The UNICOS operating system supports two types of accounting: Cray Research system accounting and standard UNIX accounting. Both types of accounting are described in this chapter.

# 2.1 Cray Research System Accounting (CSA)

Cray Research system accounting (CSA) is designed to meet the unique accounting requirements of Cray Research sites. Like the standard UNIX accounting package, CSA provides methods to collect per-process resource utilization data, record connect sessions, monitor disk usage, and charge fees to specific logins. CSA also provides other facilities that are not available from the standard accounting package. These include the following:

- Per-job accounting
- Accounting for socket usage
- Device accounting
- Daemon accounting (for the Network Queuing System (NQS) and the UNICOS tape subsystem)
- Disk accounting by account ID
- Arbitrary accounting periods
- Flexible system billing unit (SBU) system
- One file containing all data for an accounting period
- Off-line archiving of accounting data

Sites may run either the standard UNICOS accounting programs or the CSA package by invoking the appropriate shell scripts and programs. Both packages are installed with the UNICOS 10.0 release.

UNICOS system features in the CSA package include configurable parameters located in a single file, /etc/config/acct\_config, and a set of user-defined exits that allows sites to tailor the daily run of accounting to their specific needs.

# 2.1.1 Concepts and Terminology

The following concepts and terms are important in CSA:

Term	Description
Daily accounting	Unlike the standard daily accounting, CSA's accounting can be run as many times as necessary during a day. However, this feature is still referred to as <i>daily accounting</i> .
Periodic accounting	Accounting similar to the standard UNICOS monthly accounting. CSA, however, lets system administrators specify the time periods for which "monthly" or cumulative accounting is to be run. Thus, periodic accounting can be run more than once a month.
Recycled data	By default, accounting data for active sessions is recycled until the session terminates. CSA reports only data for terminated sessions unless csarun(8) is invoked with the -A option. csarun places recycled data into data files in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory. These data files are suffixed with 0; for example, per-process accounting data for active sessions from previous accounting periods is in the /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct0 file.
Session	CSA organizes accounting data by sessions and boot times and then places the data into a session record file.
	For non-NQS jobs, a <i>session</i> consists of all accounting data for a given job ID during a single boot period.
	A <i>session</i> for an NQS job consists of the accounting data for all job IDs associated with the job's NQS sequence number/machine name identifier. NQS jobs may span multiple boot periods. If a job is restarted, it has the same job ID associated with it during all boot periods in which it runs. Rerun NQS jobs have multiple job IDs. CSA treats all phases of an NQS job as being in the same session.

Uptime period or boot period

A period delineated by the system boot times found in /etc/csainfo. The csaboots(8) command writes to this file during system boot.

# 2.1.2 Files and Directories Overview

This section provides a brief overview of the CSA file and directory structure. A more complete description of the files and directories can be found in Section 2.1.7, page 23.

2.1.2.1 Structures of the  ${\tt acct}$  and  ${\tt tmp}$  Directories

The directory structure of /usr/adm/acct is set up so that it is easy to find CSA data files and reports. The /tmp structure is also used while csarun(8) is running. Figure 1 illustrates the directory structure for both directories.



Figure 1. /usr/adm/acct and tmp directory structures

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**Note:** As distributed, only the directory /usr/adm/acct/day is readable by all users. Within the day directory, only the pacct\* files are readable by all users. This allows any user to examine the pacct\* files by using the acctcom(1) command. All other directories and files within /usr/adm/acct are accessible only by root and users in the group adm.



**Warning:** acctcom(1) on a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system is considered to be a covert channel. You may want to consider restricting access to this command to the adm group.

The following abbreviations have these meanings:

#### Abbreviation Definition

MMDD	Month, day
hhmm	Hour, minute

### 2.1.2.2 Shell Scripts and C Binaries

The /usr/lib/acct directory contains virtually all of the programs and scripts used by both the standard accounting and CSA packages. The only CSA program not located here is /etc/csaboots (see csaboots(8)), which records boot times at system startup. Programs used only by CSA begin with the characters csa.

## 2.1.2.3 Unprocessed Data Files

Both CSA and the standard accounting package expect most unprocessed accounting files to be located in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory. The use of this directory simplifies tracking of the current accounting files. The following table shows the location of the raw data files.

Accounting file	<u>Description</u>
/usr/adm/acct/day/dtmp	Disk accounting data
/usr/adm/acct/day/nqacct*	NQS daemon accounting data
/usr/adm/acct/day/pacct*	Per-process accounting data
/usr/adm/acct/day/tpacct*	Tape daemon accounting data
/usr/adm/acct/day/soacct*	Socket accounting data
/etc/csainfo	Boot times

/etc/wtmp

Connect time accounting data

Z

**Warning:** On a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system, /etc/wtmp is considered a covert channel. You may want to consider restricting access to this file to the adm group.

Accounting files in /usr/adm/acct/day whose names include the suffix 0 contain data from sessions that did not complete during the previous accounting periods.

During CSA data processing, sites may select to archive the raw and/or processed data off-line. Section 2.1.5, page 16, describes how to do this. By default, all raw data files are deleted after use and are not archived.

# 2.1.2.4 Data Files Being Processed

At the start of a daily accounting run, CSA moves the raw data files from /usr/adm/acct/day to the appropriate /usr/adm/acct/work/*MMDD/hhmm* directory. The files in the work directory are as follows:

<u>File</u>	Description
Ever.tmp	Data verification work file
Pctime*	Preprocessed connect time data
Pnqacct*	Preprocessed NQS data
Puptime*	Uptimes
Rctime0	Connect data to be recycled in the next accounting run
Rnqacct0	NQS data to be recycled in the next accounting run
Rpacct0	Per-process accounting data to be recycled in the next accounting run
Rtpacct0	Tape data to be recycled in the next accounting run
Ruptime0	Uptimes to be recycled in the next accounting run
Wctime*	Verified raw connect time data
Wdisktacct	Disk accounting data (cacct.h format)

Wdtmp	Disk accounting data from diskusg(8) or acctdusg(8)
Wnqacct*	Raw NQS accounting data
Wpacct*	Raw per-process accounting data
Wsoacct*	Raw socket accounting data
Wtpacct*	Raw tape accounting data
Wwtmp	Raw connect time data

## 2.1.2.5 Processed Data Files

CSA outputs the following data files:

<u>File</u> <u>Description</u>

/tmp/AC.MMDD/hhmm/Super-record

Session record file; this file is usually deleted after it has been used by CSA.

/usr/adm/acct/fiscal/data/MMDD/hhmm/pdacct

Consolidated periodic data.

/usr/adm/acct/fiscal/data/MMDD/hhmm/cms

Periodic command usage data.

/usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm/cacct

Consolidated daily data; this file is deleted by csaperiod(8) if the -r option is specified.

/usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm/cms

Daily command usage data; this file is deleted by csaperiod(8) if the -r option is specified.

/usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm/dacct

Daily disk usage data; this file is deleted by csaperiod(8) if the -r option is specified.

#### 2.1.2.6 Reports

CSA generates daily and periodic reports. The locations of these reports are as follows:

<u>File</u> <u>Description</u>

/usr/adm/acct/fiscal/rpt/MMDD/hhmm/rprt

Periodic accounting report

/usr/adm/acct/sum/rpt/MMDD/hhmm/rprt

Daily accounting report

### 2.1.3 Daily Operation Overview

When the UNICOS operating system is run in multiuser mode, accounting behaves in a manner similar to the following process. However, because sites may customize CSA, the following may not reflect the actual process at a particular site:

- 1. System boot time is written to /etc/csainfo. Each time the system is booted, the boot time is written to /etc/csainfo by the /etc/csaboots command, which is invoked by rc (see brc(8)) during system startup.
- Process accounting is enabled. When the system is switched to multiuser mode, the /usr/lib/acct/startup (see acctsh(8)) script is called by /etc/rc and performs the following functions:
  - a. Writes an acctg on record to /etc/wtmp; the acctwtmp program is used to write this record.
  - b. Enables process accounting with the command line /usr/lib/acct/turnacct on; turnacct(8) calls the accton program with the argument /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct.
  - c. Removes lock files and saved pacct and wtmp files. /usr/lib/acct/remove is invoked to clean up saved pacct and wtmp files in /usr/adm/acct/sum. Unlike the standard accounting

package, CSA does not leave files in this directory. In addition, the lock files are removed from /usr/adm/acct/nite.

- 3. By default, daemon accounting for NQS, tape, and sockets is handled by the /usr/lib/acct/startup script. However, in order to run NQS and tape daemon accounting, you must modify the appropriate subsystem. Section 2.1.4, page 11, describes this process in detail.
- 4. The amount of disk space used by each user is determined periodically. /usr/lib/acct/dodisk (see dodisk(8)) is run periodically by cron to generate a snapshot of the amount of disk space being used by each user. dodisk should be run at most once for each time /usr/lib/acct/csarun (see csarun(8)) is run. Multiple invocations of dodisk during the same accounting period write over previous dodisk output.
- 5. A fee file is created. Sites desiring to charge fees to certain users can do so by invoking /usr/lib/acct/chargefee (see chargefee(8)). Each accounting period's fee file (/usr/adm/acct/day/fee) is merged into the consolidated accounting records by /usr/lib/acct/csaperiod (see csaperiod(8)).
- 6. Daily accounting is run. At specified times during the day, csarun is executed by cron to process the current accounting data. The output from csarun is a consolidated daily accounting file and an ASCII report.
- 7. Periodic accounting is run. At a specific time during the day, or on certain days of the month, /usr/lib/acct/csaperiod (see csaperiod(8)) is executed by cron to process consolidated accounting data from previous accounting periods. The output from csaperiod is a consolidated periodic accounting file and an ASCII report.
- 8. Accounting is disabled. When the system is shut down gracefully, the script /usr/lib/acct/shutacct (see shutacct(8)) is executed by /etc/shutdown (see shutdown(8)). shutacct writes an "acctg off" record to /etc/wtmp. It then calls /usr/lib/acct/turnacct and /usr/lib/acct/turndacct to disable per-process and daemon accounting (see turnacct(8) and turndacct(8)).

# 2.1.4 Setting up CSA

The following is a brief description of setting up CSA. Site-specific modifications are discussed in detail in Section 2.1.10, page 39. As described in this section, CSA is run by a person with super-user permissions. CSA also can

be run by users who have acct permissions and are in the adm group. See Section 2.1.10.7, page 54, for the necessary modifications.

- 1. Change the default system billing unit (SBU) weighting factors, if necessary. By default, no SBUs are calculated. If your site wants to report SBUs, you must modify the configuration file /etc/config/acct\_config.
- 2. Modify any necessary parameters in the /etc/config/acct\_config file, which contains configurable parameters for the accounting system. Ensure that parameters, such as MEMINT, reflect the needs of your site.
- 3. If you want daemon accounting, you must enable daemon accounting at system startup time by performing the following steps:
  - a. Ensure that the variables in /etc/config/acct\_config for the subsystems for which you want to enable daemon accounting are set to on. Set the NQS\_START, TAPE\_START, and SOCKET\_START parameters to on to enable NQS, online tapes, and socket accounting, respectively.
  - b. If necessary, enable accounting from the daemon's side. Specifically, NQS and tape accounting must also be enabled by the associated daemon. Use the qmgr(8) set accounting on command to turn on NQS accounting. To enable tape daemon accounting, execute tpdaemon(8) with the -c option. Socket accounting does not require any additional processing.
- 4. Prior to setting up the following cron jobs, ensure that the /etc/checklist file exists. By default, dodisk(8) performs disk accounting on the special files listed in checklist. For most installations, entries similar to the following should be made in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/root so that cron(8) automatically runs daily accounting:

```
0 4 * * 1-6 /usr/lib/acct/csarun 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log
0 3 * * 1-6 /usr/lib/acct/dodisk -a -v 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/dk2log
```

csarun(8) should be executed at such a time that dodisk has sufficient time to complete. If dodisk does not complete before csarun executes, disk accounting information may be missing or incomplete.

dodisk must be invoked with either the -a or the -A option. If it is not, csaperiod(8) aborts when it attempts to merge the disk usage information with other accounting data.

5. Periodically check the size of the acct files. Entries similar to the following should be made in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/root:

- 0 \* \* \* \* /usr/lib/acct/ckdacct nqs tape socket
  - ) \* \* \* \* /usr/lib/acct/ckpacct

cron(8) should periodically execute the ckpacct(8) and ckdacct(8) shell scripts. If the pacct file grows larger than 500 blocks (default), ckpacct calls the command /usr/lib/acct/turnacct switch to start a new pacct file. ckpacct also makes sure that there are at least 500 free blocks on the file system containing /usr/adm/acct (/usr by default). If there are not enough blocks, per-process accounting is turned off. The next time ckpacct is executed, it turns per-process accounting back on if there are enough free blocks.

ckdacct performs an analogous function for daemon accounting. If a daemon's accounting file is larger than 500 blocks (default), the command /usr/lib/acct/turndacct switch is executed in order to start a new accounting file. In addition, ckdacct also checks the amount of free blocks on the ACCT\_FS file system (/usr by default).

Ensure that the ACCT\_FS and MIN\_BLKS variables have been set correctly in the /etc/config/acct\_config configuration file. ACCT\_FS is the file system containing /usr/adm/acct; the default is /usr. MIN\_BLKS is the minimum number of free blocks needed in the ACCT\_FS file system. The default is 500.

It is very important that ckpacct and ckdacct be run periodically so that an administrator is notified when the accounting file system (/usr by default) runs out of disk space. After the file system is cleaned up, the next invocation of ckpacct and ckdacct enables per-process and daemon accounting. You can manually reenable accounting by invoking turnacct(8) and turndacct(8) with the on operand.

If ckpacct and ckdacct are not run periodically, and the accounting file system runs out of space, an error message is written to the console stating that a write error occurred and that accounting is disabled. If you do not free disk space as soon as possible, a vast amount of accounting data can be lost unnecessarily. Additionally, lost accounting data can cause csarun(8) to abort or report erroneous information.

6. To run periodic accounting, an entry similar to the following should be made in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/root. This command generates a periodic report on all consolidated data files found in /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/\* and then deletes those data files:

15 5 1 \* \* /usr/lib/acct/csaperiod -r 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/pd2log

This entry is executed at such a time that csarun(8) has sufficient time to complete. This example results in the creation of a monthly accounting file and report on the first day of each month. These files contain information about the previous month's accounting.

7. Update the holidays file. The /usr/lib/acct/holidays file contains the prime/nonprime time table for the accounting system, which should be edited to reflect your site's holiday schedule for the year.

By default, the holidays file is located in the /usr/lib/acct directory. You can change this location by modifying the *HOLIDAY\_FILE* variable in /etc/config/acct\_config. If necessary, modify the *NUM\_HOLIDAYS* variable (also located in /etc/config/acct\_config), which sets the upper limit on the number of holidays that can be defined in *HOLIDAY\_FILE*. The format of this file is composed of the following types of entries:

- Comment lines: These lines may appear anywhere in the file as long as the first character in the line is an asterisk (\*).
- Version line: This line must be the first uncommented line in the file and must only appear once. It denotes that the new holidays file format is being used. This line should not be changed by the site.
- Year designation line: This line must be the second uncommented line in the file and must only appear once. The line consists of two fields. The first field is the keyword YEAR. The second field must be either the current year or the wildcard character, asterisk (\*). If the year is wildcarded, the current year is automatically substituted for the year. The following are examples of two valid entries:

YEAR	1997
YEAR	*

• Prime/nonprime time designation lines: These must be uncommented lines 3, 4, and 5 in the file. The format of these lines is as follows:

period prime\_time\_start nonprime\_time\_start

The variable *period* is one of the following: WEEKDAY, SATURDAY, or SUNDAY. The *period* can be in either upper or lowercase.

The prime and nonprime start time can be one of two formats:

Both start times are 4-digit numeric values between 0000 and 2359.
 The *nonprime\_time\_start* value must be greater than the

*prime\_time\_start* value. For example, it is incorrect to have prime time start at 07:30 A.M. and nonprime time start at 1 minute after midnight. Therefore, the following entry is wrong and can cause incorrect accounting values to be reported.

