

# Enhanced DB2 monitoring with new OMEGAMON V5.1



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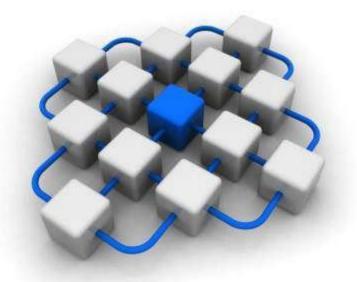
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# Application Performance Management a key component of Business Service Management

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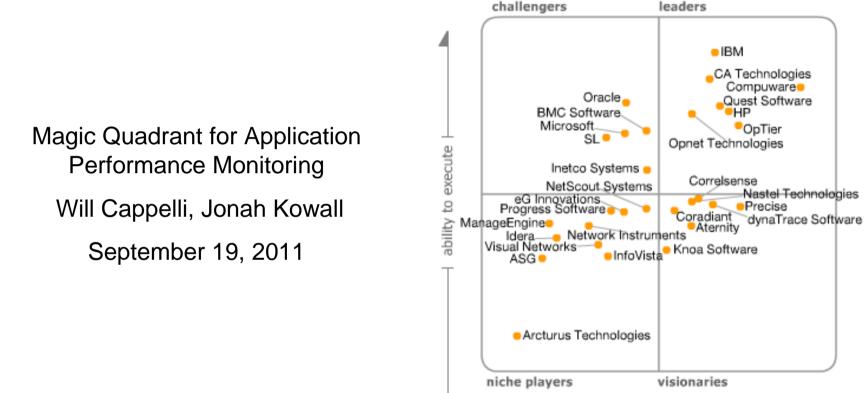
Application performance management (APM) refers to discipline within service management focused on monitoring and managing of performance and service availability.

- End-user experience monitoring
- Application and Services sub-system monitoring
- Application runtime architecture discovery, modeling and display
- User-defined transaction profiling
- Application performance analytics



### IBM Monitoring solution includes ITM, ITCAM and OMEGAMON

# Gartner has recognized IBM as a leader in Application Performance Monitoring



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# Business Leaders are looking at IT to drive business agility across their Enterprise with



## OMEGAMON working with IT to drive improved visibility

IBM announcing customer-driven, redesigned, simplified OMEGAMON Version 5.1 product family

Visibility with modernized and strengthened OMEGAMON product line for reduced resource usage and faster problem resolution

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#### Increased System Availability with faster problem resolution

- Enhanced 3270 user interface for SMEs
- Built-in Problem Solving Scenarios

#### Improved Productivity with simplified data

- Faster Install/Configuration/Maintenance
- zEnterprise monitoring across z196/114 and zBX

#### Reduced Costs with decreased resource usage

- Usage of zIIP specialty servers
- Simplified OMEGAMON architecture



Enhanced 3270 user interface creates Enterprise wide view of information for improved availability

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- Understand transactions across multiple sysplexs
- Color coding to provide ability to find and resolve problems quickly
- Eliminates need to move between multiple screens and monitors

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### "GUI on a green screen"

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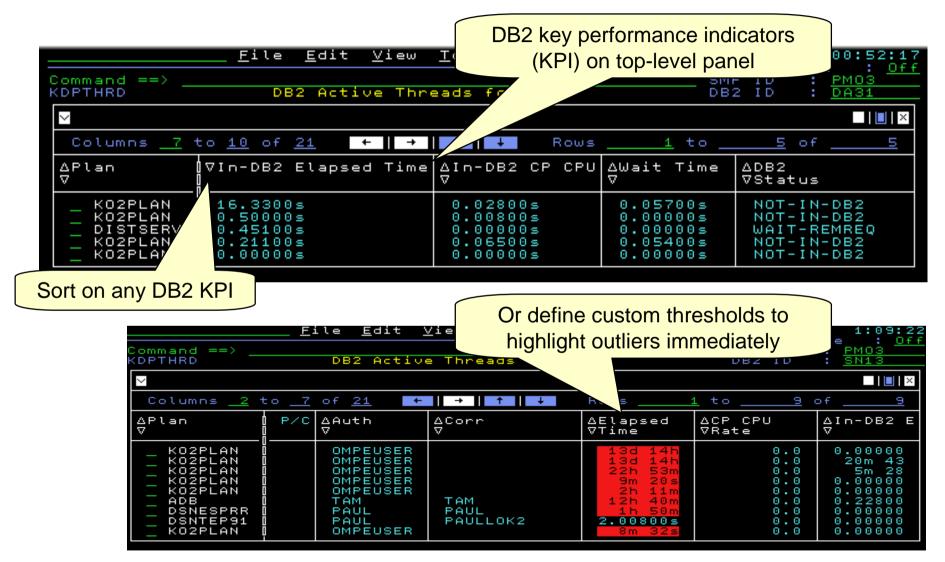
- Response time / elapsed time is poor
  - 1. Long-running batch/online/distributed applications
    - Slow/hung application "now" or
    - Except for distributed, problem solving approaches are generally similar
    - Locking / Lock conflicts can cause trouble
    - Deadlocks, timeouts, ABENDs, rollbacks
  - 2. CPU problems
    - DB2 address spaces as noticed by z/OS SYSPROG
    - Daily application performance review
  - 3. Storage problems DBM1/DIST address space messages
- The first objective is to determine if it's DB2 itself.
- Then, see if it's in areas related to DB2, e.g. application programming
- When it's none of the above, THEN engage the appropriate system personnel



