

Debugging CA ADS Dialogs: Using CA ADS Alive, CA ADS Trace and OLP

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Abstract

In this session we will explain how to use CA ADS Alive to debug CA ADS dialogs by:

- Setting breakpoints
- Running the application, and
- Viewing and modifying data at runtime

We will also see how CA ADS Trace can shed some light on common run-time problems, this will include using OLP effectively to see the trace output.



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Session Outline



Overview

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 - Concepts
 - Scenario 1: the loop
 - Scenario 2: “bad” data
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Overview:
Debugging Tools

Process Code

Use DEBUG – if you can work out how

OR

Learn how to use **CA ADS Alive** and **CA ADS Trace**

Overview:
Debugging Techniques

Within your **Process Code** you can:

- Use **SNAP** commands – output goes to **DC LOG**
- Issue **WRITE PRINTER** commands
 - Can waste a lot of paper

When using **SNAPs** or **CA ADS Trace**:

- Use **OLP** to see the output
- First learn a bit about **OLP**

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CA ADS Alive: Concepts

- Set up Phase
 - Animating the dialog(s)
 - Setting breakpoints
- Execution (run-time) Phase
 - Encounter breakpoints
 - View and modify data
 - Add / Remove breakpoints
- Getting started:

```
V1 Release 14.1 >>> JIS Development CV <<< Enter next task:  
adsalive_
```

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Scenario 1: the Loop

What we “should” be getting

```

INQDEPT          Department Inquiry          05/04/01
                  Working Version           HRID02M

Sel   Emp ID    Employee Name      Job Title
-----
      0024     JANE      DOUGH             PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0029     JAMES     GALLWAY           PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0003     JENNIFER  GARFIELD          MGR INTERNL SOFTWARE
      0028     PERCY     GRANGER           PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0027     VLADIMIR  HEAROWITZ        PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0020     JAMES     JACOBI            DATABASE ADMIN.
      0035     LARRY     LITERATA          DOCUMENTATION SPEC
      0023     KATHERINE O'HEARN         PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0019     JULIA     PETERSON          PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0021     RALPH     TYRO              PROGRAMMER TRAINEE

-----
NEXT RESPONSE:  INQDEPT      SEND DATA --> 3100

10                                PRESS PF13 FOR HELP SCREEN
  
```

Scenario 1: the Loop
What we are getting

```

INQDEPT          Department Inquiry          05/04/01
                  "Buggy" Version          HRID99M

Sel   Emp ID   Employee Name   Job Title
-----
-     0024    JANE DOUGH     PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
-     0029    JAMES GALLWAY  PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
-     0003    JENNIFER GARFIELD MGR INTERNL SOFTWARE
-     0028    PERCY GRANGER  PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
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-     0021    RALPH TYRO     PROGRAMMER TRAINEE
-     0024    JANE DOUGH     PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
-     0029    JAMES GALLWAY  PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
-----
NEXT RESPONSE:  INQDEPT      SEND DATA --> 3100
** Caught a LOOP **

PRESS PF13 FOR HELP SCREEN
    
```

Scenario 1: the Loop
1) Turn on SYMBOL TABLES 1 of 2

```

Add Modify Compile Delete Display Switch
-----
CA-ADS Online Dialog Compiler
Computer Associates Int

Dialog name . . . . . HRID00D
Dialog version . . . . . 1
Dictionary name . . . . . EDUDICT
Dictionary node . . . . . _____

Screen . . . . . 1
1. General options
2. Assign maps
3. Assign database
4. Assign records and tables
5. Assign process modules

DC498105 Dialog HRID00D ver 1 is not checked out. Select MODIFY to Checkout.

Command ==> _
Enter F1=Help F3=Exit F10=Action
    
```

Select "General Options" so we can turn on "Symbol Tables"

Scenario 1: the Loop
1) Turn on SYMBOL TABLES 2 of 2

```
Options and Directives
Dialog HRID00D Version 1

Message prefix . . . . . DC
Autostatus record . . . . . ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC
Version . . . . . 1
Description . . . . . ADS DIALOG

Options and Directives . . . . . Mainline dialog
/ Symbol table is enabled
/ Diagnostic table is enabled
/ Entry point is premap
- COBOL moves are enabled
- Activity logging
- Retrieval locks are kept
/ Autostatus is enabled

DC498214 Warning: Diagnostic Table turned on because Symbol Table is requested.

Enter F1=Help F3=Exit F4=Prev F5=Next
```

When you select "Symbol table enabled" ADSC will also apply "Diagnostic Table Enabled"

Scenario 1: the Loop
1) Turn on SYMBOL TABLES 3 of 3

```
Add Modify Compile Delete Display Switch
-----
CA-ADS Online Dialog Compiler
Computer Associates International, Inc.

Dialog name . . . . . _____
Dialog version . . . . . _____
Dictionary name . . . . . EDUDICT
Dictionary node . . . . . _____

Screen . . . . . 1. General options
2. Assign maps
3. Assign database
4. Assign records and tables
5. Assign process modules

DC498140 Dialog HRID00D version 1 has been successfully compiled.

Command ==>
Enter F1=Help F3=Exit F10=Action
```

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 1 of 8

```

CCCCCCCCC |||
CCCCCCCCC |||
CCC        |||
CCC      AAA |||
CCC      AAAAA |||
CCC      AAAAAA |||
CCC     AAA AAA |||
CCC    AAA  AAA |||
CCAAACCC   |||
AAACCC     |||
AAA      AAA  |||
AAA      AAA  |||
AAA      AAA  |||
T        Tutorial |||
X        Exit     |||
Q        Quit     |||
|||
||| Dictionary ==> EDUDICT Node ==>
||| Dialog ==> HRID00D (Dialog List Disabled)
||| Dialog Version ==> 0001 (Version Number Must be Entered)
|||
|||
||| Copyright (C) 1988, 1996 Computer Associates International, Inc.
|||

```

Use the "session" option to tell ADS what to do "on exit" – for example – which application to invoke

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 2 of 8

```

CA-IDMS/ADSLIVE R14.1 --- Animation S... 09/01
COMMAND ==>
SPECIFY ENVIRONMENT OPTIONS:
  Alter Defaults for Execution? ==
  DBNAME =
  DBNO
  Version ==> 0001
SPECIFY TASK STREAM TO INVOKE UPON EX
  (Note: Enter BLANKS to return to
==> ADS HR00T
SPECIFY TASK STREAM TO INVOKE UPON EXIT FROM ANIMATION:
  (Note: Enter BLANKS to return to ENTER NEXT TASK)

```

Instead of seeing "enter next task code" when you "=x" out from dialog "animation" (or 'X' out from the main menu) – CA ADS Alive will "execute" this command string for you – AND – by the way -

- YES ! I agree – the headings are misleading !

