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# Chapter 1. Overview

The sample configuration in Figure 1 consists of a CICS Universal Client for AIX Version 3.1 acting as a client gateway for TN3270 clients. The client gateway connects to CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 Version 1.3 through APPC provided by IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX Version 5.0 on the client gateway and VTAM on the CICS server.

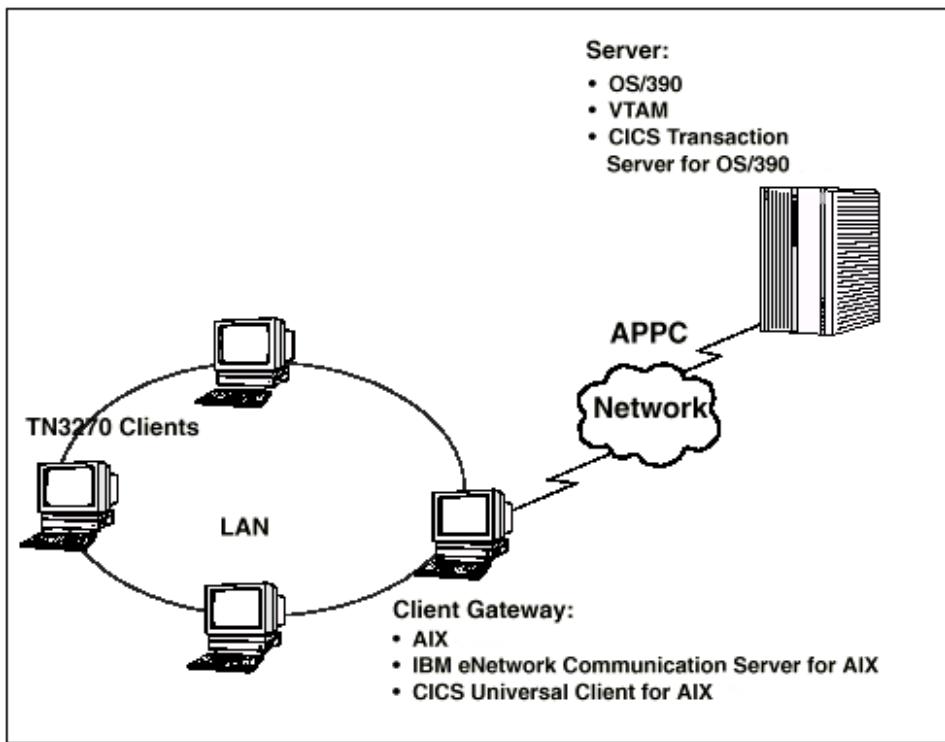


Figure 1. CICS Universal Client for AIX connected to TS Version 1.3 through APPC

In this document we cover the following topics:

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## **Chapter 2. Software checklist**

The levels of software we used in the sample configuration are not necessarily the latest levels available. Check the relevant products for levels of compatible software.

We used the following software on the CICS server:

- OS/390 Version 2.6
  - Includes VTAM Version 4.5
- CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 Version 1.3

We used the following software on the client gateway:

- AIX Version 4.3.0
- CICS Universal Client for AIX Version 3.1
- IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX Version 5.0
- Java Runtime Environment (JRE) Version 1.1.8 for AIX (necessary for running the configuration tool and other tools.)

We used the following software on the TN3270 clients:

- Windows NT Workstation Version 4.0, or AIX Version 4.3.0
- TN3270

## **Software checklist**

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## Chapter 3. Definitions checklist

Before you configure the products, we recommend that you acquire definitions for the parameters listed below. Reference keys, for example, **1** are assigned to definitions that must contain the same value in more than one product.

- VTAM
  - NETID **1**
  - PU **2**
  - LU **3**
  - XID **4**
  - Token Ring destination address **5**
  - APPL **6**
  - LogModeE **7**
- CICS Transaction Server for OS/390
  - ISC System Initialization Table (SIT) override
  - NetName **3**
  - APPLID **6**
  - DFHISC group
  - Modename in the LU6.2 sessions definition **7**
- CICS Universal Client for AIX Version 3.1
  - Local LU name **3**
  - Partner LU name **8**
  - Mode name **7**
- IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX Version 5.0
  - Node
    - Control Point Alias **2**
    - DLC
    - Port
    - Link Station
      - Adjacent node MAC address **5**
  - Independent LU Type 6.2
    - LU Alias
    - LU name **3**
  - LU 6.2 Partner LU

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- Alias
- Fully qualified LU name **1 . 6**
- LU 6.2 Mode
- Name **7**

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## Chapter 4. Matching definitions

In the sample configuration a number of definitions must match. Table 1 shows the definitions that must be the same. The Example column shows the values we used in our configuration (see “Chapter 5. Sample configuration” on page 9).

