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### Chapter 1. Dates, TUF, and error labels utilities

Components nature: VA Pacbase source

List of components: byputien

Transactions are used to load the following Programs and Macro-structures:

Date validation Macro-structures

P AADS10

Pactables Macro-structures (TUF)

P AATUFA: Data element description

P AATUFL: 'LT' or 'LH' list

P AATUFS: 'LS' or 'LC' list

P AATUFX : Items list

User error labels (Dialog)

P UTEMLD: Indexation of the User error labels file

Platforms

Available for all platforms.

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Implementation

Upload the text file on the host. Execute the UPDT procedure using this file on input, after having adapted the user identification line.



## Chapter 2. P.A.F. - P.U.F.

#### Object

The Pacbase Access Facility module is subject to a purchase agreement. It is used to access, via programs or user requests, VisualAge Pacbase database data, in batch or online mode.

#### Version:

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#### Platforms:

All platforms.

#### Reference documentation:

PAF reference manual

PAF tables description

#### Description of P.A.F. tables

#### Components nature

**UPDT** Pacbase transactions

#### List of components

byppafen: PAF tables description - english

This file contains the description of the segments used to describe the Pacbase repository entities.

#### Implementation:

- Upload the text file on the host.
- Execute the UPDT procedure with this file on input, after having adapted the user identification line.

**NOTE:** It is advised to load the transactions in an independant central library.

They can be installed in another database than the one to be explored.

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WARNING: the PAF tables repository has to be manually

updated if already loaded:

Remove TMEN data element called in the following segments

of PAF tables xxxCAL: CR12 CS20 ER12

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#### Example of MVS/CICS application: PAF-TP and P.U.F.

This is an example of transactional program implementing PAF and PUF-TP in a MVS/CICS environment.

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Platforms:

All platforms.

Target platform:

**MVS-CICS** 

Components nature

**UPDP** Pacbase transactions

List of components

pufext: example of PUF transactional application

#### Implementation:

- Upload the text file on the host.
- Execute the UPDP procedure with this file on input, after having adapted the user identification line (ASSIGN card).

**NOTE:** The transactions must be loaded in a sub-library of the library containing the repository (PAF tables).

- Generate the PUINIT, PU0200, PU0300, PU3ERR screens
- Pre-process them (PPAF procedure)
- Compile/link-edit them.

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Declare the programs and the transaction to the CICS.

#### The application is composed of:

#### "PUF Sign-on" screen (PUINIT)

- This screen is used to enter the context of the connection to the database: user code/password, VA Pac transaction code, library, session...
- It can also be used as a menu:

The F2 PFkey branches to the programs list, the F3 PFkey branches to the screens list.

#### "List of programs" screen (PU0200)

- This screen is used to consult and update the list of programs. There is no positioning in the list.
- Update:

Enter an action code on the occurrences and modify the concerned data; this will activate the PUF INSERT order which updates the SYSPAF work

If you want to trip the database update, enter 'O' in 'O' in the screen bottom area; this activates the PUF CALPUF order.

If errors are detected during the database update, a specific screen to view PUF errors is displayed :PU3ERR.

#### "List of screens" screen (PU0300)

 This screen is used to consult and update the list of screens: same functions as the list of programs.

#### "List of PUF errors" screen (PU3ERR)

• this screen is used to consult the list of database update errors.



## Chapter 3. P.Q.C.

#### Object:

The Pacbase Quality Control module is subject to a purchase agreement. The Pacbench Quality Control function evaluates the quality of applications developed with VisualAge Pacbase through standard or personnalized rules. The following file is required if you want create personnalized rules.

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Platforms:

All platforms.

Reference documentation:

PQC reference manual.

Components nature

**UPDT** Pacbase transactions

List of components

bvpqcen : PQC rules source - english

This file contains the description of the Meta-Entity used to describe quality rules as well as the User Entities describing standard rules.

#### Implementation:

- Upload the text file on the host.
- Execute the UPDT procedure with this file on input, after having adapted the user identification line.

**NOTE:** It is advised to load the transactions in an independant central library.

They can be installed in another database than the one to be explored.

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