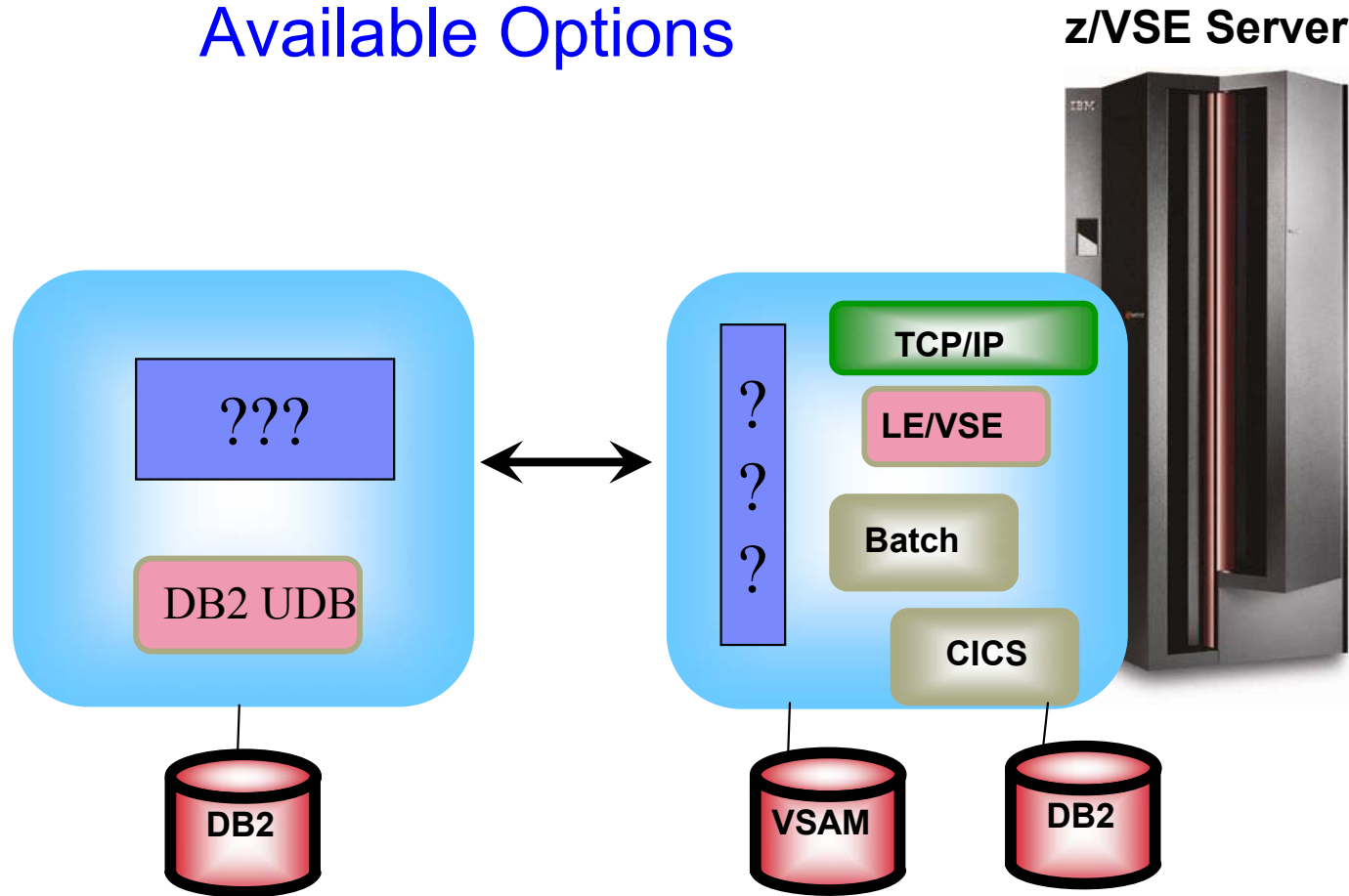


# VSE applications and DB2 UDB on Linux on System z

## Available Options



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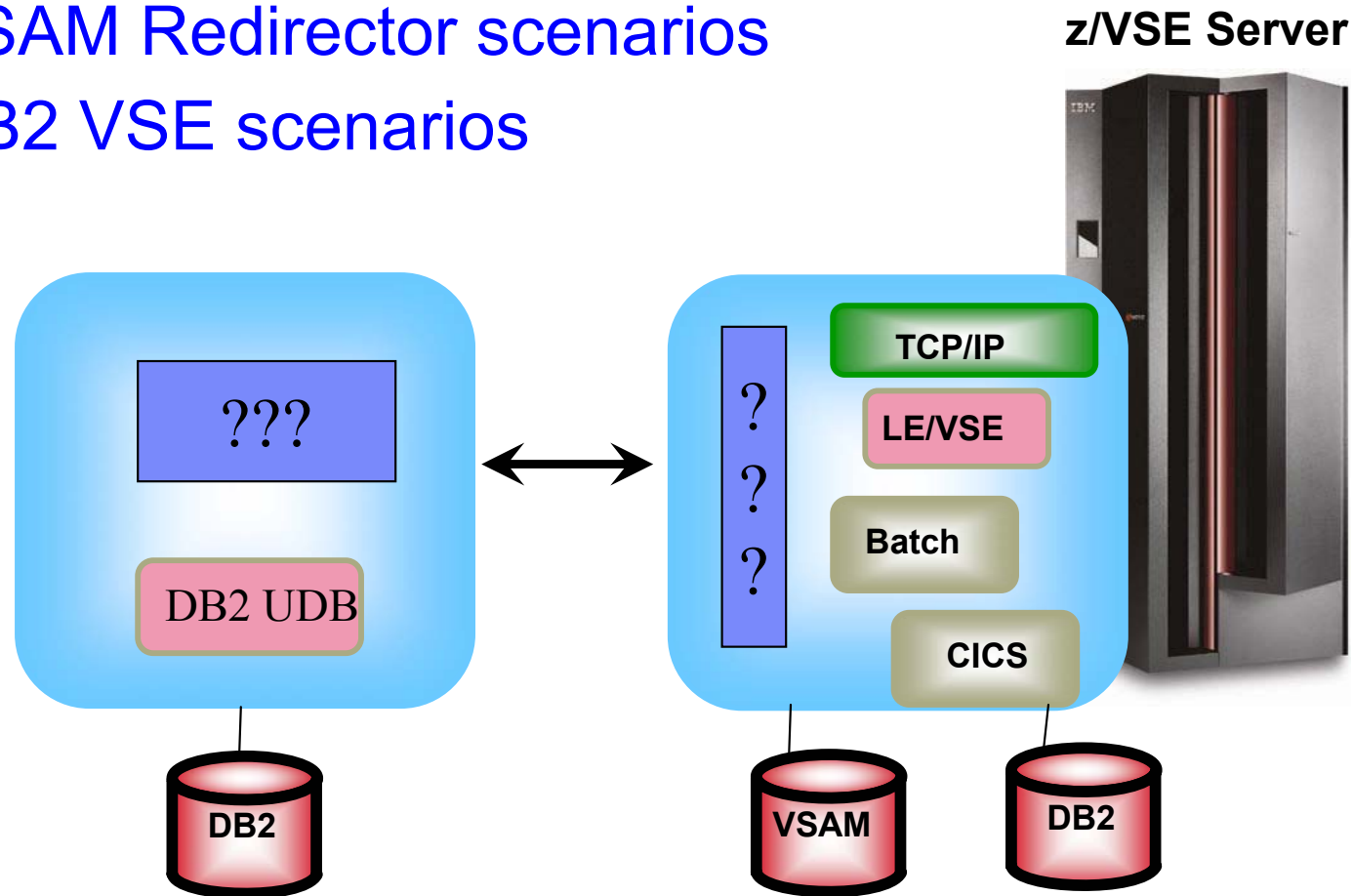
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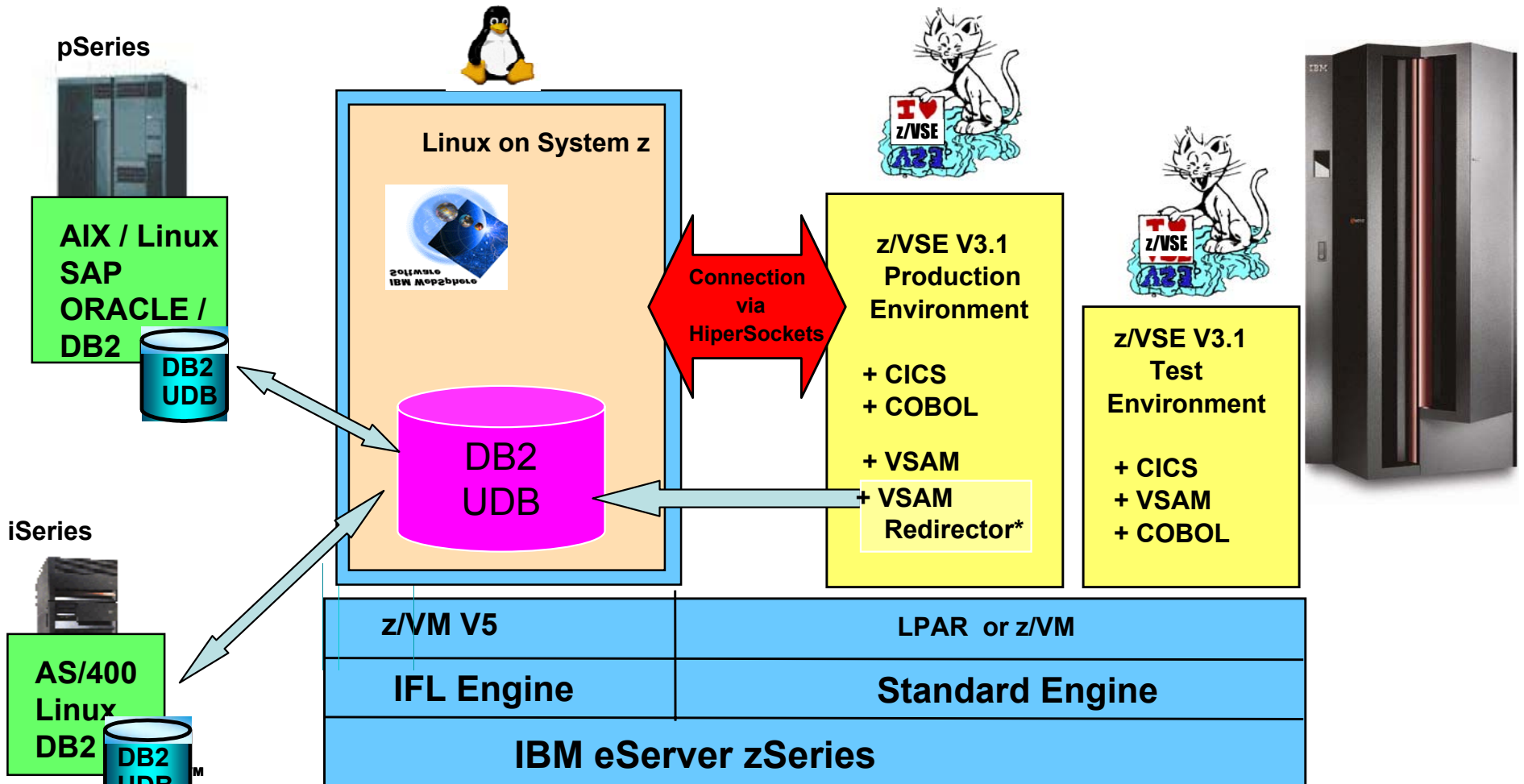
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- ➔ ❖ VSAM Redirector scenarios
- ❖ DB2 VSE scenarios



