000982	SMPLSORT	00500078	+00000982	79		EXCEPTION	
00567960		00000000	+00000000		00000000	+00000000			CALL	
005441D8		00544358	+00000000		00544358	+00000000			CALL	
005048E8		00504580	+00000000		00504580	+00000000			CALL	
00544258		00000000	+00000000		00000000	+00000000			CALL	
00544018	CEEYSMG	005834A8	+00000418	CEEYSMG	005834A8	+00000418			CALL	
005675F0	IGZESMG	00593CA8	+00000F7E	IGZESMG	00593CA8	+00000F7E			CALL	
00567B0C	SMPLSORT	00500078	+0000086C	SMPLSORT	00500078	+0000086C	65		CALL	

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The Condition Information for Active routines is next:
 - Current Condition – typically an LE message
 - Original Condition – this is the “real deal” – very important
 - Following by the LOCATION of the condition and the
 - Machine State

```
CONDITION INFORMATION FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES
CONDITION INFORMATION FOR SMPLSORT (DSA ADDRESS 01356038)
CIB ADDRESS: 00544980
CURRENT CONDITION:
    CEE0198S THE TERMINATION OF A THREAD WAS SIGNALED DUE TO AN UNHANDLED CONDITION.
ORIGINAL CONDITION:
    CEE3207S THE SYSTEM DETECTED A DATA EXCEPTION.
LOCATION:
    PROGRAM UNIT: SMPLSORT ENTRY: SMPLSORT STATEMENT: 79 OFFSET: +00000982
MACHINE STATE:
    ILC..... 0006      INTERRUPTION CODE..... 0007
    PSW..... 071D3000 80500A00
    GPR0..... 00000000  GPR1..... 0050029C  GPR2..... 0052F7EC  GPR3..... 0052F7EC
    GPR4..... 01356458  GPR5..... 805009A6  GPR6..... 00569088  GPR7..... 00567DB8
    GPR8..... 00569038  GPR9..... 00569138  GPR10.... 00500178  GPR11.... 005005A4
    GPR12.... 0050016C  GPR13.... 01356038  GPR14.... 805009FA  GPR15.... 81360F70
STORAGE DUMP NEAR CONDITION, BEGINNING AT LOCATION: 005009EA
+000000 005009EA  B3E45820 D05C58F0 202C4110 A12405EF  FA209078 A0AFF822 90789078
                           5830D1BC | .U...*.0.....8.....J.|
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The next part of the dump contains the DSA and register information for EVERY ROUTINE on the calling chain sequence
 - The saved registers for CEEHDSP (this is the “dump” routine in LE)
 - Next is SMPLSORT - and you keep going through the phases on the chain in the traceback

```
PARAMETERS, REGISTERS, AND VARIABLES FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES:
```

```
CEEHDSP (DSA ADDRESS 00544478):
```

```
SAVED REGISTERS:
```

GPR0..... 00000000	GPR1..... 0054481C	GPR2..... 00000008	GPR3..... 013E8E18
GPR4..... 00000003	GPR5..... 813A2116	GPR6..... 013A358C	GPR7..... 00545477
GPR8..... 013A258D	GPR9..... 013A158E	GPR10.... 013A058F	GPR11.... 8139F590
GPR12.... 0052DF18	GPR13.... 00544478	GPR14.... 80536EEE	GPR15.... 8133EEF8

```
SMPLSORT (DSA ADDRESS 01356038):
```

```
SAVED REGISTERS:
```

GPR0..... 00000000	GPR1..... 0050029C	GPR2..... 0052F7EC	GPR3..... 0052F7EC
GPR4..... 01356458	GPR5..... 805009A6	GPR6..... 00569088	GPR7..... 00567DB8
GPR8..... 00569038	GPR9..... 00569138	GPR10.... 00500178	GPR11.... 005005A4
GPR12.... 0050016C	GPR13.... 01356038	GPR14.... 805009FA	GPR15.... 81360F70

```
(DSA ADDRESS 00567960):
```

```
SAVED REGISTERS:
```

GPR0..... 00000000	GPR1..... 00000000	GPR2..... 00000000	GPR3..... 00000000
GPR4..... 00000000	GPR5..... 005675F0	GPR6..... 00000000	GPR7..... 00000000
GPR8..... 00000000	GPR9..... 00000000	GPR10.... 00000000	GPR11.... 00000000
GPR12.... 00000000	GPR13.... 00567960	GPR14.... 8059567E	GPR15.... 00000000

```
(DSA ADDRESS 005441D8):
```

```
SAVED REGISTERS:
```

GPR0..... 805955F6	GPR1..... 005050A4	GPR2..... 0052DD10	GPR3..... 00506C28
GPR4..... 0050C270	GPR5..... 005180C4	GPR6..... 805955F6	GPR7..... 00536038

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Next come control block areas
 - For COBOL this is DSA and CIB blocks