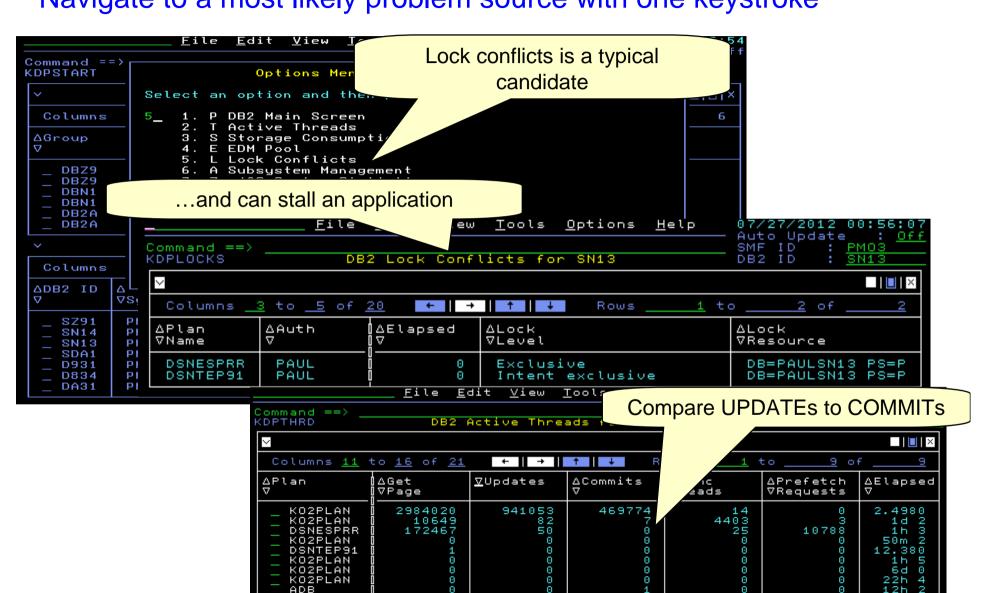
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## Quickly get to the root of troublesome DB2 threads



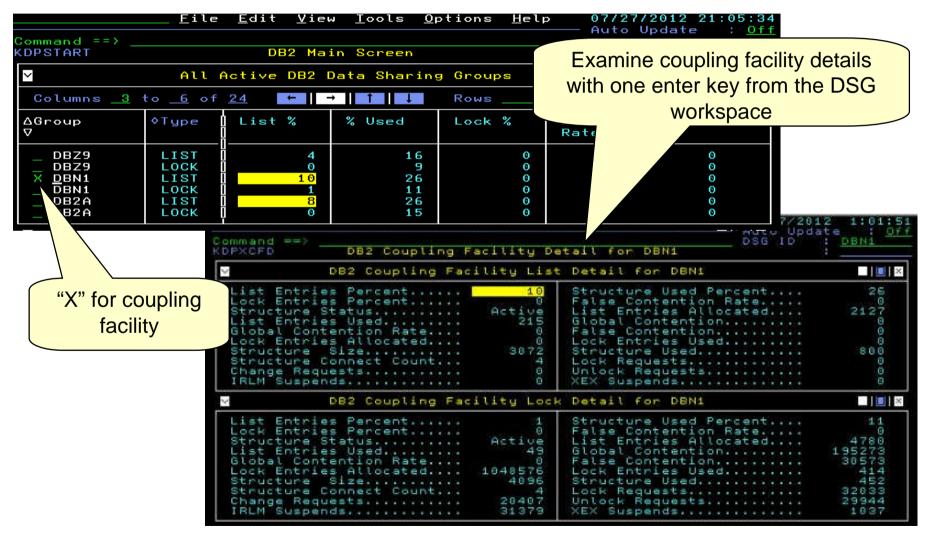
Navigate to a most likely problem source with one keystroke