WEEKDAY 0730 0001

It is correct to specify prime time to start at 07:30 A.M. and nonprime time to start at 5:30 P.M. on weekdays. You would enter the following in the holiday file:

WEEKDAY 0730 1730

Start times specify that the entire period is to be either all prime time or all nonprime time. To specify that the entire period is to be considered prime time, set *prime\_time\_start* to ALL and *nonprime\_time\_start* to NONE. If the period is to be considered all nonprime time, set *prime\_time\_start* to NONE and *nonprime\_time\_start* to ALL. For example, to specify Monday through Friday as all prime time, you would enter the following:

WEEKDAY ALL NONE

To specify all of Sunday to be nonprime time, you would enter the following:

SUNDAY NONE ALL

• Company holidays lines: These entries follow the year designation line and have the following general format:

day-of-year Month Day Description of Holiday

The *day-of-year* field is a number in the range 1 through 366, indicating the day for a given holiday (leading white space is ignored). The other three fields are commentary and are not currently used by other programs. Each holiday is considered all nonprime time.

If the holidays file does not exist or there is an error in the year designation line, the default values for all lines are used.

If there is an error in a prime/nonprime time designation line, the entry for the erroneous line is set to a default value. All other lines in the holidays file are ignored and default values are used.

If there is an error in a company holidays line, all holidays are ignored.

The default values are as follows:		
YEAR	The current year.	
WEEKDAY	Monday through Friday is all prime time.	
SATURDAY	Saturday is all nonprime time.	
SUNDAY	Sunday is all nonprime time.	
No holidays are specified		

# 2.1.5 The csarun Command

The /usr/lib/acct/csarun command is the primary daily accounting shell script. It processes connect, disk, per-process, and daemon accounting files and is normally initiated by cron(8) during nonprime hours.

csarun(8) also contains four user-exit points allowing sites to tailor the daily run of accounting to their specific needs (see Section 2.1.10.3, page 51 for information on setting up user exits callable from csarun and Section 2.2.3.1, page 83, for information on setting up a user exit callable from runacct).

The csarun command does not damage files in the event of errors. It contains a series of protection mechanisms that attempt to recognize an error, provide intelligent diagnostics, and terminate processing in such a way that csarun can be restarted with minimal intervention.

#### 2.1.5.1 Daily Invocation

The csarun command is invoked periodically by cron(8). It is very important that you ensure that the previous invocation of csarun completed successfully before invoking csarun for a new accounting period. If this is not done, information about unfinished sessions will be inaccurate.

Data for a new accounting period can also be interactively processed by executing the following:

nohup csarun 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log &

Before executing csarun in this manner, ensure that the previous invocation completed successfully. To do this, look at the files active and statefile in /usr/adm/acct/nite. Both files should specify that the last invocation completed successfully.

#### 2.1.5.2 Error and Status Messages

The csarun error and status messages are placed in the /usr/adm/acct/nite directory. The progress of a run is tracked by writing descriptive messages to the file active. Diagnostic output during the execution of csarun is written to fd2log. The lock and lock1 files prevent concurrent invocations of csarun; csarun will abort if these two files exist when it is invoked. The clastdate file contains the month, day, and time of the last two executions of csarun.

Errors and warning messages from programs called by csarun are written to files that have names beginning with E and ending with the current date and time. For example, Ebld.11121400 is an error file from csabuild(8) for a csarun invocation on November 12, at 14:00.

If csarun detects an error, it sends an informational message to the operator with msgi(1), sends mail to root and adm, removes the locks, saves the diagnostic files, and terminates execution. When csarun detects an error, it will send mail either to MAIL\_LIST if it is a fatal error, or to WMAIL\_LIST if it is a warning message, as defined in the configuration file /etc/config/acct\_config.

## 2.1.5.3 States

Processing is broken down into separate reentrant states so that csarun can be restarted. As each state completes, /usr/adm/acct/nite/statefile is updated to reflect the next state. When csarun reaches the CLEANUP state, it removes various data files and the locks, and then terminates.

The following describes the events that occur in each state. *MMDD* refers to the month and day csarun was invoked. *hhmm* refers to the hour and minute of invocation.

<u>State</u>	Description
SETUP	The current accounting files are switched via turnacct(8) and turndacct(8). These files are then moved to the /usr/adm/acct/work/ <i>MMDD/hhmm</i> directory. File names are prefaced with W. /etc/wtmp and /etc/csainfo are also moved to this directory.
WTMPFIX	The wtmp file in the work directory is checked for accuracy by wtmpfix (see fwtmp(8)). Some date changes cause csaline(8) to fail, so wtmpfix attempts to adjust the time stamps in the

wtmp file if a date change record appears.

	If wtmpfix is unable to fix the wtmp file, the wtmp file must be manually repaired. This is described in Section 2.1.6.1, page 20.
VERIFY	By default, per-process and NQS accounting files are checked for valid data. In addition, tape and socket accounting files are verified. Records with invalid data are removed. Names of bad data files are prefixed with BAD. in the /usr/adm/acct/work/* directory. The corrected files do not have this prefix.
PREPROC	The NQS and connect time (wtmp) accounting files are run through preprocessors. File names of preprocessed files are prefixed with a P in the /usr/adm/acct/work/MMDD/hhmm directory.
ARCHIVE1	First user exit of the csarun script. If a script named /usr/lib/acct/csa.archive1 exists, it will be executed through the shell . (dot) command. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. You might use this user exit to archive the accounting files in \${WORK}.
BUILD	The per-process, NQS, tape, socket, and connect accounting data is organized into a session record file.
ARCHIVE2	Second user exit of the csarun script. If a script named /usr/lib/acct/csa.archive2 exists, it will be executed through the shell . (dot) command. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. You might use this exit to archive the session record file.
CMS	Produces a command summary file in cacct.h format. The cacct file is put into the /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm directory for use by csaperiod(8).
REPORT	Generates the daily accounting report and puts it into /usr/adm/acct/sum/rpt/MMDD/hhmm/rprt. A consolidated data file, /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm/cacct, is also produced from the session record file. In addition, accounting data for unfinished sessions is recycled.
DREP	Generates a daemon usage report based on the session file. This report is appended to the daily accounting report, /usr/adm/acct/sum/rpt/MMDD/hhmm/rprt.

FEF	Third user exit of the csarun script. If a script named /usr/lib/acct/csa.fef exists, it will be executed through the shell . (dot) command. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. csarun variables are available, without being exported, to the user exit script. You might use this exit to convert the session record file to a format suitable for a front-end system.
USEREXIT	Fourth user exit of the csarun script. If a script named /usr/lib/acct/csa.user exists, it will be executed through the shell . (dot) command. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. csarun variables are available, without being exported, to the user exit script. You might use this exit to run local accounting programs.
CLEANUP	Cleans up temporary files, removes the locks, and then exits.

#### 2.1.5.4 Restarting csarun

If csarun(8) is executed without arguments, the previous invocation is assumed to have completed successfully.

The following operands are required with csarun if it is being restarted:

csarun [MMDD [hhmm [state]]]

*MMDD* is month and day, *hhmm* is hour and minute, and *state* is the csarun entry state.

To restart csarun, follow these steps:

1. Remove all lock files by using the following command line:

rm -f /usr/adm/acct/nite/lock\*

- 2. Execute the appropriate csarun restart command, using the following examples as guides:
  - a. To restart csarun using the time and state specified in clastdate and statefile, execute the following command:

nohup csarun 0601 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log &

In this example, csarun will be rerun for June 1, using the time and state specified in clastdate and statefile.

b. To restart csarun using the state specified in statefile, execute the following command:

nohup csarun 0601 0400 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log &

In this example, csarun will be rerun for the June 1 invocation that started at 4:00 A.M., using the state found in statefile.

c. To restart csarun using the specified date, time, and state, execute the following command:

nohup csarun 0601 0400 BUILD 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log &

In this example, csarun will be restarted for the June 1 invocation that started at 4:00 A.M., beginning with state BUILD.

Before csarun is restarted, the appropriate directories must be restored. If the directories are not restored, further processing is impossible. These directories are as follows:

/usr/adm/acct/work/MMDD/hhmm /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/MMDD/hhmm /usr/adm/acct/sum/rpt/MMDD/hhmm /tmp/AC.MMDD/hhmm

If you are restarting at state ARCHIVE2, CMS, REPORT, DREP, or FEF, the session file must already exist in /tmp/AC.*MMDD/hhmm*. If the file does not exist, csarun will automatically restart at the BUILD state. Depending on the tasks performed during the site-specific USEREXIT state, the session file may or may not need to exist.

#### 2.1.6 Verifying and Correcting Data Files

This section describes how to remove bad data from various accounting files.

#### 2.1.6.1 Fixing wtmp Errors

The wtmp files generally cause the highest number of errors in the day-to-day operation of the accounting subsystem. When the date is changed, and the UNICOS system is in multiuser mode, a set of date change records is written into the /etc/wtmp file. The wtmpfix (see fwtmp(8)) program is designed to adjust the time stamps in the wtmp records when a date change is encountered.

Some combinations of date changes and reboots, however, slip by wtmpfix and cause csaline(8) to fail. The following example shows how to repair a wtmp file:

```
$ cd /usr/adm/acct/work/MMDD/hhmm
$ /usr/lib/acct/fwtmp < Wwtmp > xwtmp
$ ed xwtmp
   (delete corrupted records)
$ /usr/lib/acct/fwtmp -ic < xwtmp > Wwtmp
   (restart csarun at the WTMPFIX state)
```

If the wtmp file is beyond repair, create a null Wwtmp file. This prevents any charging of connect time.

### 2.1.6.2 Verifying Data Files

You can verify data files with the csaedit(8), csapacct(8), and csaverify(8) commands. csaedit and csapacct verify and delete bad data records, while csaverify only flags bad records. By default, csaedit and csaverify are invoked in csarun to verify the data files.

Note that these commands may allow files that contain bad data, such as very large values, to be successfully verified.

### 2.1.6.3 Editing Data Files

You can use the csaedit(8) and csapacct(8) commands to verify and remove records from various accounting files. The following example shows how you can use csapacct to verify and remove bad records from a per-process (pacct) accounting file.

In this example, csapacct is invoked with verbose mode enabled (valid data records are written to the file pacct.NEW):

/usr/lib/acct/csapacct -v pacct pacct.NEW

The output produced by this command line is as follows:

```
Bad record - starting byte offset is 077740 (32736)

invalid pacct record - bad base parent process id 97867

Found the next magic word at byte offset 0100130, ignored 120 bytes

Found 394 BASE records

Found 4 EOJ records

Found 1 MTASK (multitasking) records

Found 0 ERROR records

Found 0 IO records

Found 0 IO records

Found 0 SDS records  # not on CRAY EL systems

Found 0 MPP records  # not on CRAY EL systems

Found 0 PERFORMANCE records

Outputted records for 398 processes

Ignored 120 bytes from the input file
```

You can use csaedit and csapacct in conjunction with csaverify, by first running csaverify and noting the byte offsets of the first bad record. Next, execute csaedit or csapacct and remove the record at the specified offset. The following example shows how you can verify and then edit a bad pacct accounting file:

1. The pacct file is verified with the following command line, and the following output is received:

```
$ /usr/lib/acct/csaverify -P pacct
/usr/lib/acct/csaverify: pacct: invalid pacct record - bad base parent process id 97867
byte offset: start = 077740 (32736) word offset: start = 07774 (4092)
/usr/lib/acct/csaverify: pacct: invalid pacct record - bad magic word 03514000
byte offset: start = 0100070 (32824) word offset: start = 010007 (4103)
```

2. The record found at byte offset 32736 is deleted as follows (valid records are written to pacct.NEW):

```
/usr/lib/acct/csapacct -0 32736 pacct pacct.NEW
```

3. The new pacct file is reverified as follows to ensure that all the bad records have been deleted:

/usr/lib/acct/csaverify -P pacct.NEW

You can use csaedit to produce an abbreviated ASCII version of some of the daemon accounting files and acctcom(1) to generate a similar ASCII version of pacct files.

## 2.1.7 Files and Directories

This section describes the files and directories used by CSA.

#### 2.1.7.1 /usr/adm/acct Directory

The /usr/adm/acct directory contains the following directories:

<u>Directory</u>	Description
day	Current accounting files
fiscal	Periodic accounting data and reports
nite	Processing messages and errors
sum	Daily accounting data and reports
work	Temporary work area

The /usr/adm/acct/day directory contains the current accounting files, as shown in the following list. Files with names ending with 0 contain data for uncompleted sessions from previous days.

<u>File</u>	Description
dtmp	Disk accounting data (ASCII) created by $dodisk(8)$
nqacct*	NQS daemon accounting data
pacct*	Per-process accounting data
soacct*	Socket accounting data
tpacct*	Tape daemon accounting data

The /usr/adm/acct/fiscal/data/MMDD/hhmm directory contains processed, periodic, binary accounting data in the form of the following files:

<u>File</u>	Description
cms	Periodic command usage data in command
	summary (cms) record format

pdacct	Consolidated periodic data generated on <i>MMDD</i> at <i>hhmm</i>	
The /usr/adm/acct/fiscal/rpt/ <i>MMDD/hhmm</i> directory contains the periodic accounting report, rprt, that was generated on <i>MMDD</i> at <i>hhmm</i> .		
The /usr/adm/acct/nite directory contains error messages and status information about the accounting runs in the following files:		

T:1 -	Description
<u>File</u>	Description
active	Progress and status of csarun
activeMMDDhhmm	Progress and status of csarun after an error has been detected
clastdate	Last two times csarun was executed; in <i>MMDD hhmm</i> format
disktacct	Disk accounting records in cacct.h format; created by dodisk(8)
dk2log	Diagnostic output created during execution of dodisk
E*MMDDhhmm	Error/warning messages for an accounting run done on <i>MMDD</i> at <i>hhmm</i>
fd2log	Diagnostic output created during execution of csarun
lineuse	tty line usage report
lock, lock1	Controls simultaneous invocations of csarun
pd2log	Diagnostic output created during execution of csaperiod
pdact	Progress and status of csaperiod
pdactMMDDhhmm	Progress and status of csaperiod after an error has been detected
reboots	The start and ending dates from wtmp and a listing of reboots
statefile	Current state during csarun execution
tmpwtmp	The wtmp file corrected by wtmpfix (see fwtmp(8))

wtmperror	wtmpfix error messages
	$(1)$ $(MMDD)$ $(1,1,\dots,1)$

The /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/*MMDD/hhmm* directory contains daily, binary accounting data in the following files:

<u>File</u>	Description
cacct	Consolidated daily data generated on <i>MMDD</i> at <i>hhmm</i> in cacct.h format
Cms	Command usage data in command summary (cms) record format
dacct	Disk usage data in cacct.h format
The lugar / adm / a get / gum / rest / MMDD / hhmme directory contains the daily	

The /usr/adm/acct/sum/rpt/*MMDD/hhmm* directory contains the daily accounting report, rprt, which was generated on *MMDD* at *hhmm*.

The /usr/adm/acct/work/*MMDD/hhmm* directory is used as a work area during the processing of the accounting data. It contains the following files:

<u>File</u>	Description
BAD.Wnqacct*	Unprocessed NQS accounting data containing bad records (verified by csaedit)
BAD.Wpacct*	Unprocessed per-process accounting data containing bad records (verified by csaedit)
BAD.Wtpacct*	Unprocessed tape accounting data containing bad records (verified by csaedit)
Ever.tmp	Data verification work file
Pctime* Preprocessed connect time data	
Preprocessed NQS data	
Puptime* Uptimes	
Rctime0	Recycled connect data to be used in the next accounting period
Rnqacct0	Recycled NQS data to be used in the next accounting period
Rpacct0	Recycled per-process accounting data to be used in the next accounting run
Rtpacct0	Recycled tape data to be used in the next accounting period

Ruptime0	Recycled uptimes to be used in the next accounting period	
Wctime*	Verified, unprocessed connect time data	
Wdisktacct	Disk accounting data (cacct.h format) created by acctdisk(8)	
Wdtmp	Disk accounting report (ASCII) created by diskusg(8) or acctdusg(8)	
Wnqacct*	Unprocessed NQS accounting data	
Wpacct*	Unprocessed per-process accounting data	
Wtpacct*	Unprocessed tape accounting data	
Wsoacct*	Unprocessed socket accounting data	
Wwtmp*	Unprocessed connect time data	

The /tmp/AC.*MMDD/hhmm* directory contains the session record file, Super-record, which is generated on *MMDD* at *hhmm*.