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 3 of 8

```

CCCCCCCCC |||
CCCCCCCCC |||
CCC          ADS/ALIVE |||
CCC          Session Specification |||
CCC          AAAAA |||
CCC          AAAAAA |||
CCC          AAA AAA |||
CCC          AAA AAA |||
CCAAACCCCC |||
AAACCCCCCCC ||| OPTION ==> 1 |||
AAA          1 Animate - Specify Animation for DIALOG |||
AAA          2 Remove - Remove DIALOG from Animation |||
AAA          3 Session - Specify Animation Session Values |||
AAA          T Tutorial - Display information about ADS/ALIVE |||
AAA          X Exit - Exit ADS/ALIVE (Leave Session Intact) |||
AAA          Q Quit - Exit ADS/ALIVE (Terminate Session) |||
||| | | |
||| Dictionary ==> EDUDICT Node ==> |||
||| Dialog ==> HRID00D (Dialog List Disabled) |||
||| Dialog Version ==> 0001 (Version Number Must be Entered) |||
|||
||| Copyright (C) 1988, 1996 Computer Associates International, Inc. |||

```

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 4 of 8

```

CA-IDMS/ADSAALIVE R14.1 --- Specify Animation Parameters 04/05/01
COMMAND ==> _ USGASET
USG0029I DIALOG HRID00D VERSION 0001

DICTIONARY: EDUDICT      NODE:
DIALOG: HRID00D      VERSION: 0001

Specify Whether or not Animation is interruptable:
Interrupt? ==> Y

If DIALOG is interruptable, specify processes to interrupt:
Specify Processes? ==> N

If DIALOG is NOT interruptable, specify delay interval:
Delay Interval ==> 0000 (in seconds)

```

Specify Y if you want to interrupt only specific processes - and specific lines of code !

Otherwise use this value to specify the number of seconds to stop on each line of code in each process !

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 5 of 8

```
CA-IDMS/ADSALIVE R14.1 --- Process List ----- 12:56 04/09/01
COMMAND ==> USGAPL
USG0037I CONTROL VALUES ACCEPTED -- SELECT PROCESSES FOR ANIMATION
DICTIONARY: EDUDICT NODE: DIALOG: HRID00D VERSION: 0001
Enter "S" to select every line of the PROCESS for animation
Enter "D" to delete the PROCESS from animation
Enter "X" to select specific lines in the PROCESS for animation

PROCESS NAME                                DATE    DATE
VERS  CREATED  UPDATED  TYPE    PFKEY
-----
x  HRID00-PM                                0099  04/04/01  04/04/01  PREMAP
-  HRID00-RP                                0001  03/27/00  05/07/00  RESPNS
**END**
```

In 99% of the cases you will want to only set "breakpoints" on specific lines

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 6 of 8

```
EDIT ---ANIMATE DIALOG HRID00D VERSION 0001          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND =                                           SCROLL ==> PAGE
***** ** TOP DATA ***** CA-IDMS/ADSALIVE **
==MSG> DICTONARY:
==MSG> DIALOG: HRID00D
==MSG> VERSION: 0001
==MSG> PROCESS: HRID00-PM
==MSG> VERSION: 0099
000006 !*****
000007 READY.
000008
000009 move '_' to AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000010 if AGR-PASSED-ONE eq SPACES
000011 do.
000012   modify map CURSOR at field AGR-PASSED-ONE.
000013   display text
000014   ' ***** Enter Department ID and press <ENTER>'.
000015 end.
000016
000017 if NOT AGR-PASSED-ONE MATCHES '####'
000018 do.
000019   move SPACES to AGR-PASSED-ONE.
000020   display text
000021   'Department ID MUST be NUMeric - please try again'.
**!
```

In "browse" mode this is very much like an "editor": <pf7+pf8> for "backward" and "forward"; "find" command; <pf5> to RFIND (repeat find).

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 7 of 8

```

EDIT ---ANIMATE DIALOG HRID00D VERSION 0001          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> stop                                   SCROLL ==> PAGE
000037 while NOT DB-NO-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
000038 AND WK-COUNT=0
000039 repeat.
000040 call GETJOB.
000041 a if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000043 if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000044 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000045 put DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000046 put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047 obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000048 if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000049 do.
000050 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000051 add
000052
000053 - "a" says "at this line", "b" means at the "line before this
000054 line" – so let's STOP here so that at run time we can
000055 "watch" for the last good employee 'TYRO' (this is our
000056 initial strategy – we can refine it later if we want!
000057
000058
  
```

Identify run-time “break points” by telling CA ADS Alive where you want to “STOP” – by default we STOP every time we encounter the indicated line -

- “a” says “at this line”, “b” means at the “line before this line” – so let’s STOP here so that at run time we can “watch” for the last good employee ‘TYRO’ (this is our initial strategy – we can refine it later if we want!

Scenario 1: the Loop
2) Animate the dialog with CA ADS Alive 8 of 8

```

USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS ADDED          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> =X                             SCROLL ==> PAGE
000037 while NOT DB-NO-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
000038 AND WK-COUNT=0
000039 repeat.
000040 call GETJOB.
000041 =STOP> if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000043 if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000044 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000045 accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000046 put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047 obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000048 if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000049 do.
000050 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000051 exit.
000052
000053 Do NOT use “=q” here or
000054 “Q” on the main menu – as
000055 this will terminate the CA
000056 ADS Alive session !
000057
000058 display, etc. ***** an Employee ***
  
```

We’re all set and ready to go – by keying “=x” on the COMMAND line we get straight out of CA ADS Alive – just like TSO you can use a number of <pf3>’s to get to the main menu and then use “X” to

Do NOT use “=q” here or “Q” on the main menu – as this will terminate the CA ADS Alive session !

