

**TOC****INDEX****VIEW****A52 Time To Get Acquainted with IMS Connect 1.1, Part 1***Jerry Hughes*

IMS Connect 1.1, a new program product offering, is the replacement product for IMS TOC 2.1.3. It contains the base function of IMS TOC 2.1.3 with new function that is SMP/E installable and maintainable. IMS Connect 1.1 provides connectivity to IMS TM 5.1, 6.1 and 7.1 using XCF to connect to IMS OTMA from:

TCP/IP client applications, from a variety of platforms from workstations to mainframe. Supporting customer written application, and IMS Connector for Java

Non-TCP/IP (PC interface) client applications connecting from IMS Connector for Java on the S/390

This topic provides an overview on the structure of IMS Connect and the functions available to communicate between IMS Connect and a client application. This session also introduces you to the configuration file, user written message exits, data translation and user init exits. Individuals with minimum to no knowledge of ITOC or IMS Connect should attend this session prior to *A53 – Time to Get Acquainted with IMS Connect, Part 2*.