The /usr/lib/acct directory contains the following programs and shell scripts used by CSA:

Program/script	Description	
csaaddc	Merges consolidated (cacct) accounting files	
csabuild	Creates a session file	
csacon	Creates a consolidated (cacct) accounting file	
csaconvert	Converts UNICOS 8.0, 8.3, 9.0, 9.1, 9.2, and 9.3 accounting file(s), both System V and CSA, to a 10.0 format	
csacrep	Generates consolidated accounting reports	
csadrep Reports daemon usage based on the session fil		
csaedit Verifies, deletes records, and prints various dat files		
csafef	Template to convert session files to an IBM front-end format	
csafef2	Template to summarize session file records by the tuple user name, job ID, and account ID.	
csagcon	Consolidates accounting data for session and pacct files	

csagfef	Formats consolidated accounting data	
csaibm	Template to convert session files to an IBM front-end format	
csajrep	Generates job reports from a session file	
csaline	Preprocesses connect time data (/etc/wtmp)	
csanqs	Preprocesses NQS accounting data	
csapacct	Verifies and deletes records from a pacct file	
csaperiod	Performs periodic accounting	
csaperm	Changes the group ID and permissions on the accounting files	
csarecy	Recycles session data for unfinished sessions	
csarun	Performs daily accounting	
csaswitch	Enables or disables kernel and daemon accounting	
csaverify	Verifies various data files	
getconfig	Extracts values from the configuration file	

The /usr/lib/acct directory may also contain the following programs if your site uses the accounting user exits:

Description
Site-generated user exit for csarun

# 2.1.7.2 /etc Directory

The /etc directory contains uptime and connect time data in the following files:

<u>File</u>	<u>Description</u>	
csaboots	Captures system boot times	
csainfo	Output file of csaboots	

wtmp

Current connect time data

2.1.7.3 /etc/config Directory

The /etc/config directory is the location of the acct\_config file that contains the configurable parameters used by the accounting commands. These parameters can be changed by using the UNICOS installation and configuration menu system (the *menu system*). To see the acct\_config file parameters, use the following menu selection:

UNICOS 8.0 Installation / Configuration Menu System ->Configure System ->Accounting Configuration

The main menu for accounting configuration is as follows:

```
Mainframe Dependent Parameters ==>
Accounting Start Parameters ==>
Block Device SBUs ==>
Character Device SBUs ==>
Connect Time SBU ==>
Multitasking CPU SBUs=>
NQS SBUs ==>
Pacct File SBUs ==>
Tape SBUs ==>
Miscellaneous Settings ==>
Parameters for CSARUN and CSAPERIOD ==>
Site Defined Settings ==>
Import accounting configuration ...
Activate accounting configuration ...
Reload default accounting configuration ...
```

Online help for the acct\_config parameters is available through the menu system.

The main menu for accounting configuration displays a table of acct\_config parameters and the current values.

The Import accounting configuration ... option gets the local site accounting configuration.

The Activate accounting configuration ... option rewrites the /etc/config/acct\_config file with the current values selected in the menus.

The Reload default accounting configuration ... option reloads the default values for the acct\_config file from the released /usr/src/skl/etc/config/acct\_config file.

# 2.1.8 CSA Data Processing

The flow of data among the various CSA programs is explained in this section and is illustrated in Figure 2.



Figure 2. CSA program data flow

- 1. Generate raw accounting files. Various daemons and system processes write to the raw accounting files. These accounting files include pacct, nqacct, soacct, usacct, tpacct, wtmp, and csainfo.
- 2. Create a fee file. Sites that want to charge fees to certain users can do so with the chargefee(8) command. chargefee creates a fee file that is processed by csaaddc(8).
- 3. Produce disk usage statistics. The dodisk(8) shell script allows sites to take snapshots of disk usage. dodisk does not report dynamic usage; it only

reports the disk usage at the time the command was run. Disk usage is processed by csaaddc.

4. Preprocess selected raw accounting files. Generally, a data file that must be preprocessed contains multiple records for a session. These records are scattered throughout the file, and the processing of the records often depends upon other events that are logged in the accounting file (for example, system reboot). The preprocessor collapses information about a session into one output record.

NQS and connect time accounting data are preprocessed by csanqs(8) and csaline(8), respectively.

5. Organize the accounting data. csabuild(8) organizes the raw and preprocessed accounting data by sessions and boot times. With the exception of disk usage statistics and fees, the csabuild output file contains all of the accounting data available about each session.

Sometimes data for terminated sessions is continually recycled. This can occur when accounting data is lost. To prevent data from recycling forever, edit csarun so that csabuild is executed with the -o *nday* option, which causes all sessions older than *nday* days to terminate. Select an appropriate *nday* value (see the csabuild(8) man page for more information).

- 6. Recycle information about unfinished sessions. Accounting data about uncompleted sessions is saved and processed again during the next accounting period. This information is recycled until the session completes or until manual intervention occurs. Accounting data for unfinished sessions is reported during each accounting period.
- Generate the daemon usage report, which is appended to the daily report. csadrep(8) outputs information about interactive, NQS, tape, and socket usage.
- 8. Convert the session record file to a front-end format. Sites that process UNICOS accounting data on a front-end system can convert the session file to a format suitable for use on the front end by using the csafef(8), csafef2(8), or csaibm(8) command. These programs are templates, and you must modify them to suit your site's requirements. It is suggested that you use the user exit in the FEF section of csarun (see Section 2.1.5, page 16 and Section 2.1.10.3, page 51) to convert the session record file to your front-end format.
- 9. Generate command usage data. The information output by acctcms(8) is reported in the daily and periodic reports.

- 10. Consolidate the session record file. Session files are too large to retain on disk for any amount of time. Consequently, CSA consolidates the data and keeps the condensed version on disk. The accounting reports are based on the consolidated data. Data consolidation is done by csacon(8).
- 11. Generate an accounting report based on the consolidated data. csacrep(8) outputs the report.
- 12. Create the daily accounting report. The daily accounting report includes the following:
  - Connect time statistics (step 4)
  - Disk usage statistics (step 3)
  - Unfinished session information (step 6)
  - Command summary data (step 9)
  - Consolidated accounting report (step 11)
  - Last login information
  - Daemon usage report (step 7)
- 13. Generate periodic accounting data. Periodic accounting data is an accumulation of the consolidated data created in step 10. csaaddc(8) merges condensed data files together. The resulting file contains accounting information for numerous accounting periods.
- 14. Generate periodic command usage data. acctcms(8) merges command usage data from multiple accounting periods. The usage information was created in step 9. Both an ASCII and a binary file are created.
- 15. Produce a periodic accounting report. csacrep(8) is used to generate a report based on a periodic accounting file.

Steps 4 through 12 are performed during each accounting period by csarun(8). Periodic accounting (steps 13 through 15) is initiated by the csaperiod(8) command. Daily and periodic accounting, as well as fee and disk usage generation (steps 2 through 3), can be scheduled by cron(8) to execute regularly. See Section 2.1.4, page 11, for more information.

### 2.1.9 Data Recycling

A system administrator must correctly maintain recycled data in order to ensure accurate accounting reports. The following sections discuss data recycling and describe how an administrator can purge unwanted recycled accounting data.

Data recycling allows CSA to properly bill sessions that are active during multiple accounting periods. By default, csarun(8) reports data only for sessions that terminate during the current accounting period. Through data recycling, CSA preserves data for active sessions until the sessions terminate.

In the Super-record file, csabuild(8) flags each session as being either active or terminated. csarecy(8) reads the Super-record file and recycles data for the active sessions. csacon(8) consolidates the data for the terminated sessions, which csaperiod(8) uses later. csabuild, csarecy, and csacon are all invoked by csarun.

csarun puts recycled data in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory. Data files with names suffixed with 0 contain recycled data. For example, ctime0, nqacct0, pacct0, tpacct0, usacct0, and uptime0 are generally the recycled data files that are found in /usr/adm/acct/day.

Normally, an administrator should not have to manually purge the recycled accounting data. This purge should only be necessary if accounting data is missing. Missing data can cause sessions to recycle forever and consume valuable CPU cycles and disk space.

### 2.1.9.1 How Sessions Are Terminated

Interactive sessions, cron jobs, and at jobs terminate when the last process in the job exits. Normally, the last process to terminate is the login shell. The kernel writes an end-of-job (EOJ) record to the pacct file when the session terminates.

When the NQS daemon delivers an NQS request's output, the request terminates. The daemon then writes an NQ\_DISP record type to the NQS accounting file, while the kernel writes an EOJ record to the pacct file.

Unlike interactive sessions, NQS requests can have multiple EOJ records associated with them. In addition to the request's EOJ record, there can be EOJ records for pipe clients, net clients, and checkpointed portions of the request. The pipe client and net client perform NQS processing on behalf of the request.

The csabuild command flags sessions in the Super-record file as being terminated if they meet one of the following conditions:

- The session is an interactive, cron, or at job, and there is an EOJ record for the job in the pacct file.
- The session is an NQS request, and there is both an EOJ record for the request in the pacct file and an NQ\_DISP record type in the NQS accounting file.
- The session is an interactive, cron, or at job and is active at the time of a system crash.
- The session is manually terminated by the administrator using one of the methods described in Section 2.1.9.3, page 34.

### 2.1.9.2 Why Recycled Sessions Should Be Scrutinized

Recycling unnecessary data can consume large amounts of disk space and CPU time. The session file and recycled data can occupy a vast amount of disk space on the file systems containing /tmp and /usr/adm/acct/day. Sites that archive data also require additional offline media. Wasted CPU cycles are used by csarun to reexamine and recycle the data. Therefore, to conserve disk space and CPU cycles, unnecessary recycled data should be purged from the accounting system.

Any of the following situations can cause CSA erroneously to recycle terminated sessions:

• Kernel or daemon accounting is turned off. At boot time, the rc command must execute /usr/lib/acct/startup in order to start kernel and daemon accounting.

The kernel, ckpacct(8) command, or ckdacct(8) command can turn off accounting when there is not enough space on the file system containing /usr/adm/acct/day.

- Accounting files are corrupt. Accounting data can be lost or corrupted during a system or disk crash.
- Boot times are not recorded in /etc/csainfo. The csaboots command must be invoked by rc to write a boot time record to /etc/csainfo.
- Recycled data is erroneously deleted in a previous accounting period.

#### 2.1.9.3 How to Remove Recycled Data

Before choosing to delete recycled data, you should understand the repercussions, as described in Section 2.1.9.4, page 36. Data removal can affect

billing and can alter the contents of the consolidated data file, which is used by csaperiod.

You can remove recycled data from CSA in the following ways:

• Interactively execute the csarecy -A command. Administrators can select the active sessions that are to be recycled by running csarecy with the -A option. Users are not billed for the resources used in the sessions terminated in this manner. Deleted data is also not included in the consolidated data file.

The following example is one way to execute csarecy -A (which generates two accounting reports and two consolidated files):

- 1. Run csarun at the regularly scheduled time.
- Edit a copy of /usr/lib/acct/csarun. Change the -r option on the csarecy invocation line to -A. Also, do not redirect standard output to \${CRPT}/recyrpt. The result should be similar to the following:

```
csarecy -A -s ${SESSION_FILE} \
-N ${WORK}/Rnqacct -P ${WORK}/Rpacct \
-T ${WORK}/Rtpacct -U ${WORK}/Ruptime \
-C ${WORK}/Rctime -u ${WORK}/Rusacct \
2> ${NITE}/Erec.${DTIME}
```

Since both the -A and -r options write output to stdout, the -r option is not invoked and stdout is not redirected to a file. As a result, the recycled job report is not generated.

3. Execute the jstat command, as follows, to display a list of currently active jobs:

jstat > jstat.out

4. Execute the qstat command to display a list of NQS requests. The qstat command is used for seeing whether there are requests that are not currently running. This includes requests that are checkpointed, held, queued, or waiting.

In order to list all NQS requests, execute the qstat command, as follows, using a login that has either NQS manager or NQS operator privilege:

qstat -a > qstat.out

5. Interactively run the modified version of csarun. If you execute csarun soon after the first step is complete, this invocation of csarun completes quickly because not very much data exists.

For each active session, csarecy asks you if you want to preserve the session. Preserve the active and nonrunning NQS sessions found in the third and fourth steps. All other sessions are candidates for removal.

• Execute csabuild with the -o *ndays* option, which terminates all active sessions older than the specified number of days. Resource usage for these terminated sessions is reported by csarun, and users are billed for the sessions. The consolidated data file also includes this resource usage.

To execute csabuild with the -o option, edit /usr/lib/acct/csarun. Add the -o *ndays* option to the csabuild invocation line. Specify for *ndays* an appropriate value for your site.

Recycled data for currently active sessions will be removed if you specify an inappropriate value for *ndays*.

• Execute csarun with the -A option. It reports resource usage for both active and terminated sessions, so users are billed for recycled sessions. This data is also included in the consolidated data file.

None of the data for the active sessions, including the currently active sessions, is recycled. No recycled data files are generated in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory.

• Remove the recycled data files from the /usr/adm/acct/day directory. You can delete data for all of the recycled sessions, both terminated and active, by executing the following command:

rm /usr/adm/acct/day/\*[a-z]0

The next time csarun is executed, it will not find data for any recycled sessions. Thus, users are not billed for the resources used in the recycled sessions, and this data is not included in the consolidated data file. csarun recycles the data for currently active sessions.

#### 2.1.9.4 Adverse Effects of Removing Recycled Data

CSA assumes that all necessary accounting information is available to it, which means that CSA expects kernel and daemon accounting to be enabled and recycled data not to have been mistakenly removed. If some data is unavailable, CSA may provide erroneous billing information. Sites should be aware of the following facts before removing data:

• Users may or may not be billed for terminated recycled sessions. Administrators must understand which of the previously described methods cause the user to be billed for the terminated recycled sessions. It is up to the site to decide whether or not it is valid for the user to be billed for these sessions.

For those methods that cause the user to be billed, both csarun and csaperiod report the resource usage.

- It may be impossible to reconstruct a terminated recycled session. If a recycled session is terminated by the administrator, but the session actually terminates in a later accounting period, information about the session is lost. If a user questions the resource billing, it may be extremely difficult or impossible for the administrator to correctly reassemble all accounting information for the session in question.
- Manually terminated recycled sessions be improperly billed in a future billing period. If the accounting data for the first portion of a session has been deleted, CSA may be unable to correctly identify the remaining portion of the job. Errors may occur, such as NQS requests being flagged as interactive sessions, or NQS requests being billed at the wrong queue rate. This is explained in detail in Section 2.1.9.5, page 38.
- CSA programs may detect data inconsistencies. When accounting data is missing, CSA programs may detect errors and abort.

The following table summarizes the effects of using the methods described in Section 2.1.9.3, page 34.

Method	Underbilling?	Incorrect billing?	Consolidated data file
csarecy -A	Yes. Users are not billed for the portion of the session that was terminated by csarecy -A.	Possible. Manually terminated recycled sessions may be billed improperly in a future billing period.	Does not include data for sessions terminated by csarecy -A.
csabuild -o	No. Users are billed for the portion of the session that was terminated by csabuild -o.	Possible. Manually terminated recycled sessions may be billed improperly in a future billing period.	Includes data for sessions terminated by csabuild -o.
csarun -A	No. All active and recycled sessions are billed.	Possible. All active and recycled sessions that eventually terminate may be billed improperly in a future billing period, because no data is recycled.	Includes data for all active and recycled sessions.
rm	Yes. All users are not billed for the portion of the session that was recycled.	Possible. All recycled sessions that eventually terminate may be billed improperly in a future billing period.	Does not include data for any recycled session.

# Table 1. Possible effects of removing recycled data

By default, the consolidated data file contains data only for terminated sessions. Manual termination of recycled data may cause some of the recycled data to be included in the consolidated file. These cases are noted in the previous table.

### 2.1.9.5 NQS Requests and Recycled Data

In order for CSA to identify all NQS requests, data must be properly recycled. When an administrator manually purges recycled data for an NQS request, errors such as the following can occur:

- CSA flags the NQS request as an interactive session. This causes the request to be billed at interactive rates.
- The request is billed at the wrong queue rate.
- The wrong queue wait time is associated with the request.
These errors occur because valuable NQS accounting information was purged by the administrator. Only a few NQS accounting records are written by the NQS daemon, and all of the records are needed for CSA to properly bill NQS requests.

NQS accounting records are only written under the following circumstances:

- The NQS daemon receives a request.
- A request is routed to a queue.
- A request executes. This includes executing a request for the first time, and restarting and rerunning a request.
- A request terminates. A request can terminate because it is completed, requeued, preempted, held, checkpointed, or rerun by the operator.
- Output is delivered.

