

FIND OUT THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR SYSTEM z TECHNOLOGY

CICS Version to Version Upgrade Considerations With CICS Tools

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LEARN HOW TO TAKE GREATER ADVANTAGE OF YOUR SYSTEM z® PLATFORM AT THIS ONE-DAY EVENT.

New opportunities are still out there. But the competition is fiercer than ever. That's why the ability to respond to changes through key business applications is so vital. Discover how the latest CICS upgrade can help you comply with corporate, industry and government policies—allowing you to manage business risks of critical business applications.

This special event is designed for IT Managers, System Programmers, Application Developers and Architects. You'll learn how running the latest software on your System z can help you control costs through a simpler IT infrastructure and increase productivity with easier-to-use interfaces and functions. Plus, you'll get tips on upgrading, learn how to cut costs and see a live demo.

SYSTEM z TRUTHS WE'LL REVEAL:

- ★ How to accelerate development of Web 2.0 applications.
- ★ How to increase governance and compliance.
- ★ How to prepare the next generation of IT staff.



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AGENDA

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM

Registration/Continental Breakfast

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM

CICS Transaction Server Version 4.1 Overview

In the first session of the day, learn how CICS® Transaction Server V4.1 brings new levels of ease-of-use and flexibility, helping users to **compete** for new opportunities, **comply** with corporate, industry and government regulatory requirements, and **control** costs by simplifying IT infrastructure and improving the productivity of development and operations.

9:30 AM – 10:45 AM

Turn Insight Into Action With CICS Business Events

Drill-down into the new non-invasive business event generation capability in CICS and its associated tooling. The session will also cover how to consume these events using WebSphere® Business Events and WebSphere Business Monitor.

10:45 AM - 11:45 AM

LUNCH

12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

CICS Explorer - the New Face of CICS

This session will show how the CICS Explorer can help those new to CICS to become experts more quickly, while enabling “old-hands” with CICS to be more productive. Whether used with CICS V3 or V4, with CICS Tools, or embedded in Rational® Developer for System z®, the CICS Explorer can help you to control your CICS systems and costs.

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Upgrading to CICS Transaction Server V4

This session will outline the major steps required to upgrade from CICS Transaction Server V2 or V3 systems. We'll highlight best practices, helpful tools, as well as point out some “gotchas” that you will want to avoid.

2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

Mashing up CICS Events - an End-to-End Demo

In the final session of the day, we'll use a live demo linking the major enhancements in CICS Transaction Server V4.1 to show you how easy it is to create new situational applications from existing CICS assets.

3:45 PM

WRAP UP/CLOSE
