



Security Software
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ETF/A enhances productivity and speeds CA-ACF2 security administration. The product provides rule change management, emergency access, and security file maintenance and recovery as extensions to CA-ACF2. Changes to security rules can be safely brought into the production environment and tested without impact. Logonids and rules can be recovered from backup files without stopping CA-ACF2. The ETF/A File Maintenance facility has powerful functions to quickly make global rule line changes to all rules through simple to use ISPF panels. The emergency "firecall" facility grants special privileges such as NON-CANCEL and additional accesses in a controlled and audited fashion across multiple systems. ETF/A's comprehensive functions simplify ACF2 security administration and minimize exposures.

- ◆ Reduces outages caused by improper rule modification
- ◆ Eliminates down time through real-time recovery of Logonids, data set, and resource rules
- ◆ Automates ACF2 rule maintenance to reduce rule administration
- ◆ Streamlines & cleans up the ACF2 VSAM databases
- ◆ Removes potential exposures caused by old rules
- ◆ Provides special accesses and privileges such as NON-CANCEL for emergency situations across shared systems
- ◆ Allows you to assign special privileges and accesses to another user in controlled emergency situations.
- ◆ Permits a single Logonid to have multiple UID Strings to provide accesses for multiple user roles
- ◆ Monitors and tracks rule line usage
- ◆ Maintains ACF2 source groups for DB2 Secondary AuthIDs with resource rules
- ◆ SAF controlled dynamic ISPF Menu Option provides control of administrative functions.

Major Enhancements in This Release

- ◆ **ETF/A User Options Facility** - ETF/A now allows you to tailor environment through user selectable options.
- ◆ **Firecall Options & HIPAA Compliance** - Extended Firecall facility expiration interval options. FASTAUTH processing support is now enabled.
- ◆ **Quick Recover Facility** - Quick Recover now recovers ETF/A MUID Records.
- ◆ **Test Rule Facility** - Test Rules may now reside above the 16-Megabyte line. Also, a new "all rules in test" option has been added.
- ◆ **New \$Prevent Facility** - A new facility to ensure certain accesses are not inadvertently granted has been created. The facility operates to either remove or insert special "prevent access" rule lines in several ETF/A functions.
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- ◆ **Rule Compiler Interface & \$Prevent Facility** - Super-Rule NextKey Merge supports the \$Prevent Facility to ensure certain UIDs are always prevented from gaining access when NEXTKEYs are merged.
- ◆ **File Maintenance Modeling & \$Prevent Facility** - Modeling changes and Super-Rule NextKey merges now optionally operate with the \$Prevent Facility to ensure no unintended access is granted. LIST and REMOVE RAF expired rules separately from UNTIL date expired rules. Select expired rules by specific RAF expiration date and rule \$KEY and TYPE masks.
- ◆ **Dormant Rules Program & Database Cleanup** - Additional new parameters add more control to rule cleanup processing. Also, ACFBATCH statements can now automatically be generated to delete empty rulesets. New support for ETF/A RAF expired rules in ETFA4DRP creates batch DELETE control cards for input to the ETFA0PGM batch program. Multi-valued UID fields are now supported.
- ◆ **ETF/A Multiple UID Facility** - New Batch program to add/delete MUID records. Also, an option to automatically delete MUID records when associated LOGONID is deleted by ACF command. FASTAUTH processing for MUIDs may now be enabled.
- ◆ **Rule Aging Facility** - New option to enable/disable RAF. Also, a new display to show RAF "quarter-dates" for any year. Key & Type Masks for LIST selections added.

Environment

- ◆ CA-ACF2 release 6.3 and above
- ◆ IBM z/OS, OS/390, MVS/ESA

Pricing

ETF/A can be acquired on a Perpetual Software license. Domestic and Global Enterprise License options are available.

Software Maintenance

The annual maintenance fee is 20% of the then current Software License price. Extended maintenance term pricing option is also available.

Education

Training is available for all EKC products, as well as for CA-ACF2, CA-Top Secret, IBM-RACF, and MVS. On-site classes and hands-on training may be scheduled.

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