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 1 of 18

```

DIALOG:                                     PAGE: 1 OF: 1
DATE: 09/04/01                             NEXT PAGE:
=====
JIS Services ADS/O Training Main Menu
=====
EMPMENU      Employee Maintenance Menu
-INQMENU     Inquiries Menu
HELP         (PF13)  Function HELP
QUIT         (PF15)  Leave the Application

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RESPONSE: INODEPT  SEND DATA--> 3100_    MODE: STEP
    
```

We can go directly to the problem dialog by keying in the **INQDEPT** response here and **3100** in the “send data” field

We came straight to the application main menu because of the “ADS HR00T” specification in the CA ADS Alive “Session” specifications

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 2 of 18

```

EDIT ---DIALOG HRIDOOD IS RUNNING...      COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ===> record_                       SCROLL ===> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP>
000043   if STATUS-0415 =
000044   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO
000045   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000046   BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO
000047   accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY
000048   out detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000049   obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000050   DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000051   write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052   1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053
000054
000055
    
```

The “premap” of our dialog is now running – and we’ve encountered the specified “break point” – let’s see where we are in the set -

- “record” without naming a specific record will give you a list of records you can select from.

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 3 of 18

```

CA-IDMS/ADSALIVE R14.1 --- List of Records ----- 08:48 04/18/01
COMMAND ==> USGAESH

A RECORD COMMAND WAS ENTERED WITHOUT A RECORD NAME IN DICTIONARY EDUDICT

Enter "S" to select the RECORD FOR PROCESSING
Enter the "END" command to terminate PROCESSING

RECORD NAME                                VERS  DATE   DATE   USER
ADSO-APPLICATION-GLOBAL-RECORD             0001  05/08/96
ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC                           0001  01/26/96  05/29/00  PZY6X0
DEPARTMENT                                  0100  01/26/96
EMPLOYEE                                     0100  01/26/96  10/18/00  JDAGPC
EMPLOYMENT                                  0100  01/26/96
HRI000-MA...                               0001  05/07/00  04/04/01  JDAGPC
JOB                                          0100  01/26/96
OFFICE                                       0100  01/26/96
**END**
    
```

Select the desired record to see the names of the data items and their current contents (values).

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 4 of 18

```

GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 08:51 04/18/01
COMMAND ==> GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100                                DICT: EDUDICT
                                                    LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0024
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A JANE
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A DOUGH
02 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-STREET-0415.....A 15 LOCATION DR
03 EMP-CITY-0415.....A NEWTON
03 EMP-STATE-0415.....A MA
03 EMP-ZIP-0415.....G
04 EMP-ZIP-FIRST-FIVE-0415.....A 02456
04 EMP-ZIP-LAST-FIVE-0415.....A 155
    
```

<pf3> returns us to the previous screen – giving us the “record selection” screen – <pf3> again returns us to our code showing us our current break point.

Scenario 1: the Loop

3) Run the application 5 of 18

```

USG0003E PROCESSING INTERRUPTED BY USER REQUEST          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ===> go_                                         SCROLL ===> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP>   if STATUS-0415 = 51
000043   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045   BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046   accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047   put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048   obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000049   if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050   do.
000051   write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052   add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053   end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057   display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.

```

“go” tells CAADS Alive to resume execution of the dialog – it will run until the next break point, an ABORT or a DISPLAY command is encountered.

Scenario 1: the Loop

3) Run the application 6 of 18

```

USG0003E PROCESSING INTERRUPTED BY USER REQUEST          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ===> record_                                     SCROLL ===> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP>   if STATUS-0415 =
000043   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045   BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046   accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047   put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048   obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000049   if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050   do.
000051   write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052   add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053   end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057   display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.

```

Once again “record” gives us the selection list so we can look at our database and work records -

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Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 7 of 18

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 09:07 04/18/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0029
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A JAMES
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A GALLWAY
02 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-STREET-0415.....A 15 DAWSON ST
03 EMP-CITY-0415.....A MEDFORD
03 EMP-STATE-0415.....A MA
03 EMP-ZIP-0415.....G
04 EMP-ZIP-FIRST-FIVE-0415.....A 02432
.....A
.....N 6173349155
.....A 01
.....N 014567777
.....G
.....N 81
.....N 10
.....N 10
```

<pf3> returns us to the previous screen – giving us the “record selection” screen – so we can look at the map work record next -

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 8 of 18

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 09:09 04/18/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: HRID00-MAP-WORK V 1 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0002

02 WK-EMPL-DBKEY.....F +0051223553
02 WK-COUNTER.....N 00000001
```

What we realise now is that we’re on the 2nd of 10 employees – to STOP, look at the employee and “go” again – we’ll have to do this 8 more times to get to TYRO – do we want to look at 30 screens ?

Let’s revise our strategy - <pf3> twice returns us to the screen with our code and the current break point – let’s change the break point location and criteria to make our job a lot easier than it is at the moment !

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 9 of 18

```

USG0003E PROCESSING INTERRUPTED BY USER REQUEST          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==>> stop when emp-last-name-0415 = tyro          SCROLL ==>> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP>   if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000043   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045     BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046     accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047     put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048     obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
a 0049     if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050     do.
000051       write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052       add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053     end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12

```

We can tell CA ADS Alive to “STOP” – every time, every “n” times, AFTER “n” times, or based on data content (use <pf1> to see the different options)

“a” says “at this line”, “b” means at the “line before this line” – so let’s STOP here on the last “good employee ” to see the status as we go into the IF test – and -

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Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 10 of 18

```

USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS MODIFIED          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==>> STOP WHEN EMP-LAST-NAME-0415 = TYRO          SCROLL ==>> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP>   if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000043   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045     BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046     accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from EMPLOYEE currency.
000047     put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048     obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-EMPLOYEE.
=STOP>   if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050     do.
000051       write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
A 0052       add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053     end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057   display text '** Caught a loop'
000058
000059 display text '** Select an
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.

```

- also stop here to see if anything has changed between the “if” and the “add” statements.

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 11 of 18

```

USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS ADDED                                COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ===> remove                                           SCROLL ===> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
a TOP> if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000043   PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044   if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045     BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046     accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from EMPLOYEE currency.
000047     put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048     obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-0410.
=STOP>   if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050     do.
000051       write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61.
=STOP>     add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053   end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057   display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.