Thus, for long running requests that span days, there can be days when no NQS data is written. Consequently, it is extremely important that accounting data be recycled. If the site administrator manually terminates recycled sessions, care must be taken to be sure that only nonexistent NQS requests are terminated.

### 2.1.10 Tailoring CSA

This section describes the following actions in CSA:

- Setting up SBUs
- Setting up daemon accounting
- Setting up user exits
- Modifying the front-end formatting templates
- Modifying the charging of NQS jobs based on NQS termination status
- Tailoring CSA shell scripts
- Using at(1) instead of cron(8) to periodically execute csarun
- Allowing users without super-user permissions to execute CSA
- Using an alternate configuration file

### 2.1.10.1 System Billing Units (SBUs)

A *system billing unit* (SBU) is a unit of measure that reflects use of machine resources. You can alter the weighting factors associated with each field in each accounting record to obtain an SBU value suitable for your site. SBUs are defined in the accounting configuration file, /etc/config/acct\_config. By default, all SBUs are set to 0.0.

The source code for the default SBU calculations is located in /usr/src/cmd/acct/lib/acct/sbu.c. For sites that do not have source code, the default algorithms are also defined in /usr/src/cmd/acct/lib/acct/user\_sbu.c. By modifying /usr/src/cmd/acct/lib/acct/user\_sbu.c, compiling, and relinking the accounting programs, your site can use local SBU calculations.

Accounting allows different periods of time to be designated either prime or nonprime time (the time periods are specified in /usr/lib/acct/holidays).

Following is an example of how the prime/nonprime algorithm works:

Assume a user uses 10 seconds of CPU time, and executes for 100 seconds of prime wall-clock time, and pauses for 100 seconds of nonprime wall-clock time. Therefore, elapsed time is 200 seconds (100+100). If

prime = prime time / elapsed time nonprime = nonprime time / elapsed time cputime[PRIME] = prime \* CPU time cputime[NONPRIME] = nonprime \* CPU time

then

cputime[PRIME] == 5 seconds
cputime[NONPRIME] == 5 seconds

Under CSA, an SBU value is associated with each record in the Session record file when that file is assembled by csabuild(8). Final summation of the SBU values is done by csacon(8) during the creation of the cacct record file.

Billing for SBU values is intended to be a combination of all the SBU values from each record associated with a job, as follows:

Total SBU = (NQS queue SBU value) \* (sum of all pacct record SBUs + sum of all tape record SBUs + sum of all ctmp record SBUs)

This allows a site to bill different NQS queues at differing rates. Again, if the available formulas are insufficient to achieve the site's requirements, a site can

modify the calculations found in the sbu library routine, /usr/src/cmd/acct/lib/acct/user\_sbu.c.

### 2.1.10.1.1 pacct SBUs

The SBUs for pacct data are separated into prime and nonprime values. Prime and nonprime use is calculated by a ratio of elapsed time. If you do not want to make a distinction between prime and nonprime time, set the nonprime time SBUs and the prime time SBUs to the same value. Prime time is defined in /usr/lib/acct/holidays. By default, Saturday and Sunday are considered nonprime time.

The following is a list of prime time pacet SBU weights. Descriptions and factor units for the nonprime time SBU weights are similar to those listed here. SBU weights are defined in /etc/config/acct\_config.

<u>Value</u>	Description
P_BASIC	Prime-time weight factor. P_BASIC is multiplied by the sum of prime time SBU values to get the final SBU factor for the pacct base record.
P_TIME	General-time weight factor. P_TIME is multiplied by the time SBUs (made up of P_STIME, P_ITIME, P_SCTIME, and P_INTTIME) to get the time contribution to the pacct base record SBU value.
P_STIME	System CPU-time weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per second. P_STIME is multiplied by the system CPU time to get the system CPU factor.
P_UTIME	User CPU-time weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per second. P_UTIME is multiplied by the user CPU time to get the user CPU factor.
	User time is the sum of user times after weighting for multitasking. Multitasking may affect the user CPU cost if the MUTIME_WEIGHT parameters have been set to values other than 1.0. See the following explanation of these values.
P_ITIME	This is the weight factor for the time spent waiting in the kernel for I/O while the process is

	locked in memory. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per second. P_ITIME is multiplied by the I/O wait time.
P_SCTIME	Weight factor for system call time. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per second.
P_INTTIME	Weight factor for interrupt time. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per second.
P_MEM	General-memory-integral weight factor. P_MEM is multiplied by the memory SBUs (made up of P_XMEM and P_IMEM) to get the memory contribution to the pacct base record SBU value.
P_XMEM	CPU-time-memory-integral weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per Kword-minute. P_XMEM is multiplied by the memory integral (see Section 2.1.12.1, page 62). This value is affected by your site's choice of MEMINT (in the accounting configuration file /etc/config/acct_config).
P_IMEM	The weight factor used with the I/O wait time memory integral. This integral includes the I/O wait time while the process is locked in memory. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per Kword-minute. P_IMEM is multiplied by the I/O-wait-time memory integral.
P_IO	General-I/O weight factor. P_IO is multiplied by the I/O SBUs (made up of P_BYTEIO, P_PHYIO, and P_LOGIO) to get the I/O contribution to the pacct base record SBU value.
P_BYTEIO	Characters-transferred weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per character transferred. P_BYTEIO is multiplied by the bytes of I/O transferred.
	If tape or device I/O is to be charged at a rate other than P_BYTEIO, the tape and device weight factors need to be adjusted accordingly. See Section 2.1.11.1, page 56 (field ac_io), for more information.

Р_РНУІО	Physical-I/O-request weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per physical I/O request. P_PHYIO is multiplied by the number of physical I/O requests made. Physical requests are the number of driver requests made.
P_LOGIO	Logical-I/O-request weight factor. The unit used for this weight is <i>billing units</i> per logical I/O request. P_LOGIO is multiplied by the number of logical I/O requests made. The number of logical I/O requests is the total number of read(2), write(2), reada(2), and writea(2) system calls. The number of strides, multiplied by the number of requests processed by each listio(2) call, is also added to the total.

#### 2.1.10.1.2 Multitasking SBUs

The MUTIME\_WEIGHT *i* variables define the weighting factors that are used to charge user CPU time for multitasking programs. It is used in conjunction with the ac\_mutime array (see /usr/include/sys/acct.h), which defines the amount of CPU time the multitasking program spent with i + 1 CPUs connected.

MUTIME\_WEIGHT *i* defines the marginal cost of getting the i + 1 CPU at one instant. If these values are set to less than 1.0, there is an incentive for multitasking. If the values are set to 1.0, multitasking programs are charged for user CPU time just as all other programs.

For more information on multitasking incentives, see Section 2.1.12, page 62.

# 2.1.10.1.3 SDS SBUs

(On all Cray Research systems except the CRAY EL series) Secondary data storage (SDS) system billing units are calculated from the statistics on SDS use in the pacct file. The SBU factors are defined in /etc/config/acct\_config.

The values are as follows:

Value Description

NP\_SDSMEM or P\_SDSMEM

SDS-memory-integral weight factor. The memory integral is based on residency time and not on execution time. P\_SDSMEM

or NP\_SDSMEM is multiplied by the SDS memory integral. The unit used for this weight is *billing units* per Mword-second.

NP\_SDSLOGIO or P\_SDSLOGIO

SDS-logical-I/O-request weight factor. P\_SDSLOGIO or NP\_SDSLOGIO is multiplied by the number of SDS logical I/O requests. The unit used for this weight is *billing units* per logical I/O request.

NP\_SDSBYTEIO or P\_SDSBYTEIO

SDS-characters-transferred weight factor. P\_SDSBYTEIO or NP\_SDSBYTEIO is multiplied by the number of SDS characters transferred. The unit used for this weight is *billing units* per character transferred.

The SBU values should be very small. On Cray Research systems, it is possible to submit a very large number of requests to SDS in a short time; therefore, to prevent these numbers from dominating the SBU values, small weight factors must be used. Values of 0 result in no charge.

# 2.1.10.1.4 MPP SBUs

Massively parallel processing (MPP) system billing units are calculated from the statistics on MPP use in the pacct file. The SBU factors are defined in /etc/config/acct\_config.

The P\_MPPPE or NP\_MPPPE SBUs are the MPP processing elements (PEs) weight factors, prime and nonprime charges. The prime time billing units for PEs is calculated using the following equation:

P\_MPPPE billing units = P\_MPPPE \* 
$$\# {}^{of sessions} \sum_{0} (no. MPP PEs used * MPP time used)$$

The nonprime time billing units for PEs is calculated using the following equation:

NP\_MPPPE billing units = NP\_MPPPE \*  $\# \text{ of } \sum_{0}^{sessions} (no. MPP PEs used * MPP time used)$ 

The unit used for these weights is billing units per PE-second.

The P\_MPPBB or NP\_MPPBB SBUs are the MPP barrier bits weight factors, prime and nonprime charges.<sup>1</sup> The prime time billing units for barrier bits is calculated using the following equation:

P\_MPPBB billing units = P\_MPPBB \* # of sessions (no. MPP barrier bits used\*MPP time used)

The nonprime time billing units for barrier bits is calculated using the following equation:

NP\_MPPBB billing units = NP\_MPPBB \* # of sessions (no. MPP barrier bits used \*MPP time used)

The unit used for these weights is *billing units* per barrier bit-second.

The P\_MPPTIME or NP\_MPPTIME SBUs are the MPP time weight factors, prime and nonprime charges. The prime time billing units for MPP time is calculated using the following equation:

P\_MPPTIME billing units = P\_MPPTIME \* 
$$\# \text{ of sessions}_{0}$$
 (MPP time used)

The nonprime time billing units for MPP time is calculated using the following equation:

NP\_MPPTIME billing units = NP\_MPPTIME \*  $\# of \sum_{0}^{sessions} (MPP time used)$ 

The unit used for these weights is *billing units* per second.

The SBU values should be very small, which will prevent these numbers from dominating the SBU values. Values of 0 result in no charge.

### 2.1.10.1.5 Connect Time SBUs

There are SBUs for both prime- and nonprime-time connect data. The SBU values should reflect the system billing units per second of connect time. The weight factors, CON\_PRIME and CON\_NONPRIME, are defined in /etc/config/acct\_config.

# 2.1.10.1.6 NQS SBUs

The /etc/config/acct\_config file contains the configurable parameters that pertain to NQS SBUs.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Deferred implementation.

The NQS\_NUM\_QUEUES parameter sets the number of queues for which you want to set SBUs (the value must be set to at least 1). Each NQS\_QUEUE *x* variable in the configuration file has a queue name and an SBU pair associated with it (the total number of queue/SBU pairs must equal NQS\_NUM\_QUEUES). The queue/SBU pairs define weights for the queues. If an SBU value is less than 1.0, there is an incentive to run jobs in the associated queue; if the value is 1.0, jobs are charged as though they are non-NQS jobs; and if the SBU is 0.0, there is no charge for jobs running in the associated queue. SBUs for queues not found in the configuration file are automatically set to 1.0.

The NQS\_NUM\_MACHINES parameter sets the number of originating machines for which you want to set SBUs (the value must be at least 1). Each NQS\_MACHINE *x* variable in the configuration file has an originating machine and an SBU pair associated with it (the total number of machine/SBU pairs must equal NQS\_NUM\_MACHINES). SBUs for originating machines not specified in /etc/config/acct\_config are automatically set to 1.0.

The queue and machine SBUs are multiplied together to give an NQS multiplier. If the SBUs are set to less than 1.0, there is an incentive to run jobs in these queues or from these machines. SBUs of 1.0 indicate that jobs in the queues or from associated hosts are billed normally.

### 2.1.10.1.7 Socket SBUs

Currently, there is no way to charge for socket accounting. The socket accounting records produced are only processed in order to make the data available to the site-supplied user exits.

### 2.1.10.1.8 Tape SBUs

There is a set of weighting factors for each group of tape devices. By default, there are only two groups, tape and cart. The TAPE\_SBUi parameters in /etc/config/acct\_config define the weighting factors for each group. There are SBUs associated with the following:

- Number of mounts
- Device reservation time (seconds)
- Number of bytes read
- Number of bytes written

# 2.1.10.1.9 Device SBUs

Device accounting system billing units are calculated from the device statistics in the pacct file. SBUs can be set for both block and character devices in /etc/config/acct\_config. The fields in the acct\_config file that affect SBU factors for each device are as follows:

SBU factor	Description
Logical I/O Sbu	Weight given to each logical I/O request.
Characters Xfer Sbu	Weight given to the amount of data transferred.
Device Name	Device type name (see Section 2.1.14, page 65).

The Logical I/O Sbu factor is multiplied by the number of system calls that initiated I/O on a device type. The Characters Xfer Sbu factor is multiplied by the number of bytes of data transferred to a device type.

The SBUs for block devices are labeled BLOCK\_DEVICE *x*, where *x* is a number from 0 to MAXBDEVNO-1. Character devices are labeled CHAR\_DEVICE *x*, where *x* is a number from 0 to MAXCDEVNO-1. The numeric suffixes for the CHAR\_DEVICE *x* variables must match the minor numbers in /dev, which are defined in /usr/src/uts/cl/cf/devsw.c in the cdevsw[] array.

MAXBDEVNO and MAXCDEVNO are located in the /usr/include/sys/param.h include file and have default values of 10 and 35, respectively.

Device accounting is also discussed in Section 2.1.14, page 65.

The SBU values should be very small. On Cray Research systems, it is possible to perform a very large number of I/O requests very quickly; therefore, to prevent these numbers from dominating the SBU values, a small weight factor must be used. A value of 0 results in no charge.

### 2.1.10.1.10 Example SBU Settings

The following section provides an example showing how you could set up the SBU system. This example is restricted to pacct base records (you should also consider pacct multitasking, pacct I/O (device accounting), and all the daemon records). In this example, it is assumed that an SBU is equal to one dollar of charge.

The formula for calculating the whole pacct base record SBU value is as follows:

```
PSBU = ((P_TIME * (P_STIME * stime + P_UTIME * utime + P_ITIME *
iowtime)) + (P_MEM * (P_XMEM * cpumem + P_IMEM * iowmem)) +
(P_IO * (P_BYTEIO * bytes + P_PHYIO * phy + P_LOGIO * log)));
NSBU = ((NP_TIME * (NP_STIME * stime + NP_UTIME * utime + NP_ITIME
* iowtime)) + (NP_MEM * (NP_XMEM * cpumem + NP_IMEM * iowmem)) +
(NP_IO*(NP_BYTEIO * bytes + NP_PHYIO * phy + NP_LOGIO * log)));
```

SBU = P\_BASIC \* PSBU + NP\_BASIC \* NSBU;

The variables in this formula are as follows:

<u>Variable</u>	Description
stime	System CPU time in seconds.
utime	User CPU time in seconds. User CPU time is the sum of user times after weighting for multitasking.
iowtime	Time (in seconds) spent waiting in the kernel for I/O while the process is locked in memory.
сритет	Memory integral (see Section 2.1.12.1, page 62).
iowmem	I/O-wait-time memory integral.
bytes	Number of bytes of data transferred.
phy	Number of physical I/O requests made.
log	Number of logical I/O requests made.

All time is considered prime time. Therefore, the nonprime time SBUs should be set to the same values as their prime time counterparts.

In order to produce a billing that is somewhat repeatable, this example omits various values, such as physical I/O (set P\_PHYIO to 0.0), that depend on the state of the machine at run time. In particular, system time varies greatly due to system load and will cause this example to be nonrepeatable. Information on which fields generate repeatable values is contained in Section 2.1.11.1, page 56.

In this example, users are charged for each logical request (P\_LOGIO) and the total data moved (P\_BYTEIO). This provides users with an incentive to use larger I/O requests, which may be more efficient. Processes that perform I/O

that locks them into memory are penalized (P\_IMEM), because this may result in memory fragmentation.

