

CHANGEMAN® SSM VERSION 8.2 FOR Z/OS



SERENA CHANGEMAN SSM IS A SINGLE DATA MANAGEMENT SOLUTION THAT ADDRESSES MULTIPLE IT DATA MANAGEMENT CHALLENGES:

- Reduces downtime for software maintenance and allows faster recovery from corruptions and disasters
- Increases communication and accountability across IT through change tracking
- Lowers ongoing storage and maintenance costs with access tracking

INCREASING APPLICATION AVAILABILITY IS IMPERATIVE

CIOs, systems programmers, application managers, database administrators, and their organizations all have a vested interest in application availability. Serena ChangeMan SSM provides a solution that gives them details about all software infrastructure changes that impact their application Service Level Agreements (SLA) for improved systems auditability. They need to know who has made changes, what the changes were, when they were made, and be assured that every change can be backed out reliably and quickly.

RAPID DISASTER RECOVERY AND BUSINESS CONTINUITY IN THE EVENT OF FAILURE

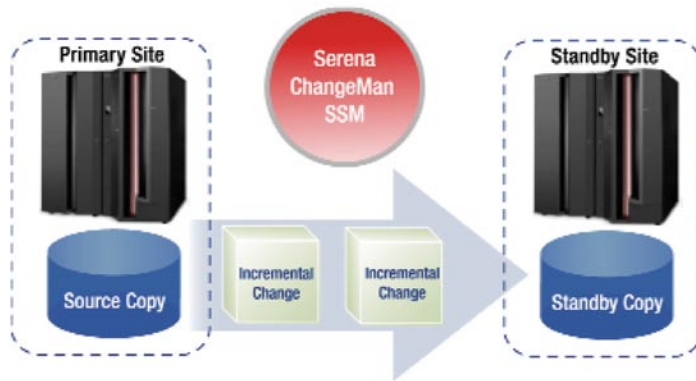
ChangeMan SSM maintains a database of all changes to designated z/OS datasets and members. This single product supports Hierarchical File System (HFS) and Non-HFS data sets. Changed data is packaged and efficiently transmitted to a disaster recovery or business continuity site. The unique ability of ChangeMan SSM to synchronize environments and automatically identify changes is perfect for ensuring that hot-sites are immediately ready to take over production application support in the event of a massive production site failure. Unlike hardware-based disk mirroring solutions, logical corruptions caused by human errors or software failures can be prevented by configuring a delayed apply at the standby site.

ELIMINATING REDUNDANT SOFTWARE LICENSES AND DUPLICATED DATA LOWERS COSTS

The Member Reference Tracking (MRT) feature of ChangeMan SSM reduces wasted disk space by identifying duplicated and unused Partitioned Data Set members. By tracking program product usage, customers can identify opportunities to save on software maintenance costs.

REDUCING PLANNED DOWNTIME THROUGH AUTOMATION

ChangeMan SSM reduces downtime by automating the shipment of SMPE target volumes to multiple systems. This assures that only tested changes are applied to target systems, thus minimizing downtime for servicing system images.



ABOUT SERENA

Serena Software, the Change Governance™ leader, helps more than 15,000 organizations around the world—including 96 of the Fortune 100 and 90 of the Global 100—turn change into a business advantage. Serena is headquartered in San Mateo, California, and has offices throughout the U.S., Europe, and Asia Pacific.

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