



Integrity Controls Environment (ICE) Unique Tools from NewEra Software, Inc.

ICEDIRECT

ICEDirect is a web-based application platform that uses a secure TCP/IP connection between its z/OS resident webserver and an internet browser to access and visualize the Integrity Controls Environment (ICE) information for analysis and administration of Image FOCUS (IFO) and The Control Editor (TCE).

ICEDirect also supports additional optional applications, z/OS Visual and RACF Visual. They exploit this unique z/OS to Browser platform by presenting traditional 3270 information and administration tools in a modern visual form that results in a more productive interactive user experience and provides a deeper understanding of complex z/OS and RACF controls.

z/OS Visual provides the ability to analyze and manage key z/OS functions such as the IODF and the z/OS Health Checker from a modern interface. MVS commands can be selected and entered directly from the browser to assist in the management and problem detection of any z/OS LPAR configuration.

The RACF Visual application provides for inspection and administration of key RACF controls with interfaces into SETROPTS for providing a web-based command access for managing users profile and class definitions. It also provides an application, Certificate Intelligence, for the inspection and management of Certifications and RINGS. It also provides a RACF log of change activity for audit and compliance reporting.

ICEDirect can be used as a web application with security of the user established by the security rights established based upon the z/OS security profile for the user. It can also be an application run under the control of z/OSMF for increased security and control.

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SUMMARY

The Integrity Controls Environment (ICE) from NewEra Software provides capabilities not available in any other software products from any other source.

Image FOCUS provides for:

- Inspection and risk analysis of any IPL and start up configuration
- Validation in all logic including symbols, variables, parameters, etc. and impact of any changes – static & dynamic - across all defined Members, LPARs, SYSPLEXes
- Change detection of the configuration elements and inspection results
- Testing and simulation functions to reduce the risk of failures or loss of service
- Optimal Operational integrity and Readiness

The Control Editor provides for:

- Extended and Improved access rights controls
- Enforcement of standards for change activity
- Backup of changes
- Enforcement of documentation requirements
- Immediate notification of events
- Audit compliance for recording changes to critical resources
- A method to create a ZERO TRUST Architecture, or enforcement of organization standards

ICEDirect provides for:

An easy-to-use modern interface into the data space for ICE and other applications.

ICE DIRECT ACCESS POINT

Welcome to z/OS

The highly secure, scalable and resilient enterprise operating system for the IBM z Systems mainframe.

z/OS USER ID

z/OS PASSWORD

LOG IN

Securing the Browser

ICE Direct

MFI Authentication

Token Material

ICE PassTicket

Authenticate

ICE DIRECT MAKES ANALYSIS GRAPHICAL AND EASY



ICEBATA Source Inspection Log Worksheet - 5 Wks Rows



[Update the Worksheet]

Row	Launch	Finding	IPLPath	ICEBATA Inspection Logs	Packs	Chk	Chk Snaps	GASP
01		Err		IFO.IFOB.ICEBATA.ADCD23C.LOG Inspection Date:22/03/09 and Time:09:39:21		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
02		Err		IFO.IFOB.ICEBATA.BDCD23C.LOG Inspection Date:22/06/13 and Time:11:00:49		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
03		Err		IFO.IFOB.ICEBATA.CDCD23C.LOG Inspection Date:22/03/09 and Time:09:39:21		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
04		Err		IFO.IFOD.ICEBATA.DDCD23C.LOG Inspection Date:21/05/06 and Time:11:19:24		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
05		Err		IFO.IFOE.ICEBATA.EDCD23C.LOG Inspection Date:21/05/06 and Time:11:19:24		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

[Show LPAR Analytics] [Show LPAR XCompare]

Bill,
With this we can see all the LPARs to ensure there are no problems instead of looking at each individually. The Snapshot will show us any changes detected.
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z/OS VISUAL FROM ICE DIRECT

A Cross Comparison of Health Checker Findings
Exclusively for LPARs in Common with BDCD23C
Last IPL: Friday 07.15.2022 1:59:54
This is the Running System

SmfID: BDCD	System: BDCD23C	Sysplex: ADCDPL	z/OSVer: V2R3
IPLUnit: 0A83	Dataset: SYS1.IPLPARM	IODFUnit: 0A83	Dataset: SYS1.IODF99
LoadSbc: X1 Nucleus: 1	HWName: -n/a-	LPAR: -n/a-	VM: ZOS23B

22/07/22- 10:34:14



5 Systems Selected for Health Check Comparison



Click CheckName to Show its Description

Num	CheckOwner_CheckName	Diff	ADCD23C	BDCD23C	CDCD23C	DDCD23C	EDCD23C
001	ICSF OPTIONS CHECKS	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
002	ICSF UNSUPPORTED CCA KEYS	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
003	ICSF KEY EXPIRATION	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
004	ICSF MASTER KEY CONSISTENCY	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
005	ICSF DEPRECATED SERV WARNINGS	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
006	ICSF COPROCESSOR STATE NEGCHANGE	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
007	ICSF MIG7731 ICSF RETAINED RSA KEY	---	Nop	Nop	Nop	Nop	Nop
008	SDSF CLASS SDSF ACTIVE	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
009	SDSF ISFARMS IN USE	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
010	USS INETD UNSECURE SERVICES	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
011	USS SUPERUSER	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
012	USS KERNEL RESOURCE THRESHOLD	---	Nop	Nop	Nop	Nop	Nop
013	USS KERNEL PVTSTG THRESHOLD	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
014	USS KERNEL STACKS THRESHOLD	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
015	USS HFS DETECTED	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
016	USS CLIENT MOUNTS	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
017	USS PARMLIB MOUNTS	---	Aok	Exc	Exc	Exc	Exc
018	USS MAXSOCKETS MAXFILEPROC	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
019	USS AUTOMOUNT DELAY	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok
020	USS FILESYS CONFIG	---	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok	Aok