In this example, users are charged the following amounts for time (the accounting record fields associated with the charge are also identified):

- \$100 per hour of user CPU time. This is equal to \$100 per 3600 seconds, which is \$0.02777777 per second (P\_UTIME). To produce repeatable billing, system time must be excluded. Thus, P\_STIME is set to 0.0.
- \$25 for each megaword of memory per hour of CPU time. The memory integrals are in units of Kword-minutes, so the weighting factor is \$25/(60 minutes \* 2<sup>10</sup> Kwords) or 0.0004069010 (P\_XMEM).
- \$3 for each hour spent waiting on I/O while locked into memory. The wait time is in units of seconds. so the weighting factor is \$3/3600 seconds or .00083333333 (P\_ITIME).
- \$25 for I/O wait time (locked in memory) per hour. This is the same value as the memory charge because the process is using memory during this time in the same way it would when executing. The weighting factor is \$25/(60 seconds \* 2<sup>10</sup> Kwords) or 0.0004069010 (P\_IMEM).
- A DD-49 disk drive can perform I/O at a maximum rate of 9.6 Mbytes per second. Assume that the original cost of the drive was \$125,000, and it will be paid for in 2 years. Also assume that it is busy 5% of the time (63072000 seconds \* 5% = 3153600 seconds). The amount of I/O that can be completed in 2 years is 31745177026560 bytes (9.6 Mbytes/second \* 3153600 seconds). Thus, you would charge \$125,000/31745177026560 bytes or \$0.0000000393760 per byte, which is approximately \$0.33/10 Mwords (P\_BYTEIO).
- \$0 for physical I/O requests. This charge makes the billing more repeatable. The byte I/O charge covers this activity (P\_PHYIO).
- \$0.01 per thousand logical I/O requests. This charge encourages the user to perform larger I/O requests by charging less for a lower number of larger I/O requests (instead of a lot of small I/O requests). The weighting factor is computed as \$0.01/1000 I/O requests or 0.00001 (P\_LOGIO).

Therefore, in this example, the pacct base record charges are as follows (the nonprime time SBUs are set to the same value as their prime time counterparts):

Weight factor	<u>Charge</u>
P_BASIC	1.0

P_TIME	1.0
P_UTIME	0.0277777777777777
P_STIME	0.0
P_ITIME	0.000833333333333
P_MEM	1.0
P_XMEM	0.00040690104166
P_IMEM	0.00040690104166
P_IO	1.0
P_BYTEIO	0.00000000393760
P_PHYIO	0.0
P_LOGIO	0.00001000000000

P\_BASIC, P\_TIME, P\_MEM, and P\_IO are used to weight different factors of the equation; you can use these depending on how your other groups of weighting factors are picked. For example, you could change the P\_IO and P\_BYTEIO factors as follows and receive the same results:

Weight factor	<u>Charge</u>
P_BASIC	1.0
P_TIME	1.0
P_UTIME	0.0277777777777777
P_STIME	0.0
P_ITIME	0.000833333333333
P_MEM	1.0
P_XMEM	0.00040690104166
P_IMEM	0.00040690104166
P_IO	0.00001
P_BYTEIO	0.000393760
P_PHYIO	0.0

P\_LOGIO 1.0

#### 2.1.10.2 Daemon Accounting

Accounting information is available from NQS, online tapes, and sockets. Data is written to the ngacct, tpacct, and soacct files, respectively, in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory.

In most cases, daemon accounting must be enabled by both the CSA subsystem and the daemon. Section 2.1.4, page 11, describes how to enable daemon accounting at system startup time. You can also enable daemon accounting after the system has booted.

You can enable accounting for a specified daemon with the turndacct(8) command. For example, to start tape accounting, you would execute the following:

/usr/lib/acct/turndacct on tape

The NQS and online tape daemon also must enable accounting. Use the qmgr set accounting on command to turn on NQS accounting. Tape daemon accounting is enabled when tpdaemon(8) is executed with the -c option.

Daemon accounting is disabled by shutacct(8) at system shutdown (see Section 2.1.4, page 11). It can also be disabled at any time by the turndacct(8) command when used with the off operand. For example, to disable NQS accounting, execute the following command:

/usr/lib/acct/turndacct off nqs

New daemon accounting files can be started when turndacct is invoked with the switch operand. No data is lost when files are switched. For example, to start a new NQS accounting file, execute the following command:

/usr/lib/acct/turndacct switch nqs

#### 2.1.10.3 Setting up User Exits

CSA accommodates the following user exits, which can be called from certain csarun states:

<u>csarun state</u>	<u>User exit</u>
ARCHIVE1	/usr/lib/acct/csa.archive1
ARCHIVE2	/usr/lib/acct/csa.archive2

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FEF /usr/lib/acct/csa.fef USEREXIT /usr/lib/acct/csa.user

These exits allow an administrator to tailor the csarun procedure to the individual site's needs by creating scripts to perform additional site-specific processing during daily accounting.

While executing, csarun checks in the ARCHIVE1, ARCHIVE2, FEF, and USEREXIT states for a shell script with the appropriate name.

If the script exists, it is executed via the shell . (dot) command. If the script does not exist, the user exit is ignored. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. csarun variables are available, without being exported, to the user exit script. csarun checks the return status from the user exit and, if it is nonzero, the execution of csarun is terminated.

If CSA is run by a user without super-user permissions, the user exits must be both readable and executable by this user (see page Section 2.1.10.7, page 54).

#### 2.1.10.4 Charging for NQS Jobs

By default, SBUs are calculated for all NQS jobs regardless of the job's NQS termination code. If you do not want to bill portions of an NQS request, set the appropriate NQS\_TERM\_ xxxx variable (termination code) in /etc/config/acct\_config to 0, which sets the SBU for this portion to 0.0. By default, all portions of a request are billed.

The following table describes the termination codes:

Code	Description
NQS_TERM_EXIT	Generated when the request finishes running and is no longer in a queued state. At NQS shutdown time, requests that specified both the -nc (no checkpoint) and -nr (no rerun) options for qsub also have NQS_TERM_EXIT records written. In addition, this record is written for requests that specified the -nr option for qsub and were running at the time of a system crash.
NQS_TERM_REQUEUE	Written for running requests that are checkpointed and then requeued when NQS shuts down.
NQS_TERM_PREEMPT	Written when a request is preempted with the qmgr preempt request command.

NQS_TERM_HOLD	Written for a request that is checkpointed with the qmgr hold request command. The hold request command differs from the checkpoint done at daemon shutdown time because a "hold" keeps the job from being scheduled until a qmgr release command is executed.
NQS_TERM_OPRERUN	Written when a request is rerun with the qmgr rerun request command.
	At NQS shutdown time, jobs that cannot be checkpointed and do not have the -nr (no rerun) option for qsub specified have this type of termination record written. The requests are requeued with this status.

# 2.1.10.5 Tailoring CSA Shell Scripts and Commands

Modify the following variables in /etc/config/acct\_config if necessary:

<u>Variable</u>	Description
ACCT_FS	File system on which /usr/adm/acct resides. The default is /usr.
MAIL_LIST	List of users to whom mail is sent if fatal errors are detected in the accounting shell scripts. The default is root and adm.
WMAIL_LIST	List of users to whom mail is sent if warning errors are detected by the csarun script at cleanup time. The default is root and adm.
MIN_BLKS	Minimum number of free blocks needed in \${ACCT_FS} to run csarun or csaperiod. The default is 500 free blocks.

# 2.1.10.6 Using at to Execute csarun

You can use the at(1) command instead of cron(8) to execute csarun periodically. If your Cray Research system is down when csarun is scheduled to run via cron, csarun will not be executed until the next scheduled time. On the other hand, at jobs execute when the machine reboots if their scheduled execution time was during a down period. You can execute csarun with at in several ways. For instance, a separate script can be written to execute csarun and then resubmit the job at a specified time. Also, an at invocation of csarun could be placed in a user exit script, /usr/lib/acct/csa.user, that is executed from the USEREXIT section of csarun. See Section 2.1.10.3, page 51, for more information.

### 2.1.10.7 Allowing Nonsuper Users to Execute CSA

Your site may want to allow users without super-user permissions to run CSA accounting. CSA can be run by users who are in the group adm and have permission bit acct set in their UDB entries.

**Note:** If root has run CSA, you must execute the shell script /usr/lib/acct/csaperm (see csaperm(8)) to change the group ID and file permissions of all accounting files in /usr/adm/acct so they can be accessed by a nonsuper user running CSA.

The following steps describe the process of setting up CSA so it is executed automatically on a daily basis by a user without super-user permissions. In this example, the user without super-user permissions is adm:

- 1. Ensure that user adm is a member of group adm and has the permission bit acct set in its UDB entry (see udbgen(8)).
- As root, execute the shell script csaperm to change the group ID and file permissions of all accounting files in /usr/adm/acct so they can be accessed by a nonsuper user.
- 3. Ensure that, if they exist, the user exits /usr/lib/acct/csa.archive1, /usr/lib/acct/csa.archive2, /usr/lib/acct/csa.fef, and /usr/lib/acct/csa.user have the group ID adm and are both readable and executable by group adm.
- 4. Follow steps 1 through 5 of Section 2.1.4, page 11, to set up system billing units, record system boot times, and turn off accounting before system shutdown.
- 5. Include an entry similar to the following in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/root so that cron(8) automatically runs dodisk(8):

0 3 \* \* 1-6 /usr/lib/acct/dodisk -a -v 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/dk2log

dodisk must be executed by root, because no other user has the correct permissions to read /dev/dsk/\*.

- 6. Include entries similar to the following in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/adm so that user adm automatically runs daily accounting by using cron:
  - 0 4 \* \* 1-6 /usr/lib/acct/csarun 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log 0 \* \* \* \* /usr/lib/acct/ckdacct nqs tape 0 \* \* \* \* /usr/lib/acct/ckpacct

csarun(8) should be executed at a time that allows dodisk to complete. If dodisk does not complete before csarun executes, disk accounting information may be missing or incomplete.

7. To run periodic accounting, place an entry similar to the following in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/adm (this command generates a periodic report on all consolidated data files found in /usr/adm/acct/sum/data/\* and then deletes those data files):

```
15 5 1 * * /usr/lib/acct/csaperiod -r 2>/usr/adm/acct/nite/pd2log
```

8. Update the holidays file as described in Section 2.1.4, page 11.

#### 2.1.10.8 Using an Alternate Configuration File

By default, the /etc/config/acct\_config configuration file is used when any of the CSA commands are executed. You can specify a different file by setting the shell variable ACCTCONFIG to another configuration file, and then executing the CSA commands.

For example, you would execute the following commands in order to use the configuration file /tmp/myconfig while executing csarun(8):

ACCTCONFIG=/tmp/myconfig /usr/lib/acct/csarun 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log

### 2.1.10.9 Disk Usage Reporting (diskusg )

The diskusg(8) command can be configured at your site. The site.c module of diskusg contains an example to help you in customizing a report for your site. You can delete your choice of comment-protection characters in the example, compile the routine, relink diskusg, then print a sample report of disk usage for your site. You can execute your modified diskusg command in the USEREXIT state in csarun or runacct scripts.

# 2.1.11 Per-process Accounting Data

This section describes some of the fields found in the pacct file. /usr/include/sys/acct.h defines the structure of this file.

# 2.1.11.1 Base Accounting Record

One base accounting record per process is written; each record contains the following fields:

Туре	Field	Description
Header	ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
	ac_flag	Accounting flags.
Identifiers	ac_acid	Account ID.
	ac_gid	Real group ID.
	ac_jobid	Job ID.
	ac_pid	Process ID.
	ac_ppid	Parent process ID.
	ac_uid	Real user ID.
Process Information	ac_btime	Start time of the process.
	ac_comm	Command name (first 8 characters).
	ac_etime	Elapsed time while process executed (in clocks). This number is not repeatable.
	ac_himem	Memory-use high water mark in words.
	ac_nice	Nice value, measured at the end of 1 second of system and user time or the most expensive value used thereafter. This allows a process to set the value at which most of its work should be done; only charges for increased cost are levied.
	ac_stat	Low-order 8 bits from process's exit value. See the wait(2) man page for more information.

Table 2. Base accounting record fields by function

Туре	Field	Description
	ac_tty	Controlling tty device.
Counters	ac_ctime	Process raw connect time in clocks. For multitasking jobs, ac_ctime is a sum of the connect time across all CPUs used by the job.
	ac_io	Number of characters transferred by the process If any tape accouting information existed for the process, the number of tape bytes read and written is included in the ac_io field. Thus, the amount of tape I/O is reported twice: once in the ac_io field and again in the tape accountin record. The ac_io field generally is larger, because it includes additional I/O performed b the process. This number is repeatable. Device accounting I/O information is also reported twice: by ac_io and in the device accounting record field acd_ioch. Charges for doing I/O to tape or to a particular device can be adjusted by setting the SBU weigh factors for tape and device I/O. These weights are defined in /etc/config/acct_config. The tape SBUs are labeled TAPE_SBU <i>x</i> , and the device SBUs are BLOCK_DEVICE <i>x</i> and CHAR_DEVICE <i>x</i> . Set the weight factors relative to P_BYTEIO. The tape or device I/O value is multiplied by the appropriate tape or device weight factor. For example, if a surcharge is to be applied to tape I/O, the read and write values for the TAPE_SBU <i>x</i> variables must reflect the amount over P_BYTEIO that should be charged.
	ac_iobtim	I/O wait time in clocks measured while the process is not locked in memory (unlike ac_iowtime). System buffer I/O accumulates here. This number may vary due to system load
	ac_iosw	Swap count. This number may vary due to system load.

Туре	Field	Description
	ac_iowtime	I/O wait time (in clocks) measured while the process is locked in memory. This means that system buffered I/O does not appear here. Also this is a measure of the time elapsed from when a process is removed from the run queue until the process is reconnected to a CPU; therefore, it may vary due to system load.
	ac_lio	Logical I/O request count; this is a count of the read, write, reada, writea, and listio (list entries) system calls made. This number is repeatable.
	ac_rw	Number of physical I/O requests initiated by the process. This number varies due to conditions ir the system buffer cache. Therefore, if repeatable billing is desired, this number cannot be used.
	ac_sctime	System call time in clocks.
	ac_stime	System CPU time used (in clocks). This number is not repeatable, because it varies with system load.
	ac_utime	User CPU time used (in clocks). For nonmultitasked processes, this number does not include semaphore wait time and is repeatable (within the limitations caused by memory conflicts).
Integrals	ac_iowmem	I/O-wait-time memory integral measured while the process is locked in memory (in click-ticks). This number may vary due to system load.
	ac_mem	Memory integral selected when MEMINT = 1 (in clicks-ticks). (MEMINT is located in /etc/config/acct_config.) This is the only constant memory integral available (within the limitations caused by memory conflicts); therefore, if repeatable billing is required, this number must be used.

Туре	Field	Description
	ac_mem2	Memory integral selected when MEMINT = 2 (in clicks-ticks). (MEMINT is located in /etc/config/acct_config.) This integral is not constant and varies with machine load.
	ac_mem3	Memory integral selected when MEMINT = 3 (in clicks-ticks). (MEMINT is located in /etc/config/acct_config.) This integral is not constant and varies with machine load.

# 2.1.11.2 End-of-job Accounting Record

There is one end-of-job record per job. The record is written when the last process of a job is terminated. The record contains the following fields:

Table 3.	End-of-job	accounting	record	fields	by	function

Туре	Field	Description
Header	ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
	ac_flag	Accounting flags.
Identifiers	ace_jobid	Job ID of the job to which this record belongs.
	ace_uid	User ID from the job table.
Job Information	ace_etime	End time of the job (in seconds).
	ace_fsblkused	Sum of the file system storage used. This value may be negative if more space was freed up than was consumed.
	ace_himem	High-water memory use of job; sum of all processes in a job at any given time (in clicks). this can vary because of scheduling differences.

Туре	Field	Description
	ace_nice	Last nice value of the job.
	ace_sdshiwat	Secondary data segment high-water use; sum of all processes in a job at any given time (in SDS units). This can vary because of scheduling differences.

# 2.1.11.3 Multitasking Accounting Record

If a process is multitasked, a multitasking accounting record is written when the last member of the multitasked group is terminated. The record contains the following fields:

<u>Field</u>	Description
ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
ac_flag	Accounting flags.
ac_smwtime	(Not on CRAY C90 systems.) Semaphore wait time (in clocks).
ac_mutime[MUSIZE]	Time a process was connected to exactly $(i + 1)$ CPUs (in 1/100ths of a second format). The CPU time used when the process was connected to $(i + 1)$ CPUs is ac_mutime[ $i$ ] * $(i + 1)$ 1/100ths of a second. For example, ac_mutime[1] is the time a process was connected to two CPUs, and ac_mutime[1] * 2) is the CPU time used while connected to two CPUs.
	<pre>ac_mutime[] includes wait semaphore time.</pre>
	Prior to UNICOS release 8.3, the multitasking CPU times were stored as 21-bit pseudo-floating point numbers. Beginning with release 8.3, these values are in 1/100ths of a second and are compressed as 16-bit pseudo-floating point numbers. The compression and unit changes were made so that multitasking information for a

maximum of 32 CPUs can be stored in the pacct file without changing the size of the records.