Table 1. Matching Definitions

Ref: Key	VTAM	CICS Transaction Server	IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX	Client configuration	Example
1	NETID	—	First part of fully qualified LU name in Partner LU	—	GBIBMIYA
2	PU	—	Control Point alias in Node Definition	—	SC02128
3	LU	Netname	LU Name/LU alias in independent LU Type 6.2	Local LU name	SC02128I
4	XID	—	Last five digits of Node identifier in Node Definition	—	05d02128
5	Token Ring destination address	—	Adjacent node MAC address in Link Station	—	400009ff07a1
6	APPL	APPLID	Second part of fully qualified LU name in Partner LU	—	IYCQCTS5
7	LogMode	Modename	Name in Mode	Mode name	LU62PS
8	—	—	—	Partner LU name	CICSTS13

## **Matching definitions**

# Chapter 5. Sample configuration

In this section we present examples of each of the definitions mentioned in “Chapter 3. Definitions checklist” on page 5. The values highlighted in the figures refer to the Example column of Table 1 on page 7.

## VTAM

In this section we present the VTAM definitions required for accessing the server across the network.

### NETID

Define the NETID **1** for your network node in the VTAM start command for your VTAM system. Figure 2 shows the NETID we used in our sample configuration.

```
:::  
NETID=GBIBMIYA, 1  
:::
```

Figure 2. VTAM: NETID definition

### PU, XID, and LU

Figure 3 shows the VTAM PU **2**, XID **4**, and LU **3** definitions for our Client gateway. These are the definitions for the Client gateway known to the VTAM system we used in the sample configuration. The XID consists of two parts. The block number, IDBLK, is the first three digits, and the node number, IDNUM, is the last five digits.

```
SC02128 PU ADDR=01, 2  
IDBLK=05D,IDNUM=02128, 4  
ANS=CONT,DISCNT=NO,  
IRETRY=NO,ISTATUS=ACTIVE,  
MAXDATA=265,MAXOUT=1,  
MAXPATH=1,  
PUTYPE=2,SECNET=NO,  
MODETAB=POKMODE,DLOGMOD=DYNRMT,  
USSTAB=USSRDYN,LOGAPPL=SCGVAMP,  
PACING=1,VPACING=2  
*  
SC02128I LU LOCADDR=0,DLOGMOD=LU62PS 3  
:::
```

Figure 3. VTAM: PU, XID, and LU definitions

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The LU SC02234I **3** is an independent LU6.2 definition.

### APPL

Figure 4 shows the VTAM APPL **6** definition for the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 required for the sample configuration.

```
AP26CICS VBUILD TYPE=APPL 6
*
IYCQCTS5 APPL AUTH=(ACQ,PASS,VPACE),VPACING=0,EAS=29,PARSESS=YES,
SONSCIP=YES,MODETAB=MTCICS
*
:::
```

*Figure 4. VTAM: APPL definition*

We used LU6.2 parallel sessions (PARSESS=YES) rather than single sessions.

### LogMode

Figure 5 shows the VTAM LogMode **7** definition required for the CICS Universal Client to connect to the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390.

```
LU62PS MODEENT LOGMODE=LU62PS, 7
TYPE=0, ONLY TYPE RECOGNISED
FMPROF=X'13', SNA
TSPROF=X'07', SNA
PR1PR0T=X'B0', PRIMARY PROTOCOL
SECPR0T=X'B0', SECONDARY PROTOCOL
COMPR0T=X'79A5', COMMON PROTOCOL
SSNDPAC=X'00',
SRCVPAC=X'00',
RUSIZES=X'8989', RUSIZES IN-4096 OUT-4096
PSNDPAC=X'00',
PSERVIC=X'06020000000000000000122F00'
```

*Figure 5. VTAM: LogMode definition*

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## CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 Version 1.3

Figure 6 on page 11 and Figure 6 on page 11 show, respectively, the connection and session definitions for our configuration.