```

One last thing – let's get rid of the existing breakpoint that is currently stopping us every time we come through the dialog !

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 12 of 18

```

USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS REMOVED                                COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ===> go_                                               SCROLL ===> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
000042   if STATUS-0415 =
000043     PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000044     if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045       BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046       accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from EMPLOYEE currency.
000047       put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048       obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-0410.
=STOP>   if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050     do.
000051       write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61.
=STOP>     add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053   end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057   display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.

```

“go” tells CAADS Alive to resume execution of the dialog – this time it shouldn't STOP until we encounter good'ol “TYRO”

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 13 of 18

```

EDIT ---DIALOG HRID00D IS RUNNING...
COMMAND ==> record employee_
000041 if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD A PASSED-TWO.
000043 if START-YEAR-0415 = 1
000044 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR...
000045 accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBR...
000046 put detail key WK-EMPL-DBR...
000047 obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE
=STOP> if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050 do.
000051 write printer from EMPLOYEE
=STOP> add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053 end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COU...
000057 display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.
    
```

OK – we’ve STOPped at one of our new breakpoints – let’s see if we’re on the right record!

Note – we don’t have to go through the record selection screen if we specify the record name at this point!

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Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 14 of 18

```

GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW --
COMMAND ==> _
RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100
02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0021
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A RALPH
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A TYRO
02 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-STREET-0415.....A 888 FORTITHE ST
03 EMP-CITY-0415.....A SINGER
.....A MA
.....G
.....A 02254
.....A
.....N 6174459191
.....A 01
.....N 019893456
.....G
.....N 80
.....N 12
.....N 21
    
```

Notice we stopped on the correct employee !

<pf7+pf8> allows you to scroll along the data items if they don't all fit onto the one page – non-displayable values will be displayed in HEX format

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 15 of 18

```

GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 16:07 04/09/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSTIRECCO

RECORD: ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC V 1 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0001

02 ERROR-STATUS.....N 0000
    
```

Our situation:

We’ve looked through the first 10 Employees in the set – we are currently sitting on the 10th employee and are about to do the WRITE PRINTER and add 1 to our counter. All is well so we return to the display of the lines of code (press <pf3> to “end” the record display and say “go” -

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 16 of 18

```

EDIT --DIALOG HRID00D IS RUNNING... COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> SCROLL ==> CSR
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP> if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050 do.
000051 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
=STOP> add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053 end.
000054 end.
    
```

We’re on the “IF” test – so let’s see what’s happened to the ERROR-STATUS and EMPLOYEE record contents

Type “record” on the command line to get a list of records – then in turn select ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC and EMPLOYEE – here’s what we see -

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 17 of 18

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 16:08 04/09/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC V 1 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0001

02 ERROR-STATUS.....N 0307
```

We've got our DB-END-OF-SET in ERROR-STATUS, and we still have the same EMPLOYEE record current (currency doesn't change on a non-zero error status) – so let's "GO" again -

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 16:08 04/09/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0021
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A RALPH
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A TYRO
```

Scenario 1: the Loop
3) Run the application 18 of 18

```
EDIT ---DIALOG HRIDOOD IS RUNNING... COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> _ SCROLL ==> CSR
=STOP> if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000049 do.
000050 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP> add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053 end.
000054 end.
```

We're about to increment WK-COUNTER, but when we look at ERROR-STATUS we see that it's now DB-STATUS-OK ('0000' – it was '0307') – so we can see why our loop control on DB-END-OF-SET doesn't work!

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 16:07 04/09/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: ADSO-STAT-DEF-REC V 1 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0001

02 ERROR-STATUS.....N 0000
```

Scenario 1: the Loop
4) Fix the problem 1 of 3 – one fix

```

                                IDD 14.1 ONLINE                PAGE 2 LINE 11 DICT=EDUDICT    34/73
while  NOT DB-END-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
  AND   WK-COUNTER < 13
repeat.
  call GETJOB.
  if STATUS-0415 = '05'
    PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
  if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
    BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
  accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from EMPLOYEE currency.
  put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
  obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-EMPLOYEE.
  if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
  do.
    write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
    add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
  end.
end.

if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
  display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.

display text '** Select an Employee **'.

```

One solution is to qualify which ERROR-STATUS field we're checking!

Are there any other solutions?

Scenario 1: the Loop
4) Fix the problem 2 of 3 – another fix

```

                                IDD 14.1 ONLINE
-
OBTAIN FIRST EMPLOYEE WITHIN DEPT-EMPLOYEE
IF DB-END-OF-SET
  DISPLAY TEXT
  'DEPARTMENT HAS NO EMPLOYEES'
WHILE NOT DB-END-OF-SET FOR EMPLOYEE
REPEAT.
  CALL GETJOB.
  IF STATUS-0415 = '05'
    PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
  ACCEPT DB-KEY INTO WK-EMPL-DBKEY FROM EMPLOYEE currency.
  PUT DETAIL KEY WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
  if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
  do.
    write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
    add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
  end.
  OBTAIN NEXT EMPLOYEE WITHIN DEPT-EMPLOYEE.
END.
DISPLAY.

```

Qualifying with the record name is also good – in case somebody ever does add in some other DML statements!

The best solution is to ensure that the “obtain next ... within set/area” is the last statement of a WHILE:REPEAT loop

Scenario 1: the Loop
4) Fix the problem 3 of 3 – correct output

```

INQDEPT                Department Inquiry                05/04/01
                        Working Version                HRID02M

Sel   Emp ID   Employee Name           Job Title
-----
      0024    JANE      DOUGH                PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0029    JAMES    GALLWAY              PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0003    JENNIFER GARFIELD          MGR INTERNL SOFTWARE
      0028    PERCY    GRANGER              PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0027    VLADIMIR HEAROWITZ        PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0020    JAMES    JACOBI               DATABASE ADMIN.
      0035    LARRY    LITERATA            DOCUMENTATION SPEC
      0023    KATHERINE O'HEARN          PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0019    JULIA    PETERSON            PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
      0021    RALPH    TYRO                PROGRAMMER TRAINEE

NEXT RESPONSE: INQDEPT      SEND DATA --> 3100

PRESS PF13 FOR HELP SCREEN

```

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Scenario 2: “bad” data
Let’s review the steps!

- Ensure the dialog is generated with SYMBOL TABLES ENABLED (already done in this case)
- ANIMATE the dialog with CA ADS Alive
 - Set “breakpoints”
 - Remember to eXit NOT to Quit
- Run the application

Scenario 2: “bad” data
What we should get – and are getting