Kathy,
This should be helpful to our help desk and system programmers to see the entire SYSPLEX at a glance.
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RACF VISUAL - ANALYZING THE RACF DATABASE

IBM Resource Access Control Facility (RACF) - Release:7791

RACF Special: Yes
RACF Operations: Yes
Last IPL: Friday 07.15.2022 21:59:54
This is the Running System
RACF Auditor: Yes
RACF RO Auditor: ---

SmfID: BDCD
IPLUnit: 0A83
LoadSfx: X1 Nucleus: 1
System: BDCD23C
Dataset: SYS1.IPLPARM
HWNName: -n/a-
Sysplex: ADCDPL
IODFUnit: 0A83
LPAR: -n/a-
z/OSVer: V2R3
Dataset: SYS1.IODF99
VM: ZOS23B

SYS1.RACFDS
None Found
None Found

Db Name
Db Profile
22/07/22 - 14:27:19
Db UACC

SETROPTS Class Definition and Group Distribution
6 Profiles in Selected Class - APPL

APPL Class - Controls access to applications

Rule and/or Policy Control Groups
Event Logging

Row	Stats	Active	GenPfl	GenCmd	GenLst	GblChk	SRacLst	GblRlLst	Audit	Always	Never	Success	Failure	Default
01	---	Yes	Yes	Yes	---	Yes	Yes	---	---	---	---	---	---	Yes

Update the Group Distribution

Users with access to APPL Class Profiles
Indicates Orphan Userid

Row	Name 01	Name 02	Name 03	Name 04	Name 05	Name 06	Name 07	Name 08	Name 09	Name 10
01 *	ADCDMST	CFZADM3P	CFZSRV	CFZUSRGP	IBUSER	IZUADMIN	IZUGUEST	IZUSECAD	IZUSER	
02	WSCEG1	WSGUEST	ZOSMPAD	ZOSUGST						

Discrete APPL Class Profiles

Row	Owner	UACC	Gen	Orph	Click Profile Name to Permit Additional Users	WarnPermit
01	SYS1	NONE	---	01	BBGZDFLT	---
02	IBUSER	NONE	---	---	BBNBASE	---
03	ADCDMST	RED	---	---	BLZAPPL	---

Jan,
I see this as a big help in maintaining the RACF settings and a much easier way of managing the user profiles and class settings.

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CERTIFICATE INTELLIGENCE - OLD VS. NEW

RACF - Connect a Digital Certificate to a Key Ring

COMMAND ==>

Ring Owner: PROBI1

Ring Name:

Personal (user ID) Site Certificate Authority

Certificate Type =>

Label name: (in quotes)

Usage => Personal Site or Certificate Authority

Default => (blank defaults to NO)

ISPF Command Shell

Enter TSO or Workstation commands below:

```
==> RACDCERT ADD('RACFADM.NETBOY.ECC.CERT')
ID(NETBOY) TRUST
WITHLABEL(Saving Account ECC)
```

Place cursor on choice and press enter to Retrieve command

```
=> LU RFAUL2
=> DELUSER JAMIE0A
=> DELUSER JAMIE0B
=> SETROPTS NOCLASSACT(TERMINAL)
=> SETROPTS CLASSACT(TERMINAL)
=> SETROPTS LIST
```

```
/**
//CERTAUTH EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSOUT DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSDUMP DD SYSOUT=*
//SYSIN DD *
RACDCERT ID(certificate_owner) GENCERT -
SUBJECTSDN ( -
0('YourOrganization') -
CN('certificate_owner.servername.yourdomain.com')
OU('zOS.Admin') -
C('GB') -
)
WITHLABEL('CERTUSRPCert')-
SIGNWITH(CERTAUTH LABEL('LOCALCA'))
/*
```

Setup a New Key Ring and Define its Purpose

Documented Key Ring Purpose Add & Purpose a New Key Ring

Ring Name: (Enter a New Certificate Key Ring Name)

Ring Owner: (ID: PROBI1)

☒ Ring Profile: RDEFINERDATAB (Ring Name:)

☒ Ring Permit: (Id:)

☒ Ring Supports: ☒ Serv (Id:) at Dom (Id:) domain Target WWW Address

☒ Ring Purpose: Describe the Purpose of the Key Ring

☒ Ring Usage: DSNFile Enter a Fully Qualified Usage Configuration ☒ Validate

Authorization Reference

Event Descriptor

SETROPTS Refresh: SETROPTS RACLIST(DIGTCERT, DIGTRING, RDATAB) REFRESH

☒ RACLIST Refresh?

Jan and MJ,
I believe this will save us time and effort for adding new and managing our Certificates on z/OS. Also, with the inspection of the RACF database, I think we can answer the finding from the last external audit about having both orphaned USERIDs and expired Certificates.

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