## Sample configuration

```

OBJECT CHARACTERISTICS                               CICS RELEASE = 0530
CEDA View Connection( C028 )
  Connection : C028
  Group     : C029
  DEscription : CONNECTION DEFINITION FOR LU SC02128I
CONNECTION IDENTIFIERS
  Netname   : SC02128I  3
  INDsys    :
REMOTE ATTRIBUTES
  REMOTESYSTem :
  REMOTEName  :
  REMOTESYSNet :
CONNECTION PROPERTIES
  ACcessmethod : Vtam          Vtam | IRc | INdirect | Xm
  PProtocol   : Appc          Appc | Lu61 | ExcI
  Conntype    :
  SInglessess : No            No | Yes
  DAtastream  : User          User | 3270 | SCs | STRfield | Lms
+ RECordformat : U            U | Vb

SYSID=YCQ5 APPLID=IYCQCTS5

PF 1 HELP 2 COM 3 END                           6 CRSR 7 SBH 8 SFH 9 MSG 10 SB 11 SF 12 CNCL

```

Figure 6. CICS TS Version 1.3: Connection definition

```

OBJECT CHARACTERISTICS                               CICS RELEASE = 0530
CEDA View Sessions( LU62PS )
  Sessions   : LU62PS
  Group      : C028
  DEscription :
SESSION IDENTIFIERS
  Connection : C028
  SESSName   :
  NETnameq   :
  MOdename   : LU62PS  7
SESSION PROPERTIES
  Protocol   : Appc          Appc | Lu61 | ExcI
  MAXimum    : 008 , 004       0-999
  RECEIVEPfx :
  RECEIVECount:
  SENDPfx    :
  SENDCount   :
  SENDSize    : 00256         1-30720
+ RECEIVESize: 00256         1-30720

SYSID=YCQ5 APPLID=IYCQCTS5

PF 1 HELP 2 COM 3 END                           6 CRSR 7 SBH 8 SFH 9 MSG 10 SB 11 SF 12 CNCL

```

Figure 7. CICS TS Version 1.3: Sessions definition

## Sample configuration

### CICS Universal Client for AIX Version 3.1

You use the CICS Universal Client's configuration tool to define the settings for SNA communication. The configuration tool generates the CTG.INI file, which is located, by default, in the /usr/lpp/cicscli/bin directory. If you need to use a configuration file other than the default, use the `cicscli /f=filename` command to specify the file you want. The CICS Universal Client uses the CTG.INI file to establish a connection to a CICS server.

For information on using the configuration tool, refer to your *CICS Universal Client Administration* book.

You need to define the following **Server** configuration settings (see Figure 8 on page 13):

#### Server name

An arbitrary name for a particular CICS server.

#### Description

An arbitrary description for the CICS server.

#### Network protocol

The protocol for communication with the CICS server, in this case, SNA.

#### Partner LU name **8**

The LU Name of the server as it is known to the APPC configuration at the CICS Universal Client. This must be an eight-character alias name; see the description of **Use LU alias names** below.

#### Local LU name **3**

The name of a local LU to be used when connecting to the server. The same LU can be used for all server connections.

#### Mode name **7**

The mode name to be used when connecting to the server.

#### Use LU alias names

This setting enables the Partner LU name and Local LU name to be specified as alias names instead of real LU names. This means, for example, that it is possible to switch between servers without stopping the CICS Universal Client. For CICS Universal Client for AIX, alias names must be used.

The *CICS Universal Client Administration* book and the configuration tool's online help provide descriptions of the configuration settings for CICS Universal Client.