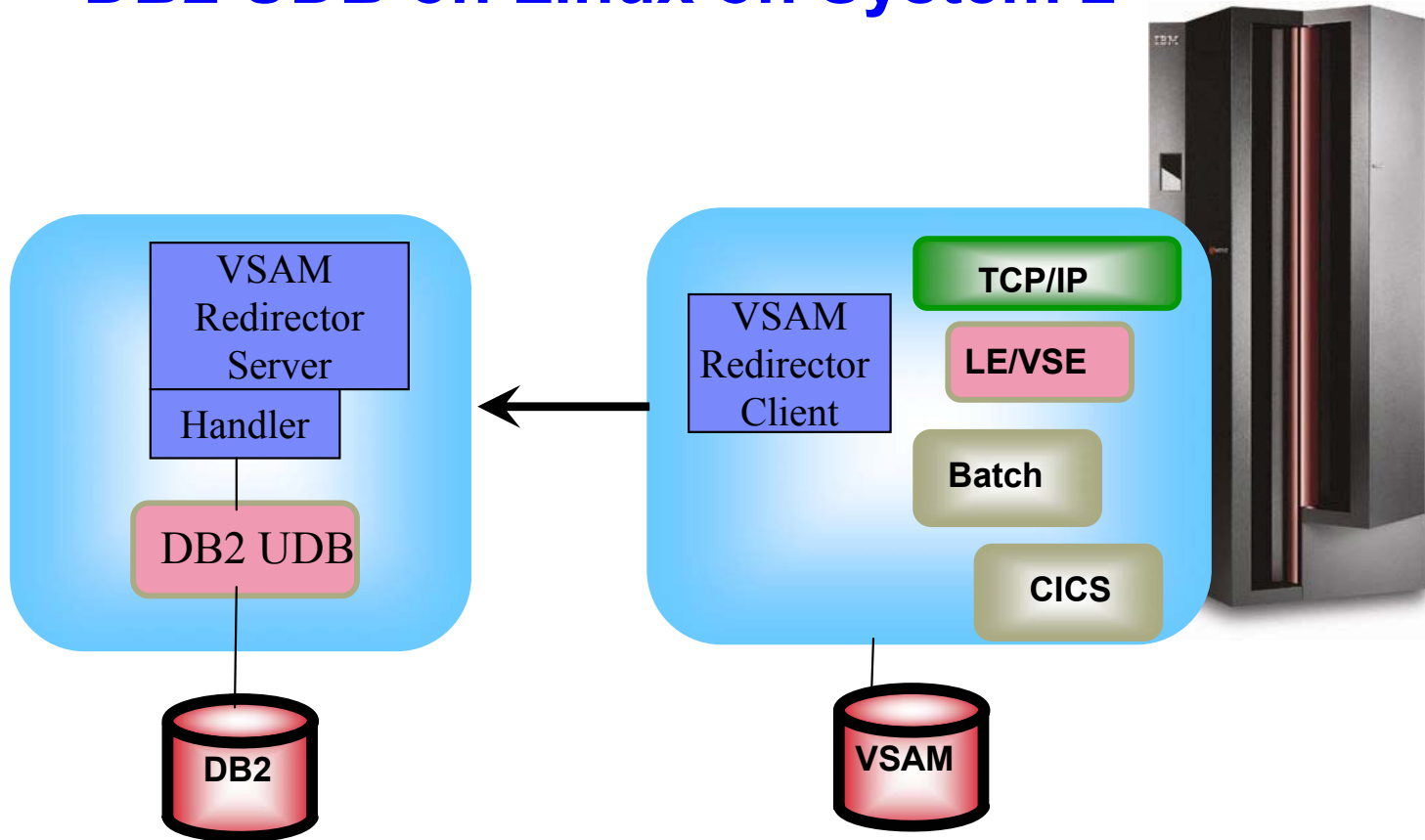
# Common Data Store – Transparent Work of VSAM

## Programs with DB2 UDB on Linux on System z

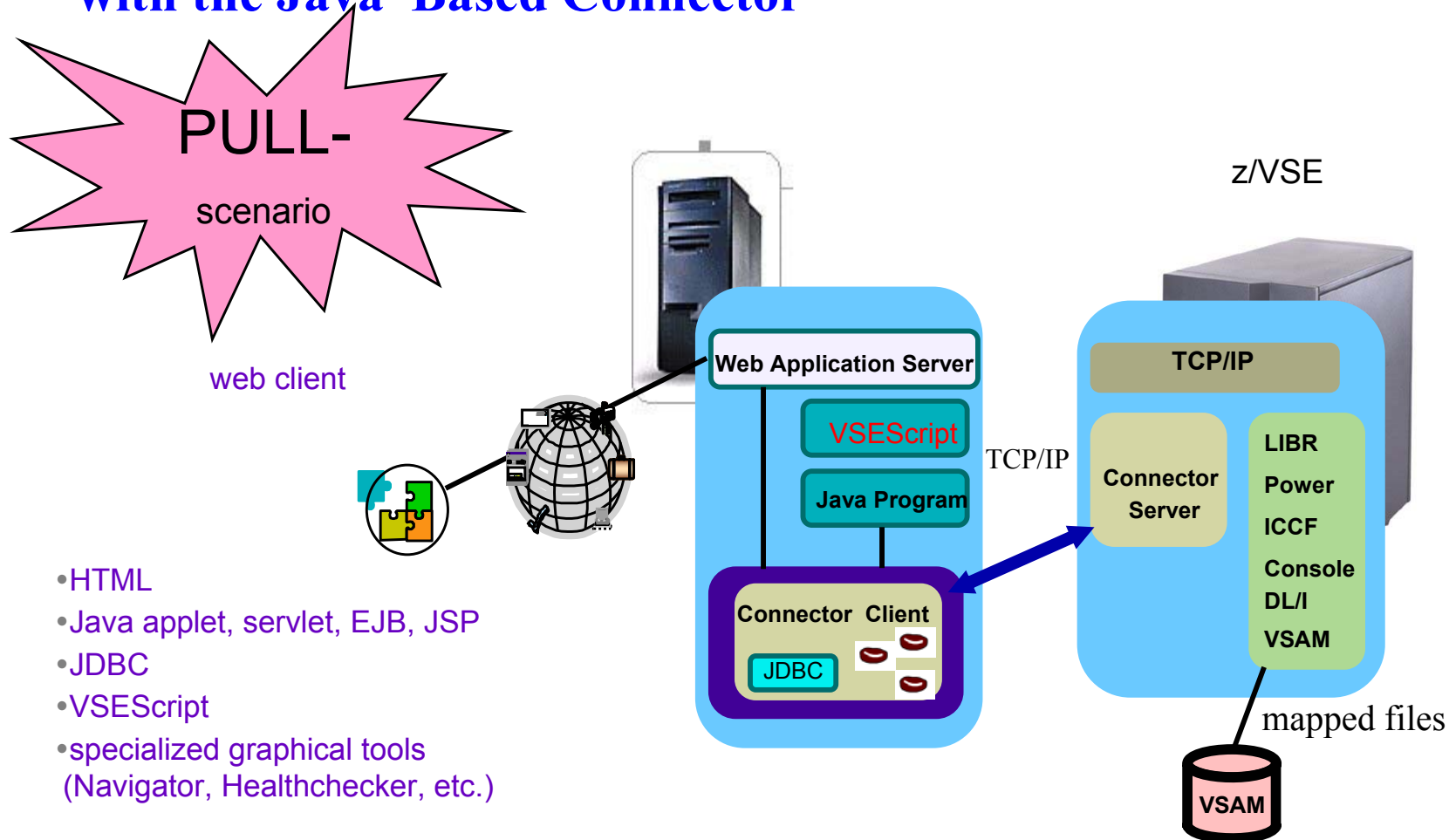


(\* ) VSAM Redirector – Common data store solution – with DB2 on Linux on System z Solutions without changes to VSAM programs

# VSE/VSAM applications access to DB2 UDB on Linux on System z **z/VSE Server**



## VSE Connectors(1): Real time access to z/VSE Resources with the Java-Based Connector



- HTML
- Java applet, servlet, EJB, JSP
- JDBC
- VSEScript
- specialized graphical tools (Navigator, Healthchecker, etc.)