```
CONTROL BLOCKS FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES:  
DSA FOR CEEHDSP: 00544478  
+000000 FLAGS.... 0808 member... CEE1 BKC..... 01356038 FWC..... 00547018 R14..... 80536EEE  
+000010 R15..... 8133EEF8 R0..... 00000000 R1..... 0054481C R2..... 00000008 R3..... 013E8E18  
+000024 R4..... 00000003 R5..... 813A2116 R6..... 013A358C R7..... 00545477 R8..... 013A258D  
+000038 R9..... 013A158E R10..... 013A058F R11..... 8139F590 R12..... 0052DF18 reserved. 00000000  
+00004C NAB..... 00547018 PNAB.... 00544478 reserved. 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000  
+000064 reserved. 00000000 reserved. 00000000 MODE.... 813A2114 reserved. 00000000 00000000  
+000078 reserved. 00000000 reserved. 00000000  
DSA FOR SMPLSORT: 01356038  
+000000 FLAGS.... 0010 member... 8001 BKC..... 00567960 FWC..... 00568030 R14..... 805009FA  
+000010 R15..... 81360F70 R0..... 00000000 R1..... 0050029C R2..... 0052F7EC R3..... 0052F7EC  
+000024 R4..... 01356458 R5..... 805009A6 R6..... 00569088 R7..... 00567DB8 R8..... 00569038  
+000038 R9..... 00569138 R10..... 00500178 R11..... 005005A4 R12..... 0050016C reserved. F3E3C7E3  
+00004C NAB..... 00547018 PNAB.... 03000000 reserved. 77420220 00567188 0052F7EC 01356210  
+000064 reserved. 00000003 reserved. 00000000 MODE.... 80594D20 reserved. 005675F0 00567C80  
+000078 reserved. 00000000 reserved. 00000000  
CIB FOR SMPLSORT: 00544980  
+000000 00544980 C3C9C240 00000000 00000000 010C0004 00000005 00567188 000300C6 59C3C5C5 | CIB .....h..F.CEE|  
+000020 005449A0 00000000 00544A8C 0030C87 59C3C5C5 00000000 00000004 00567B0C 8137E080 | .....g.CEE.....#.a...|  
+000040 005449C0 00000000 01356038 00500A00 013E9160 00000005 00000000 00000000 00000000 | .....&....j-.....|  
+000060 005449E0 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 | .....|  
+000080 00544A00 00000000 00000000 50E0F028 5010F010 4110F02C 4500F014 00000000 17EE05E0 | .....&.0.&0...0...0|  
+0000A0 00544A20 12EE4720 E0080A82 0A0258E0 F02807FE 48234000 00000020 00000007 40404040 | .....b....0.....|  
+0000C0 00544A40 40404040 00000000 01356038 01356038 005009FA 5B5BC2D6 D7C5D540 00000067 | .....-....&..$BOPEN ...|  
+0000E0 00544A60 00567B0C 00000005 00000008 00000014 FFFFFFFC 00000000 00000000 00567E60 | ..#.....|  
+000100 00544A80 00000000 013E9244 00500504 E9D4C3C8 00D00001 00000000 0050029C 0052F7EC | .....k..&..ZMCH.....&....7.|
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- For COBOL, more storage is possible in the dump!
 - Date and time program was compiled
 - Task Global Table (TGT)
 - Explained in the COBOL Programming Guide and the
 - Language Environment Debugging Guide and Run-Time Messages

```
PROGRAM SMPLSORT WAS COMPILED 08/22/03 11:11:34 AM
COBOL VERSION = 01 RELEASE = 01 MODIFICATION = 01      USER LEVEL = '
TGT FOR SMPLSORT: 01356038
+000000 01356038 00108001 00567960 00568030 805009FA 81360F70 00000000 0050029C 0052F7EC |.....-....&..a.....&....7.
+000020 01356058 0052F7EC 01356458 805009A6 00569088 00567DB8 00569038 00569138 00500178 |..7.....&w..h..'.----j..&..
+000040 01356078 005005A4 0050016C F3E3C7E3 00547018 03000000 77420220 00567188 0052F7EC |.&u.&.%3TGT.....h..7.
+000060 01356098 01356210 00000003 0000007B 80594D20 005675F0 00567C80 00000000 00000000 |.....#..(....0..@.....
+000080 013560B8 0052DF18 000001D8 00000000 00000000 00000006 00000001 E2E8E2D6 E4E34040 |.....Q.....SYSOUT
+0000A0 013560D8 C9C7E9E2 D9E3C3C4 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |IGZSRTCD......
+0000C0 013560F8 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |.....'.
+0000E0 01356118 00000000 013565F8 0050016C 00000001 013561F8 00567408 00500228 01356174 |.....8.&%...../8.....&.../
+000100 01356138 00500078 00500178 013561B8 00500174 013561EC 00569138 00000000 00000000 |&....&..../.&..../.j.....
+000120 01356158 00569100 00569138 00000000 00569038 00569088 00000000 00567DB8 00000000 |..j..j..j.....h..'.
+000140 01356178 00500A9C 07FE07FE 00000000 00000000 00001FFF 07FE0000 00000000 00000000 |.&.....'.
+000160 01356198 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |.....'.
+000180 013561B8 005005EC 0050077E 005008CE 005006FC 005008FC 00500A56 0050077E 005008CE |.&....&.=.&....&....&....&.=.&..
+0001A0 013561D8 0050095C 00500A2A 00000000 005005EC 00000001 01356258 01356358 01356458 |.&.*.&.....&.....'.
+0001C0 013561F8 C0000000 00000000 00000000 01356558 00000009 994C0000 01356038 01356258 |.....r<.....-
```

CLLE FOR SMPLSORT: 00567408

```
+000000 00567408 E2D4D7D3 E2D6D9E3 00014000 00000000 94810000 00500078 01356038 00500078 |SMPLSORT.. ....ma...&....-...&...
+000020 00567428 00000000 00000000 00000000 00567000 000000E8 000000E0 00000000 |.....y.....
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- One very interesting area is the “Local Variables”
 - Only exists if you compile with TEST(SYM) to build to symbol tables for your data division names (and now you have SEPARATE as well)

```
LOCAL VARIABLES:  
25 01 SORT-WORK-1-AREA  
          AN-GR  
26 02 SORT-KEY1      X(10) DISP      '0000009998'  
27 02 SORT-KEY2      X(10) DISP      '  
28 02 FILLER        X(60) DISP      '  
  
29 FILE1           FILE SPECIFIED AS: ORGANIZATION=VSAM SEQUENTIAL, ACCESS  
                   MODE=SEQUENTIAL, RECFM=FIXED. CURRENT STATUS OF FILE IS:  
                   NOT OPEN, A SUCCESSFUL ACTION SINCE OPEN, LAST  
                   REQUEST=CLOSED, VSAM STATUS CODE=00, VSAM FEEDBACK=000,  
                   VSAM RET CODE=000, VSAM FUNCTION CODE=000.  
32 01 RECORD1       X(80) DISP      '0000009994'  
  
33 FILE2           FILE SPECIFIED AS: ORGANIZATION=SEQUENTIAL, ACCESS  
                   MODE=SEQUENTIAL, RECFM=FIXED. CURRENT STATUS OF FILE IS:  
                   CLOSED STATUS=FILE, SAM STATUS CODE=00.  
36 01 RECORD2       X(80)          *** Invalid address for this item, no value displayed ***  
37 FILE3           FILE SPECIFIED AS: ORGANIZATION=SEQUENTIAL, ACCESS  
                   MODE=SEQUENTIAL, RECFM=FIXED. CURRENT STATUS OF FILE IS:  
                   OPEN STATUS=INPUT, SAM STATUS CODE=10.  
40 01 RECORD3       X(80) DISP      '0000009998'  
  
42 01 F-STATUS1     99 DISP      00  
43 01 F-STATUS2     99 DISP      00  
44 01 F-STATUS3     99 DISP      10  
45 01 KEY-NUMB     9(10) DISP    0000009994  
46 01 EXEC-SORT    X(80) DISP      'OPTION NOSTXIT'  
  
47 01 ABENDIT      S9(5) CMP3    *** Invalid data for this data type *** Hex 000000
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Now we can look at the information for SMPLSORT, since we suspect that this program is our “problem child”

STORAGE FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES:

SMPLSORT:

CONTENTS OF BASE LOCATORS FOR FILES ARE:

0-00569038 1-00569088 2-00000000 3-00567DB8

CONTENTS OF BASE LOCATORS FOR WORKING STORAGE ARE:

0-00569138

CONTENTS OF BASE LOCATORS FOR THE LINKAGE SECTION ARE:

1-00000000

NO VARIABLY LOCATED AREAS WERE USED IN THIS PROGRAM.

NO EXTERNAL DATA WAS USED IN THIS PROGRAM.

NO INDEXES WERE USED IN THIS PROGRAM.