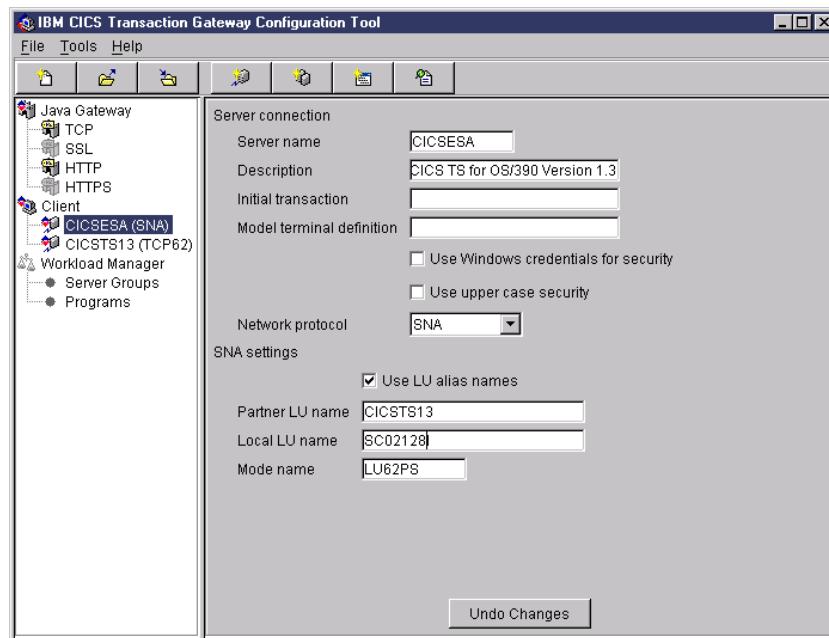


Figure 8. configuration tool settings for Communications Server

Figure 9 shows an excerpt from the resultant CTG.INI file.

```
SECTION CLIENT = *
:::
ENDSECTION
:::
SECTION SERVER = CICSESA
DESCRIPTION=CICS TS for OS/390 Version 1.3
UPPERCASESECURITY=N
PROTOCOL=SNA
LOCALLUNAME=SC02128I
MODENAME=LU62PS
NETNAME=CICSTS13
LUALIASNAMES=Y
ENDSECTION
:::
SECTION DRIVER = SNA
DRIVERNAME=CCLIBMSN
ENDSECTION
```

3  
7  
8

Figure 9. CICS Universal Client for AIX CTG.INI file Definitions

## Sample configuration

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### IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX Version 5.0

The following IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX resources are required for the CICS Universal Client for AIX to communicate with the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390:

- Node Definition
- Connectivity
  - Data link controls (DLCs)
  - Ports
  - Link Stations
- LU 6.2 Configuration
  - LU 6.2
  - LU 6.2 Partner LU
  - LU 6.2 Mode

To define the above resources, follow the steps in the following sections:

### Define Node Definition

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **Node Definition**.
5. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 10.

Node Definition

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]			
* Control Point alias	[SC02128] <b>2</b>		
Description	[ ]		
* Fully-qualified Control Point name	[GBIBMYA.SC02128] <b>1 . 2</b>	+ X	
Node type	NETWORK NODE	+ X	
Node identifier	[05d02128] <b>4</b>	+ X	
Management Services support	NORMAL	+ X	
If BACK_LEVEL,			
Queue NMVTs?	NO	+	
F1=Help	F2=Refresh	F3=Cancel	F4=List
F5=Reset	F6=Command	F7>Edit	F8=Image
F9=Shell	F10=Exit	Enter=Do	

Figure 10. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX; Node Definition

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### Define DLCs

1. Enter **smitty sna** from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **Connectivity**.
5. Select **DLCs, Ports and Link Stations**.
6. Select **Add Connectivity Resources**.
7. Select **Add Token Ring Resource**.
8. Select **Add Token Ring DLC**.
9. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 11.

Add DLC

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]			
* DLC name	[HOST01]		
Description	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Negotiable link stations supported?	YES	+	
Initially active?	YES	+	
Adapter Number	[0]	#	
Maximum number of SAPs on the DLC	[16]	#	

F1=Help      F2=Refresh      F3=Cancel      F4=List  
F5=Reset      F6=Command      F7>Edit      F8=Image  
F9=Shell      F10=Exit      Enter=Do

Figure 11. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: DLC

## Define Ports

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **Connectivity**.
5. Select **DLCs, Ports and Link Stations**.
6. Select **Add Connectivity Resources**.
7. Select **Add Token Ring Resource**.
8. Select **Add Token Ring port**.
9. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 12.

**Add Port**

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]			
* Port name	[HOST01]		+
Description	[]		X
* DLC Name	[HOST01]		+
Local SAP address	[04]		X
Initially active?	YES		+
Use HPR on implicit links?	NO		+
Use HPR link level error recovery?	NO		+
Maximum receive BTU size allowed	[4105]		#
Maximum number of active links allowed	[255]		#
Local name	[]		
XID retry count	[2]		#
Frame retransmit (T1) timer (1=500ms)	[8]		#
Frame retransmit limit	[2]		#
Receive ack (T2) timer (1=500ms)	[1]		#

F1=Help      F2=Refresh      F3=Cancel      F4=List  
 F5=Reset      F6=Command      F7>Edit      F8=Image  
 F9=Shell      F10=Exit      Enter=Do

*Figure 12. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Port*

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### Define Link Stations

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **Connectivity**.
5. Select **DLCs, Ports and Link Stations**.
6. Select **Add Connectivity Resources**.
7. Select **Add Token Ring Resource**.
8. Select **Add Token Ring Link Station**.
9. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 13.