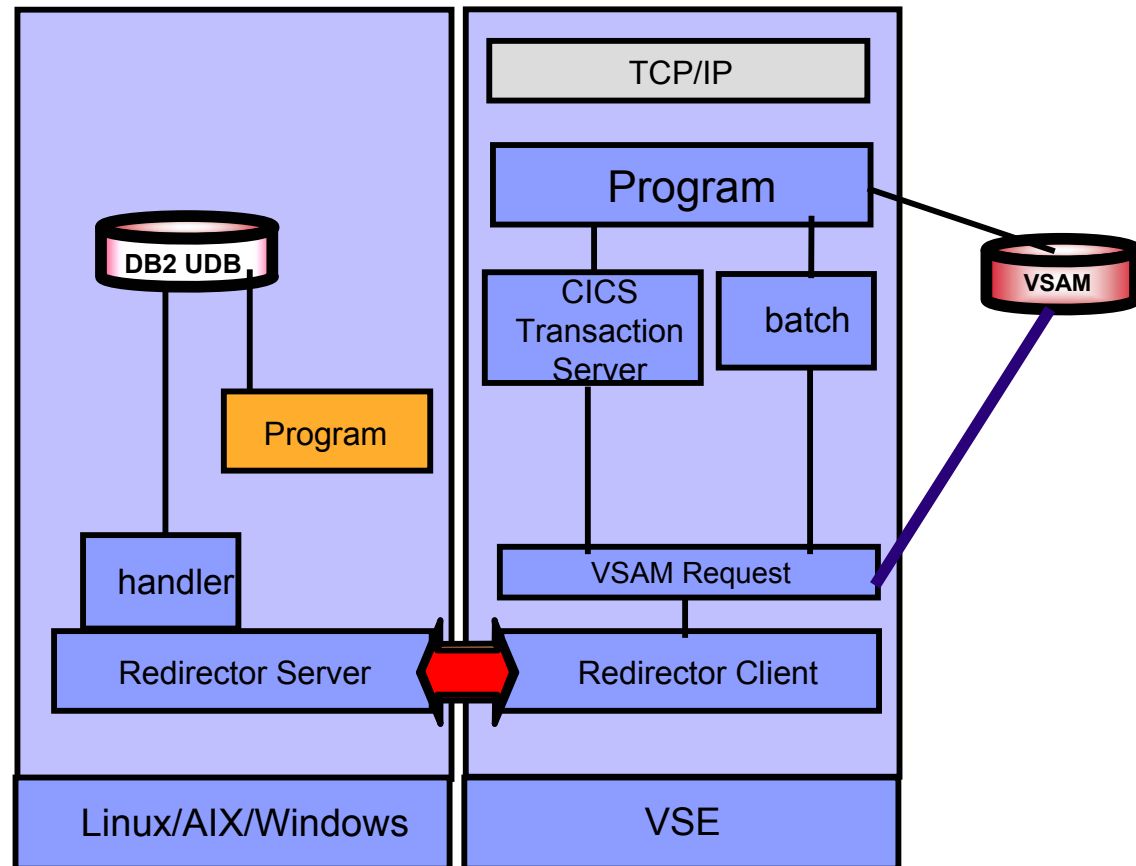
- ▶ real time access to VSE resources from remote systems ,
  - ▶ real time access to VSAM data, Librarian
  - ▶ monitoring and analyzing possibilities using console or statistic values

# Data propagation / synchronization from VSE

## VSE/VSAM Redirector

**PUSH-**  
scenario

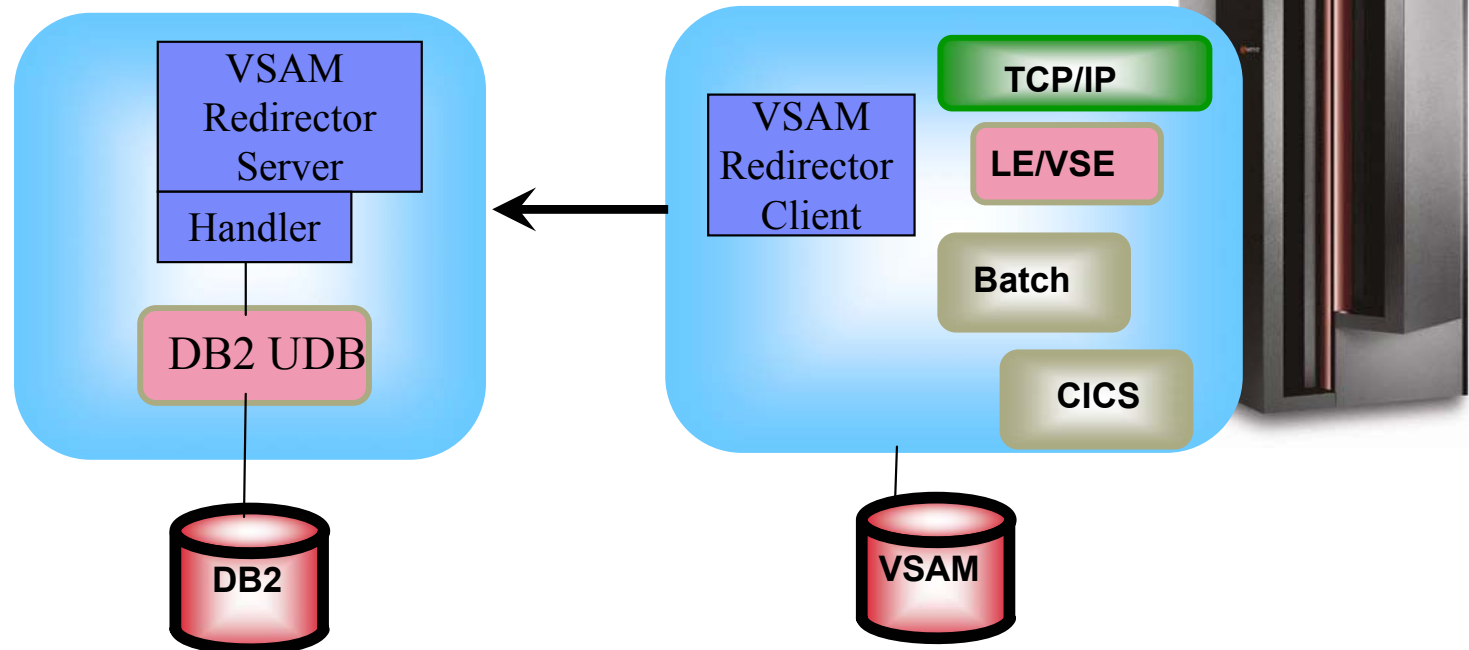
- ▶ Existing applications transparently access remote data
- ▶ No changes to the existing VSE applications



- ▶ Applications on VSE should be able to access DB2 data on Linux
- ▶ Synchronization of DB2 UDB on Linux with VSAM using VSAM Redirector.  
(VSAM Redirector is part of VSE )

## VSE Connectors(2): VSE/VSAM applications, access remote relational databases

- (1) Real time access VSAM to DB2
  - a) synchronization (two phase commit of VSAM and DB2)
  - b) Real time access to DB2 (no VSAM access anymore)
- (2) VSE local data collection for VSAM
  - a) Capture Exit and Incremental FTP, processing
  - b) MQ Exit and MQ Series solutions