FILE RECORD CONTENTS FOR SMPLSORT

TFILE1 (BLF-0): 00569038

+000000 00569038	F0F0F0F0 F0F0F9F9 F9F84040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 0000009998	
+000020 00569058	40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040	
+000040 00569078	40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 F0F0F0F0 F0F0F9F9 F9F44040 40404040	0000009994

TFILE2 (BLF-1): 00569088

+000000 00569088	F0F0F0F0 F0F0F9F9 F9F44040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 0000009994	
+000020 005690A8	40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040	
+000040 005690C8	40404040 40404040 40404040 40404040 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000	

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Now we can look at the information for SMPLSORT, since we suspect that this program is our “problem child”
 - Statement 79 is the last thing the program did, and, of course the variable ABENDIT is uninitialized, as noted in the dump with the local variables earlier
 - This is a classic case of uninitialized data, which happens because you do not value your storage, or because file data has invalid data - classic SOC7! now a CEE3207S!

```
000077          IN3.  
000078          DISPLAY "COBVSORT - Program Checking NOW!!" upon Console.  
000079          ADD 1 TO ABENDIT.  
000080          CLOSE FILE3.
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Here is a different kind of execution abend where COBOL is detecting the error
 - The message IGZ0006S is, of course, from COBOL (you know this because of the IGZ prefix)
 - Notice that you have almost enough information from the message without even looking in the dump!

```
* Execute Program
// OPTION NOSYSDUMP,PARTDUMP
// EXEC COBVTST9,SIZE=COBVTST9,PARM=' /CHECK(ON),TER(DUMP) '
1S54I PHASE COBVTST9 IS TO BE FETCHED FROM GARRYH.BATCH
IGZ0006S THE REFERENCE TO TABLE ALL-FIXED BY VERB NUMBER 01 ON LINE 000095
ADDRESSED AN AREA OUTSIDE THE REGION OF THE TABLE.
FROM COMPILE UNIT COBVTST9 AT ENTRY POINT COBVTST9
AT STATEMENT 95 AT COMPILE UNIT
OFFSET +0000047C AT ADDRESS 005004F4.
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Key Sections of a Language Environment Dump are still the same
 - 1st line shows CEE5DMP and the level of LE
 - This is the LE “program” that produces the dump
 - Condition processing indicates this condition was not handled, therefore, “unhandled”
 - ENCLAVE refers to the run-unit currently executing: COBTST9
 - Information for thread (the one and only thread)

```
CEE5DMP V1 R4.3: CONDITION PROCESSING RESULTED IN THE UNHANDLED CONDITION.  
08/22/03 11:34:51 AM PAGE: 1
```

INFORMATION FOR ENCLAVE COBVTST9

INFORMATION FOR THREAD 8000000000000000

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The next key area of the dump again is the TRACEBACK area
 - Starts with program COBVTST9
 - Last good thing that happened is at statement 95
 - Notice the EXCEPTION is detected later!

TRACEBACK:									
DSA ADDR	PROGRAM	UNIT	PU ADDR	PU OFFSET	ENTRY	E ADDR	E OFFSET	STATEMENT	STATUS
0052A118	CEEHDSP		013A0420	+00002B78	CEEHDSP	013A0420	+00002B78		CALL
0052D528	CEEHSLT		013AA2E0	+0000005C	CEEHSLT	013AA2E0	+0000005C		EXCEPTION
0052D018	IGZCMMSG		0136DE18	+00000378	IGZCMMSG	0136DE18	+00000378		CALL
01359038	COBVTST9		00500078	+0000047C	COBVTST9	00500078	+0000047C	95	CALL

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The Condition Information for Active routines is next:
 - Current Condition – typically an LE message
 - Original Condition – this is the “real deal” – very important
 - Following by the LOCATION of the condition
 - In this case since COBOL detected the error, along with Language Environment, the information is a bit different - no machine state!

CURRENT CONDITION:

CEE0198S THE TERMINATION OF A THREAD WAS SIGNALLED DUE TO AN UNHANDLED CONDITION.

ORIGINAL CONDITION:

IGZ0006S THE REFERENCE TO TABLE ALL-FIXED BY VERB NUMBER 01 ON LINE 000095
ADDRESSED AN AREA OUTSIDE THE REGION OF THE
TABLE.

LOCATION:

PROGRAM UNIT: CEEHSGLT ENTRY: CEEHSGLT STATEMENT: OFFSET: +0000005C
STORAGE DUMP NEAR CONDITION, BEGINNING AT LOCATION: 013AA32C
+000000 013AA32C F010D20B D0801000 58A0C2B8 58F0A01C 05EFD20B D098B120 41A0D098
50A0D08C |0.K.....B..0....K..q....q&...|

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- This TRACEBACK area looks a bit different because the “problem” was detected by COBOL, not by LE, but the “parts” are still
 - **DSA Addr:** Address of the DSA (Dynamic Save Area)
 - **Program Unit:** Enclave Name in REVERSE ORDER OF EXECUTION
 - **PU Addr:** Load Address in memory (the program storage itself is NOT part of a CEDUMP)
 - **PU Offset:** Entry point within the Program Unit for the ENCLAVE
 - **Entry:** Entry point name
 - **E Addr:** address of this entry point within the program unit
 - **E Offset:** offset of this entry point within the program unit
 - **Statement:** if you compiled with TEST(NONE,SYM) this is the line number of the last thing that happened (good or bad)
 - **LoadModule:** Name of the module containing this PU
 - **Service Level** (APAR/PTF level of service)
 - **Status:** shows the reverse sequence of how you got to/through each module

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01359038	COBVTST9	00500078	+0000047C	COBVTST9	00500078	+0000047C	95	CALL

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The next part of the dump contains the DSA and register information for EVERY ROUTINE on the calling chain sequence
 - The saved registers for CEEHDSP (this is the “dump” routine in LE)
 - Next is CEEHSGLT, IGZCMMSG, and then COBVTST9 - and you keep going through the phases on the chain in the traceback

PARAMETERS, REGISTERS, AND VARIABLES FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES:

CEEHDSP (DSA ADDRESS 0052A118):

SAVED REGISTERS:

GPR0.....	00000000	GPR1.....	0052A4BC	GPR2.....	00000008	GPR3.....	013E8E18
GPR4.....	00000003	GPR5.....	813A2F9C	GPR6.....	013A441C	GPR7.....	0052B117
GPR8.....	013A341D	GPR9.....	013A241E	GPR10....	013A141F	GPR11....	813A0420
GPR12....	00513F18	GPR13....	0052A118	GPR14....	8051CEEE	GPR15....	8132C1B0

CEEHSGLT (DSA ADDRESS 0052D528):

SAVED REGISTERS:

GPR0.....	0052D528	GPR1.....	0052D1E8	GPR2.....	0052D1E8	GPR3.....	00000000
GPR4.....	0051C038	GPR5.....	0051C038	GPR6.....	00500252	GPR7.....	00000005
GPR8.....	00515A70	GPR9.....	01359038	GPR10....	0051C038	GPR11....	813AA2E0
GPR12....	00513F18	GPR13....	0052D528	GPR14....	8051CEDA	GPR15....	80508F48

IGZCMMSG (DSA ADDRESS 0052D018):

SAVED REGISTERS:

GPR0.....	0052D528	GPR1.....	0052D1E8	GPR2.....	0052D1E8	GPR3.....	00000000
GPR4.....	0051C038	GPR5.....	0051C038	GPR6.....	00500252	GPR7.....	00000005
GPR8.....	00515A70	GPR9.....	01359038	GPR10....	0054D188	GPR11....	8136DE18
GPR12....	00513F18	GPR13....	0052D018	GPR14....	8052044A	GPR15....	813AA2E0

COBVTST9 (DSA ADDRESS 01359038):

SAVED REGISTERS:

GPR0.....	0000000F	GPR1.....	00500252	GPR2.....	00000019	GPR3.....	005157EC
GPR4.....	005000B0	GPR5.....	0054D188	GPR6.....	005151AC	GPR7.....	00000000
GPR8.....	00515A70	GPR9.....	01351070	GPR10....	0050017C	GPR11....	005002FC
GPR12....	0050016C	GPR13....	01359038	GPR14....	805004F6	GPR15....	8136DE18

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- “Local Variables” again has interesting information
 - Remember, this only exists if you compile with TEST(SYM) to build to symbol tables for your data division names

```
LOCAL VARIABLES:  
 62 01 FIVE-13-BYTES-LONG  
           X(513) DISP  
  
 63 01 ALL-SUBSCRIPT-FIXED  
           AN-GR  
 64 02 ALL-FIXED          X(5) OCCURS 5  
           SUB(1)      DISP      '1  
           SUB(2)      DISP      '2  
           SUB(3)      DISP      '3  
           SUB(4)      DISP      '4  
           SUB(5)      DISP      '5  
 65 01 NUMERIC-1          99 DISP      06  
 66 01 SUBSCRIPT          S9 DISP      +6
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- STORAGE is the HEX information
 - You need the correct TERMTHDACT run-time option STORAGE!

```
STORAGE FOR ACTIVE ROUTINES:
```

```
COVTST9:
```

```
    NO FILES WERE USED IN THIS PROGRAM.
```

```
CONTENTS OF BASE LOCATORS FOR WORKING STORAGE ARE:
```

```
    0-01351070
```

```
CONTENTS OF BASE LOCATORS FOR THE LINKAGE SECTION ARE:
```

```
    1-00000000
```

```
NO VARIABLY LOCATED AREAS WERE USED IN THIS PROGRAM.
```

```
NO EXTERNAL DATA WAS USED IN THIS PROGRAM.
```

```
NO INDEXES WERE USED IN THIS PROGRAM.
```

```
WORKING STORAGE FOR COVTST9
```

```
BLW-0: 01351070
```

+000000 01351070	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000
+000020 01351090	- +0001FF 0135126F	SAME AS ABOVE	
+000200 01351270	00000000 00000000 F1404040 40F24040 4040F340 404040F4 40404040 F54040401 2 3 4 5	
+000220 01351290	40000000 00000000 F0F60000 00000000 C6000000 00000000 00000000 0000000006.....F.....	

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Here is the compiler listing WITH TEST and MAP options

```
INVOCATION PARAMETERS:  
ADATA  
PROCESS(CBL) STATEMENTS:  
    CBL APOST,LIB,RENT,DATA(31),NOSEQ,TEST,SSRANGE,MAP,OFFSET  
OPTIONS IN EFFECT:  
    ADATA                                SSRANGE  
    ADV                                     NOTERM  
    NOAWO  
    BUFSIZE(4096)  
    NOCMPR2  
    NOCOMPILE(S)  
    NOCURRENCY  
        DATA(31)  
    NODATEPROC  
    NODBCS  
    NODECK  
    NODUMP  
    NODYNAM  
    NOEXIT  
    NOFASTSRT  
        FLAG(I)  
    NOFLAGMIG  
    NOFLAGSAA  
    NOFLAGSTD  
        INTDATE(ANSI)  
        LANGUAGE(UE)  
        LIB  
        LINECOUNT(60)  
    NOLIST  
        MAP  
    NONAME  
    NONUMBER  
        NUMPROC(NOPFD)  
        OBJECT  
        OFFSET  
    NOOPTIMIZE  
        OUTDD(SYSOUT)  
        RENT  
        RMODE(AUTO)  
    NOSEQUENCE  
        SIZE(MAX)  
    SOURCE  
    SPACE(1)
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The compiler listing has important information
 - Allows us to coordinate source with dump information
 - BLW-0 and the offset can be used with the Storage section of the dump

```
000056      005700*****
PP 5686-068 IBM COBOL FOR VSE/ESA 1.1.1          COBVTST9  DATE 09/08/2003  TIME 13:04:56  PAGE     4
LINEID PL SL  ---+--*A-1-B---+---2---+---3---+---4---+---5---+---6---+---7-|---+---8  MAP AND CROSS REFERENCE
000057      005800*
000058      005900 environment division.
000059      006000 data division.
000060      006100
000061      006200 working-storage section.
000062      006300 01 five-13-bytes-long      pic x(513).           BLW=0000+000      513C
000063      006400 01 All-subscript-fixed.       pic x(5) occurs 5 times.   BLW=0000+208      0CL25
000064      006500 05 all-fixed                 pic 99.            BLW=0000+208,0000000 5C
000065      006600 01 numeric-1                pic s9.           BLW=0000+228      2C
000066      006600 01 subscript               pic s9.           BLW=0000+230      1C
000067      006700*

WORKING STORAGE FOR COBVTST9
BLW-0: 01351070
+000000 01351070 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 |.....|
+000020 01351090 - +0001FF 0135126F      SAME AS ABOVE
+000200 01351270 00000000 00000000 F1404040 40F24040 4040F340 404040F4 40404040 F5404040 |.....1 2 3 4 5 |
+000220 01351290 40000000 00000000 F0F60000 00000000 C6000000 00000000 00000000 |.....06.....F.....|
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- From the original dump information we know that statement 95 is the actual offending statement (from the message IGZ0006S indicating that statement 95 addressed an area outside the region of the table

```
000068      006800 procedure division.
000069      006900 a00-main.
000070          Display 'COBVTST9 Begins.' Upon Console.
000071          Move zeros to numeric-1.                                IMP 65
000072          Display 'COBVTST9 - Program Abends with IGZ0006S.' Upon
000073          Console.
000074          Perform A01-Load-Array 20 times.                         92
000075 007300*****
000076 007400* Fixed-length table:                                     *
000077 007500* data-name                                         *
000078 007600* 11304127 Subscript > length of table               *
000079 007700*****
000080 007800    move 7    to numeric-1.                               65
000081 007900*                                     VVVVVVVVVV
000082 008000    move function lower-case(all-fixed(numeric-1))   IFN 64 65
000083 008100    to five-13-bytes-long.                            62
000084 008200
000085 007700*****
000086 007500*                                     *
000087 007400* The following Display command should never be executed.  *
000088 007500*                                     *
000089 007700*****
000090          Display 'COBVTST9 Complete.' Upon Console.
000091          Goback.
000092          A01-Load-Array.
000093          compute numeric-1 = numeric-1 + 1.                      65 65
000094          Move numeric-1 to subscript.                           65 66
000095          Move subscript to all-fixed(subscript).                66 64 66
000096          End-A01-Load-Array.
000097          End program COBVTST9.                                 3
*/ COBVTST9
```

Language Environment

Run-Time options

for

Debugging

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Some of the specific Language Environment run-time options for debugging

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Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- USE FOR DEBUGGING (replace READYTRACE)
 - USE FOR DEBUGGING Declarative module