```

INQDEPT                Department Inquiry                10/04/01
                        "Buggy" Version                HRID99M
Sel   Emp ID   Employee Name
-----
-    0024     JANE      DOUGH
-    0029     JAMES    GALLWAY
-    0003     JENNIFER GARFIELD
-    0028     PERCY    GRANGER
-    0027     VLADIMIR HEAROWITZ
-    0020     JAMES    JACOBI
-    0035     LARRY    LITERATA
-    0023     KATHERINE O'HEARN      PF          ANALYST
-    0019     JULIA    PETERSON  PF          ANALYST
-    0021     RALPH    TYRO      PF          TRAINEE

DC175020 APPLICATION ABORTED. PGM CHECK (DATA EXCEPTION)
V1 Release 14.1 >>> JIS Development CV <<< Enter next task:
-
-----
NEXT RESPONSE: INQDEPT      SEND DATA --> 3100
** Select an Employee **
    
```

Our “bug” ridden dialog now works fine for Department 3100 – but falls over in a heap when we inquire on Dept Id 4000 !

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Scenario 2: "bad data"
1) Animate = set the breakpoint(s)

```

EDIT ---ANIMATE DIALOG HRID00D VERSION 0001          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> stop when start-year-0415 lt x'f0f0'    SCROLL ==> PAGE
000037 while NOT DB-END-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
000038 AND WK-COUNTER < 13
000039 repeat.
000040 call GETJOB.
000041 if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
a 0043 if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000044 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000045 a rept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY fr
000046 p detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000047 o NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-EMPLOYEE.
000048 if ID-0410 = 3100
000049 de
000050 printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000051
000052
000053
000054
000055 ENTER > 12
000056 **
000057
000058 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
    
```

- odds are that it's some non-displayable (non-numeric) value

This is the only numeric field reference in the entire premap – and -

Scenario 2: "bad data"
1) Animate = set the breakpoint(s)

```

USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS ADDED          COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> show                          SCROLL ==> PAGE
000037 while NOT DB-END-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
000038 AND WK-COUNTER < 13
000039 repeat.
000040 call GETJOB.
000041 if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
a TOP> if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000044 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
USG0052I STOP PARAMETERS SHOWN
COMMAND ==> =x_
000037 while NOT DB-END-OF-SET for EMPLOYEE
000038 AND WK-COUNTER < 13
000039 repeat.
000040 call GETJOB.
000041 if STATUS-0415 = '05'
000042 PROTECT FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
=STOP> if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
==MSG> STOP AFTER 00000000 ON EVERY 00000000
==MSG> WHEN ELEMENT START-YEAR-0415
==MSG> IN RECORD EMPLOYEE VERSION 0100
==MSG> LT X'F0F0'
000048 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
    
```

Use the SHOW command to see the characteristics of a breakpoint

- you must tell SHOW which breakpoint !

Let's do it !

The comment lines give you the relevant details !

Scenario 2: “bad data”

2) Run the application – encounter the breakpoint

```

EDIT ---DIALOG HRID00D IS RUNNING...
COMMAND ==> record employee_
==MSG> .....NEXT LINE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP> if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
000045 BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
000046 accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from
000047 put detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
000048 obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
000049 if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050 do.
000051 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052 add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053 end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057 display text '** Caught a LOOP **'.
000058
000059 display text '** Select an Employee **'.
000060
000061 !
000062 define GETJOB.
000063 ! =====
000064

```

We've caught a problem – let's look at the data !

Scenario 2: “bad data”

2) Run the application – examine the data

```

GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 11:41 04/10/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0009
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A HUMPHREY
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A BEAR
02 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....A DA BEAR'S DEN
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....A CHANNEL 9
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....A SA
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....A 5000
03 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....A
02 EMP-PHONE-0415.....N 8970748950
02 STATUS-0415.....A 02
02 SS-NUMBER-0415.....N 027478945
02 START-DATE-0415.....
03 START-YEAR-0415.....N* 0000
03 START-MONTH-0415.....N* 0000
03 START-DAY-0415.....N* 0000

```

“Autohex” shows “bad data” in hex – here we see LOW-VALUES in a PIC 99 DISPLAY field !

Scenario 2: “bad data”
2) Run the application – alter data “on the fly”

```

GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 11:55 04/10/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100                                DICT: EDUDICT
                                                    LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0009
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A HUMPHREY
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A BEAR
02 .....G
03 .....A DA BEAR'S DEN
03 .....A CHANNEL 9
03 .....A SA
03 EMP-ZIP-0415.....G
04 EMP-ZIP-FIRST-FIVE-0415.....A 5000
04 EMP-ZIP-LAST-FOUR-0415.....A
02 EMP-PHONE-0415.....N 8970748950
02 STATUS-0415.....A 02
02 SS-NUMBER-0415.....N 027478945
02 START-DATE-0415.....G
03 START-YEAR-0415.....N* FOFO
03 START-MONTH-0415.....N* FOFO
03 START-DAY-0415.....N* FOFO
    
```

Type in valid values for the data type – then – “GO”

Scenario 2: “bad data”
2) Run the application – our “fix” worked

```

INQDEPT          Department Inquiry          10/04/01
                  "Buggy" Version          HRID99M

Sel   Emp ID   Employee Name   Job Title
-----
-    0120    MICHAEL ANGELO    ILLUSTRATOR
-    0007    MONTE BANK      MGR PUBLIC RELATIONS
-    0009    HUMPHREY BEAR
-    0119    CHARLES BOWER    PHOTOGRAPHER
-    0568    ROGER CLINTON
-    0083    MICHAEL FITZPATRICK
-    0158    JOCK JACKSON     SPORTS CONSULTANT
-    0080    DAVID LONERGAN
-    0082    SUE LONERGAN
-    0127    CAROL MCDOUGALL
-    7778    PHILO NGUYEN
-    0149    LAURA PENMAN
-    8894    MOM THANG
-    0071    WARREN WIDGET
-    0476    BETSY ZEDI
-----
NEXT RESPONSE:  INQDEPT   SEND DATA
** Select an Employee **