Add Link Station

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

<p>[TOP]</p> <p>* Link station name Description * Port name Adjacent node Control Point name Adjacent node type Downstream PU services supplied</p> <p>If SNA Gateway or DLUR, Downstream PU name If DLUR, DLUS server name</p> <p>Local node id Adjacent node id Adjacent node MAC address Adjacent node SAP address Maximum BTU size to be sent Host type Request CP-CP sessions? HPR supported? Use HPR link-level error recovery? Solicit SSCP sessions? Remote node is a network node server Link station role Activation XID retry limit Frame retransmit (T1) timer (1=500ms) Frame retransmit limit Receive ack (T2) timer (1=500ms)</p> <p>[BOTTOM]</p> <p>F1=Help F2=Refresh F3=Cancel F4=List F5=Reset F6=Command F7&gt;Edit F8=Image F9=Shell F10=Exit Enter=Do</p>	<p>[Entry Fields]</p> <p>[HOST01] [] [HOST01] [] LEARN_NODE NONE</p> <p>[] []</p> <p>[00000000] [00000000] [400009ff07a1] <b>5</b> [04] [4105] SNA NO NO NO YES NO LS_SEC BY_ADMINISTRATOR [2] [8] [2] [1]</p> <p>X X X X # + + + + + + + + + + + # # # #</p>
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Figure 13. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Link Station

## Define LU 6.2 Local LU

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **LU6.2 Configuration**.
5. Select **LU6.2**.
6. Select **Add Independent LU Type 6.2**.
7. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 14.

Add Independent LU Type 6.2

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]			
* LU alias	[SC02128I] <b>3</b>		+
List name	[]		
Description	[]		
* LU name	[SC02128I] <b>3</b>		+
Support Syncpoint?	NO		+
Additional LU properties	NONE		+

F1=Help      F2=Refresh      F3=Cancel      F4=List  
F5=Reset      F6=Command      F7>Edit      F8=Image  
F9=Shell      F10=Exit      Enter=Do

Figure 14. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Local LU

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### Define LU 6.2 Partner LU

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **LU6.2 Configuration**.
5. Select **LU6.2 Partner LU**.
6. Select **Add Partner LU**.
7. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 15.

Add Partner LU

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]			
* Alias	[IYCQCTS5]		
Description	<input type="checkbox"/>		
* Fully-qualified LU name	[GBIBMIYA.IYCQCTS5] <b>1 . 6</b>		
Uninterpreted LU name	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Parallel sessions supported?	YES	+	
AnyNet routing	NATIVE	+	

F1=Help      F2=Refresh      F3=Cancel      F4=List  
F5=Reset      F6=Command      F7>Edit      F8=Image  
F9=Shell      F10=Exit      Enter=Do

Figure 15. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Partner LU

## Define LU 6.2 Mode

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **LU6.2 configuration**.
5. Select **LU6.2 Mode**.
6. Select **Add Mode**.
7. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 16.

**Add Mode**

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[TOP]	[Entry Fields]		
* Name	[LU62PS] <b>7</b>		
Description	[]		
<b>Session limits</b>			
Maximum number of sessions	[32767]	#	
Initial session limit	[8]	#	
Min con. winner sessions	[4]	#	
Min con. loser sessions	[4]	#	
Auto-activate sessions	[4]	#	
<b>Receive pacing window</b>			
Initial	[4]	#	
Maximum	[0]	#	
Use default RU sizes?	YES	+	
If YES,			
Maximum RU size upper bound	[4096]	#	
Maximum RU size lower bound	[1024]	#	
[BOTTOM]			
F1=Help	F2=Refresh	F3=Cancel	F4=List
F5=Reset	F6=Command	F7>Edit	F8=Image
F9=Shell	F10=Exit	Enter=Do	

*Figure 16. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Mode*

In addition to the above definitions, our configuration requires a Partner LU 6.2 location definition for the CICS Universal Client for AIX to connect to the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 across multiple LANs.

## Sample configuration

### Define Partner LU 6.2 Location

**Note**

The information in this section is environment specific.

Depending on your configuration, you may need to carry out the following steps to define the Partner LU 6.2 location.