```
Environment Division.  
Configuration Section.  
Source-Computer. IBM-370 WITH DEBUGGING MODE.  
*Source-Computer. IBM-370.  
.....  
Data Division.  
Working-Storage Section.  
01 Trace-Switch          PIC X VALUE 'N'.  
     88 TRACE-OFF           VALUE 'N'.  
     88 TRACE-ON            VALUE 'Y'.  
Procedure Division.  
Declaratives.  
COBOL-DEBUG SECTION.  
    USE FOR DEBUGGING ON ALL PROCEDURES.  
COBOL-DEBUG-PARAGRAPH.  
    IF TRACE-ON  
        DISPLAY DEBUG-NAME, DEBUG-CONTENTS  
        ...any other COBOL statements you want...  
    END-IF.  
END DECLARATIVES.  
MAIN-PROCESSING SECTION.  
....  
    SET TRACE-ON TO TRUE  
....  
    SET TRACE-OFF TO TRUE
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- USE FOR DEBUGGING (replace READYTRACE)
 - Debugging lines
 - Identified with D in column 7
 - Included when compiled with the “WITH DEBUGGING MODE”

Environment Division.

Configuration Section.

Source-Computer. IBM-370 **WITH DEBUGGING MODE**.

*Source-Computer. IBM-370.
.....

PROCEDURE DIVISION.

100-INITIALIZATION.

D DISPLAY '100-INITIALIZATION'.

.....

200-BEGIN-PROGRAM.

D DISPLAY '200-BEGIN-PROGRAM'.

D DISPLAY 'VALUE OF ACCOUNT-NO = ', ACCOUNT-NO
.....

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

➤ Sample of DEBUG TOOL terminal screen

The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "Passport - A". The window has a menu bar with "Terminal", "Edit", "Windows", "Functions", "Setup", and "Help". Below the menu is a status line showing "COBOL LOCATION: LAB2DB :> 58.1" and "Command ==>". To the right of the status line is a "Scroll ==> CSR" button. The main area displays a COBOL dump reading. The dump shows several lines of COBOL code with various fields highlighted in different colors (green, red, yellow, cyan). The code includes lines like "MONITOR", "LIST WS-PRINT-RECORD", and "STEP ;". Error messages are also present, such as "Invalid data for 02 LAB2DB:>ORIGINAL-NUMBER is found.". The bottom of the window contains a command prompt with PF keys and function keys, and a status message "a:Connected Port A083+".

```
Passport - A
Terminal Edit Windows Functions Setup Help
COBOL LOCATION: LAB2DB :> 58.1
Command ==> Scroll ==> CSR
MONITOR --+---1---+---2---+---3---+---4---+---5---+ LINE: 1 OF 14
0001 1 01 LAB2DB:>WS-PRINT-RECORD
0002     02 LAB2DB:>FILLER      .
0003     02 LAB2DB:>FILLER      ORIG NUMB =
0004     Invalid data for 02 LAB2DB:>ORIGINAL-NUMBER is found.
0005     02 LAB2DB:>FILLER      .
0006     02 LAB2DB:>FILLER      NEW NO ZERO NUMB =
0007     02 LAB2DB:>NO-ZERO-NUMBER   .....
SOURCE: LAB2DB --+---1---+---2---+---3---+---4---+---5---+ LINE: 58 OF 84
      58 OPEN OUTPUT PRINTOUT
      59 PERFORM VARYING DD-INDX FROM 1 BY 1
      60      UNTIL DD-INDX > 10
      61      MOVE ZERO TO DDACOUNT1
      62      INSPECT DDANO-IN(DD-INDX)
      63      TALLYING DDACOUNT1 FOR LEADING ZEROES
LOG 0--+---1---+---2---+---3---+---4---+---5---+---6- LINE: 4 OF 7
0004 MONITOR
0005 LIST WS-PRINT-RECORD ;
0006 STEP ;
0007 STEP ;
PF 1:? 2:STEP 3:QUIT 4:LIST 5:FIND 6:AT/CLEAR
PF 7:UP 8:DOWN 9:GO 10:ZOOM 11:ZOOM LOG 12:RETRIEVE
4B|| a:Connected Port A083+
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

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➤ Compiler listing output

- **MAP - identifies data areas**
 - **BLX- External Data item**
 - **BLF - File fields**
 - **BLW - Working Storage fields**
 - **BLL -Linkage**

Imbedded in listing at also at bottom

- **At bottom you get 2 “displacements”**
 - **One within the “structure” of the BLF, BLW, BLL, etc**
 - **2nd is a “structure” displacement relative to each 01 group definition**
- **Same information is in the STORAGE portion of the dump**
- **Grouping is in 4K “chunks”**

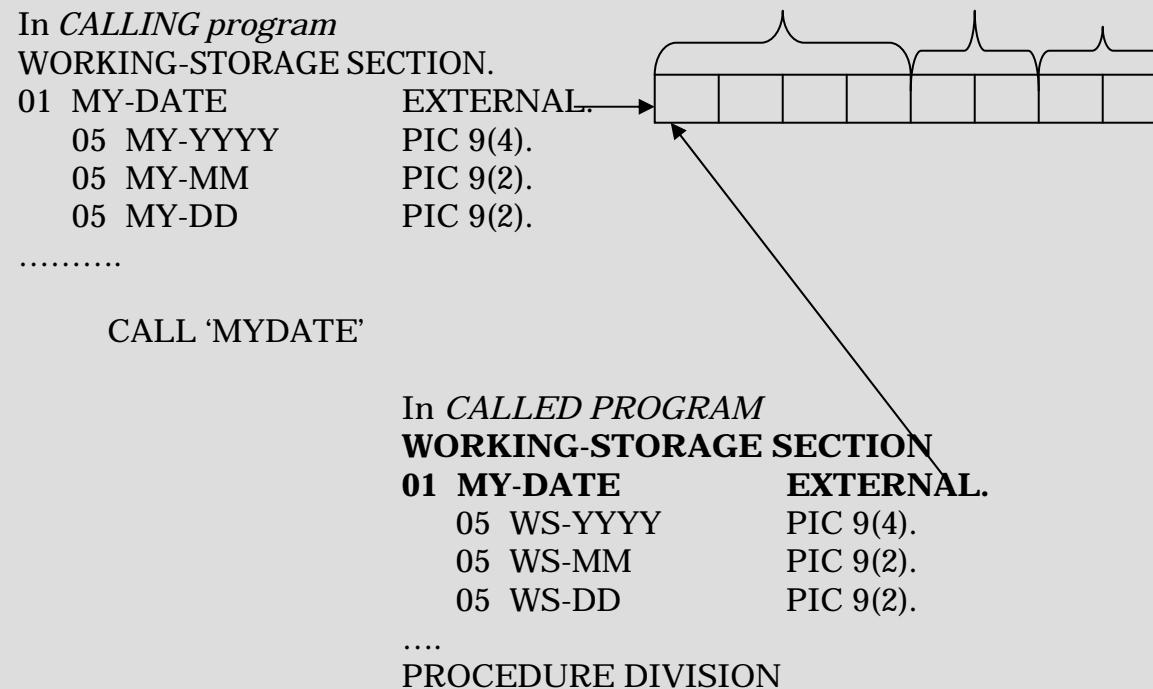
➤ **CEE5DMP callable routine**

- **Pass in TITLE**
 - **Appears at top of each page in dump output**
 - **OPTIONS indicate what “pieces you want**
 - **Can CALL from multiple places in program**
 - **Change the title to indicate “which” dump**

```
01 MY-TITLE      PIC X(80) .  
  