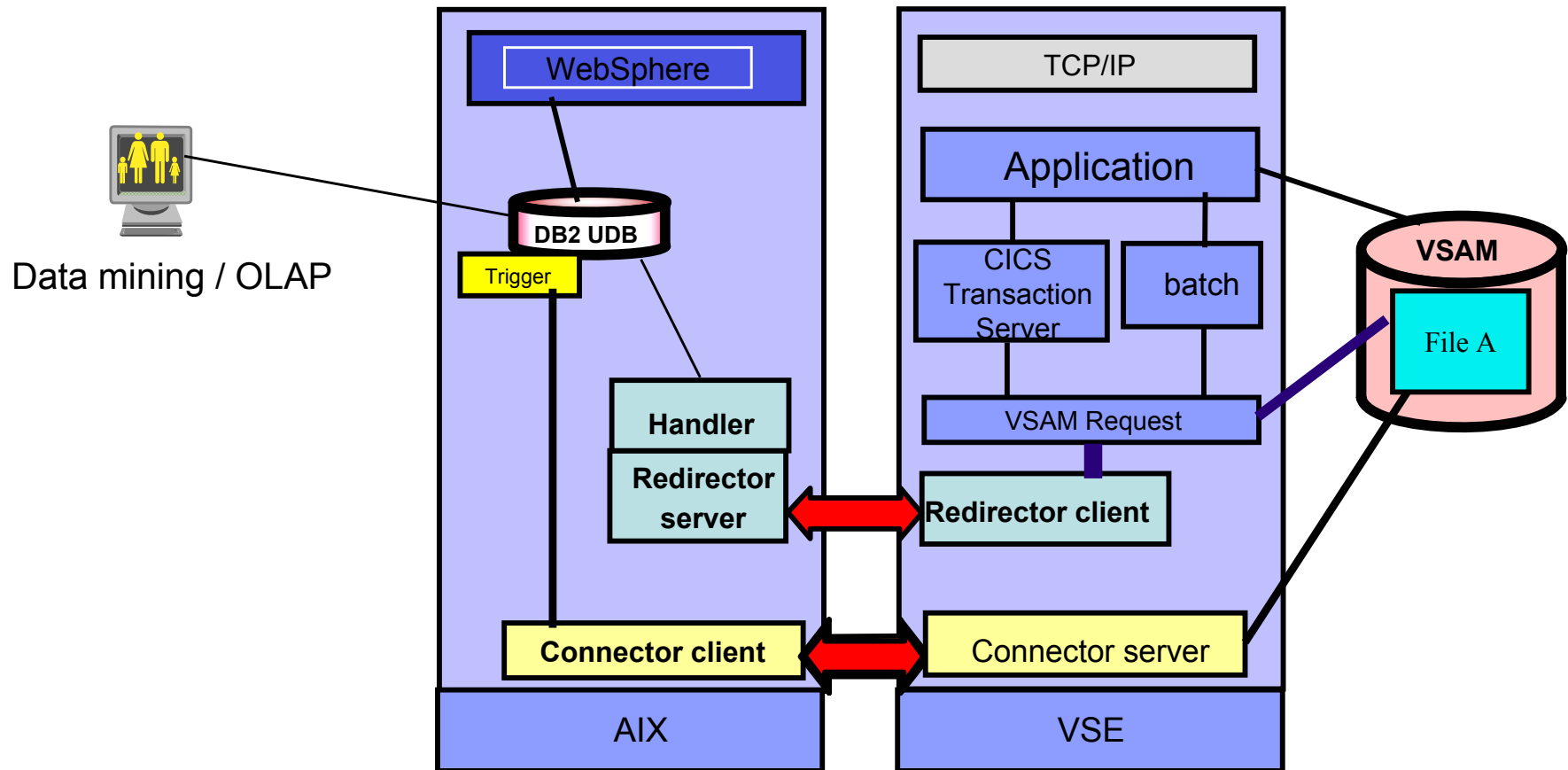




# Final solution

common data store – Business intelligence

- ❑ Car manufacturer, paper manufacturer – Germany, insurance – US

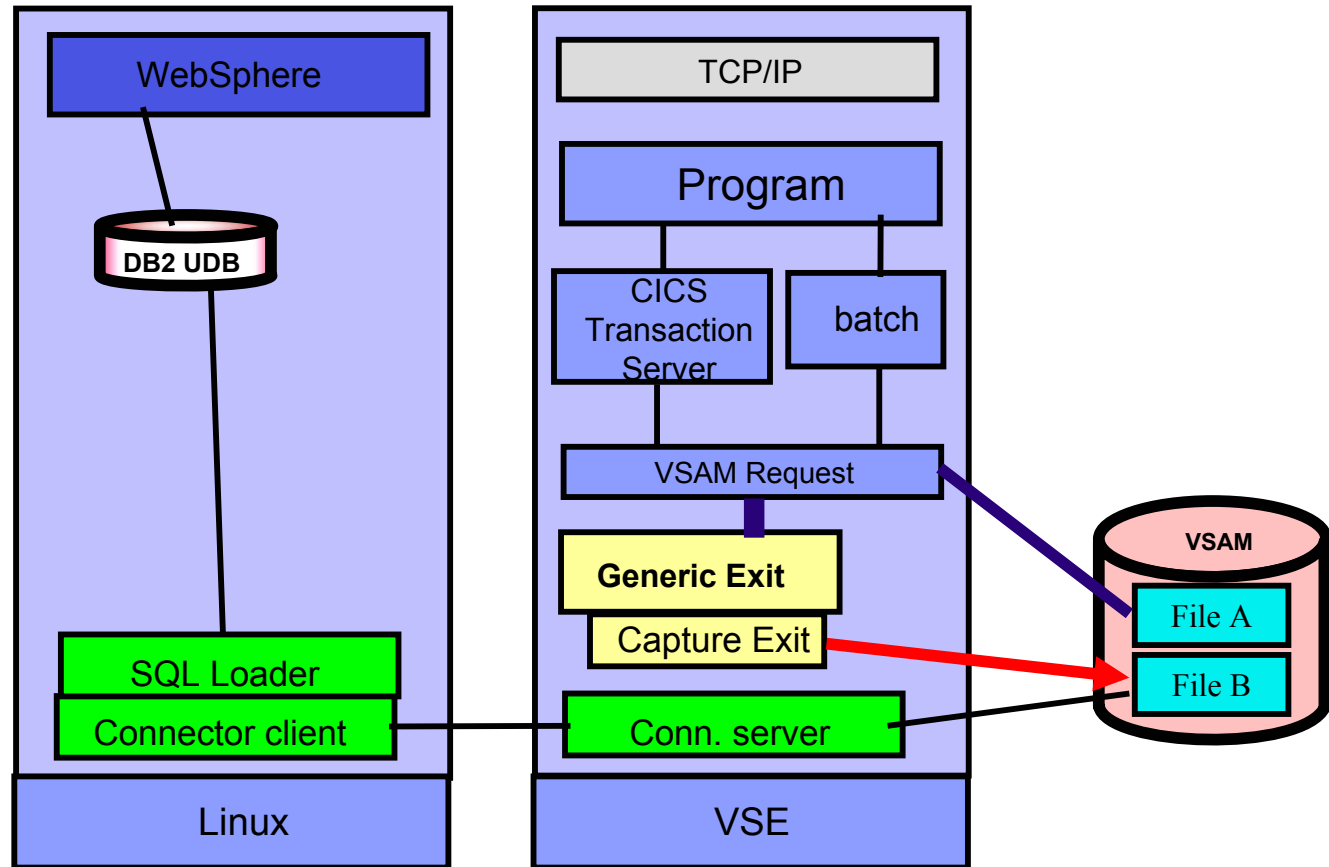


## Solution with z/VSE 4.1

### Incremental, Linux driven updates

#### ❑ Energy supplier – Germany

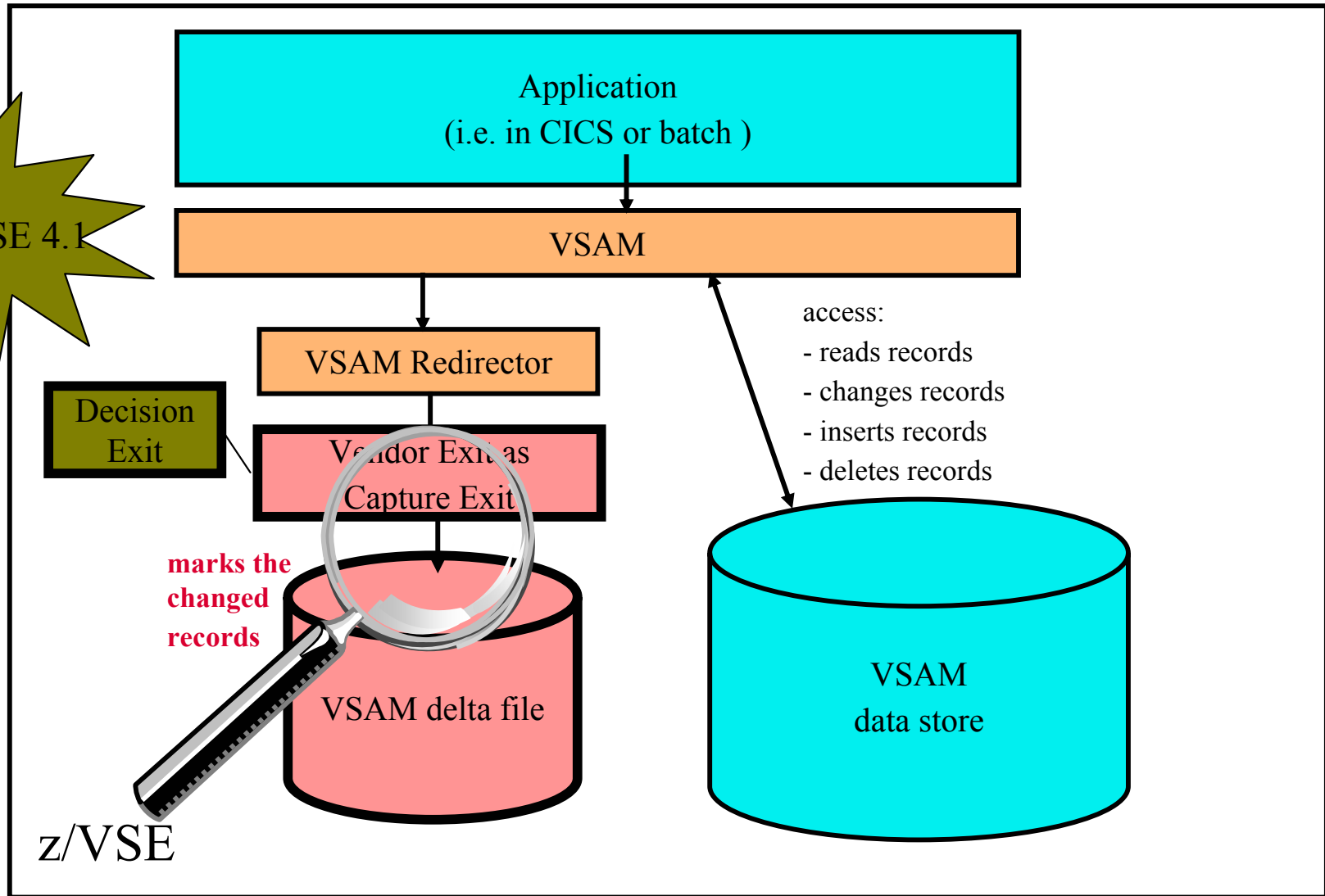
- ▶ With VSAM Capture – the performance of the VSE production system protected
- ▶ The changes are processed asynchronously and not influencing the production system



- ▶ Collect the changed records in a separate VSAM file
  - ▶ Possibility of cleansing
- ▶ Process them – with the VSE Connectors