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Configure SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Local Node Resources**.
4. Select **LU 6.2 configuration**.
5. Select **Partner LU 6.2 Location**.
6. Select **Location By Link Station**.
7. Fill in the fields as indicated in Figure 17.

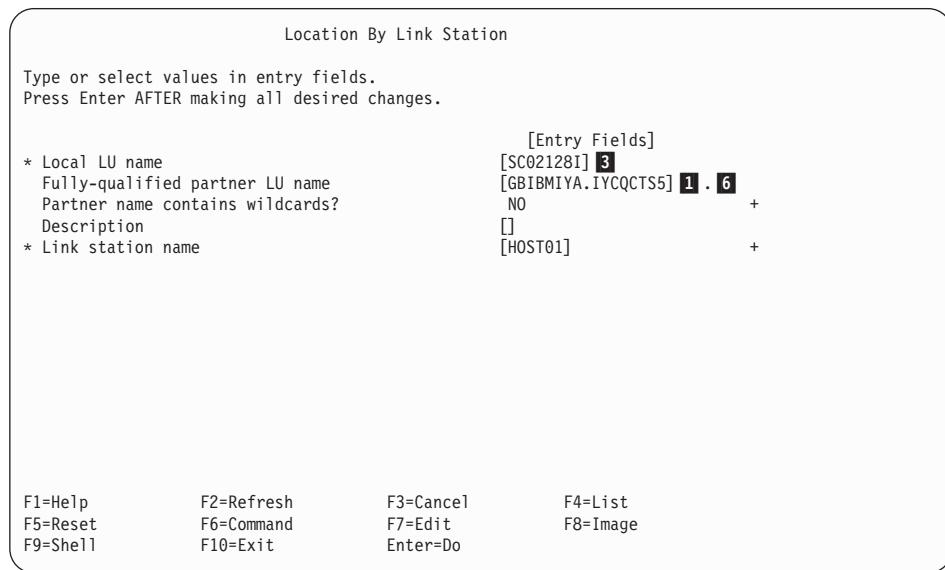


Figure 17. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: Partner LU6.2

## Chapter 6. Testing your configuration

After you have installed and configured all relevant products for the sample configuration, we recommend that you:

1. Start the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390.
2. Activate the IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX resources in this sequence:
  - a. SNA
  - b. Node
  - c. SNA DLC
  - d. SNA Port
  - e. SNA Link Station
  - f. SNA Session

Enter smitty sna from a command shell and select **Manage SNA Resources -> Start SNA Resources** on the smitty screen. Figure 18 shows a screen to establish APPC sessions between the IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX and CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 in our configuration.

Start an SNA Session

Type or select values in entry fields.  
Press Enter AFTER making all desired changes.

[Entry Fields]

Enter one of:  
Local LU alias [ ] +  
Local LU name [SC02128I] 3 +

Enter one of:  
Partner LU alias [ ] +  
Fully-qualified Partner LU name [GBIBIMIYA.IYCQCTS5] 1 . 6 +

\* Mode name [LU62PS] 7 +  
Session polarity POL\_EITHER +  
CNOS permitted? YES +

F1=Help F2=Refresh F3=Cancel F4=List  
F5=Reset F6=Command F7>Edit F8=Image

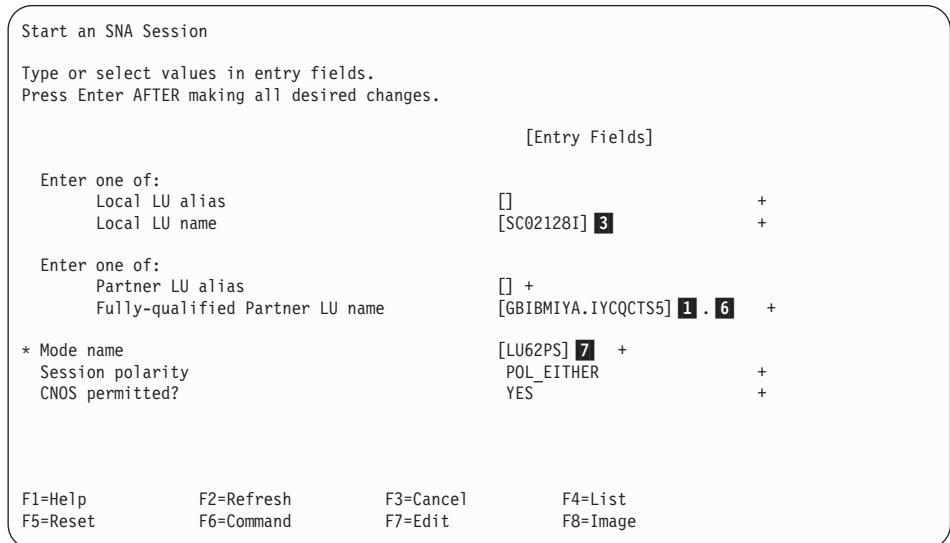


Figure 18. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX: session initiation

## Testing your configuration

You can get APPC session status information through the smitty sna display (see Figure 24 on page 30).