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## Resource availability problems can cause thrashing



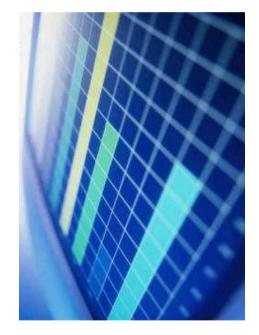
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Gain new insight into DB application performance with <u>OMEGAMON for DB2</u> Performance Expert and Monitor

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In addition to the OMEGAMON V5.1 family capability:

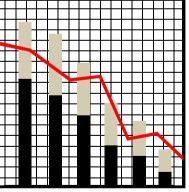
- Quickly and concisely identify primary contributor to poor distributed application response time with Extended Insight
  - Single web-UI display with response time metrics
  - Reduce time chasing down problems that turn out to not be DB2
- Visibility into IBM DB2 Analytics Accelerator (IDAA) delivering query results for 'Train of Thought' analysis
  - Maximize your organization's ROI from appliances
- zIIP Enablement of Near Term History along with <u>core</u> performance improvements for reduced MIPS
- Immediate and complete support for the latest DB2 enhancements





# What is Extended Insight?

- Customer pain → Response time is poor
  - You provide distributed customer "self-service" tools that reduce costs to the business plus bring your business closer to your customer
  - Web technology provides a portal to sensitive personal and corporate data
    - SO IT BETTER WORK and WORK WELL!
  - Layering technology provides compartmentalization and portability
    - BUT WHEN THERE ARE PROBLEMS, THAT COMPLICATES THE "WHO DUNNIT" INVESTIGATION



# Summon the DBAs!

Is the first reaction finger pointing – and always to DB2 as the source of the problem?

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- How do you identify problems outside of DB2 for z/OS?
- How do you communicate / collaborate with the network team, the WAS guys, application server administrators, application development?
  - Parlez-vous DB2 z/OS?
  - No, hablamos Linux!
  - "What did they say?"







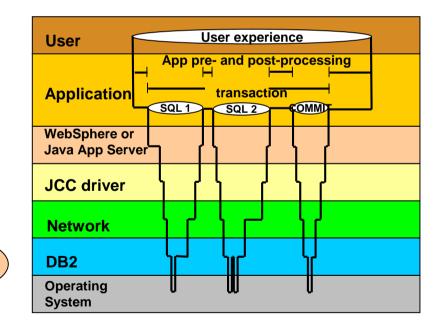




# Where is my DB2 application spending its time?

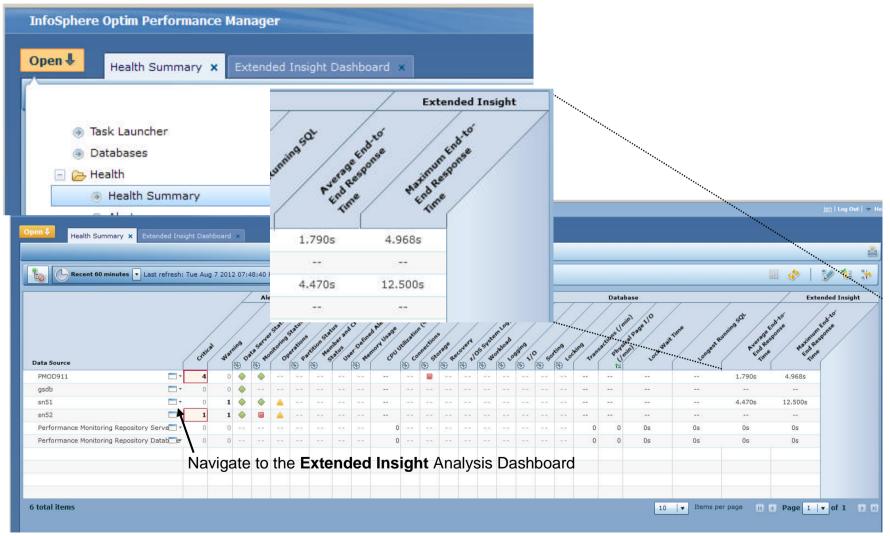
- OMEGAMON XE for DB2 PE's <u>Extended Insight</u> is an advanced way to monitor the database workload (SQL) of your applications and solutions
   – Get total response times and response time breakdown (appl, driver, network, data server) per defined workload/cluster (e.g. per system, application, user)
  - Compare workload from various servers / applications
  - Select a time period for analysis
  - Get top SQL statements per defined workload
  - Identify top clients contributing in the workload