# Redirector Capture. Architectural View

New in z/VSE 4.1

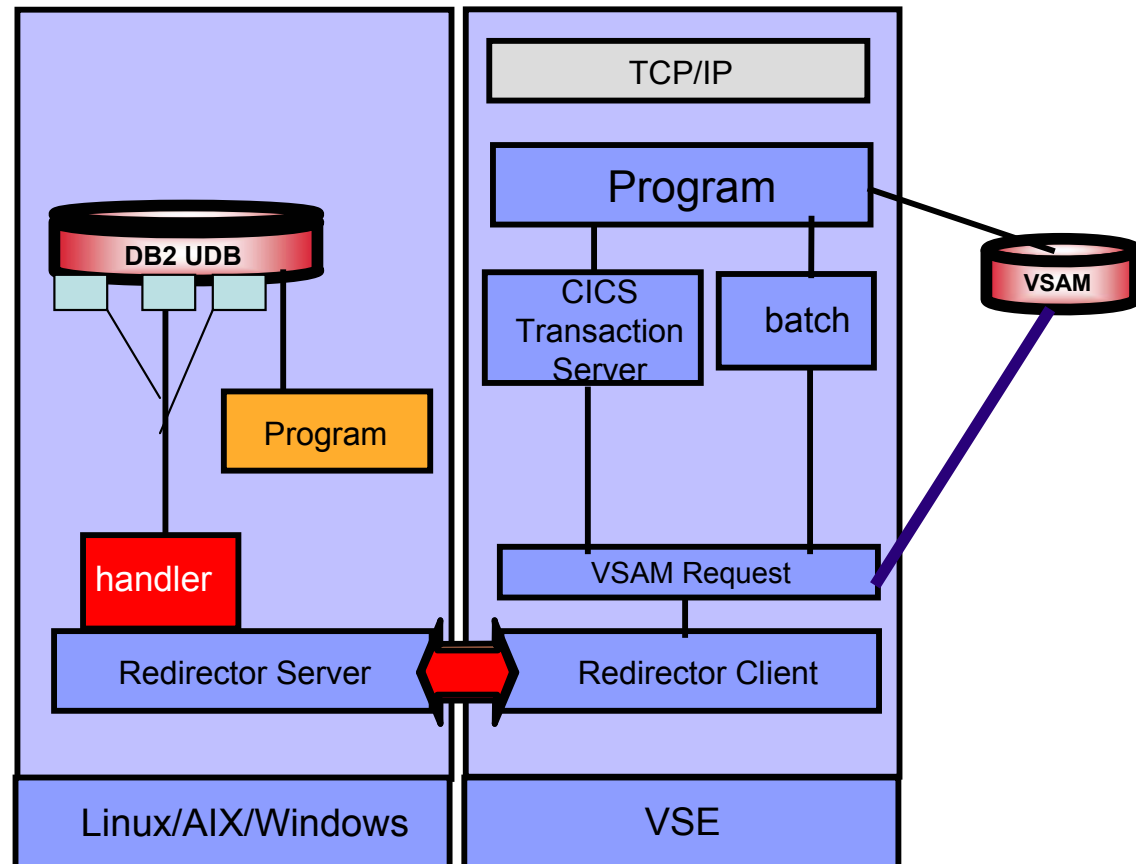


# Data propagation / synchronization from VSE

## VSE/VSAM Redirector can use normalized VSAM data

► No changes to the existing VSE applications

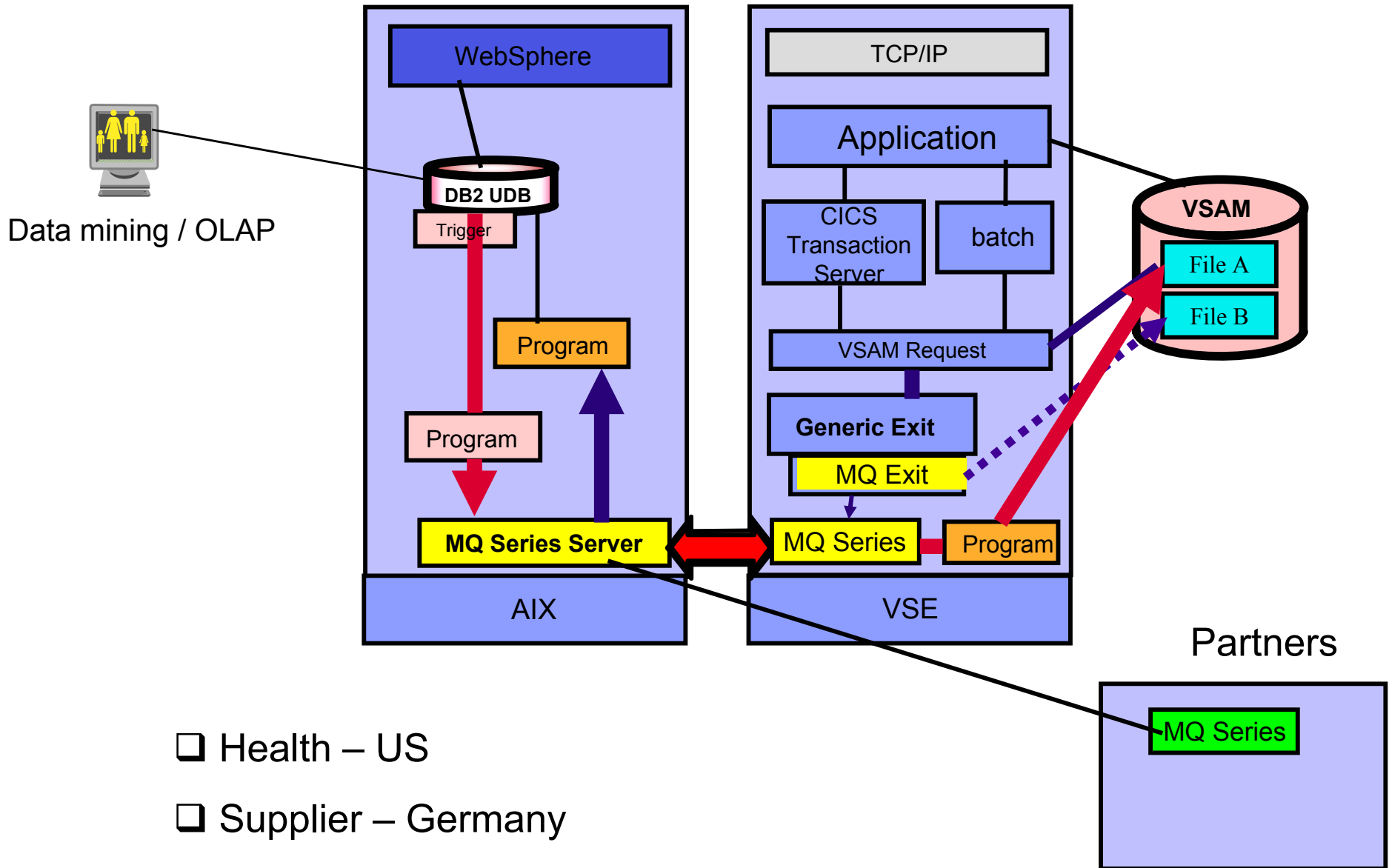
► **The new Redirector Handler can store/retrieve 'VSAM' data in multiple DB Tables .**



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# Final solution

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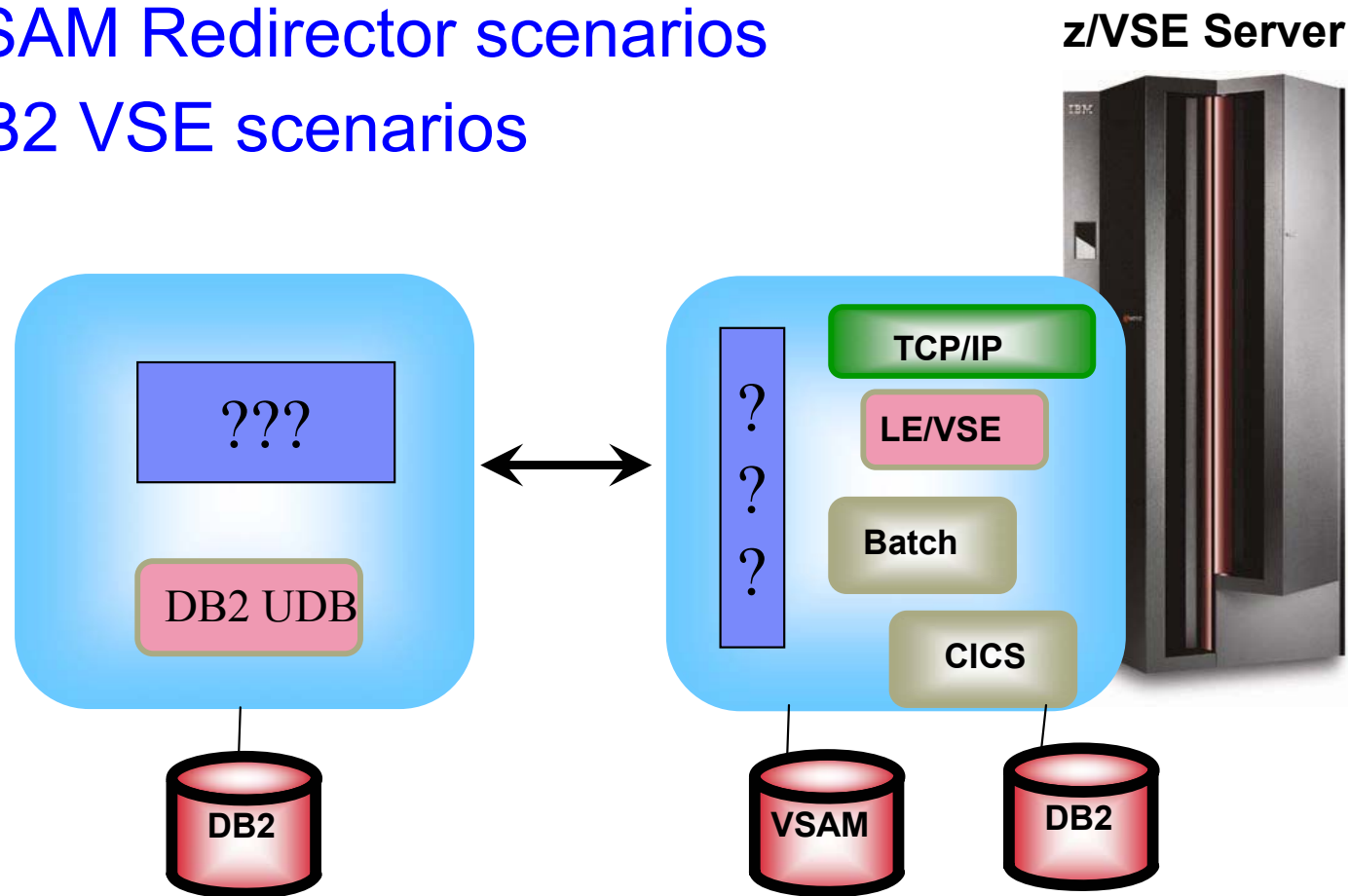


- Health – US
- Supplier – Germany

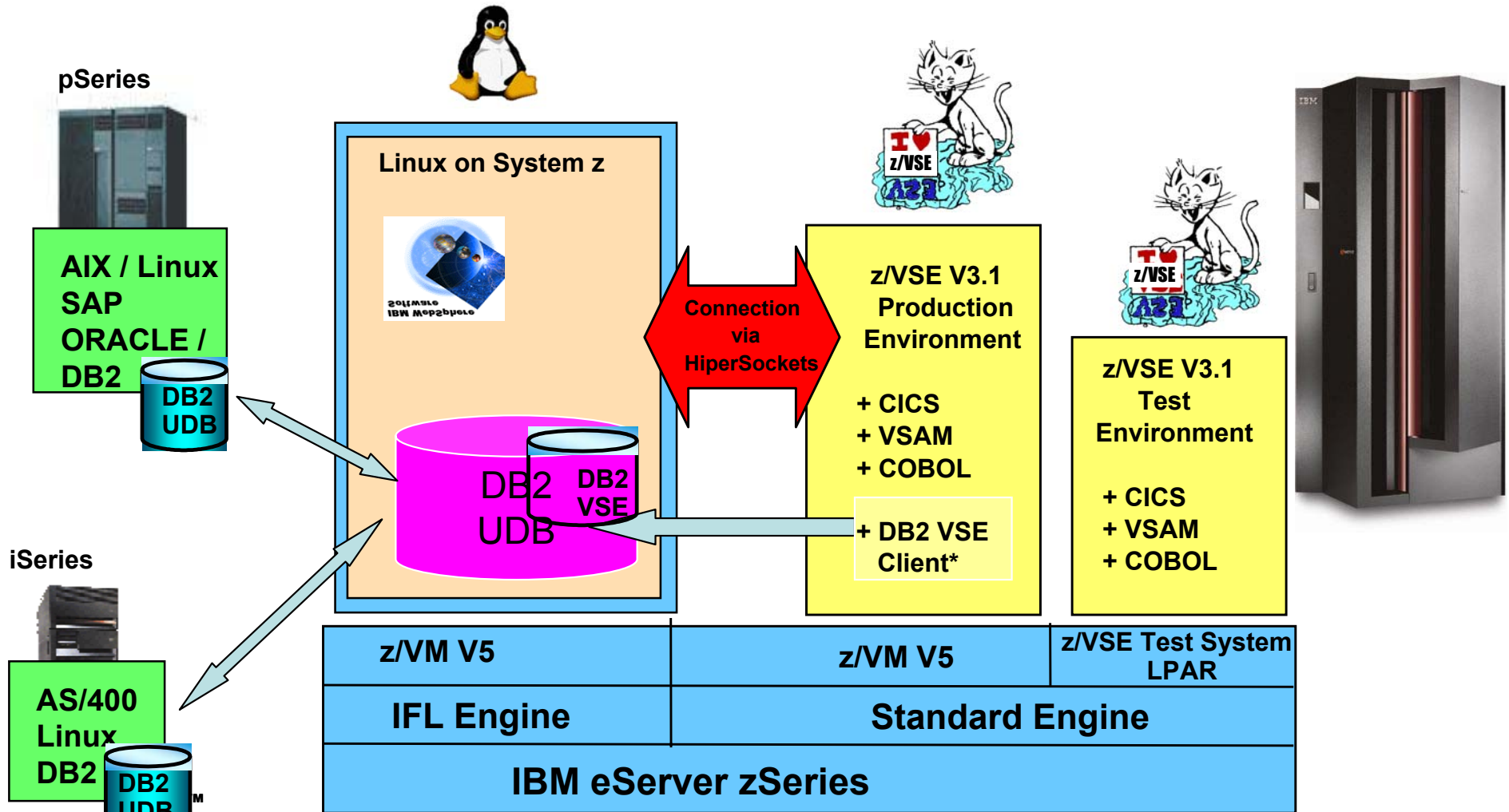
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❖ VSAM Redirector scenarios