01 MY-OPTIONS    PIC X(255) VALUE 'FILES VARS STOR TRACE.  
  
.....  
  
MOVE 'DUMP ONE' TO MY-TITLE  
  
CALL 'CEE5DMP' USING MY-TITLE, MY-OPTIONS, FC  
  
.....  
  
MOVE 'DUMP TWO' TO MY-TITLE  
  
CALL 'CEE5DMP' USING MY-TITLE, MY-OPTIONS, FC
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- EXTERNAL is a new choice for “sharing”
 - Available for 01 or 77 level
 - Data-name on 01 or 77 MUST BE THE SAME
 - Cannot code a VALUE on EXTERNAL items
 - Data lengths MUST be the same (this is checked)



Language Environment and Condition Handling

- Condition Handling Services
 - **CEEDCOD** – Decompose Condition Token
 - **CEEGZDT** – Retrieve Q_Data_Token
 - **CEEHDLR** – Register User Condition Handler
 - **CEEHDLU** – Unregister User Condition Handler
 - **CEEITOK** – Return Initial Condition Token
 - **CEEMRCR** – Move Resume Cursor
 - **CEEMRCE** – Move Resume Cursor Explicit
 - **CEESRP** – Set Return Point
 - **CEENCOD** – Construct a Condition Toke
 - **CEE5ABD** – Terminate Enclave with user abend code
 - **CEE5CNC** – Control Nested Conditions
 - **CEE5GRC** – Get Enclave Return Code
 - **CEE5GRN** – Get name of routine incurring condition
 - **CEE5SRC** – Set Enclave Return Code

➤ **Intrinsic Functions – Callable Services**

- Similar capabilities
- LE has more extensive routines and continues to add
- Intrinsic functions are growing as well
- With LE, ability to check feedback code
 - For dates – FLEXIBLE FORMAT
 - Parameter format MUST be correct (not just numeric)
 - If something is “wrong” you can catch it programmatically
- With Intrinsic Functions
 - For dates – FIXED FORMAT
 - Argument requirements less restrictive than LE
 - If something is “wrong” program abends
- Little performance difference
 - Intrinsic Function often calls LE routine “under the covers”

➤ **With Language Environment routines**

- Condition handling routines allow
 - “Trapping” program errors
 - Issuing information
 - Producing same dump information
 - Keeping application running – or not, you choose
 - Works with any LE supported language environment
 - You choose where to start “handling”
 - Can be via RUN-TIME OPTION (USRHDLR)
 - Can be program point (CALL to CEEHDLR)

➤ Additional LE concepts

➤ Stack storage

- Save area
- Local-Storage variables
- Intrinsic functions
- Library routines
- Dynamic variables (PL/I)

➤ Heap storage

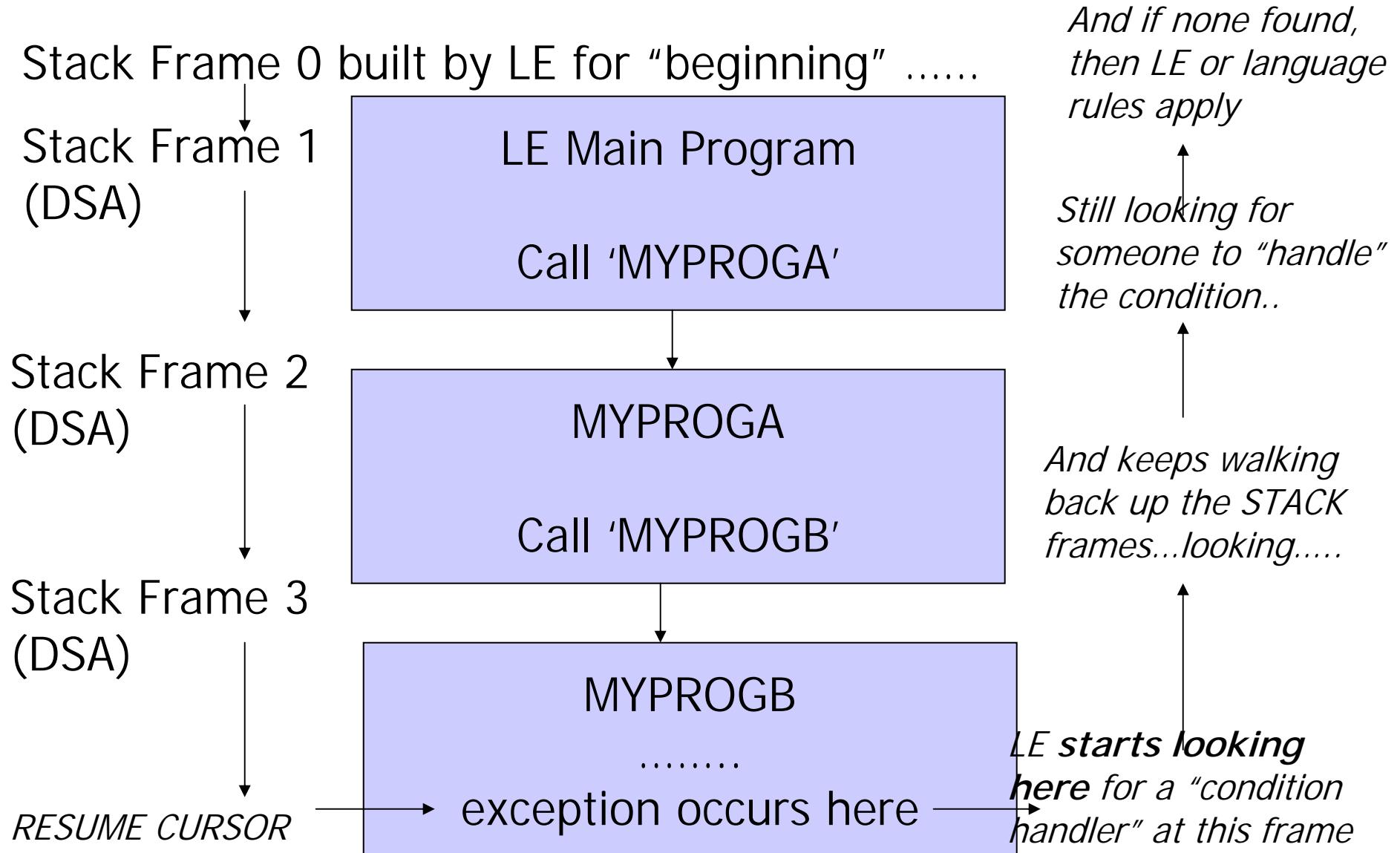
- COBOL working-storage
- Variables allocated with malloc(), calloc(), and realloc() in C/VSE