The APPC sessions must be available before you start the CICS Universal Client for AIX.

3. Start the CICS Universal Client for AIX using the `cicscli /s=cicsesa` command. `cicsesa` is the CICS server name we defined in the client configuration (see Figure 8 on page 13).
4. Check the status of the CICS Universal Client, using the `cicscli /l` command (see Figure 19). The connection status to the CICS server should show "Available."

```
root@azov > cicscli /l
CCL8001I cicscli - CICS Client Control Program
CCL0002I (C) Copyright IBM Corporation 1994,1999. All rights reserved.
CCL8041I The CICS Client is using the following servers:
CCL8042I Server 'CICSESA' (using 'SNA' to 'CICSTS13') is available
root@azov >
```

Figure 19. CICS Universal Client for AIX: Client status

5. Issue the `cicsterm /s=cicsesa` command to install a terminal on the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390.
6. Run a CICS server transaction, for example, CEMT or CECI.

```
CEMT INQ CONNECTION(SC28)
STATUS: RESULTS - OVERTYPE TO MODIFY
Con(SC28) Net(SC02128I) Ins Acq Vta Appc
```

Figure 20. CICS TS Version 1.3: Display of Connection and Netname

## Chapter 7. CICS Universal Client Telnet terminal support

The sample configuration provides Telnet terminal support for the TN3270 clients. To start the CICS Client Telnet daemon on the client gateway, enter this command:

```
cicsteld -s=CICSESA -t=CEMT
```

The command starts a CICS Client Telnet daemon on the default port, 1436. All TN3270 requests from remote workstations to port 1436 will be routed to the CICSESA server (as defined in the client configuration see Figure 8 on page 13) and initiate the CEMT transaction.

On a remote AIX workstation, you can connect a TN3270 client, using this command:

```
tn3270 azov 1436 [-ext]
```

where azov is the TCP/IP hostname of the client gateway where the CICS Client Telnet daemon is running. If supported by your version of TN3270, specify -ext to enable extended data stream support.

On a remote Windows NT workstation, you can enter the same values in a GUI window (see Figure 21. Ensure that the **Extended Mode** checkbox is selected.

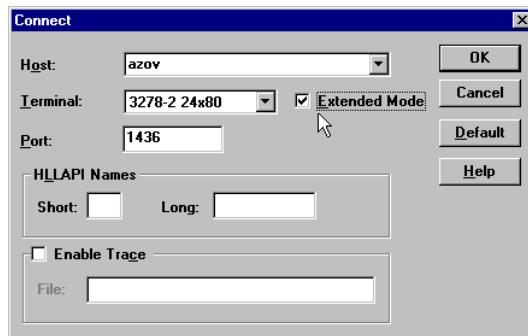


Figure 21. Windows NT Workstation: TN3270 GUI panel

For the sample configuration we connected three remote workstations using TN3270. Figure 22 on page 26 shows the CICSTELD status log.

## CICS Universal Client Telnet terminal support

```
root@azov > cicsteld -s=CICSESA -t=CEMT
CCL6015I The CICS Client Telnet Daemon is starting.
CCL6016I Press 'Q' to stop the program.
CCL6109I Port: 1436 Users: 0
CCL6109I Port: 1436 Users: 1
CCL6118I Terminal with netname SC02128I installed for user 9.1.150.16.
CCL6109I Port: 1436 Users: 2
CCL6118I Terminal with netname SC02128I installed for user 9.1.150.149.
CCL6109I Port: 1436 Users: 3
CCL6118I Terminal with netname SC02128I installed for user 9.1.150.232.
```

Figure 22. CICS Client Telnet Daemon: Status Log

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## Chapter 8. Security implementation

To provide the necessary security for your CICS regions, CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 uses the MVS SAF to route authorization requests to an External Security Manager, such as RACF, at appropriate points within CICS transaction processing. There are many types of security available, from transaction security to CICS resource security. The CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 provides the following security mechanisms for the APPC environment:

- Bind-time (or session) security prevents an unauthorized connection between CICS regions.
- Link security defines the authority of the remote system to access transactions or resources to which the connection itself is not authorized.
- User security checks that a user is authorized both to attach a transaction and to access all resources the transaction requires.