➔ ❖ DB2 VSE scenarios

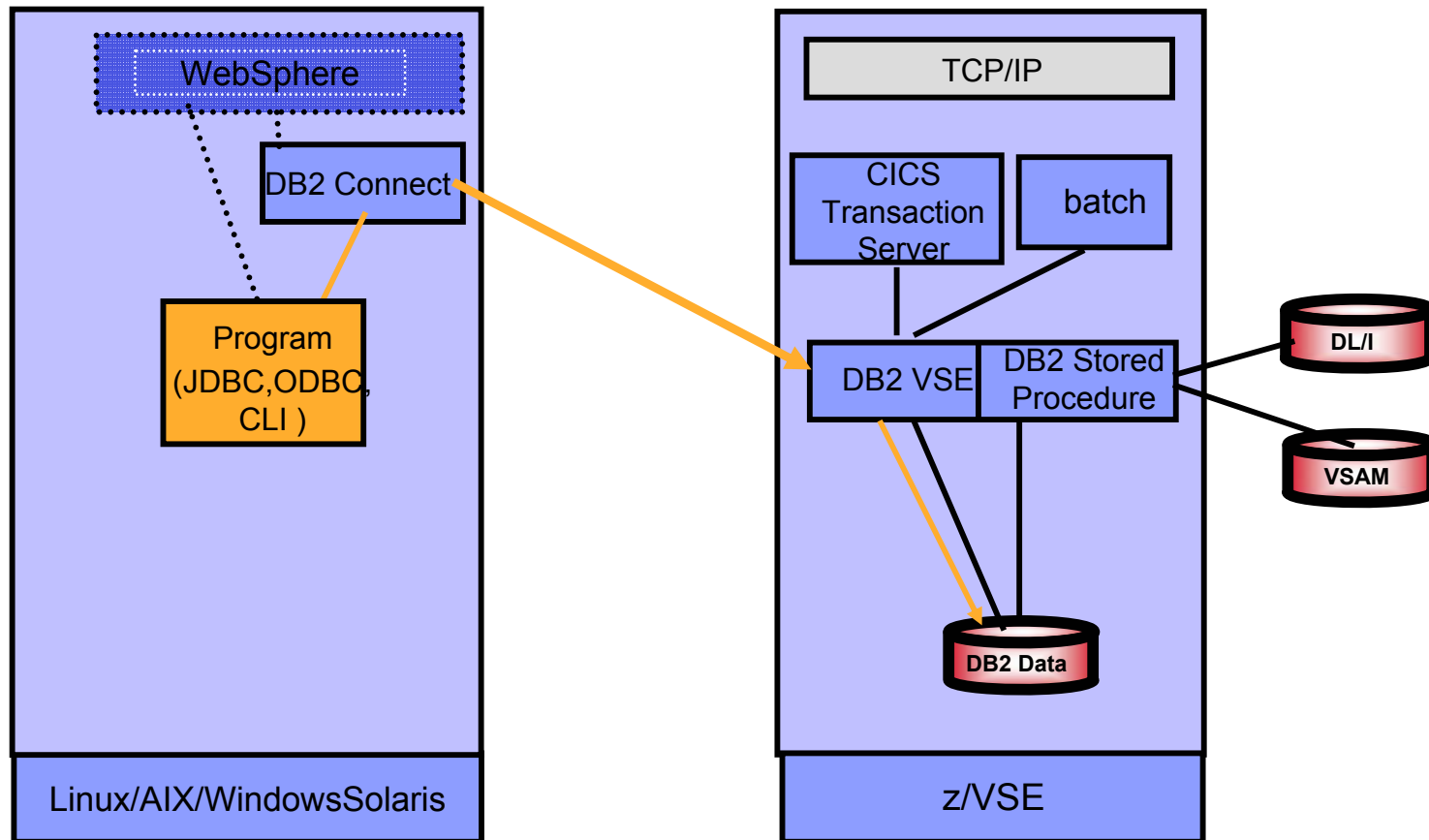


# DB2 Scenarios – with DB2 UDB on Linux



(\* ) DB2 VSE Client – the client functionality only, can be obtained with PRPQ P10154

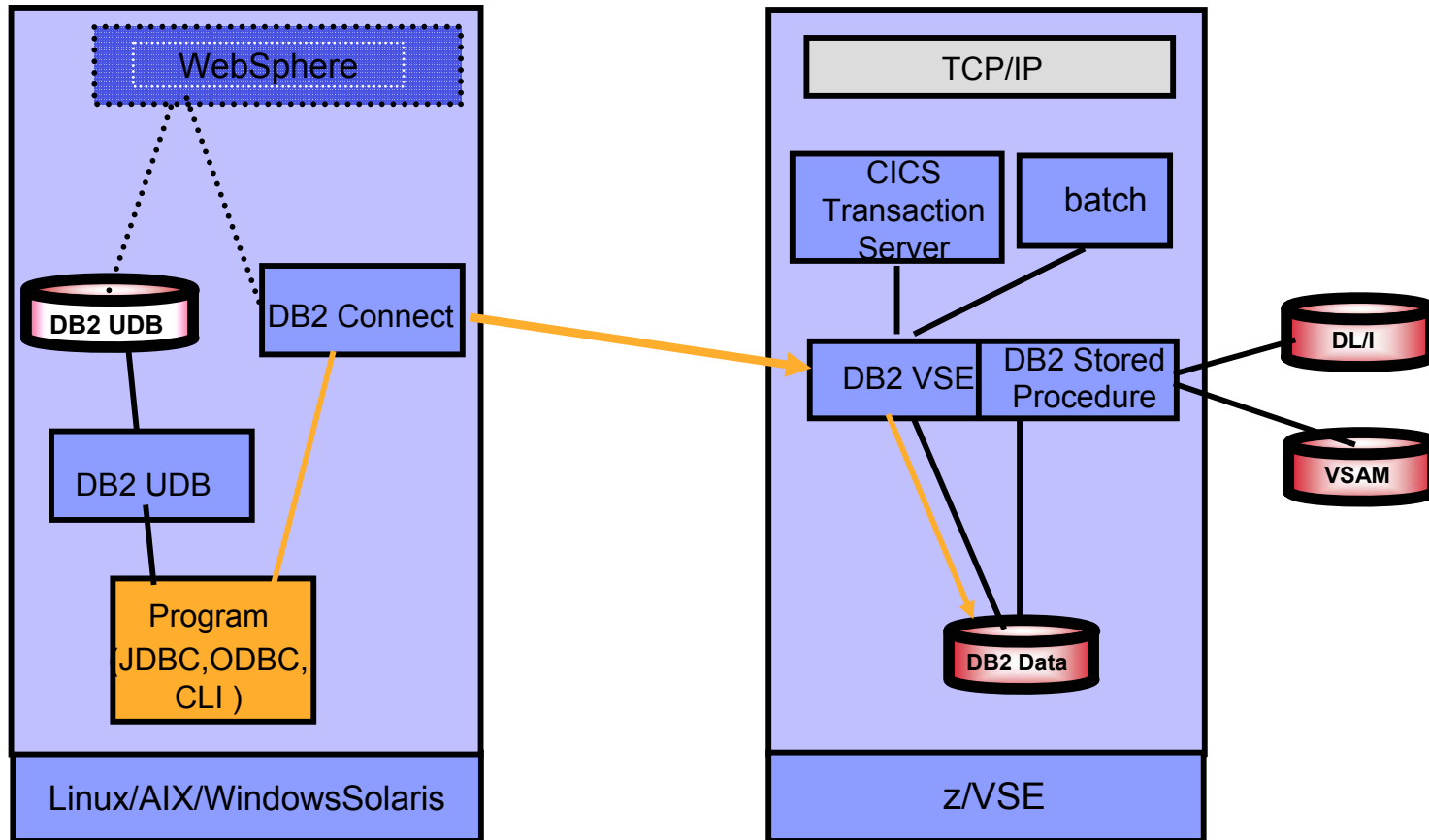
## Relational Access to DB2 VSE



- ▶ Remote access of DB2 VSE via DB2 Connect
- ▶ Integration of non relational VSE data (i.e. VSAM, DL/I) with remote DB2 logic via Stored Procedures

