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COMPANY NEWS



System i Operators Reap the Rewards of More Time and More Disk with QSystem Monitor's New Purge and Data Reorganization Features

Jan 30, 2008 – Systems Management Specialist, CCSS, today announces the launch of three new features for their IBM ServerProven solution, QSystem Monitor. The new Purge-Whilst-Active feature, Reorganize Selected Files feature and Disk Usage Inquiry option have been created with the routine tasks of operators in mind and offer optimal monitoring and best use of their existing disk resources. With possible recession fears propelling aggressive cost-efficiency to the top of the 2008 agenda for many IT Managers, QSystem Monitor's timely new features give System i environments the distinct advantage of helping to build and sustain economic efficiency in their daily processes.

The new Purge-whilst-Active feature is based within QSystem Monitor's history module and as the name suggests, important data purges can now be made without the need to end the product. For IT Managers, this means that they never have to compromise their real-time monitoring in order to free up valuable additional disk through the MONPURGE command. By breaking the command down into two separate elements, a purge of data and a subsequent reorganization of the files, Managers can delete records – essentially flagging them for deletion and reorganize the files at a more appropriate time when the system is less busy.

[Click here for more details](#)

Show Business: CCSS Set to Reveal the Power of IBM System i Management Software Across North America this Spring

Feb 19, 2008 – CCSS, announces a heavyweight presence at this spring's IBM trade show circuit following a year of major product enhancements to their IBM ServerProven QSystem Monitor performance management solution. With the world watching the US economy for signs of slowdown, the key issues surrounding these events for IBM System i Managers will be how to save money, time and implement best practice standards in the data centre and throughout the network at a time when budgets are lean and resources are stretched to maximum capacity.

CCSS launches into the trade show season by exhibiting at the Industry's largest commercial System i event, COMMON, held this year at Gaylord Opryland Resort in Nashville, Tennessee USA between March 30th – April 3rd. Attendees will be able to visit the CCSS booth (#109) for a full demonstration on the CCSS suite of performance and message management solutions. System i Managers looking to economize on additional disk spend will be able to see a range of new features such as QSystem Monitor's 'Purge data and reorganize', disk 'Predictive Projection' and 'Real-Time DASD Growth Monitoring' functions.

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TECHNICAL TIP

QSM V12 - Cache Battery Monitoring

This month we would like to show you how to employ the cache battery functionality on a large scale.


This just demonstrates the power of QSystem Monitor very nicely: It makes visible what is important about your system's state, and thus helps you to deliver the IT services that are demanded of you. The screenshot below is from an actual customer site (with the system names edited). The top window shows each system with its respective lowest battery value, the bottom window shows the details for all the batteries on all systems.



SV554	DC31	04-52490CF	5799-001	3C90-C8	703	846	130	199
SV704	DC33	2A-5260280	2790-001	3C32-C02	703	824	190	170
SV844	DC34	2A-5259128	2790-001	3C32-C02	702	825	181	170
SV844	DC35	2A-5257064	2790-001	3C31-C02	703	824	190	170
SV505	DC31	3C-6313208	2790-001	3C9E-C02	352	414	490	527
SV345	DC26	0C-6277064	2790-001	3C95-C02	352	384	511	595
SV595	DC31	3C-6314164	2790-001	3C9C-C02	318	378	480	568
SV706	DC34	0C-6277070	2790-001	3C90-C02	318	348	530	622
SV506	DC35	3C-6240019	2790-001	3C99-C02	318	373	486	564
SV447	DC31	3C-6323257	2790-001	3C9D-C02	339	383	495	575
SV507	DC34	3C-6308030	2790-001	3C9F-C02	341	378	536	599
SV535	DC31	0C-6277164	2790-001	3C90-C02	304	357	499	576
SV608	DC34	3C-6311662	2790-001	3C9F-C02	304	356	500	577
SV539	DC31	3C-6307100	2790-001	3C97-C02	327	380	529	611
SV599	DC34	3C-6314127	2790-001	3C9D-C02	323	360	513	605
SV599	DC35	0C-6237076	2790-001	3C94-C02	325	381	478	555
SV510	DC31	3C-6310247	2790-001	3C9D-C02	307	358	487	575
SV819	DC34	0C-6277022	2790-001	3C94-C02	304	356	500	577
SV811	DC31	3C-6311362	2790-001	3C9F-C02	339	396	486	544
SV811	DC34	0C-6277306	2790-001	3C90-C02	339	387	464	542
SV812	DC31	3C-6310040	2790-001	3C91-C02	341	387	469	548
SV812	DC34	0C-6262209	2790-001	3C90-C02	339	387	463	542
SV813	DC31	02-630460A	3732-001	3C90-C8	354	354	548	722

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CUSTOMER REMINDER

Keep your iSeries system up to date with the latest critical support updates, features and security updates. Upgrade all CCSS products to the latest releases available through the secure technical support section of the CCSS website. For any technical assistance please contact support@ccssltd.com

[QSystem Monitor Release 11 - Modification Level 140](#)

[QSystem Monitor Release 12 - Modification Level 006](#)

[QMessage Monitor Release 6 - Modification Level 066](#)

[QRemote Control Release 2 - Modification Level 061](#)

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