

Datasheet Fujitsu BS2000 UDS/SQL V2.8 software

Universal Database System

UDS/SQL is a mature, general-purpose, high-performance database system, providing a basis for implementing cost-effective solutions for the most diverse requirements facing modern IT systems. The particular strengths of UDS/SQL are its excellent performance features and a wealth of tuning options. The multitasking/multithreading architecture and advanced buffer (cache) techniques make very fast response times possible even with exceptionally heavy throughput requirements. The multi-DB concept enables an application program to access several databases concurrently.

With more than 32,000 record types per database and more than 2 billion records per record type, data resources of virtually unlimited size can be managed.

UDS/SQL is available for all BS2000 business servers, and it can be used as a data server in heterogeneous system environments (e.g. with Solaris, Linux and Windows).

Database creation, data management and data backup are supported and simplified by powerful utility routines.

UDS/SQL is integrated in the Fujitsu Technology Solutions online transaction processing (OLTP) system strategy and in the product portfolio for meeting current and future demands on IT system environments, e.g.:

- Support during application software development
- Client/server architectures for OLTP operation
- Availability of (existing) centrally stored data at the end-user's PC workstation
- Use of existing data resources for data warehousing concepts
- Provision of existing data resources on the World Wide Web (WWW)



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Functional Description

UDS/SQL features a rich set of functions and utilities, enabling the user to simplify and optimize operation and use of the database.

Logical data structure

The data to be stored is described in a special definition language, the Data Description Language (DDL), e.g.:

- Database realms
- Record types and data fields
- Set relationships
- Access keys and access paths

The result of this logical data description is called the "schema". By describing subareas of the database it is possible to define user views (subschemas) for individual applications.

UDS/SQL ensures the consistency of the subschemas used by the DBH and in the application program. This means that key data protection requirements can be realized through the system concept per se. **Physical data structure**

Physical data structure

Based on the schema definition, UDS/SQL automatically determines the internal physical storage organization. This can be optimized with the aid of the Storage Structure Language (SSL), e.g. to divide the data areas

- according to access frequency or
- according to relationship (clustering).

This results in optimized performance and increased throughput, particularly in extremely time-critical interactive applications. Changes to the physical storage structure have no effect on the application programs.

Data manipulation

The following interfaces are available for submitting queries and making modifications to UDS/SQL databases:

- The COBOL-DML (Data Manipulation Language) enables statements to be integrated into COBOL programs. COBOL-DML statements form part of the COBOL85 and COBOL2000 compiler (no precompi-lation necessary).
- A CALL interface allowing dynamic data manipulation is available for COBOL and other programming languages (Assembler, FORTRAN, PASCAL, PL1).
- On top of that, UDS/SQL features an SQL interface that can be used by the 4th-generation language DRIVE as well as via the ODBC interface.
- The product ODBC Rocket from gfs, Hamburg, supports the ODBC interface for remote data access to UDS/SQL from a client system. With this product, the UDS/SQL user can access UDS/SQL data with SQL commands from his or her Windows PC and process this data on the PC with any ODBC tool.

Database operation and dynamic administration

All tasks, such as creating the database, loading mass data, data backup, checking and maintaining the data resources, are supported by powerful utilities and auxiliary procedures. This makes UDS/SQL an efficient and user-friendly system.

SQL and COBOL-DML statements can be used together in an application. The coexistence of the interfaces is an important feature of UDS/SQL.

The XS capability of database handler (DBH), applications and utilities enables large volumes of data to be held in main memory, reduces the number of input/output operations and consequently increases throughput.

The Database Administration Language (DAL) enables the administrator to intervene in the online operation of UDS/SQL. DAL commands can be passed to the database handler from any terminals in the network. This allows swift and dynamic responses to be made to DBH messages.

The UDS/SQL monitor provides statistics on throughput, resource utilization etc., as well as detailed information on individual DMLs or transactions. These values can be analyzed to fine-tune the database according to the load requirements.

In batch mode, the tight link between DBH and application program provides a further increase in throughput.

Recovery concepts and data backup

The UDS/SQL backup and recovery concept consists of the following components:

- Transaction security (rollback mechanism and restart following a system crash).
- Resource protection (use of a variety of recovery methods for system-aided data recovery following database errors).
- Access security (protection against unauthorized access based on the schema/subschema concept, as well as through assignment and revocation of access rights. Secure authentication and secure communication between application program and UDS/SQL in transaction mode with openUTM).

Global Storage - offering access times up to 2000 times faster than conventional magnetic disks - can be used for transaction logging. The recovery mechanism permits the use of ARCHIVE for the backup service. This means that there is also support for functions such as streaming mode for magnetic tape cartridges.

Availability

Mirroring of data resources is possible using hardware functionality or Dual Recording by Volume (DRV). Any equalization necessary for DRV is performed very quickly by UDS/SQL. If one magnetic disk becomes defective, the data on the other disk can be accessed immediately, with no interruption.

With UDS/SQL, the Symmetrix TimeFinder function can also be used. The system can switch from winter to summer time, and vice versa, without interrupting ongoing operation (UFZ - interrupt-free time change). Local time (LT) is displayed in outputs or messages, while internally the strictly monoto-nously ascending UTC (Universal Time Coordinated) is used.

Value ranges

- 222 databases per configuration
- Page lengths of 2048/4000/8096 bytes
- Record lengths of 2020/3968/8064 bytes
- 32,767 set relationships per database
- 32,767 record types per database 1)
- 2,147,483,647 records per record type1)
- Realm length 64 GB (for page length 4Kb), resp. 128 GB (for page length 8Kb)
- 1) with page lengths of 4000/8096 bytes

Technical details



Technical Requirements	
Hardware	BS2000 Business Server
Software	BS2000/OSD-BC V8.0 or higher or OSD/XC V4.0 or higher
	ARCHIVE V8.0 or higher or HSMS V8.0 or higher
	CRTE V2.8 or higher
	SORT V7.9 or higher
	ONETSERV V3.3 or higher
Software products extending the functionality	UDS-D V2.8 only (own configuration)
	UDS-D V2.5 or higher (foreign configuration)
	UDS-IQS V4.0 or higher
	ODBC-Rocket V3.7 or higher (ODBC-Rocket is a product by gfs)
	JV V15.0 or higher
	LMS V3.3 or higher
	SDF-P V2.5 or higher
	COBOL85 V2.3 or higher
	COBOL2000 V1.4B (current FIND/FETCH1 or NEXT/PRIOR feature V1.5 or higher)
	DRIVE/WINDOWS V2.1B40 only
	openUTM V5.3 or higher (Display of AAID by the Monitor requires openUTM
	V5.3A30 or higher)
	openSM2 V8.0 or higher
Operating mode	Interactive and batch mode
Implementation language	SPL4 Assembler
Installation	By the user in accordance with the release notice
Documentation	UDS/SQL Design and Definition
	UDS/SQL Creation and Restructuring
	UDS/SQL Database Operation
	UDS/SQL Recovery, Information and Reorganization
	UDS/SQL Applications Programming
	UDS/SQL Messages
	UDS/SQL Ready reference
Conditions	This software product can be leased by the customer in accordance with the
	conditions for the use of software products.
Ordering and delivery	This software product can be obtained from your local Fujitsu Technology

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