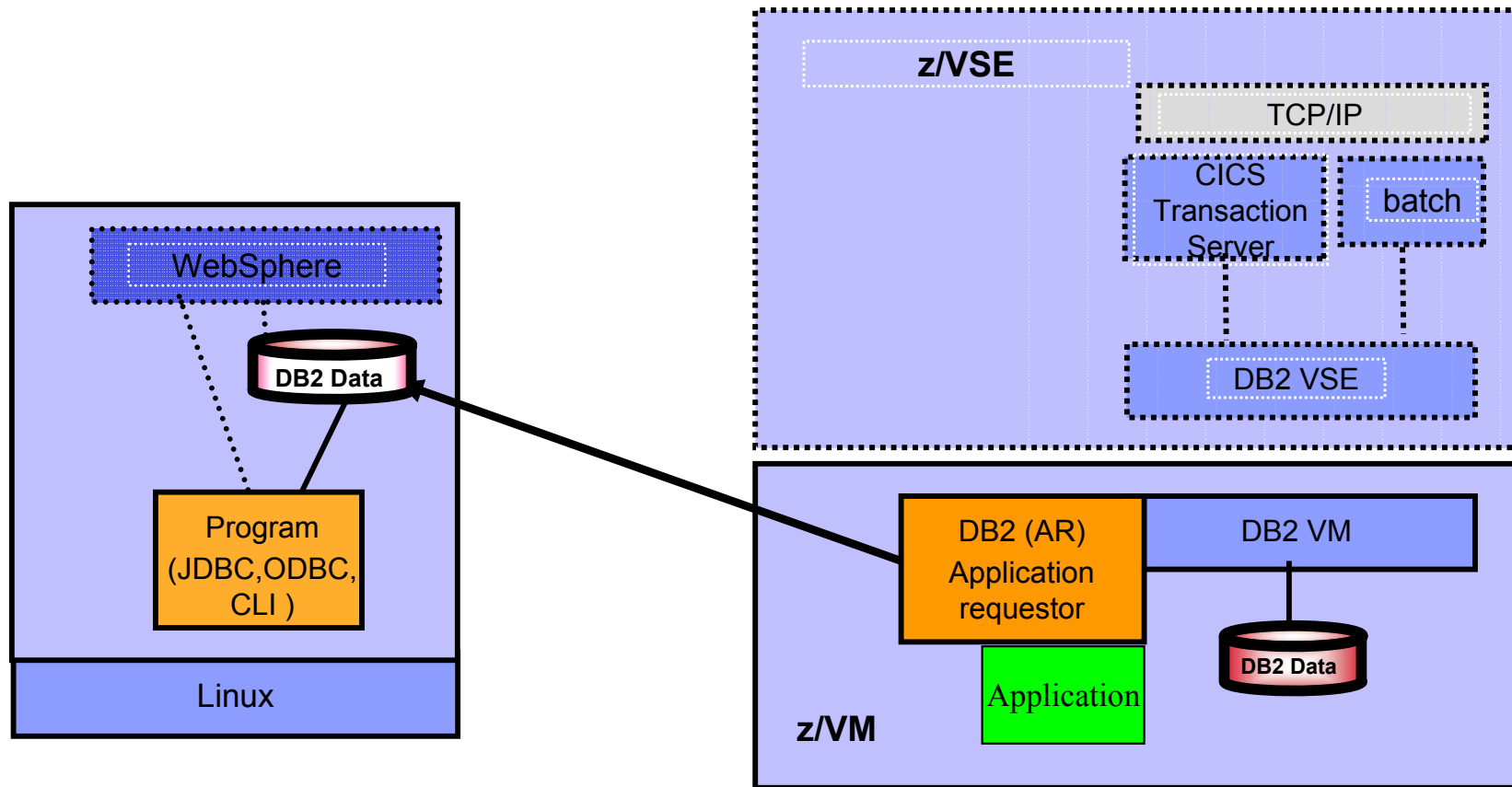


## Integration of DB2 UDB with DB2 VSE on Remote applications



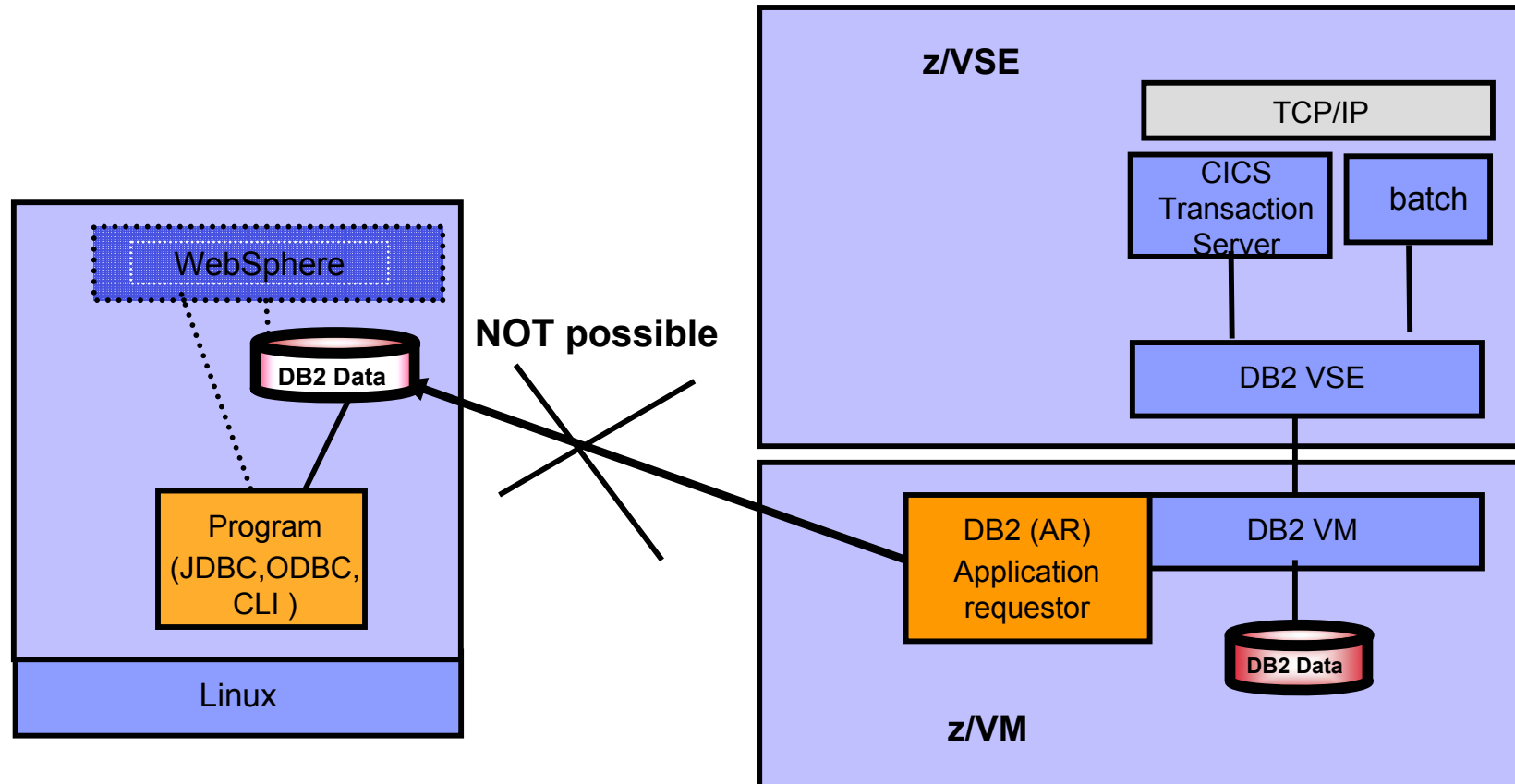
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# DB2 VM applications to access, remote DB2 UDB on Linux



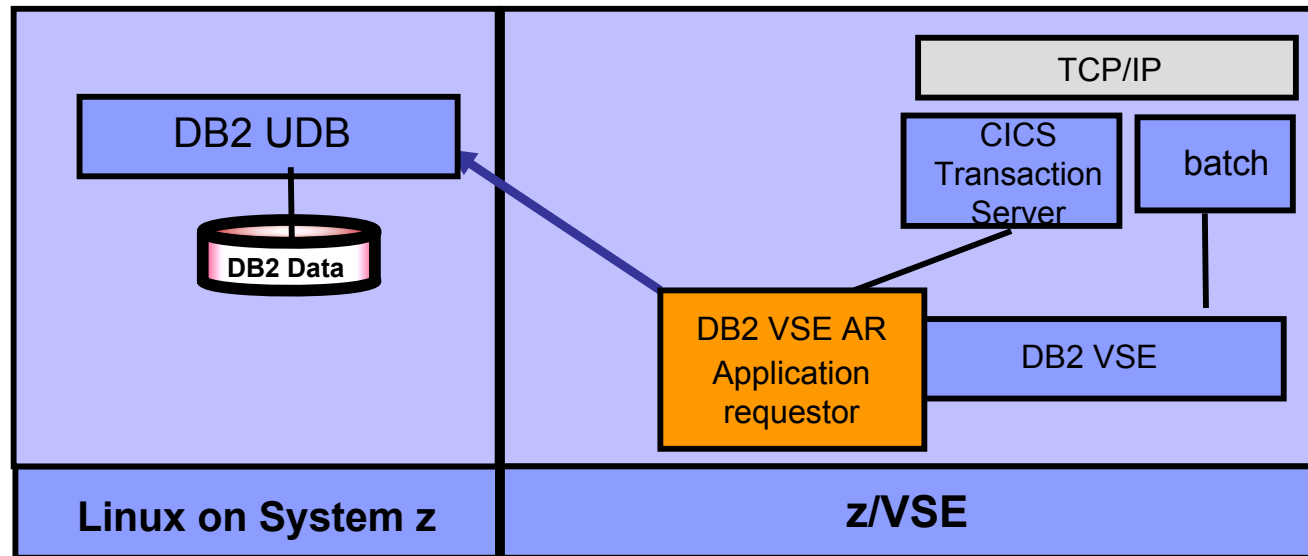
- ▶ VM application accesses DB2 UDB on Linux

## DB2 VSE applications to access, remote DB2 UDB on Linux (NOT possible in guest sharing via VM)



- ▶ VSE application access DB2 VM via Guest sharing
  - ▶ DB2 must be installed on both platforms
  - ▶ DB2 Databases on VM only
- ▶ **From VSE applications NO remote access via VM Application requestor possible**

# DB2 VSE applications to access, remote DB2 UDB on Linux on System z - Special OFFERING



- ▶ Original Price Model: License for DB2 VM/VSE AND DB2 UDB for Linux
- ▶ PRPQ: P10154 (Ordering Nr: 5799-HAQ)
  - ▶ Reduced License for DB2 VSE Client only - if NO data on VSE
    - ▶ Full Price for DB2 UDB on Linux on System z
- ▶ Special Price for DB2 UDB for Linux on System z
- ▶ **Note:**
  - ▶ Both Products are needed because of the Programing interface and precompiler
  - ▶ On VSE the SQL language that can be used is the DB2 VSE SQL Language – because of precompiler

## DB2 VSE and DB2 UDB on Linux on System z

### Why use DB2 UDB on Linux on System z with VSE Core applications

- Modern environment in DB2 UDB on Linux on System z
- Existence of lots of tools for:
  - database management
  - Optimization and Tuning
  - Data analysis (Warehouse, Mining, OLAP)
- ASCII environment – easy integration with distributed DB2 UDBs
- Consolidation of DB2 UDB databases from distributed platforms
- **Note: DB2 CONNECT is not needed on Linux on System z**

## DB2 VSE and DB2 UDB on Linux on System z

### Why use DB2 UDB on Linux on System z with VSE Core applications

- VSE applications access to DB2 UDB on Linux via HiperSockets
  - reliable network – no wires
  - fast network (memory copy speed)
  - transparent
  
- Core applications on VSE (CICS and batch):
  - can be used unchanged with considerations of EBCDIC – ASCII code pages (i.e. sorts with low values)
  - can show performance degradations if mass single row processing is done – these applications might need adaptations
  
- **Note: DB2 CONNECT is not needed on Linux on System z**

# Environment and Database design

## Configuration for CICS applications and remote DB2 UDB database

### ■ VSE environment

- configure DB2 VSE database directory
  - configure ARISDIRD (IP, port, DBname of remote database)
- enable DRDA code (batch and online)
  - configure ARIS74LD (batch), ARIS745D (AR)
  - new transaction in CICS to bind packages (CBND) to remote AS (done during program preparation)

### ■ zLinux environment

- configure database manager on DB2 UDB zLinux
  - change some DBM parameters to allow implicit connect from within CICS
- configure VSE batch and ISQL options (create remote packages)
  - ARIISQL for ISQL and ARIDSQL for Batch

