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Unleash the Value of Your Trapped Data with HPE Shadowbase

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Introduction



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Agenda

The value of data

- A customer's trapped data
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- **Summary & for more information**





The value of data



Data is...

The new currency

- The more current data is, the more valuable and actionable it becomes
- Data managed by online transaction processing systems is among the most valuable and the most sought-after
- Conversely, the older data is, the less valuable it is

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Data is...

Trapped

- Trapped data is data stuck in a single application, system or database
- Competitive opportunities are missed because its full value is not being exploited
- Rapidly creating additional value-add solutions is not possible because it is not easily accessible
- We call this a "data silo"

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Data is... An opportunity and a challenge

Opportunity

- Immediate access to realtime data creates new business opportunities
- Leveraging existing information reduces both time and cost to market
- Examples include:
 - Decision support systems
 - Fraud detection
 - Shop floor control
 - Automated alerts and notifications to drive (trigger) new services



Challenge

- However, immediate access to real-time data impacts the online system's throughput and response time
- Worse, as the demand for this data increases, the load on the online system continues to increase
- Therefore, the challenge is to make the real-time data immediately available in a usable format to the interested parties with minimal impact to the online environment



A customer's trapped data



Trapped data

Offload querying/reporting from the host

Situation

- A large European steel tubing manufacturer runs its shop floor control applications on an HPE NonStop system
- The manufacturer periodically runs reports on Linux servers that remotely access the NonStop Enscribe database to gather state information
- The reporting application uses a nonstandard interface into the NonStop database
- These reports need to heavily transform the non-relational Enscribe database information into a usable format, and require transmission of the data across the network for each report run

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Trapped data

Offload querying/reporting from the host

Old architecture

 The query/report application polls the old adapter to extract the data for the report, and returns it to produce the report

Challenges

- Each time the report is run, it reaches across the network, extracts the production data, transforms it, and sends it to the Linux reporting application
- The raw Enscribe data is nonnormalized, full of arrays and redefines, and includes data types that must be cleansed and transformed into a usable reporting format
 - Each report run could dramatically impact the production environment
- As the query/reporting workload grows, the increased workload threatens the shop floor application
- This leads to an architecture that did not scale and is susceptible to network failures and timeouts

These challenges required a new architecture to address these issues and meet new requirements



Shop Floor Control HPE NonStop



Rearchitecting operations



Rearchitecting operations

Offload querying/reporting from the host

New architecture

- The manufacturer selected HPE Shadowbase to copy production data to a commodity-based reporting environment
- The new architecture efficiently cleanses, normalizes, and replicates the data across the network only once (when it changes), rather than each time a query/report runs
- The customer selected standard ODBC connectivity for access to the query/reporting database for generating reports
- The customer also implemented new OLAP tools for analytical processing, and configured Shadowbase to bi-directionally replicate the OLAP results back to the NonStop for improved shop floor control



Shop Floor Control HPE NonStop



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Rearchitecting operations

Offload querying/reporting from the host

Key benefits

- Enables a scalable on-demand reporting infrastructure without impacting the NonStop host environment
- Transforms the nonnormalized host data into an SQL relational format for improved reporting/query processing
- Standardizes access to the local replicated database via ODBC, opening up the data to DSS tools
- Eliminates network failures or timeouts from impacting the query/reporting and analytical subsystem
- Facilitates sharing the reporting and OLAP results back to the NonStop application, which optimizes shop floor control, and was completely impossible with the original solution







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Further comments



Using HPE Shadowbase for Data Integration

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- Customer originally chose Linux/Oracle as the reporting subsystem environment based on corporate policy
- Offloading the reporting from the operational system to another platform is a standard way to spread the load and isolate dynamic (and intensive) read/processing activity to another environment
- However, Shadowbase could have replicated the data from Enscribe into a local SQL relational target database (e.g., SQL/MX)
 - As an alternative, the customer could have chosen to keep all of the data resident on the host platform, although would have to create the reporting database on different CPUs/disks than the operational system was using
 - The Nonstop is a mixed-workload environment (MWE) that can handle both the operational application as well as a reporting subsystem (hybrid IT)
- Alternatively, use HPE Shadowbase to replicate the operational system data to a disaster recovery backup system, and run reporting/OLAP there to maximize capacity utilization
 - Shadowbase will keep the target databases "fresh," important for business continuity RPO as well as data integration processing using current state data



Read the case study:

Large Manufacturer Uses Data Replication to Offload Online Host Processing and Enable New Business Applications





Video: https://www.shadowbasesoftware.com/





Business continuity

Capabilities

- Extreme availability
- Zero downtime migrations







Eliminate

- Unplanned downtime
 - Active/Passive Disaster Recovery
 - Sizzling-Hot-Takeover (SZT)
 - Active/Active (Hot-Hot) Continuous Availability
- Planned downtime
 - Zero Downtime Migrations (ZDM) for upgrades, new versions, and platform refresh

Data integration

Capabilities

 Integrate data from one database into another for competitive advantage







Master data management

- Homogeneous and heterogeneous environments
- Data transformation, scrubbing, filtering, and cleansing
- Extension of replication capabilities with embedded application logic

Popular uses

- Data streaming and change data capture
- Data warehouse feeds
- Offline and online data loading/synchronization

Application integration

Capabilities

Integrate one application with another for new solutions







Build

- Event-driven architectures
 - Process events as they occur; no more polling for needed data
- Real-time architectures
 - Process events when they occur; no more working with "stale" data
- Integrated applications without application code changes
 - Integrate at the data-layer, avoiding costly adapters, middleware, and code changes

Popular uses

- Decision support systems
- Real-time business intelligence
- Real-time fraud detection or sales analysis



Utilities

Capabilities

 Audit compliance, data validation, data transformation, ETL, online data recovery







Manage

- Review what data was changed, and when
- Validate two data sets
- Convert and map data between environments
- Extract, transform, and load (ETL support)
- Restore corrupted databases (while online)

Homogeneous & Heterogeneous Uni-directional Data Replication



Homogeneous & Heterogeneous Bi-directional Data Replication





Summary & for more information



Why choose Shadowbase?

Proven technology

 Shadowbase is deployed at hundreds of sites, including many of the most-demanding HPE NonStop sites

Flexible solutions for your business challenges

 Business continuity, data integration & synchronization, data warehouse feeds, application integration, real-time business intelligence



Global sales organization

- Global reseller presence from HPE Sales (or HPE's regional reseller)

Global 24x7 support & professional services organizations

- Global support presence from the HPE GNSC (or HPE's regional reseller)
- Global Professional Services from HPE Pointnext and HPE SDI (or HPE's regional reseller)

Affordable and committed to the HPE NonStop platform

- Improves TCO via overall cost advantage and features
 - -"One product, many solutions"
- We are partnering and investing with HPE in many innovative enhancements



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Preparing for your HPE Shadowbase experience



Business Continuity Disaster Recovery (DR), Sizzling-Hot-Takeover, and Active/Active application availability



Data Integration Replicate data from one DB to another while transforming, scrubbing, or filtering



Application Integration Share data among applications

applications (access to core data)



<u>Utilities</u> Manage, monitor, and correct data



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Preparing for your HPE Shadowbase experience





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