PRESS PF13 FOR HELP SCREEN
    
```

- success – we didn't get a “DATA EXCEPTION” !
Humphrey had a problem which we fixed “on the fly” - and we got thru the rest OK !

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New “Debug” Screen on ABORTs

The original “debug” screen was produced at run-time by ADSODBUG:

- It showed the line of code and the line before and after
- No opportunities to determine the cause of the ABORT

The new “Debug” screen is produced by CA ADS Alive:

- Shows the line of code in “full screen”
- Limited “animated” capabilities
- Ability to look at current data values

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CA ADS - ABORTS – what you get:
WithOut Symbol Tables

```
DC175020 APPLICATION ABORTED. PGM CHECK (DATA EXCEPTION)
V1 Release 14.1 >>> JIS Development CV <<< Enter new task:
```

- even the information in the log doesn't tell you a great deal !

With neither diagnostics nor symbol tables enabled you don't get much to go on -

```
FROM          ON          TO          ON          COL PRT SKIP  LOG TYPES  ROLL STATUS
09:00:00 2001-04-10 10:58:39 2001-04-10 001 OFF 0021 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 040

10:32 IDMS DC175020 V1 APPLICATION ABORTED. PGM CHECK (DATA EXCEPTION)
10:32 *** NO TASK SNAP FORMATTING. TASK SNAP STATUS IS OFF (DISABLED). ***
10:32 IDMS DC466014 V1 Abort occurred in dialog HRID00D process HRID00-PM ve
10:32 IDMS DC466015 V1 At offset 724 source sequence number 00000000
10:32 IDMS DC466025 V1 Source sequence number not available
```

CA ADS - ABORTS – what you get:
WITH Diagnostic Tables only – or with Symbol Tables

```
USG0003E PROCESSING INTERRUPTED BY USER REQUEST          COLUMNS 001 079
COMMAND ==> record employee_                            SCROLL ==> PAGE
DC175020 APPLICATION ABORTED. PGM CHECK (DATA EXCEPTION)
  if START-YEAR-0415 LT 50
    BRIGHTEN FIELD AGR-PASSED-TWO.
  accept DB-KEY into WK-EMPL-DBKEY from . currency.
  pu detail key WK-EMPL-DBKEY.
  obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE within DEPT-
  if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
  do
    printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
    to WK-COUNTER.
  end
end.
if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
```

AND – you get to take a look at the data that caused it !

Even without explicitly “animating” the dialog - you still get to see which line of code caused the problem !

CA ADS - ABORTs – what you get:
Ability to look at the data

```
GSI A01.00 ----- RECORD/ELEMENT REVIEW ----- CA-IDMS DC 12:29 04/10/01
COMMAND ==> _ GSIRECCO

RECORD: EMPLOYEE V 100 DICT: EDUDICT
LINE 0001 OF 0027

02 EMP-ID-0415.....N 0009
02 EMP-NAME-0415.....G
03 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415.....A HUMPHREY
03 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415.....A BEAR
02 EMP-ADDRESS-0415.....G
03 EMP-STREET-0415.....A DEPT. HEADQUARTERS DEN
03 EMP-CITY-0415.....A COLUMBUS 9
03 EMP-STATE-0415.....A
03 EMP-ZIP-0415.....G
04 EMP-ZIP-FIRST-FIVE-0415.....A
04 EMP-ZIP-LAST-FOUR-0415.....A
03 START-DATE-0415.....N* 0000
```

You can at least see which record has caused the problem – but there's not much else you can do except to <pf3> to the previous screen and exit from there !

CA ADS - ABORTs – what you get:
Ability to look at the data

```
USG0060I RECORD EMPLOYEE VERSION 0100 REVIEWED COLUMNS 001 072
COMMAND ==> =x_ SCROLL ==> PAGE
==MSG> .....NEXT PAGE TO EXECUTE FOLLOWS.....
=STOP> if START-YEAR-0415 = 1970
000045 BRIGHTEN FIELD
000046 accept DB-KEY int
000047 put detail key WK-COUNTER
000048 obtain NEXT EMPLOYEE
000049 if DEPT-ID-0410 = 3100
000050 do.
000051 write printer from EMPLOYEE class 61 .
000052 add 1 to WK-COUNTER.
000053 end.
000054 end.
000055
000056 if DEPT-ID-0410 eq 3100 AND WK-COUNTER > 12
000057 display text '*** Caught a LOOP ***'.
```

Having looked at the problem record – use either =x or =q or <pf3> to exit “animation” – the next thing you will see is -

- this !

```
USG0055I USER REQUESTED "QUIT" FROM ANIMATION
V1 Release 14.1 >>> JIS Development CV <<< Enter next task:
```

This “handy tip” from a developer

Having hit a break point and having initiated “Step processing” – you will remain in “step process” mode until the dialog completes -

to disable “step processing” before reaching completion and then run the dialog through to completion all you need to do is create a breakpoint (before or after the current execution point)!



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CA ADS Trace: Overview - What is it?

- The CA ADS trace facility is a debugging aid used to trace the flow of control and commands executed in a CA ADS application at runtime.
- The CA ADS trace facility writes trace records to the DC/UCF system log as DEBUG records. Trace records can be viewed by using online PLOG or the batch print-log utility (PRINT LOG). Use the MESSAGES parameter to print the CA ADS trace records (default).
- Note: The PRINT LOG TRACES parameter will not print the CA ADS trace records.

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CA ADS Trace: Overview – When would I use it?

- Any time you need the “big picture”
 - There is no ABORT – but the results are wrong
 - There is an ABORT but you don’t know what path took you there
- Trace let’s you “drill down” to the problem
- When you’re trying to determine if you’re successfully extending run units:
 - Performance problems
 - Problems with “partial transactions”

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CA ADS Trace:

Looking at the trace Output 1 of 3

- Use the “online print log” facility – invoked with the OLP task code
- When invoking OLP you can specify date/time limits:
 - Enter next task code: OLP FROM 1235
- When invoking OLP you can specify that only a particular session should be displayed:
 - Enter next task code: OLP LTE ‘VTAM03’
- Of course you can always combine commands:
 - Enter next task: OLP LTE ‘VTAM03’ from 1359
 - Enter next task: OLP from 0741 roll 31

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CA ADS Trace:

Looking at the trace Output 2 of 3

- How do I know which terminal session I want to display?
- For another user at e-n-t type: DCUF SHO U ALL