- **Note: DB2 CONNECT is not needed on Linux on System z**

# Environment and Database design

## Configuration for CICS applications and remote DB2 UDB database

### Application considerations:

- migrate tables from DB2 VSE to DB2 UDB zLinux
  - UDB export/import options
  - use of federated DB2 UDB options and a cursor application
  
- existing CICS/DB2 VSE applications
  - no changes to the source code required (except Code page issues)
  - the SQL precompile creates new packages on the remote DB2 UDB)
  
- existing VSE batch DB2 VSE applications
  - no changes to source code required
  - adapt CONNECT statements to access remote DB2 UDB

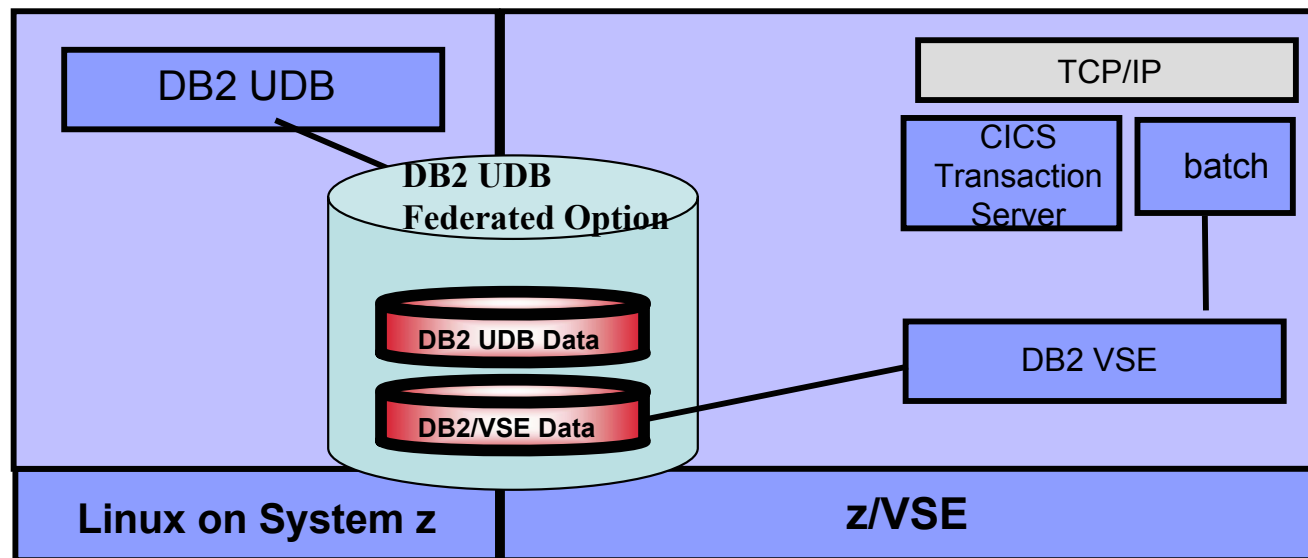


# DB2 UDB on Linux on System z

## logical integrates

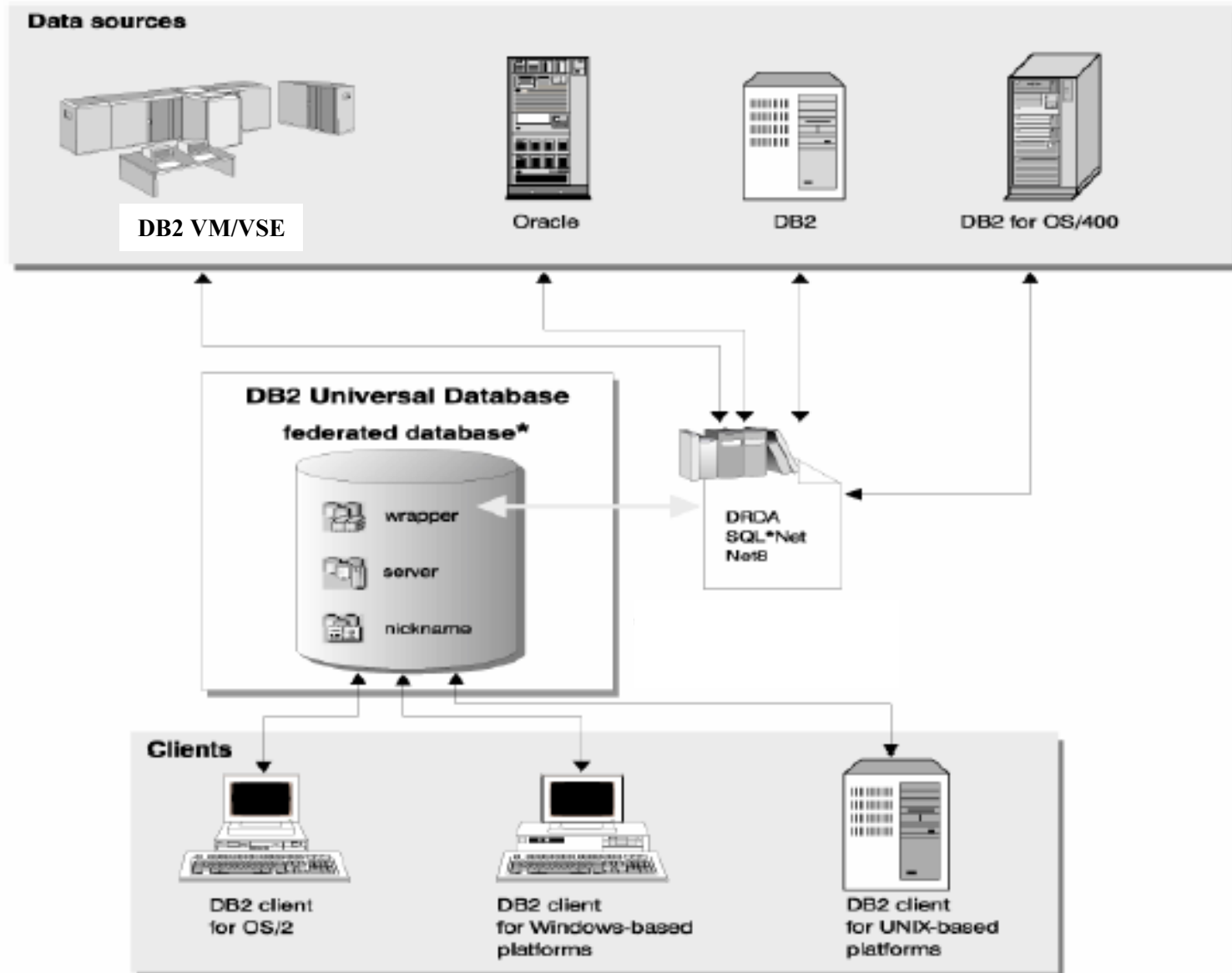
## DB2 VSE

## via Federated option in DB2 UDB



- ▶ Minimum changes – maximum combination
  - ▶ DB2 UDB for Linux on System z with Federated Option – includes DB2 VSE logically
  - ▶ DB2 UDB Applications have transparent access to DB2/VSE

# Federated Database design



## Summary

### **Solutions with DB2 UDB with Linux on System z enable modern possibilities with VSE:**

- easy to configure environment
- easy migration from DB2 VSE to DB2 UDB zLinux
- in general, no source code change for existing VSE applications
- faster IBM development for DB2 UDB
- advanced SQL on DB2 UDB than DB2 VSE
- more option for DB2 UDB integration to other distributed environments and Development tools (Rational, WebSphere, ...)

## More information about DB2 UDB and DB2/VSE

➤ **Summary of DB2 Planning and Customization Tasks (VSE)**

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➤ **Enabling the DB2 Server for VSE**

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➤ **Customizing Tasks for DB2 Server for VSE (DB2-Based Connector)**

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➤ **DB2 - Resolve Frequent Problems**

<http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/db2help/index.jsp?topic=/com.ibm.db2.udb.doc/conn/c0005607.htm>

➤ **DB2 Universal Database (UDB)**

<http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2/udb/>

➤ **Moving Data from DB2/VSE&VM to DB2 UDB**

<http://www-306.ibm.com/software/data/db2/vse-vm/support.html>

# IBM Education Announcement - z/VSE 4.1 Live Virtual Classes

## **z/VSE Version 4.1 Virtual Classes after announcement on January 9, 2007**

- You must **enroll at least 1 day ahead** of the session date to enable your participation.
- The Live Virtual Classes (LVC) will be delivered using the Interwise tool that employs Voice over IP (VoIP) technology to provide both the audio as well as the visuals for the class to your Windows workstation.
- **Each call will start at 8:00 a.m. Pacific US/ 11:00 a.m. Eastern US/ 4:00 p.m. GMT/ 5:00 p.m. CET.**
- The duration for each live virtual class is 1 hour.

### **1) z/VSE and MWLC Announcement Overview -**

**February 1 (Thursday)**

Content: Overview of the January 9 announcement including z/VSE 4.1 and updates to the z/VSE pricing.

Enroll via: <http://ems3.intellor.com/?p=301727&do=register&t=2>

### **2) Midrange Workload Licensing Charges for z/VSE -**

**February 22 (Thursday)**

Content: Midrange Workload Licensing and associated sub-capacity pricing.

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### **3) z/VSE 4.1 solutions based on SOA and DB2 -**

**March 15 (Thursday)**

Content: How z/VSE can take part in modern solutions based on System Oriented Architecture (SOA), XML data interchange and Web services standards.

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# z/VSE, the new web presence

The screenshot shows the IBM z/VSE website interface. At the top, there is the IBM logo, a search bar, and a 'Country/region [select]' dropdown. Below this is a navigation bar with links for Home, Products, Services & solutions, Support & downloads, and My account. A breadcrumb trail indicates the current location: Servers > Mainframe servers > Operating systems > z/VSE.

The left sidebar contains a vertical menu with the following items: z/VSE, About VSE, How to buy, News, Events, **Solutions** (circled in red), Products & components, Documentation, Service & support, Downloads, Education, Partners, FAQ, and Contact VSE. Below the menu is a 'Related links' section with links to Linux on zSeries, z/OS, z/VM, IBM Storage, and IBM Printing Systems.

The main content area features a large heading 'z/VSE' and a paragraph describing the product's design for robust, cost-effective solutions. A 'Learn more' section includes links to 'About VSE', 'News', and 'History of VSE'. Below this is a promotional banner for 'Announcing z/VSE V3.1' with a '40 YEARS' logo. A 'Redesigned z/VSE homepage' section explains the site's redesign. A 'z/VSE Version3 Release 1' section lists supported hardware and software configurations. At the bottom, a paragraph states the product's goal of enabling network integration and infrastructure simplification.

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<http://www.ibm.com/servers/eserver/zseries/zvse/>

## *Additional Information*

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