➤ LE run-time option RPTSTG(ON)

- Indicates whether you have a problem with either STACK or HEAP

- **OK, so now you get a “condition”....what does LE do?**
 - Starts with the most recently activated stack frame
 - Does not matter how we got the condition
 - LE looks at the most recently activated stack frame
 - Looks for user-written handler for this stack frame
 - Next looks for HLL specific handlers (C/C++ or PL/I)
 - LE “traverses” back through all the active stack frames looking for handlers to process the condition
 - LE continues until there are no more frames
 - If no handlers of any kind are found, then normal LE and/or language rules take over to finish

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

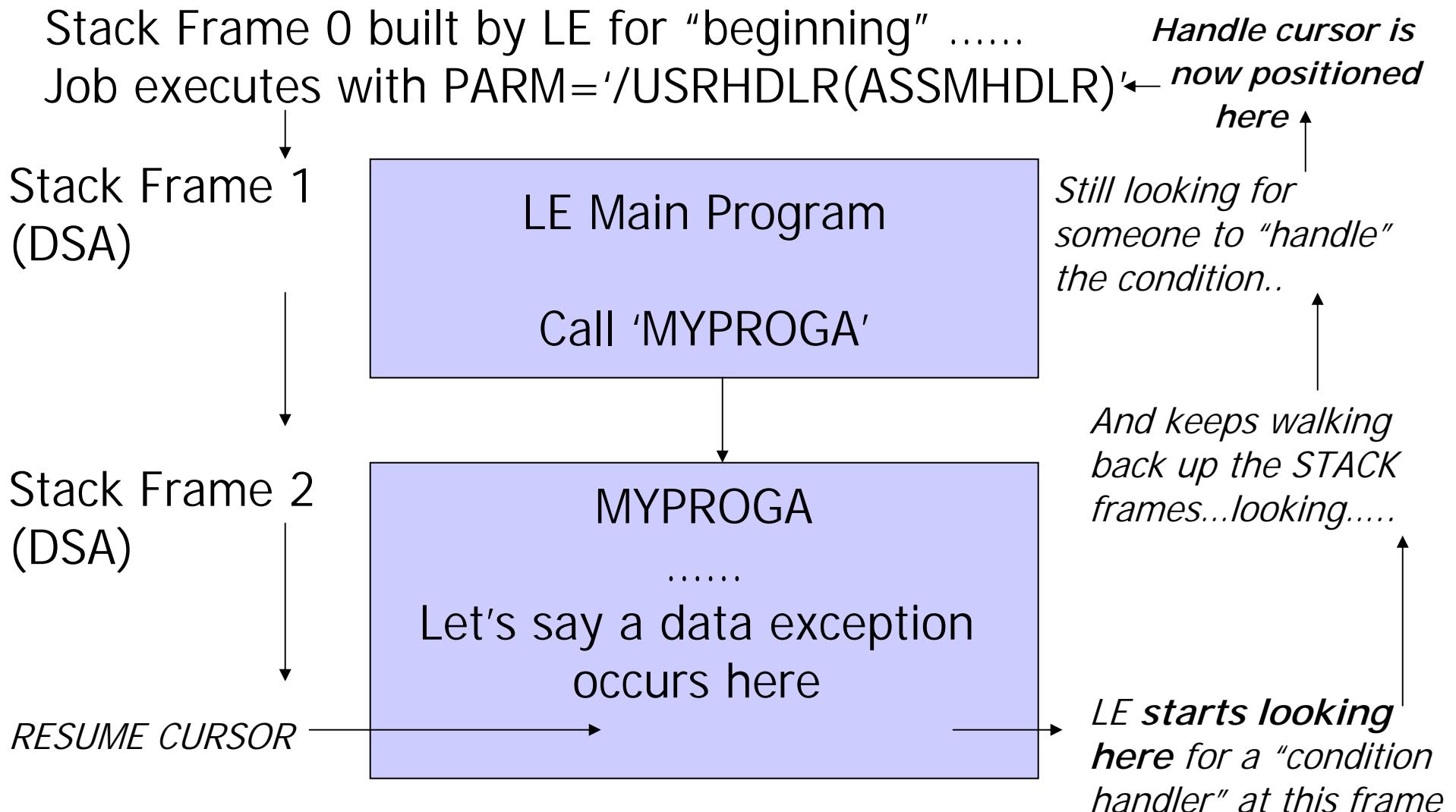


- **Resume cursor points to the “where to resume” location**
 - This cursor is always *on the move* as the programs execute, tracking the NSI (next sequential instruction)
 - Positioned after the instruction that causes the condition or signal
 - Next *machine instruction*, not necessarily the next “source” instruction
 - May be “moved” with CEEMRCR LE callable routine to move relative to “here”
 - May be “moved” with CEEMRCE callable routine to move to an “explicit” location

- **The other important element in “conditions” is the “handle cursor”**
 - If you CALL CEEHDLR from your routine you have a handle cursor “registered” at this frame (where you issue this CEEHDLR call)
 - If you use the run-time option USRHDLR to identify a handler routine, you have a handle cursor “registered” at Stack Frame 0
 - This is the other piece of the LE CONDITION HANDLING “puzzle”
 - This is how LE knows whether to hand off the condition, and who to hand off to!

- **If all stack frames have been traversed and NO ONE HANDLED THE CONDITION (you did have the chance and the choice)**
 - Language Environment proceeds with termination TIU
 - Return & Reason codes are set based upon “original condition”
 - Message is built and issued (from token)
 - Traceback and dump created (depending on setting of TERMTHDACT run-time option)
 - Thread is terminated (single thread appl means ENCLAVE terminates as well)
- This is why the abend/dump message indicates “thread terminated due to unhandled condition” – *you did have the chance!*

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment



- **CEEHDLR is callable from any point in a user program**
 - You can register multiple condition handlers at multiple “locations”
 - Handlers are processed in a LIFO manner
 - If you have registered more than 1 handler at a specific stack frame level
 - The last shall be first!
 - You can have specific handlers for specific conditions
 - You can have the handler registered at specific “frame” levels
 - You can still use CEEHDLR to be a “top gun”
 - Register your routine RIGHT AWAY in the FIRST PROGRAM
 - If you have no other handlers, this is similar to using the parm, but you get some additional capabilities