```

SHO U ALL
*USER ID          PRI  *LTERMID
CDVMJD            000  **NONE**
CDVXP             000  **NONE**
CDVTAA            000  **NONE**
IDMSSTC           000  LD000002
JDAGPC            000  VTAM09
JDAPAE            000  VTAM02
JDVRK             000  VTAM14

```

- For yourself at e-n-t type: DCMT D LTE *

```

D LTE *
Logical Term ID VTAM09
Logical Term Type Interactive
Autotask Code
Break/Nobreak BREAK
Physical Term ID VTAM09
Physical Line ID VTAM1

```

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CA ADS Trace:

Why do I sometimes get different output?

- 2 variables control what output you get:
 - TRACE=ALL/CTL
 - DIAGNOSTIC/SYMBOL Table options
- Your “base” information is dialog “entry” information and all explicit/implicit **DML** verbs

Trace	No Tables	Diagnostic	Symbol Tables
=CTL	base	base	base + more “entry” info - easier to follow
=ALL	base	base	Every command

- In the following examples we will show you what to expect for each of the three variations of output

CA ADS Trace:

TRACE=ALL + No Tables 1 of 2

```

FROM          ON          T          LOG TYPES  ROLL STATUS
16:12:00 2001-04-11 16:12:00 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 031

. ADSO@ML$ ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND SUBSCHEMA-->EMPSS01 DBN-->EMPDEMO .
. AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->EMP-DEMO-REGION
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB. 00000000 ENTRY...
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPOSITION
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->JOB
CIES RES AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D9C02 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD IN SET. REC-->EMPOSITION SET-->
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET . SET-->JOB-EMPOSITION
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->DEPARTMENT
    
```

“Menu” dialog entry

“buggy” dialog entry

LINKed to dialog entry

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=ALL + No Tables 2 of 2

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FROM      ON      TO      ON      C
16:10:00 2001-04-11 16:54:36 2001-04-11 0
-
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 ACCEPT CURRENT OF RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN NEXT IN SET . REC-->EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . 00000000 JOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MA
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MA
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . >EMPOSITION
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . C-->JOB
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D7A02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET . REC-->EMPOSITION SET-
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET . SET-->JOB-EMPOSITION
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->DEPARTMENT
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 ACCEPT CURRENT OF RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
030D8301 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN NEXT IN SET . REC-->EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . SETJOB
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN

```

Implicit DML verbs - BINDS + other Housekeeping

Explicit DML verbs

With DB Keys !

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=ALL + Symbol Tables 1 of 4

```

FROM      ON      TO      ON      COL PRT SKIP LOG TYPES ROLL STATUS
16:54:00 2001-04-11 16:54:36 2001-04-11 032 OFF 0021 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 031
-
. ADSO@ML$ ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00000400 MOVE . 0005C4
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00000500 IF . 000600
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00001200 IF . 00067C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00001900 MOVE . 000718
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002000 MOVE . 000754
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002100 OBTAIN . 000790
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND SUBSCHEMA-->EMPSS01 DBN-->EMPDEMO
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->EMP-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->INS-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->ORG-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->DEPARTMENT
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
DCLOG IS 50% FULL
03153E01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN CALC . REC-->DEPARTMENT
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002300 IF . 0007A0
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002700 OBTAIN . 0007F4
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->EMPLOYEE SET-->
70. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002800 IF . 000808

```

Even MOVES and IFs !

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=ALL + Symbol Tables 2 of 4

Here's the LINKed to dialog again !

```

COL PRT SKIP LOG TYPES ROLL STATUS
032 OFF 0021 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 031

. **MAIN** 00003200 WHILE . 00085C
. **MAIN** 00003500 CALL . 0008D0
. GETJOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
. GETJOB . 00005900 LINK . 000BA0
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D9C02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->EMPLOYEE POSITION SET-
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000500 I . 0003A8
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001000 OBTAIN . 00040C
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET . SET-->JOB-POSITION
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001200 RETURN . 00041C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00006100 GOBACK . 000BB0
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003600 IF . 0008E8
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003800 IF . 000954
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004000 ACCEPT . 0009C0
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->DEPARTMENT
    
```

Here's the LINKed to dialog RETURNING up a level !

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=ALL + Symbol Tables 3 of 4

```

FROM ON TO ON COL PRT SKIP LOG TYPES ROLL STATUS
16:54:00 2001-04-11 16:54:36 2001-04-11 032 OFF 0021 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 031

03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 ACCEPT CURRENT OF RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004100 PUT DET. 000A04
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004200 COMMIT 000310
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN NEXT I
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004600 BRANCH . 000AE8
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003200 WHILE . 00085C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003500 CALL . 0008D0
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00005900 LINK . 000BA0
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000400 OBTAIN . 000394
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE POSITION
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
    
```

Currency RESTORE on the 1st DML after the RETURN !

Currency SAVE on the LINK !

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=ALL + Symbol Tables 4 of 4

```

FROM      ON      TO      ON      COL
16:54:00 2001-04-11 16:54:36 2001-04-11 032
-
030D7A02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECO
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET SET-->JOB-EMPOSITION
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001200 RETURN . 00041C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00006100 GOBACK . 000BB0
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003600 IF . 0008E8
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003800 IF . 000954
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004000 ACCEPT . 0009C0
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND BIND . REC-->DEPARTMENT
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND BIND . REC-->EMPLOYEE
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED LOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND BIND . REC-->EMPLOYEE
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004100 PUT DET. 000A04
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004200 OBTAIN . 000A18
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004300 IF . 000A2C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004500 WRT PRT. 000A70
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004600 ADD . 000A94
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004600 BRANCH . 000AE8
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00003200 WHILE . 00085C

```

Any event in a sub-routine has the routine name shown here !