( Extended Insight is included with
\_the Performance Expert Offering





# Health Summary and navigation to SQL response-time analysis





## **Extended Insight Analysis Dashboard**

Dynamically change the time period and duration for analysis

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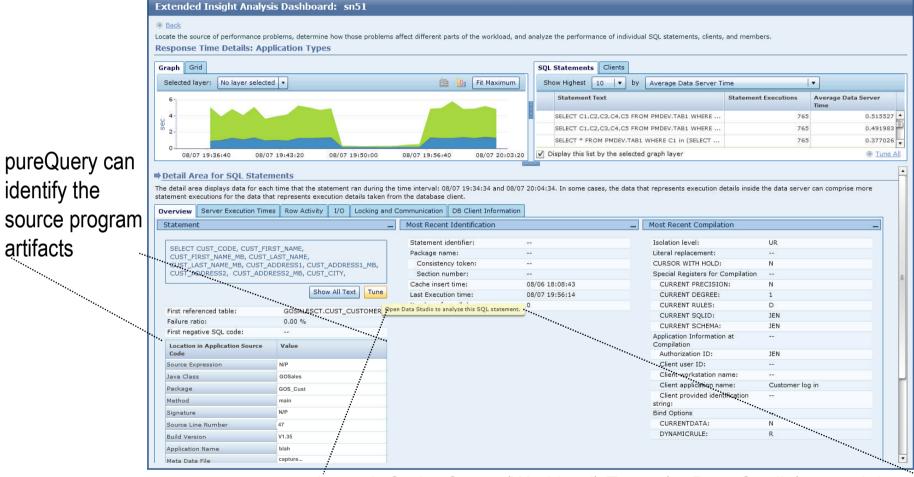
Workload Clusters represent client applications (pre-defined or custom)

Open Details to get to the root of the problem

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... like the "top SQL" statements executed by distributed Java or CLI applications like SQW, SAP, Cognos, DataStage, or WebSphere

## Optim Query Workload Tuner and IBM pureQuery speed up PSI (problem source identification)



Launch Optim Query (Workload) Tuner (or Data Studio) to explain and <u>Tune</u> the selected SQL statement

**Extended Insight Feature Summary** 

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- An advanced way to monitor the DB2 for z/OS database workload (SQL) of your distributed applications and solutions
  - Get response times and time breakdown (appl, driver, network, data server) per defined workload/cluster, e.g. per system, per application, per user
  - Easily understood user interface using generic application terminology



## If it's not DB2, you're done!

## If it is DB2....

- Get top SQL statements per defined workload
- Identify top clients contributing in the workload
- Optionally, launch and integrate with:
  - Optim Query Workload Tuner
  - IBM pureQuery
  - ITCAM for WebSphere applications accessing DB2 via JDBC



# **IBM DB2 Analytics Accelerator**

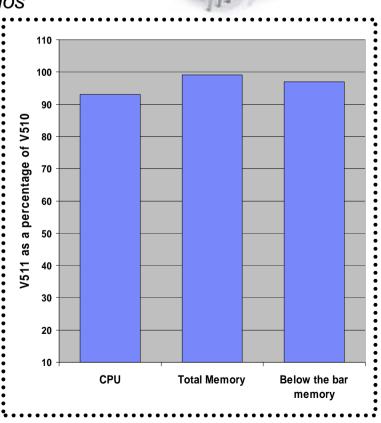
### Capitalizing on the best of both worlds – System z and Netezza

- IDAA reporting supported via OMEGAMON New Function PTF (APAR PM49684)
  - IDAA Accelerator usage statistics by DB2 subsystem
    - Am I getting efficient use of the appliance?
  - Application acceleration accounting metrics for accelerated SQL queries
    - What is the application impact of accelerated queries?



