

## ASG-TMON® PERFORMANCE ANALYZER FOR CICS TRANSACTION SERVER (TS)

For Informed Analysis and Information of z/Architecture-based CICS Systems

### OVERVIEW

ASG-TMON® PA for CICS Transaction Server (TS) gives organizations the ability to analyze key current and historical metrics of z/Architecture-based CICS systems at the transaction group, workload, and region level.

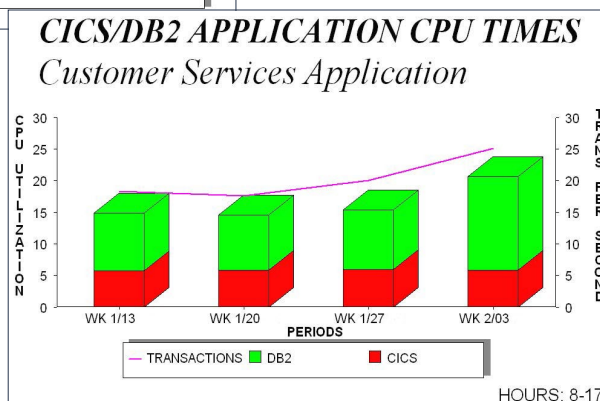
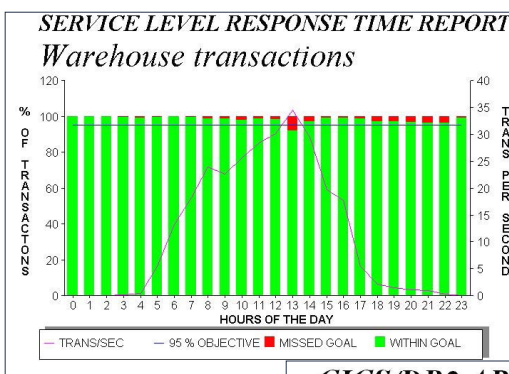
ASG-TMON® PA for CICS TS powerfully augments enterprise-wide performance management and capacity planning by consolidating multiple CICS regions and integrating them into overall management plans.

ASG-TMON® PA for CICS TS reduces complex data into informed analysis and information, improving the ability of IT executives to converse about business applications in terms their internal and external customers can understand. It strengthens organizational communication by providing clear, concise IT management information on-demand anywhere and anytime it's needed, and its automation saves time and effort for IT staff, freeing it for higher-level planning and management work.

ASG TMON® PA supports an organization's choice of data sources. IBM SMF data and/or ASG-TMON® data. ASG-TMON® data provides near real time collection vs. SMF log batch processing.

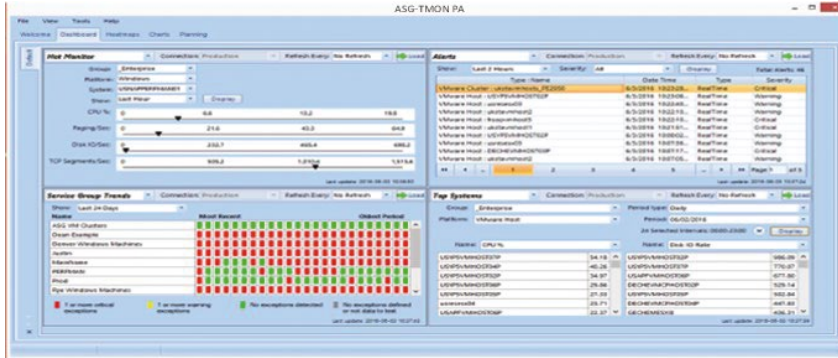
### BENEFITS

- Analyzes CICS resource consumption, services usage, multi-programming levels, internal queuing, response time components, and wait times, within a region or across multiple images
- Evaluates CICS service levels, response time targets, transaction volumes, and response time distributions
- Forecasts capacity requirements effectively
- Trend resource usage, transaction volume, and growth rates
- Easy to install and use, installing in hours versus days or weeks of alternative offerings
- Handles workloads from multiple regions and systems
- Offers daily and historical perspectives of CICS performance and service levels
- Interactive and automated analysis capabilities
- Utilize fully automated analysis, reporting, and integrated web publishing for total control and visibility



### ASG-TMON® PA PORTAL - AN EXECUTIVE DASHBOARD

ASG-TMON® PA Portal provides cross-platform visibility to the entire enterprise IT infrastructure through a single, easy-to-use interface.



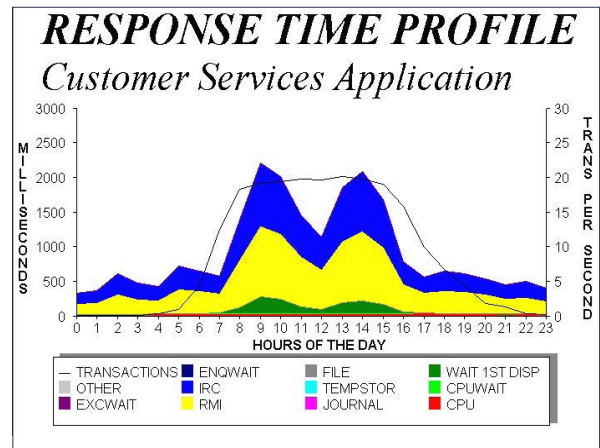
### ASG-TMON® PA ANALYST

ASG-TMON® PA for CICS TS includes ASG-TMON® PA Analyst, a powerful, Microsoft Windows-based analysis tool. ASG-TMON® PA Analyst is an easy to use desktop solution that simplifies access to charts and tools using an intuitive Navigator and Data Selector. Here is a sampling of just a few of ASG-TMON® PA Analyst's features:

- Chart Customization is simple using ASG-TMON® PA's SmartChart point and click feature. Change the charts to reflect specific needs. Add notations, change the colors, styles, etc.
- Powerful Scripting allows reporting and analysis to be automated, eliminating expense and tedium
- Web-based reporting makes it easy to put reports on the intranet or extranet for on-demand access
- Data Organization - Keep data organized by system and period to efficiently handle months, weeks, and days
- Platform Integration - ASG-TMON® PA Analyst integrates all the platforms right in the same analysis tool. Learn it for one platform, learn it for all platforms
- Desktop Integration - Results can be saved, printed or exported to spreadsheet or presentation packages with point and click ease

### ASG-TMON® PA PORTAL BENEFITS

- Gain insight into the entire infrastructure via the web-based dashboard
- Produce sophisticated role-based reports and view resources by service, line of business, location, application, and more
- Quickly identify current and future problem areas
- Capture a snapshot of hundreds or thousands of multi-platform systems
- Compare and analyze key indicators across platforms to monitor performance



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