****MAIN**** is any event not in a sub-routine !

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=CTL + Symbol Tables 1 of 3

```

FROM      ON      TO      ON      COL PRT SKIP LOG TYPES ROLL STATUS
17:01:00 2001-04-11 17:01:22 2001-04-11 032 OFF 0000 (WT/TR/DU/ ) 031
-
. HRID00D. ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002100 OBTAIN . 000790
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND SUBSCHEMA-->EMPSS01 DBN-->EMPDEMO
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->EMP-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->INS-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->ORG-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->DEPARTMENT
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPLOYEE
03153E01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN CALC . REC-->DEPARTMENT
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00002700 OBTAIN . 0007F4
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00005900 LINK . 000BA0
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000400 OBTAIN . 000394
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPOSITION
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->JOB
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000

```

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=CTL + Symbol Tables 2 of 3

```

FROM      ON      TO      ON
17:01:00 2001-04-11 17:01:22 2001-
-
030D9C02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001000 OBTAIN . 00040C
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001200 RETURN . 00041C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004000 ACCEPT . 0009C0
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 ACCEPT CURRENT OF RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004200 OBTAIN . 000A18
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN NEXT IN SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00005900 LINK . 000BA0
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000400 OBTAIN . 000394
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D7A02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->

```

LINKs and RETURNs are “control” commands (type=CTL)!

CA ADS Trace:
TRACE=CTL + Symbol Tables 3 of 3

```

FROM      ON      TO      ON
17:01:00 2001-04-11 17:01:22 2001-
-
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001200 RETURN . 00041C
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004000 ACCEPT . 0009C0
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
03151D07 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
CIES RESTORED AND RELEASED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
03151D07 STATUS=0000 ACCEPT CURRENT OF RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . **MAIN** 00004200 OBTAIN . 000A18
030D8301 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN NEXT IN SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID00D. HRID00-PM . GETJOB . 00005900 LINK . 000BA0
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00000400 OBTAIN . 000394
030D8301 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
030D8301 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D8304 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET. REC-->JOB-EMPLOYEE SET-->
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN** 00001000 OBTAIN . 00040C

```

An extended run unit to the lower level is continued at the higher -

- what it looked like when the RU was extended from higher level to lower level – no BIND RU -

- once again an extended run unit to the lower level is continued at the higher level – and so on!

CA ADS Trace: Limiting TRACE to Specific Processes

- Specifying TRACE when initiating CA ADS results in tracing the execution of all dialogs in the application

```

IDB 14.1 ONLINE          PAGE 3 LINE 13 DICT=EDUDICT      59/74
!
define GETJOB.
!      =====
trace ALL .
link 'HRID101D'.
trace OFF .
goback.
|*****|

```

- You use **TRACE (ALL / CTL)** and **TRACE OFF** in process logic to limit the trace output

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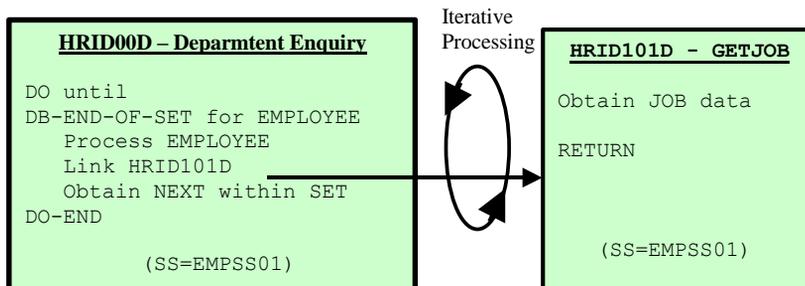
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CA ADS Trace:
Scenario 1: Extended Run Unit 1 of 2



CA ADS Trace:
Scenario 1: Extended Run Unit 2 of 2

```

FROM          ON          TO          ON          COL PRT SKIP
10:46:00 2001-04-12 10:49:49 2001-04-12 032 OFF 002
-
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D9C02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D7A02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN FIRST RECORD IN SET
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN OWNER OF SET
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN
. HRID101D HRID101-PM . **MAIN
030D8301 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
030D8301 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD
    
```

Currencies saved on LINK

... restored on RETURN ...

.... SAVED on LINK

... restored on RETURN

... saved on LINK

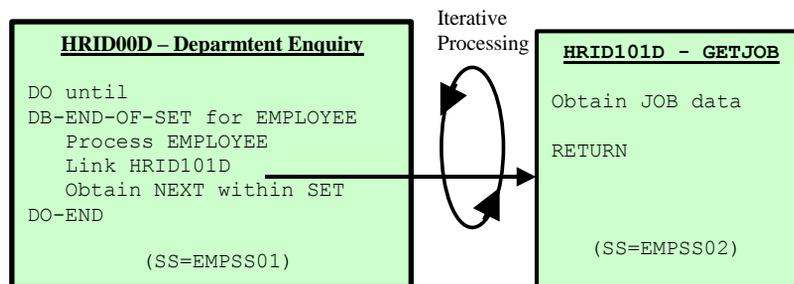
...

etc.

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CA ADS Trace: Scenario 2: NO Extended Run Unit 1 of 2



CA ADS Trace:
Scenario 2: NO Extended Run Unit 2 of 2

```

FROM      ON      TO
10:57:00 2001-04-12 10:57:44
-
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY *****
030D9C01 STATUS=0000 FINISH
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND SUBSCHEMA--
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->EMP-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->INS-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY AREA RETRIEVAL . AREA->ORG-DEMO-REGION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->EMPOSITION
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND RECORD . REC-->JOB
CIES RESTORED AND KEPT FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
030D9C02 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN RIDCP RECORD IN GET REC->EMPOSITION GET
03151D07 STATUS=0000 OBTAIN
03151D07 STATUS=0000 FINISH
CIES SAVED FOR DIALOG HRID00D AT LINK LEVEL 00000000
. HRID101D ***** DIALOG-ENTRY ***** **MAIN** 00000000 ENTRY...
030D7A01 STATUS=0000 FINISH
. HRID101D HRID101-PM
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 BIND
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY
0000FF08 STATUS=0000 READY
    
```

FINISH on entry to LINKed to dialog -

- then we BIND a RU for DML verbs at the lower level !

We FINISH the RU on RETURN -

- but - BIND again for the next DML verbs at the higher level !

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Session Summary

- **CA ADS Alive** is a very powerful tool for debugging CA ADS Dialogs
 - Generate with symbol tables
 - “Animate” the dialog – establish breakpoints
 - Run the application
- **CA ADS Trace** can be extremely useful when trying to see “the big picture”
- You need to know how to use **OLP** to view the output from CA ADS Trace - and from SNAP statements that are hard coded in your dialogs



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