# OMEGAMON PE V511 performance reduces TCO

- V510 already delivered measurable improvements:
  - ✓ Measurable CPU savings across all user scenarios for online monitoring
  - Below the bar memory usage improvements
  - CPU improvements in batch reporting processing
- →V511 continues <u>core</u> performance improvements - aside from those realized with zIIP offload







## zIIP offload for Near-term history

Reduces main central processing cycles by redirecting near-term history processing to available zIIPs

- OMEGAMON PE's <u>Near-term history</u> component is indispensable in every DB2 z/OS application shop
  - ✓ Background task captures every completed DB2 z/OS application unit-of-work (UOW) and records them to VSAM for later retrieval and analysis
  - Ready when you need it to identify what was happening "then"



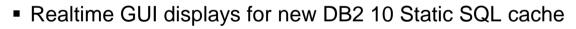
"Any idea what was going on with credit-card processing at about 10:45 this morning? I was hung for easily 3 or 4 minutes!" DB2 service stream enhancements

# Count on <u>complete</u> day one support for DB2 version and service stream enhancements

- Application Trace (ATF)
  - Displays new DB2 10 metrics for CLOSE CURSOR
- Batch Reporting
  - SQL Activity Trace shows new DB2 10 metrics for CLOSE CURSOR
  - Audit TRACE and REPORT supports new IFCID 271. Data relate to objects ROW PERMISSION and COLUMN MASK are shown

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- Record Trace shows additional DB2 10 post GA instrumentation
- Performance database (PDB)
  - Columns expanded to support large counters



- PDB and reporting support for new DB2 10 evicted SQL Statement Cache statements
- Extensions to DB2 real storage usage in reports and displays (IFCID 225)
- Report on SOS (Short-On-Storage) metrics in statistics
- Trace Dataset Open and Close activities in DB2 9 and 10





### **OMEGAMON DB2 V511 features and customer-driven requirements**

- o IBM DB2 Analytics Accelerator (IDAA)
- o Drill into DB2 stored procedures
- o Analyze application hostvars in ATF
- o Datasharing group support extended for DSNZPARMs
- Report min, max, and average DBAT queuing time in DB2 for z/OS
- o Add System ID to OMEGAMON DB2 AUDIT FILE record
- o Configuration parameter mapping documentation
- o Increased precision (< 1 sec) in NTH CPU filter
- See data sharing waiters/holders across the entire group and store in NTH
- o Now see object names (instead of hex resIDs) in OMPE displays – even x-LPAR!

# Analysts already agree that OMEGAMON V5 provides value to customers

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### Ptak / Noel

On OMEGAMON moving to simplified architecture and a common view across multiple domains, Rich Ptak of **PNA** commented, "*This is an important and much needed enhancement. We've heard consistently – there is a need for this kind of integration. Consistent interface – a couple of years ago, some people liked to be in a silo and just toss things over to someone else. But, they can't live that way anymore.*" PNA also gave IBM high marks for doing so without losing functionality.

http://ptaknoel.com/ibm-omegamon-v5-1-good-reasons-for-customer-interest-and-excitement/

**Clabby Analytics** 

On OMEGAMON Enhanced 3270 User Interface, Joe Clabby with **Clabby Analytics** commented: *What you've done to your 3270 interface is kind of a "wow"! I'm not a 3270 fan and I love what you've done with it"* 

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### Challenge

 A Finnish insurance institution wanted to ensure continued positive end-user performance results as they increased the number of applications accessing DB2 for z/OS from distributed platforms.

### Solution

 OMPE with Extended Insight provided them with the capabilities to track user response time that would built up in a distributed environment, keep the level of dynamic SQL as low as possible, and monitor SQL historically.

#### **Business Benefits**

 The customer learned where the WAS transaction time was consumed, how dynamic SQL can affect performance, and the value of reviewing historical data in a flexible interface. OMEGAMON Family announcement includes significant new capability across number of products

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- General Availability on 3/9/12
  - OMEGAMON XE on z/OS V5.1
  - OMEGAMON XE for CICS on z/OS V5.1
  - OMEGAMON Dashboard Edition V5.1
- General Availability on 6/15/12
  - OMEGAMON XE for DB2 PE V 5.1.1

#### Statement of Direction

- OMEGAMON XE for IMS V 5.1
- OMEGAMON XE for Storage V 5.1
- OMEGAMON XE for Messaging V 7.1
- OMEGAMON XE for Mainframe Networks V5.1
- OMEGAMON for z/OS Management Suite V5.1





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