For CICS Universal Clients connecting to the CICS Transaction Server for OS/390, you may want to consider configuring link security.

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### Preparing link security for our sample configuration

For link security on incoming ECI, EPI, and CICSTERM requests, CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 needs the following settings in the SECURITY section of the connection definition for the client:

<b>SEcurityname</b>	For example, HOLLING (RACF-authorized TSO ID)
<b>ATtachsec</b>	Verify
<b>Usedfltuser</b>	Yes, for signon incapable terminals;
	No, for signon incapable terminals, see “Signon capable terminals” on page 28.

In addition, you must specify SEC=YES as a SIT override.

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### Signon capable terminals

Security checking done in the server for transactions started at a signon capable terminal installed by a Client application does not depend on what is specified by the **ATtachsec** option for the connection representing the Client. Instead security checking depends on whether the user signs on while using the terminal.

If the user does not sign on, the Client installed terminal is associated with the default user defined for the server in the SIT. When a transaction is run, the security checks are carried out against this default user. A check is also done against the userid associated with the connection to see whether the Client itself has authority to access the resource.

When a user does sign on, the terminal is associated with the userid just authenticated. For transactions attempting to access resources, security checking is done against the userid associated with the connection and the signed-on user's userid.

It is recommended that the **Usedfltuser** parameter on the server connection definition is set to Yes if using signon capable terminals and to No if using signon incapable terminals.

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### Running CICS Universal Client applications with link security

To establish a connection between the CICS Universal Client and CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 issue the `cicscli -s=server` command as described in see “Chapter 6. Testing your configuration” on page 23. Link security is initiated when the first ECI, EPI, or CICSTERM request is made on a newly established connection.

# Chapter 9. Useful commands and utilities

You will find the commands discussed in this section useful during installation and configuration.

## lslpp -l "sna.\*" command

The lslpp command with a -l "sna.\*" option indicates which version of IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX has been installed on your workstation (see Figure 23).

Fileset	Level	State	Description
Path: /usr/lib/objrepos			
sna.anynet.base	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	AnyNet Base
sna.anynet.snap	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	AnyNet APPC over TCP/IP
sna.anynet.socksna	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	AnyNet Sockets over SNA
sna.gw	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	SNA Gateway
sna.instdlc.token	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	Communications Server for AIX Token Ring DLC Inclusion Fileset
sna.lu0	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	Logical Unit 0 (LU0)
sna.msg.en_US.anynet.rte	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	Anynet Messages - U.S. English
sna.msg.en_US.rte	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	SNA Base Messages - U.S. English
sna.msg.en_US.snapi	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	SNAPI TP Development Tool - U.S. English
sna.msg.en_US.xsna	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	SNA X Tool Messages - U.S. English
sna.rte	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	Communications Server Base (LU1, LU2, LU3, LU6.2)
sna.snapi	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	Communications Server SNAPI TP development tool
sna.toolkit.3270	5.0.0.0	COMMITTED	APPC 3270 Emulator
:			

Figure 23. Result of lslpp -l "sna.\*" command

## APP C session status

To confirm the number of APPC sessions:

1. Enter smitty sna from a command shell.
2. Select **Manage SNA Resources**.
3. Select **Display SNA Resources**.
4. Select **Display Session Information**.
5. Select **Display LU 6.2 Sessions**.
6. Select **Display LU 6.2 Session Status**.

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Figure 24 shows the status of the APPC sessions.

COMMAND STATUS

Command: OK                stdout: yes                stderr: no

Before command completion, additional instructions may appear below.

LU	LU alias	Machine	Partner LU	Mode	Session Count	LU
SC02128	SC02128				Inactive	SC02128
SC02128I	SC02128I	GBIBMIYA.IYCQCTS5	LU62PS	8 Sessions		
		GBIBMIYA.IYCQCTS5	SNASVCMG	1 Session		

-----F1=

F1=Help                F2=Refresh                F3=Cancel                F6=Command  
F8=Image                F9=Shell                F10=Exit                /=Find  
n=Find Next

Figure 24. IBM eNetwork Communications Server for AIX Version 5.0: session status

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