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

➤ Here is an example of using CEEHDLR with COBOL

```
ID DIVISION.  
PROGRAM-ID. LAB1XX.  
DATA DIVISION.  
WORKING-STORAGE SECTION.  
01 FC.  
    10 FC-SEV          PIC S9(4) COMP.  
    10 FC-MSG          PIC S9(4) COMP.  
    10 FC-CTW          PIC X.  
    10 FC-FAC          PIC XXX.  
    10 I-S-INF          PIC S9(4).  
01 MY-DATA          PIC s9(9) COMP.  
01 CURRENT-RECORD    EXTERNAL.  
    10 RECORD-IN-PROCESS PIC X(80).  
01 ERROR-INDICATOR    PIC X EXTERNAL.  
01 PGMPTR            PROCEDURE-POINTER.  
.....  
PROCEDURE DIVISION.  
    SET PGMPTR TO ENTRY 'LAB1HDLR'  
    MOVE 9999 TO MY-DATA  
    CALL 'CEEHDLR' USING PGMPTR MY-DATA FC  
    IF FC-SEV = ZEROES  
        DISPLAY 'LAB1HDLR REGISTERED'  
    ELSE  
        DISPLAY 'LAB1HDLR REGISTRATION FAILED'  
        DISPLAY 'FC = ', FC-SEV, FC-MSG  
    END-IF.  
100-INITIAL-PROGRAM.  
* after reading record or initial processing  
* MOVE DATA TO THE EXTERNAL STRUCTURE.....  
* This should be data you wish to have available in your User Condition Handler routine  
* MY-DATA is 4-byte structure available to pass INTO condition handler  
200-SUB-CALL.  
.....  
    IF ERROR-INDICATOR = 'Y'  
        MOVE +8 to RETURN-CODE  
    ELSE  
        MOVE +0 to RETURN-CODE  
    END-IF  
* If there was an error, indicate with non-zero RETURN-CODE  
    GOBACK.
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

➤ Here is an example of the LAB1HDLR code (1 of 2)

```
ID DIVISION.  
PROGRAM-ID. LAB1HDLR.  
DATA DIVISION.  
WORKING-STORAGE SECTION.  
01 CURRENT-RECORD  
    10 RECORD-IN-PROCESS  
01 ERROR-INDICATOR  
    01 ROUTINE-NAME  
    01 MSG-DEST  
    01 MSG-STR.  
        10 MSG-LEN  
        10 MSG-STRING  
01 FC.  
    10 FC-SEV  
    10 FC-MSG  
    10 FC-CTW  
    10 FC-FAC  
    10 I-S-INF  
LINKAGE SECTION.  
01 CURRENT-CONDITION.  
    10 FBCODE  
        88 DATA-EXCEPTION  
        88 DIVIDE-BY-ZERO  
    10 FILLER  
01 DATA-INFO  
01 RESULT-CODE  
    88 RESUME  
    88 PERCOLATE  
01 NEW-CONDITION  
  
EXTERNAL.  
    PIC X(80).  
    PIC X EXTERNAL.  
    PIC X(80).  
    PIC S9(9) COMP VALUE 2.  
  
    PIC S9(4) COMP VALUE +121.  
    PIC X(121).  
  
    PIC S9(4) COMP.  
    PIC S9(4) COMP.  
    PIC X.  
    PIC XXX.  
    PIC S9(4).  
  
PIC X(8).  
    VALUE X'00030C8759C3C5C5'.  
    VALUE X'00030C8959C3C5C5'.  
    PIC X(4).  
    PIC S9(9) COMP.  
    PIC S9(9) COMP.  
    VALUE +10.  
    VALUE +20.  
    PIC X(12).
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

➤ Here is an example of the LAB1HDLR code (2 of 2)

```
PROCEDURE DIVISION USING CURRENT-CONDITION,  
    DATA-INFO, RESULT-CODE, NEW-CONDITION.  
100-INITIAL.  
    IF DATA-EXCEPTION  
        CALL 'CEE5GRN' USING ROUTINE-NAME, FC  
            STRING 'The routine ' delimited by size  
                routine-name delimited by ''  
                'had DATA EXCEPTION.' delimited by size  
                INTO MSG-STRING  
        END-STRING  
        CALL 'CEEMOUT' USING MSG-STR , MSG-DEST, FC  
            STRING 'THE FAILING RECORD is ' delimited by size  
                RECORD-IN-PROCESS delimited by size  
                INTO MSG-STRING  
        END-STRING  
        CALL 'CEEMOUT' USING MSG-STR, MSG-DEST, FC  
        SET RESUME TO TRUE  
        MOVE 'Y' TO ERROR-INDICATOR  
    ELSE  
        SET PERCOLATE TO TRUE  
        MOVE 'N' TO ERROR-INDICATOR  
    END-IF  
999- EXIT-PROGRAM.  
    GOBACK.  
END PROGRAM LAB1HDLR.
```

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- When a “condition” occurs
 - The handlers are checking a data field to see what LE is “reporting”
 - This is the condition token that is created when something untoward occurs
 - This is also what LE uses to construct the message you will get regarding the condition
 - The format of the token is consistent:
 - 1st half-word – severity
 - 2nd half-word – message (in binary)
 - 3rd one-byte field – hex codes
 - 4th 3 bytes (char) – who issued the message
 - CEE – LE
 - IGZ – COBOL
 - EDC – C/C++
 - IBM – PL/1

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- The handler routines (both COBOL & Assembler) shown here have coded the feedback code as data fields in the program
 - Error messages have this “symbolic feedback code” which represents the 1st 8 positions of the token of the 12-byte field

CEE3207S The system detected a data exception (System Completion Code=0C7).

Explanation: Your program attempted to use a decimal instruction incorrectly. See a Principles of Operation manual for a full list of data exceptions.

Programmer Response: Check the variables associated with the failing statement to make sure that they have been initialized correctly.

System Action: The thread is terminated.

Symbolic Feedback Code: CEE347

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

- Rather than coding the feedback code you could copy in the appropriate token
 - CEEBALCT for the Assembler “format”
 - CEEIGZCT for COBOL 88’s for LE messages
 - IGZIGZCT for COBOL 88’s for COBOL messages
- The first 3 positions represent the message origination (LE would be CEE, COBOL would be IGZ)
- The next 3 positions represent the language format for the conditions
 - IGZ would be the 88’s for COBOL for EVERY symbolic code
 - BAL would be the assembler definitions
- The CT is for CONDITION TOKEN

Dump Reading with COBOL and Language Environment

```
.....  
88 CEE341      VALUE X'00030C8159C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE342      VALUE X'00030C8259C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE343      VALUE X'00030C8359C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE344      VALUE X'00030C8459C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE345      VALUE X'00030C8559C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE346      VALUE X'00030C8659C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE347      VALUE X'00030C8759C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE348      VALUE X'00030C8859C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE349      VALUE X'00030C8959C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE34A      VALUE X'00030C8A59C3C5C5'.  
88 CEE34B      VALUE X'00030C8B59C3C5C5'.  
.....
```

Now you SHOULD HAVE THE INFORMATION TO
HELP YOU UNDERSTAND:

- WHAT TO DO when you get an ABEND/DUMP
- HOW TO GET the information just in case you DO ABEND/DUMP
- COBOL options that can HELP YOUR DEBUGGING LIFE
- Language Environment RUN-TIME options that can help your DEBUGGING LIFE
- COBOL tricks for debugging
- LE tools for debugging
- Where to FIND THE INFORMATION YOU NEED