### 2.1.11.4 SDS Accounting Record

(Not on CRAY EL systems.) If a process utilizes SDS, an SDS accounting record is written. The record contains the following fields:

<u>Field</u>	Description
ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
ac_flag	Accounting flags.
acs_mem	Memory integral based on residency time, not execution time (in click-ticks).
acs_lio	Logical I/O request count; this count is the number of ssread and sswrite system calls made.
acs_ioch	Number of characters transferred to and from the SDS, stored in bytes.

### 2.1.11.5 MPP Accounting Record

If a process uses a Cray MPP system, an MPP accounting record is written that contains the following fields:

Field	Description
ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
ac_flag	Accounting flags.
ac_mpppe	Number of MPP processor elements used.
ac_mppbe	Number of MPP barrier bits used.
ac_mpptime	Number of clocks that the MPP has been used.

### 2.1.11.6 Performance Accounting Record

When the optional performance accounting feature is enabled (by using the devacct(8) command with the -b option), a performance accounting record is written at the end of each process. Each record contains the following fields:

<u>Field</u>	Description
ac_header	Accounting header record word (see /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h)
ac_flag	Accounting flags.
acp_rtime	The process start time offset (in clocks) from the previous second (reported in the ac_btime field of the base accounting record). This field allows you to trace start times of processes that are spawned in the same second.
acp_tiowtime	The terminal I/O wait time (in clocks); in other words, the period of time starting when a process performing I/O to a tty or pseudo-tty is removed from the run queue and ending when the process is reconnected to a CPU. This number may vary due to system load.
acp_srunwtime	This field is currently disabled.
acp_swapclocks	The time (in clocks) that a process spends on the swap device.
acp_rwblks	The number of physical blocks transferred by the process using the system buffer I/O interface. This number varies due to conditions in the system buffer cache.
acp_phrwblks	The number of physical blocks transferred by the process using the raw I/O interface.

# 2.1.12 Multitasking Incentives

Some sites may want to provide accounting incentives for the use of multitasking. Several of these are available through the appropriate setting of installation parameters.

# 2.1.12.1 Memory Integrals

Three different memory integrals are available to the accounting software. The differences among them are important to those sites that want to give incentives for use of multitasking.

*Memory integral* #1 - At each change in memory size, memory integral #1 is incremented by the total CPU time used since the last memory change, times the memory size, as follows:

MI #1: memory size \* (total CPU time since last size change)

Thus, a program that is connected to two CPUs for some period will pay twice the memory cost for that period. When using memory integral #1, a multitasking program incurs the same charges, no matter how many CPUs it gets. This is helpful if consistent billing is important to your site, but not as helpful if incentives for multitasking are important.

*Memory integral* #2 - The calculations for memory integral #2 are similar to those for #1, except that the increment is the sum of times when at least one CPU was connected, times the memory size, as follows:

MI #2: memory size \* (total time when program was connected to at least one CPU since last size change)

A multitasking program pays (in memory charges) only for the first CPU it receives; additional CPUs do not increase the memory charge. Using memory integral #2, a multitasking program can potentially decrease its memory charge by a factor equal to the number of CPUs in the machine. This is an incentive for using multitasking. However, because the amount of time a program is connected to a number of CPUs varies from run to run, memory integral #2 is not consistent. The maximum value for #2 is equal to #1 (if no connect time overlap occurs). Note that this also means that #1 is equal to #2 for single-tasked programs.

*Memory integral* #3 - Some sites with multi-CPU machines may wish to allow an individual program to use a proportionally large amount of memory only if it is also able to use more than one CPU. For instance, in a four-CPU machine, allowing one program to use 90% of memory may idle some CPUs if the program uses only one CPU.

Memory integral #3 allows the site to control this aspect of CPU use by adding an extra factor into the calculation for memory integral #2. The total memory available to user programs is divided by the number of CPUs to derive the value of "one CPU worth of memory." The memory size of the program is then divided by the "CPU worth" factor to get the extra factor in memory integral #3, as follows (this extra factor cannot be less than 1):

MI #3: memory size \* (total time when program was connected to at least one CPU since last size change) \* (memory size / "one CPU worth of memory") Memory integral #3 provides an incentive for single-tasked programs to limit themselves to one CPU worth of memory. Multitasked programs will also pay more in memory charges for lots of memory, but they can reduce their memory charges by using multiple CPUs. However, memory integral #3 is as inconsistent as #2, and it can also affect the memory charges for single-tasked programs.

Note that the changes from #1 to #2 and #2 to #3 are, in a sense, opposite for multitasking programs. The changes from #1 to #2 reward multitasking programs by a factor of up to the number of CPUs. The changes from #2 to #3 penalize large-memory programs by up to the number of CPUs. Thus, if a multitasking program has used all memory (on a four-CPU machine), memory integrals #1 and #3 would be nearly equal, and the value of #2 would be approximately one-quarter the value of #1 or #3.

The accounting software is released with memory integral #2 as the default. The MEMINT variable in /etc/config/acct\_config can be changed to match the site's needs.

#### 2.1.12.2 Reducing Charges

Another incentive you can provide for the use of multitasking is to reduce the charges for CPU time for multitasking programs. This can be accomplished with weighting factors. The operating system kernel maintains counters of the length of time spent by a user program with one processor connected, two processors connected, and so on.

By default, the charges for a multitasking program would be calculated as follows:

This calculation assumes that all CPU time is charged equally. With the weighting factors, the site can specify, for instance, that a second CPU should be only 75% as expensive as the first CPU. Therefore, a program that gets two CPUs as it executes would have its CPU time charges reduced. Note that, because this charge depends on how much overlap a program gets, charges may vary from execution to execution. However, charges are never more than the full price for all CPUs.

The accounting software is released with all CPUs having a cost of 1. The MUTIME\_WEIGHT *x* variables, defined in /etc/config/acct\_config, can be changed to meet the site's needs.

Note that the user time reported by the time(1) command is adjusted so that there is no charge for wait-semaphore time. (This is in order to provide consistent CPU time charges.) The multitasking overlap times do not adjust for wait-semaphore times and, hence, may actually calculate to a greater CPU time than the sum of the user times. In this case, the CPU charge is limited to the sum of the user times.

### 2.1.13 Socket Accounting

Socket accounting tracks network usage from the perspective of sockets, wherein one process may use several sockets, and several processes may use the same socket.

The recorded accounting information tracks all of a socket's usage, but it can only be linked to the process that most recently closed the socket. This information can help you resolve network problems and/or monitor system network usage.

You can use the csasocket(8) command to summarize and process the socket data; csaswitch(8) can be used to check the status of, enable, and disable accounting methods, including socket accounting. See the csasocket(8) and csaswitch(8) man pages for more information.

#### 2.1.14 Device Accounting

This section describes device accounting. On large computer systems with expensive peripheral devices, it may be useful to associate device usage with the user who initiated the I/O. Cray device accounting allows a system administrator to specify the accounting data that should be collected for device use. This system allows a site to individually label each mounted disk's partitions and so enables the site to charge each type of secondary storage at a different rate. For example, the amount of I/O on a high-speed storage device such as an SSD may be charged at a different rate than I/O on a disk device.

#### 2.1.14.1 Categories of Devices

The following three categories of devices under the UNICOS operating system are important in device accounting:

- Character special devices, which are devices such as terminals, pseudo tty devices, and the HSX channel.
- Block devices, which are devices such as disks, BMR, and the SSD.

• Logical devices, for device accounting, which are the individual file systems. Such devices do not always correspond to a single device, but are treated as such by device accounting.

The device accounting system accounts for device I/O by device type. For a character device, device type is equivalent to its major number. For example, tty devices are major number 1 (in the default system), so they are accounted for as character device 1 (ios-tty). No accounting is performed for block devices, because block devices are used to create file systems; instead, they are treated as logical devices. Logical devices consist of one or more partitions of disk, SSD, and BMR storage. Each logical device is formatted by the mkfs(8) command, which provides it with a superblock. The devacct(8) program allows you to write an accounting device type into the superblock of each logical device.

### 2.1.14.2 Structures and Device Names

The BLOCK\_DEVICE *x* and CHAR\_DEVICE *x* parameters in /etc/config/acct\_config contain the SBU values and names for device accounting. Refer to Section 2.1.10.1.9, page 47, for an explanation of configuring these parameters.

Device accounting uses arbitrary ASCII names for the user interface to accounting; internally, these names are mapped by the accounting library routines typetonam and namtotype. To be useful, these names should be meaningful to even the beginning user, because the ja(1) (job accounting) command displays these names when invoked with the -d option. The ASCII names are defined in the device name field of the BLOCK\_DEVICE *x* and CHAR\_DEVICE *x* parameters.

Logical device accounting names are displayed to the user by ja and the accounting programs, and are used by devacct(8) to determine the numeric values the kernel uses.

Logical and character device names should not match; in fact no two names should match, because the user cannot distinguish between them.

If names contain spaces (the shell field separator (SHELL IFS)), double quotes must be used around the device type names during command invocation.

Device names are used as output by ja and the accounting programs; therefore, keeping the names fairly short (less than 40 characters) will make them more readable.

System billing units (SBUs) have the following meanings:

<u>SBU</u>	Description
Logical I/O Sbu	The total number of system calls made to this type of device is multiplied by Logical I/O Sbu to determine the SBU cost. This value should be nonnegative.
Characters Xfer Sbu	The total number of characters transferred to this device type is multiplied by Characters Xfer Sbu to determine the SBU cost. This value should be nonnegative.

### 2.1.14.3 Configuration Changes

The system is released with the character devices configured to match the released configuration; any changes to /usr/src/uts/cl/cf/devsw.c should be reflected in the configuration file.

The block device configuration is released with a simple configuration. Several extensions are possible, although some may require altering the values of MAXBDEVNO and MAXCDEVNO, and rebuilding the system and accounting commands. First, if a site has a special temporary device that is restricted to a set of users, a special type might be placed on that device to allow the billing process to increase the cost of use, offsetting the lower rate of use. Second, SSD or BMR allocated to logical device cache may be reflected in the configuration.

#### 2.1.14.4 System Header Files

The system header files discussed in this section are important in device accounting.

#### 2.1.14.4.1 param.h Header File

The values MAXBDEVNO and MAXCDEVNO are contained in the /usr/include/sys/param.h file; they set the maximum size of the accounting structures in the user structure and the maximum size of the accounting data written. It is recommended that they not be increased beyond the current values unless necessary (although making MAXCDEVNO smaller and MAXBDEVNO larger by the same amounts is acceptable).

MAXBDEVNO is the maximum number of block (logical) device accounting types. This number can be changed from the current value of 10.

MAXCDEVNO is the maximum number of character device accounting types. This number can be changed from the current value of 35.

# 2.1.14.4.2 acct.h Header File

The /usr/include/sys/acct.h header file contains all the kernel structures for accounting and sets the following values related to device accounting:

<u>Value</u>	Description
NODEVACCT	The number of devio entries per accounting record. This value is the number of device accounting entries that fit into one accounting record.
ACCT_CHSP	A marker combined by an OR operation into the type field (acd_type) to indicate that the devio entry is for a character device.
_MAXDEVIOREC	The maximum number of device accounting records that can be written for any individual process.

### 2.1.14.5 Using Device Accounting (Devacct(8))

Use the devacct(8) command to label file systems with accounting types while they are mounted. If a file system does not contain a device type label, device accounting ignores it.

In order to enable device accounting, the system may be built to automatically enable specific device types. However, an easier solution is to insert lines into the system startup procedure (/etc/config/daemons) to enable device accounting when bringing the system to multiuser mode. The following example shows a line that can be added to the daemons file (/etc/config/daemons) to enable device accounting (remember the device type name is a single argument and so it may need to be enclosed in double quotation marks if it contains shell separators):

SYS1 devacct YES - /usr/lib/acct/devacct -b "device type name"

The devacct command with the -l option may be used to label file systems (file systems may be labeled only while mounted). The names of device types

are defined in the BLOCK\_DEVICEx and CHAR\_DEVICEx variables located in /etc/config/acct\_config. Some of the default names include spaces; such names must be enclosed in double quotation marks on the command line.

For example, to label the device /dev/dsk/root with the label "dd49 with ldcache", the command would be as follows:

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/usr/lib/acct/devacct -l "dd49 with ldcache" /dev/dsk/root
```

Device accounting for any device type may be turned on at any time by invoking the devacct command with the -b option. While device accounting is on, no records are written unless per-process accounting is enabled.

For example, to enable accounting for the devices labeled "dd49 with ldcache", the command is as follows:

/usr/lib/acct/devacct -b "dd49 with ldcache"

You can turn on performance accounting using the following command:

/usr/lib/acct/devacct -b perf01

Device accounting for any device type may be turned off at any time by invoking the devacct command with the -t option. While accounting is disabled, those processes that have already accumulated data will report that data at termination if per-process accounting is enabled. For example, to disable accounting for the devices labeled "dd49 with ldcache", the command is as follows:

/usr/lib/acct/devacct -t "dd49 with ldcache"

To determine the current label for a device, use the devacct command with the -L option. For example, to list the current label of /dev/dsk/root, you would execute the following command:

/usr/lib/acct/devacct -L /dev/dsk/root

#### 2.1.14.5.1 Implications of Device Accounting

The system overhead for device accounting is fairly low. However, the amount of accounting data produced in the worst cases is more than double that produced by standard accounting. The more device accounting data kept, the more file system space that is required. If one device is accounted for, processes that use that device generate twice as much accounting data as a process that did not use the device or the same process without device accounting. However, for 1 to NODEVACCT device types, the maximum size of the accounting data does not increase, except that more processes may use one of the devices.

#### 2.1.14.5.2 Tape Device Accounting

To enable or disable tape device accounting, use the *device type name* associated with the CHAR\_DEVICE15 parameter in /etc/config/acct\_config. By default, this device name is "bmx daemon".

The device name associated with CHAR\_DEVICE11 (the default is "bmx tape") controls device accounting only for tape diagnostics.

To enable device accounting for the tapes, execute the following command:

/usr/lib/acct/devacct -b "bmx daemon"

### 2.1.15 Switching / and /usr File Systems

Occasionally, sites run on numerous / and /usr file systems and want to maintain the same accounting files throughout. The easiest way to accomplish this is to put /usr/adm or /usr/adm/acct on a separate file system and mount this file system along with each different system.

In addition, two other files, /etc/csainfo and /etc/wtmp, must be copied from the previously booted /. These files must be copied to the new root file system before it is brought up. Failure to correctly copy /etc/csainfo to the new / can cause csarun to abort abnormally. Incorrect connect time data is reported when /etc/wtmp is not copied.

### 2.1.16 Logging Information

The following sections describe log files found in the UNICOS operating system.

# 2.1.16.1 Boot Log

The boot log contains the date and time the system was booted. It is located in /etc/boot.log and can be accessed through normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). The /etc/rc (see brc(8)) script appends the record to the boot.log. The format is as follows:

date, uname -a
yy/mm/dd hh:mm system node release version hardware

	Example:
	93/05/10 08:07 sn1703c cool 8.0.0tk dev.6 CRAY Y-MP
	See date(1) and uname(1) for further information. See also who(1), and the sample wtmp and utmp files in this chapter.
2.1.16.2 cron Log	
	The cron log contains the history of all actions taken by the cron(8) command. It is located in /usr/lib/cron/log and can be accessed by using normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). The format of this file is as follows:
	<pre>CMD: command_executed username process_id job_type     start_time username process_id job_type     end_timerc=error return code</pre>
	<i>job_type</i> can have one of the following values:
	a at job
	b Batch job
	c cron job
	Example:
	> CMD: 645827040.a
	> user1 7191 a Tue Jun 19 15:24:00 1990
	> CMD: /usr/lib/sa/sal 120 1
	> root 7192 c Tue Jun 19 15:24:00 1990
	< root 7192 c Tue Jun 19 15:24:00 1990
	< user1 7191 a Tue Jun 19 15:24:00 1990
	> CMD: 645827059.b
	> user1 7273 b Tue Jun 19 15:24:19 1990
	< user1 7273 b Tue Jun 19 15:24:20 1990 rc=1
2.1.16.3 Dump Log	

The dump log contains the time and a reason for each dump. The system supplies the time and the user supplies the reason. By default, the dump is located in /etc/dump.log and can be accessed using the normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). When the system is changing out of single-user mode, brc(8) calls coredd(8) to copy a dump file to a file system. The location of the dump can be reconfigured by using the

install tool. Note that the user may also change the location of the log file by using the -1 option with the cpdmp command.

Example of /etc/dump.log:

cpdmp: 035120 blocks on dump device - waiting to be copied 04/26/93 07:27:09 coredd: Copying system dump into /core//04260727. Unicos-E dump copied to=/core//04260727/dump dump taken: 04/26/93 at 07:18:51 reason: PANIC: master.s: EEX interrupt in UNICOS kernel

### 2.1.16.4 New User Log

The new user log contains information on new users given logins on the system; this data includes who added the users, the times at which they were added, and information about their environment defaults and IDs. This log is located in /usr/adm/nu.log and can be accessed using normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). It is created by the nu(8) command. An example of the format follows:

2.1.16.5 su Log

The su log records su(1) attempts for the current day. It is located in the /usr/adm/sulog file and can be accessed using normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). It is written by the su(1) command. The format of the log is as follows:

SU MM/DD hh:mm flag tty olduser-newuser

*flag* can have the following values:

- + su was successful.
- su was not successful.

*olduser* is the login name of the user executing su, and *newuser* is the name of the user the executing user is becoming. For example:

SU 06/19 15:13 + console operator-root SU 06/19 15:13 + ttyp025 \n user1-root SU 06/19 15:14 + ttyp021 user2-adm SU 06/19 15:19 - ttyp026 \n user3-root SU 06/19 15:19 - ttyp022 user4-root

#### 2.1.16.6 OLDsu Log

The OLDsu log is a directory containing all files of daily su(1) attempts. It is located in /usr/adm/OLDsu/\* and can be accessed using normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). The /etc/rc script moved the /usr/adm/sulog file to the /usr/adm/OLDsu directory at system startup. An example of the format follows:

\$ ls -al OLDsu
-rw-rw-rw- 1 root 2864 Oct 31 19:02 Oct31 -rw-rw-rw- 1 root 20211 Sep 12 09:15 Sep01
-rw-rw-rw- 1 root 938 Sep 12 09:15 Sep02
\$ cat Sep01
SU 09/01 16:29 + tty?? root-root
SU 09/01 16:30 + tty?? root-sys
SU 09/01 16:32 + tty?? root-sys
SU 09/01 16:32 + tty?? root-root
SU 09/01 16:34 + tty?? root-sys
SU 09/01 16:35 + tty?? root-root
SU 09/01 16:36 + tty?? root-sys

#### 2.1.16.7 System Logs

The system logs are files into which the syslogd(8) command has logged messages. They are located in the /usr/adm/syslog/\* directory. Note that these files are described by the configuration file /etc/syslog.conf. They can be accessed using normal file manipulations such as tail(1), cat(1), page(1), and more(1). They are written by the /etc/syslogd command; the logger(1B) command also makes entries in the system logs.

These logs consist of ASCII messages, which may include debug messages, kernel messages, and so on.

The following example is the configuration file for /etc/syslogd (these fields are described on the syslogd(8) and syslog(3) man pages):

<pre>\$ cat /etc/syslog.conf</pre>	
<pre># USMID @(#)man/2302/02.accounting #</pre>	92.2 02/05/96 13:26:44
<pre># This is a configuration file fo #</pre>	or /etc/syslogd
#*.debug #	/usr/adm/syslog/debug
mail.debug #	/usr/spool/mqueue/syslog
" kern.debug #	/usr/adm/syslog/kern
" daemon,auth.debug #	/usr/adm/syslog/auth
# #*.err;kern.debug;auth.notice #	/dev/console
# *.err;kern.debug;daemon,auth.notice; #	/usr/adm/syslog/daylog
<pre>#*.alert;kern.err;daemon.err</pre>	operator
*.alert	root

**Note:** The /etc/syslogd.conf file does not work if spaces are in it; only tabs can be used to separate items in this file.

The following example shows a listing of the files in the /usr/adm/syslog directory:

total 10 -rw-rr						
	⊥ root	root	168	Jun 19	15:35	auth
-rw-rr	1 root	root	5164	Jun 19	15 <b>:</b> 45	daylog
-rw-rr	1 root	root	4107	Jun 19	15:45	kern
drwxr-xr-x	2 root	root	16864	Jun 19	15:09	oldlogs

# 2.1.16.8 Error Log

The error log is a file containing error records from the operating system. The default error file is /usr/adm/errfile. There are two facilities available for
generating reports from the data collected by the error-logging mechanism. The first is errpt(8), which processes error reports from the data, and the second is olhpa, a hardware performance analyzer that reports the hardware errors and statuses recorded in the system error log.

**Note:** The olhpa facility is only available on IOS-E based systems. It is not available on GigaRing based systems.

The /etc/errdemon command (see errdemon(8)) reads /dev/error and places the error records from the operating system into either the specified file, or errfile, by default. The /etc/rc (see brc(8)) script starts /etc/errdemon, and /etc/mverr is used to start a new errfile.

The following example shows sample errpt output:

```
Tue Jun 7 12:01:49 1988
Error reported from IOS 0 for device S49-0-21
Major:0 Minor:6 Block:140868 status: Recovered
Iop:0 Channel:21 Unit:0
Cylinder:1156 Head:5 Sector:0
Function:Read Requested:344064 bytes Received:344064 bytes
```

IOS 0 ERROR LOGGING ENABLED

See errpt(8) for further information. See the Online Maintenance Tools Guide for Cray PVP Systems, publication SD-1012, or the olhpa(8) man page for information concerning olhpa.  $^2$ 

2.1.16.9 Multilevel Security (MLS) Log

The multilevel security (MLS) log is a file containing security-relevant event loggings. The security log, /usr/adm/sl/slogfile, can be analyzed by using the reduce command. reduce extracts, formats, and outputs entries from UNICOS security event files. The security event logging daemon, slogdemon(8), collects security-relevant records from the operating system by reading the character special pseudo device /dev/slog. For more information regarding the format of the security log and on the UNICOS MLS feature, see the reduce(8) man page and *General UNICOS System Administration*, publication SG-2301.

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# 2.1.16.10 System Activity Log

The system activity report facility provides commands for generating various system activity reports. Two reporting capabilities exist (one automatic and one user-driven); however, the actual reports are created by the sar(8) program in either case. The system activity log is located in /usr/adm/sa/saDD and can be accessed with sar.



**Warning:** The log files located in /usr/adm/sa/saDD on a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system are considered to be covert channels. You may want to consider restricting access to these files to the adm group.

With this command, you can generate system activity reports in real time and save system activities in a file for later use. The sa1, sa2, and sadc commands (see sar(8)) generate system activity data on a routine basis, with sa2 calling sar to generate the report.

UNICOS counters are incremented as various system actions occur. These counters provide system-wide measurements. sadc accesses /dev/kmem to read these system activity counters.

Refer to the sar(8) man page for more information on the format of the system activity log.

# 2.1.16.11 Message Log

The message log contains messages and replies to the operator. It is located in /usr/spool/msg/msglog.log and can be accessed using normal file manipulations, such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). All messages and replies to and from the operator console are put into this file by the console. An example of the file format follows:

Apr 1 07:11:06 Message daemon stopped Apr 1 09:36:54 Message daemon started Apr 1 08:09:49 Message 1: TM122 - mount tape WK1102(sl) on a CART device for user1 50, () or reply cancel / device name



**Warning:** The msglog.log file is considered a covert channel on a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system. You may want to consider restricting access to this file to the adm group.

#### 2.1.16.12 Accounting Logs

The accounting logs are files containing various accounting information, as follows:

Log	Description
csainfo	A file containing boot times. It can be accessed with the od(1) command (the -d option will give the seconds). Each time the system is booted, the boot time is written to /etc/csainfo by the /etc/csaboots (see csaboots(8)) command. csaboots is invoked by /etc/rc (see brc(8)). See also the description of the boot log in Section 2.1.16.1, page 70.
utmp	A file containing active system and terminal connection information. This log is used by write(1), who(1), wall(8), and mail(1) in getting user information. It is located in /etc/utmp and can be accessed using the who(1) and last(1B) commands. It is written to by init(8), date(1), login(1), and getty(8). For information on the format of utmp, see utmp(5).
<b>\$</b>	<b>Warning:</b> On a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system, utmp and wtmp are considered to be covert channels. You may want to consider restricting access to these files to the adm group.
wtmp	A file containing a system and terminal connection history record. This log includes usage statistics for each terminal, date change, time stamp, boot records, reboots, shutdowns, and state changes. wtmp must exist; programs that access it do not create it (the /etc/rc script creates /etc/wtmp by default).
	Records are in the form of utmp(5); acctcon(8) and csaline(8) convert /etc/wtmp into session and charging records. This data is merged into the system accounting reports. wtmp can also be accessed using the who(1) and last(1) commands.
	wtmp is written by init(8), date(1), login(1), and getty(8). For information on the format of wtmp, see utmp(5).
pacct	Files containing per-process accounting data; these are located in /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct* and can be accessed using the acctcom(1) command. Note that these files are read by system accounting programs, and the information appears in the accounting reports. pacct is written by the kernel, and its format is described in /usr/include/sys/acct.h.



Warning: On systems running a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system, access to pacct\* files should be restricted to the adm group.

The following data files are accessed by system accounting programs, and their information appears in the accounting reports:

Log	Description
disktacct	A file containing disk accounting data, located in /usr/adm/acct/nite/disktacct. The /usr/lib/acct/dodisk (see dodisk(8)) command writes this file.
fee	A file containing user fees for accounting data, located in /usr/adm/acct/day/fee. This file is written by /usr/lib/acct/chargefee (see chargefee(8)).
ngacct	A file containing NQS daemon accounting data, located in /usr/adm/acct/day/ngacct*. This file is written by /usr/lib/ngs/ngsdaemon. See /usr/include/acct/dacct.h for the format.
soacct	A file containing socket accounting data, located in /usr/adm/acct/day/soacct*. This file is written by the kernel. See /usr/include/sys/acct.h for the format.
tpacct	A file containing tape daemon accounting data, located in /usr/adm/acct/day/tpacct*. This file is written by /usr/lib/tp/tpdaemon (see tpdaemon(8)). See /usr/include/acct/dacct.h for the format.

# 2.1.16.13 NQS Log

The NQS log contains NQS information. Its default location is the ASCII file /usr/spool/nqs/log (you can change the location of the log file with the qmgr set log\_file command; to see where the current log file resides, use the qmgr show parameters command). Access to /usr/spool/nqs is restricted; however, if you have the correct permissions, you can access the NQS log file using normal file manipulations, such as tail(1), cat(1), pg(1), and more(1). This log is created by the NQS log daemon.



**Warning:** On systems running a Cray ML-Safe configuration of the UNICOS system, access to the NQS log should be restricted to the adm group.

An example of the log file's format is as follows:

```
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Received packet from local process: <89775>.
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Client process real UID=<900>.
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Packet type=<PKT_QUEREQVLPQ(30)>.
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Packet contents are as follows:
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Pkt_str[1] = <batnaml>.
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Pkt_int[1] = <40>.
05/13 08:00:00 I getpkt(): Pkt_int[2] = <119>.
05/13 08:00:00 T nqs_quereq(): Request <40.cool>: Attempting to read request.
05/13 08:00:00 T nqs_quereq(): Request <40.cool>: Request was read.
```

# 2.2 Standard UNIX Accounting

The standard UNIX accounting feature of the UNICOS system provides methods for collecting resource use data per process, recording connect sessions, monitoring disk usage, and charging fees to specific logins. A set of C language programs and shell procedures is provided to reduce this accounting data into summary files and reports. This section describes the structure, implementation, and management of the accounting system; it also describes the reports generated and the meaning of the columnar data.

The following list is a synopsis of the standard accounting actions:

- At process termination, the UNICOS system kernel writes one record per process in /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct.
- The login(1) and init(8) programs record connect sessions by writing records into /etc/wtmp. Date changes, reboots, and shutdowns are also recorded in this file. The wtmp file is described in utmp(5).
- The programs acctdusg(8) and diskusg(8) break down disk usage by login.
- Fees can be charged to specific logins with the chargefee(8) shell procedure.
- Each day the cron(8) shell procedure executes the runacct(8) shell procedure, which reduces accounting data and produces summary files and reports.

• The monacct(8) procedure can be executed on a monthly or fiscal period basis. It saves and restarts summary files, generates a report, and cleans up the sum directory. These saved summary files could be used to charge users for UNICOS system usage.

# 2.2.1 Files and Directories

The /usr/lib/acct directory contains all the C language programs and shell procedures necessary for running the accounting system. The adm login is used by the accounting system and has the login directory structure shown in Figure 3.



Figure 3. Directory structure of the adm login

The /usr/adm/acct/day directory contains the active data collection files. The nite directory contains files that are reused daily by the runacct(8) procedure. The sum directory contains the cumulative summary files updated by runacct(8). The fiscal directory contains periodic summary files created by monacct(8).

In addition, configurable parameters are located in /etc/config/acct\_config. You should modify these parameters to meet your site's needs.

### 2.2.2 Daily Operation

When the UNICOS system is switched into multiuser mode, /usr/lib/acct/startup is executed, as follows:

- 1. The acctwtmp(8) program adds a boot record to /etc/wtmp. This record is signified by use of the system name as the login name in the wtmp record.
- Process accounting is started with turnacct(8). The turnacct command specified with the on argument, as follows, executes the accton(8) program with the /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct argument:

/usr/lib/acct/turnacct on

3. The remove shell procedure is executed to clean up the saved pacct and wtmp files left in the sum directory by runacct(8).

The ckpacct(8) procedure is run with cron(8) every hour to check if there is enough space on the current file system (the default is /usr). If there are fewer than MIN\_BLKS free blocks (by default 500), accounting is stopped, and the system administrator is notified about the action. MIN\_BLKS is defined in the configuration file /etc/config/acct\_config. The ACCT\_FS variable in /etc/config/acct\_config must be set to the file system containing /usr/adm/acct. If the free space increases to 500 free blocks at a later time, accounting is restarted, again with notification to the system administrator.

You can use the chargefee(8) program to bill users. It adds to /usr/adm/acct/day/fee records that are picked up and processed by the next execution of runacct and merged into the total accounting records.

The runacct command is executed with cron each night. It processes the following active accounting files:

/usr/adm/acct/day/pacct
/etc/wtmp
/usr/adm/acct/day/fee
/usr/adm/acct/nite/disktacct

It produces command summaries and usage summaries by login. When the system is shut down with shutdown(8), the shutacct(8) shell script is executed. It writes a shutdown reason record into /etc/wtmp (see utmp(5)) and turns process accounting off.

# 2.2.3 Setting up the Accounting System

This section explains how to automate the operation of the accounting system. It also contains information on converting UNICOS 8.0, 8.3, 9.0, 9.1, 9.2, and 9.3 standard UNIX accounting files to UNICOS 10.0 CSA format.

To automate the operation of the accounting system, complete the following steps:

- 1. Modify any necessary parameters in the file /etc/config/acct\_config, which contains configurable parameters for the accounting system. Ensure that the parameters, such as MEMINT, reflect the needs of your site. You can specify an alternate configuration file when running any of the accounting commands. See Section 2.1.10.8, page 55, for more information.
- 2. If you maintain startup options with the Installation Configuration Menu System (ICMS), configure RC\_ACCT to have a value of YES. Otherwise, edit the /etc/config/rcoptions file to set RC\_ACCT to a YES value.
- 3. Add an entry similar to the following to /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/root so that cron automatically runs dodisk:

0 2 \* \* 4 /usr/lib/acct/dodisk

dodisk must be executed by root, because no other user has the correct permissions to read /dev/dsk/\*.

4. For most installations, you should make entries similar to the following in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/adm so that cron will run the daily accounting automatically:

0 4 \* \* 1-6 /usr/lib/acct/runacct 2>/usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log 50 \* \* \* \* /usr/lib/acct/ckpacct

The runacct(8) command should be run at a time when the dodisk(8) routine has had sufficient time to complete. If dodisk has not completed before runacct executes, disk information may be missing.

5. To facilitate monthly merging of accounting data, make an entry similar to the following in /usr/spool/cron/crontabs/adm:

15 5 1 \* \* /usr/lib/acct/monacct

This entry allows the monacct(8) procedure to clean up all daily reports and daily total accounting files and to deposit one monthly total report and one monthly total accounting file in the fiscal directory. It takes advantage of the default action of monacct, which uses the current month's date as the suffix for the file names. The entry is executed when the runacct(8) procedure has sufficient time to complete. This results in the creation of monthly accounting files on the first day of each month containing the entire previous month's data.

6. Set the PATH shell variable in /usr/adm/.profile to the following:

PATH=/usr/lib/acct:/bin:/usr/bin

#### 2.2.3.1 Setting up a User Exit

Daily accounting provides one user exit, /usr/lib/acct/run.user, that you can call from the runacct command. This user exit allows you to tailor the runacct procedure to your site's needs by creating a shell script to perform any additional processing during the daily run of accounting. You do not have to modify the runacct script.

While executing, runacct checks in the USEREXIT state for a shell script named /usr/lib/acct/run.user. If the script exists, it is executed via the shell. (dot) command. If the script does not exist, the user exit is ignored. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. runacct variables are available, without being exported, to the user exit script. runacct checks the return status from the user exit and, if it is nonzero, the execution of csarun is terminated.

# 2.2.3.2 Converting Standard UNIX Accounting to CSA Accounting

If your site decides to run CSA instead of standard UNIX accounting, you should wait until the start of an accounting period before implementing CSA. (An accounting period usually begins on the first day of a month.) Before switching to CSA, use the standard UNIX accounting package to process the previous month's accounting data.

Follow these steps to convert from standard UNIX accounting to CSA:

- 1. Run the current version of UNICOS standard UNIX accounting programs until the first day of the next month. Use the runacct(8) command to process the daily accounting data.
- 2. On the first day of the month, use the monacct(8) command to generate an accounting report for the previous month.
- 3. On the first day of the month, switch from running the standard UNIX accounting package to CSA.

4. (Optional step) The daily tacct files must be converted to cacct format if you later want to summarize this data by using csaperiod(8). The conversion should be done by using the csaconvert(8) command. Refer to the csaconvert(8) man page and the UNICOS Installation Guide, publication SG-2112, for more information on conversion.

For details on how to set up CSA, see Section 2.1.4, page 11.

# 2.2.4 the runacct Command

The runacct(8) command is the main daily accounting shell procedure. It processes connect, fee, disk, and process accounting files and prepares daily and cumulative summary files for use by prdaily(8) or for billing purposes. runacct also contains one user exit point that allows you to tailor the daily accounting run to your site's needs. It is normally initiated with the cron(8) command during nonprime hours.

The following files in /usr/adm/acct, which are produced by runacct, are of particular interest:

<u>File</u>	Description
nite/daytacct	The total accounting file for the previous day in tacct.h format.
nite/lineuse	Produced by acctcon(8). It reads the wtmp file and produces usage statistics for each terminal line on the system. This report is not especially useful, but is a carryover from traditional UNIX systems.
sum/cms	The accumulation of each day's command summaries. It is restarted by the execution of monacct(8). The ASCII version of this file is nite/cms.
sum/daycms	Produced by the acctcms(8) program. It contains the daily command summary. The ASCII version of this file is nite/daycms.
sum/loginlog	Produced by the lastlogin(8) shell procedure. This file contains a record of the last time each login was used.
<pre>sum/rprtMMDD</pre>	Each execution of runacct(8) saves a copy of the daily report as produced by $prdaily(8)$ .

sum/tacct The accumulation of each day's nite/daytacct. It can be used for billing purposes and is restarted each month or fiscal period by the monacct(8) procedure.

The runacct command does not damage files in the event of errors. It contains a series of protection mechanisms that attempt to recognize an error, provide intelligent diagnostics, and terminate processing in such a way that runacct can be restarted with minimal intervention.

The runacct command records its progress by writing descriptive messages into the file active. (Files used by runacct are assumed to be in the /usr/adm/acct/nite directory unless otherwise noted.) All diagnostic output during the execution of runacct is written into fd2log. runacct terminates execution if the lock and lock1 files exist when it is invoked. The lastdate file contains the month and day runacct was last invoked and is used to prevent more than one execution per day. If runacct detects an error, it writes a message to /dev/console, sends mail to root and adm, removes locks, saves diagnostic files, and terminates execution.

Processing is broken down into separate reentrant states so that runacct can be restarted. The last state completed is recorded in a file. As each state completes, statefile is updated to reflect the next state. When runacct reaches the CLEANUP state, it removes the locks and terminates. States are executed as follows:

State	Description
SETUP	The turnacct(8) command switch is executed. The process accounting files, /usr/adm/acct/day/pacct*, are moved to /usr/adm/acct/day/Spacct*. <i>MMDD</i> . The /etc/wtmp file is moved to /usr/adm/acct/nite/wtmp. <i>MMDD</i> , with the current date added at the end.
WTMPFIX	The wtmpfix (see fwtmp(8)) program checks the wtmp file in the nite directory for accuracy. Some date changes cause acctcon1 (see acctcon(8)) to fail, so wtmpfix attempts to adjust the time stamps in the wtmp file if a date change record appears.

	If wtmpfix is unable to fix the wtmp file, the wtmp file must be manually repaired. Refer to Section 2.2.5.1, page 89.
CONNECT1	Connect session records are written to ctmp in the form of ctmp.h. The lineuse file and the reboots file are created, showing all of the boot records found in the wtmp file.
CONNECT2	The ctmp file is converted to ctacct.MMDD, which is comprised of connect accounting records. (Accounting records are in tacct.h format.)
PROCESS	The acctprc1 and acctprc2 programs (see acctprc(8)) are used to convert the process accounting files, /usr/adm/acct/day/Spacct*.MMDD, into total accounting records in ptacct*.MMDD. The Spacct and ptacct files are correlated by number so that, if runacct fails, the Spacct files are not reprocessed. One precaution should be noted: when restarting runacct in this state, remove the last ptacct file, because it will not be complete.
MERGE	The process accounting records are merged with the connect accounting records, the output going to daytacct.
FEES	Any ASCII tacct records from the file fee are merged into daytacct.
DISK	On the day after the dodisk(8) procedure runs, disktacct is merged with daytacct.
MERGETACCT	The daytacct file is merged with sum/tacct, the cumulative total accounting file. Each day, daytacct is saved in sum/tacct.MMDD so that sum/tacct can be recreated if it becomes corrupted or lost.
CMS	Today's command summary is merged with the cumulative command summary file sum/cms. ASCII and internal format command summary files are produced.

USEREXIT	User exit point. If a script named /usr/lib/acct/run.user exists, it will be executed via the shell . (dot) command. The . (dot) command will not execute a compiled program, but the user exit script can. runacct variables are available, without being exported, to the user exit script. You might use this user exit to run local accounting programs.
CLEANUP	Clean up temporary files, run prdaily(8) and save its output in sum/rprt <i>MMDD</i> , remove the locks, and then exit.

#### 2.2.4.1 Failure Recovery for runacct

The runacct(8) program can fail for a variety of reasons; the most common reasons are a system crash, a lack of space in the file system containing /usr/adm/acct, and a corrupted wtmp file. If the active *MMDD* file exists, check it first for error messages. If the active file and lock files exist, check fd2log for messages.

The following are error messages produced by runacct and the recommended recovery actions:

ERROR: locks found, run aborted

The lock and lock1 files were found. These files must be removed before runacct can restart.

ERROR: acctg already run for date: check /usr/adm/acct/nite/lastdate

The date in lastdate and today's date are the same. Remove lastdate.

ERROR: turnacct switch returned rc=?

Check the integrity of turnacct(8) and accton(8). The accton program must be owned by root, and the setuid bit must be set.

ERROR: Spacct?.MMDD already exists

File setups have probably already been run. Check status of files, then run setups manually.

ERROR: /usr/adm/acct/nite/wtmp.MMDD already exists, run setup manually.

This message is self-explanatory.

ERROR: wtmpfix errors see /usr/adm/acct/nite/wtmperror

The wtmpfix(8) program detected a corrupted wtmp file. Use fwtmp(8) to correct the corrupted file.

ERROR: Connect acctg failed: check /usr/adm/acct/nite/log

The acctcon1(8) program encountered a bad wtmp file. Use fwtmp to correct the bad file.

ERROR: Invalid state, check /usr/adm/acct/nite/active

The statefile file is probably corrupted. Check statefile and read the active file before restarting.

# 2.2.4.2 Restarting runacct

If you invoke runacct(8) without arguments, the invocation is assumed to be the first one of the day. The *MMDD* argument is necessary if runacct is being restarted. It specifies the month and day for which runacct is to rerun the accounting. The entry point for processing is based on the contents of statefile. To override statefile, include the desired state on the command line. For each case, see the appropriate example, as follows:

To start runacct:

nohup runacct 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log&

To restart runacct using the state specified in statefile:

nohup runacct 0601 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log&

To restart runacct at a specific state, overriding statefile:

nohup runacct 0601 WTMPFIX 2> /usr/adm/acct/nite/fd2log&

### 2.2.5 Fixing Corrupted Files

When file corruption occurs, some files can be ignored or restored from the file save backup. Certain files, however, must be fixed in order to maintain the integrity of the accounting system.

#### 2.2.5.1 Fixing wtmp Errors

The wtmp files generally cause the highest number of errors in the day-to-day operation of the accounting system. When the date is changed, and the UNICOS system is in multiuser mode, a set of date change records is written into the /etc/wtmp file. The wtmpfix program (see fwtmp(8)) is designed to adjust the time stamps in the wtmp records when a date change is encountered.

Some combinations of date changes and reboots, however, slip through wtmpfix and cause acctcon1 (see acctcon(8)) to fail.

The following example shows how to repair a wtmp file:

```
$ cd /usr/adm/acct/nite
```

```
$ /usr/lib/acct/fwtmp < wtmp.MMDD > xwtmp
```

- \$ ed xwtmp
  - (Delete corrupted records)
- \$ /usr/lib/acct/fwtmp -ic < xwtmp > wtmp.MMDD
  (Restartrunacct at the WTMPFIX state)

If the wtmp file is beyond repair, create a null wtmp file, which prevents any charging of connect time. The acctprc1 program (see acctprc(8)) cannot determine which login owned a particular process, but the process is charged to the first login in the /etc/udb file for that user ID.

### 2.2.5.2 Fixing tacct Errors

If your installation is using the accounting system to charge users for system resources, the integrity of sum/tacct is quite important. Occasionally, tacct records appear with negative numbers, duplicate user IDs, or a user ID of 65535. First, check the sum/tacctprev file with prtacct(8). If it looks correct, the latest sum/tacct. *MMDD* should be corrected; sum/tacct must then be recreated. A correctional procedure is as follows:

- \$ cd /usr/adm/acct/sum
- \$ /usr/lib/acct/acctmerg -v tacct.MMDD xtacct
- \$ ed xtacct

(Remove the bad records, write duplicate user ID records to another file)

- \$ /usr/lib/acct/acctmerg -i xtacct tacct.MMDD
- \$ /usr/lib/acct/acctmerg tacctprev tacct.MMDD tacct

The monacct(8) procedure removes all tacct. *MMDD* files; therefore, you can recreate sum/tacct by merging these files.

# 2.2.6 Updating Holidays

The /usr/lib/acct/holidays file contains the prime/nonprime time table for the accounting system. You should edit the table to reflect your site's holiday schedule for the year. By default, the holidays file is located in the /usr/lib/acct directory. You can change the location of this file by modifying the HOLIDAY\_FILE variable in /etc/config/acct\_config. If necessary, you should modify the NUM\_HOLIDAYS variable (also located in acct\_config), which sets the upper limit on the number of holidays that can be defined in HOLIDAY\_FILE.

The format is composed of three types of entries:

- 1. Comment lines: These lines may appear anywhere in the file as long as the first character in the line is an asterisk.
- 2. Year and time designation line: This line should be the first data line (noncomment line) in the file and must appear only once. The line consists of three fields of 4 digits each (leading white space is ignored). For example, to specify the year as 1982, prime time at 9:00 A.M., and nonprime time at 4:30 P.M., the following entry would be appropriate:

1982 0900 1630

As a special condition for the time field, the time 2400 is automatically converted to 0000.

3. Company holidays lines: These entries follow the year designation line and have the following general format:

day-of-year Month Day Description of Holiday

The day-of-year field is a number in the range of 1 through 366, indicating the day for a given holiday (leading white space is ignored). The other three fields are commentary and are not currently used by other programs.

# 2.2.7 Reports

The runacct(8) program generates five basic reports upon each invocation. These reports cover the areas of connect accounting, usage by user on a daily basis, command usage reported by daily totals, command usage reported by monthly totals, and last login time by user. The diskusg command can be configured at your site; see Section 2.1.10.9, page 55, for a description of how to customize a report for your site. The following sections describe the reports and interpretation of their tabulated data.

#### 2.2.7.1 Daily Report

In the first part of the report, the from/to banner alerts you to the time period being reported. The specified times are the time the last accounting report was generated until the time the current accounting report was generated. This banner is followed by a log of system reboots, shutdowns, power failure recoveries, and any other record dumped into the /etc/wtmp file by the acctwtmp(8) program.

The second part of the report is a breakdown of line usage. The TOTAL DURATION value is the difference between the time stamps of the first and the last record found in the wtmp file. The columns are as follows:

<u>Column</u>	Description
LINE	The terminal line or access port
MINUTES	The total number of minutes the line was in use during the accounting period
PERCENT	The total number of MINUTES the line was in use, divided into the TOTAL DURATION $\label{eq:main_stable}$
#SESS	The number of times this port was accessed for a login(1) session

### 2.2.7.2 Daily Usage Report

The daily usage report gives a breakdown of system resource usage by user. Its data consists of the following:

<u>Heading</u>	Description
ACCOUNT NAME	If the UNICOS user-information database is enabled, this field contains the account name; otherwise, it contains default.
UID	User ID.
LOGIN NAME	Login name of the user; there can be more than one login name for a single user ID (although this is not recommended); this identifies the user.
CPU SECS	The amount of time in seconds the user's process used the CPU.

KCORE-MINS	A cumulative measure of the amount of memory a process used while running. The amount shown reflects kiloword segments multiplied by minutes used.
CONNECT (MINS)	The real time used. Real time is the amount of time that a user was logged in to the system. If this time is rather high, and column # OF PROCS is low, this person probably logs in first thing in the morning and rarely uses the terminal the rest of the day. This type of user can be a system resource problem. If this user is logged in and is not using the system at all, he or she may be using a line to the system that someone else needs.
DISK BLOCKS	Output from the disk accounting programs after that output has been merged into the total accounting record (tacct.h). Disk accounting is accomplished by the acctdusg(8) program.
# OF PROCS	The number of processes invoked by the user. Large numbers indicate an uncontrolled user shell procedure.
# OF JOBS	Number of times the user logged in to the system (interactive or batch).
# DISK SAMPLES	Number of times disk accounting was run to obtain the average number of DISK BLOCKS listed earlier.
FEE	The total accumulation of billing units charged against the user by the chargefee(8) shell procedure. The chargefee procedure is used to levy charges against a user for special services (such as file restores) performed. This field is often unused.
SBU	A site-specific system billing unit (SBU); default is 0. You can modify the SBU calculation for your

site by editing the source and recompiling the accounting software (see Section 2.1.10.1, page 40).

### 2.2.7.3 Daily Command and Monthly Total Command Summaries

The daily command and monthly total command summaries are virtually the same, except that the daily command summary reports only on the current accounting period, while the monthly total command summary reports on the time from the start of the fiscal period to the current date. That is, the monthly report reflects the data accumulated since the last invocation of the monacct(8) procedure.

The data included in these reports tells you which commands are used most often. Based on this information, you can identify areas of the system using a majority of system resources.

These two reports are sorted by TOTAL CPU-MIN. The following categories are used:

<u>Heading</u>	Description
COMMAND NAME	The name of the command. All shell procedures are under the name sh, because only object modules are reported by the process accounting system. The acctcom(1) program is a good tool to use for identifying a user who executed a suspiciously named command and also for determining whether super-user privileges were used.
NUMBER CMDS	The total number of invocations of this particular command.
TOTAL KCOREMIN	The total cumulative measurement of the number of kiloword segments of memory used by a process per run-time minute.
TOTAL CPU-MIN	The total processing time this program has accumulated.
TOTAL REAL-MIN	The total real-time (wall-clock) minutes this program has accumulated.
MEAN SIZE-K	The mean of the TOTAL KCOREMIN over the number of invocations reflected by NUMBER CMDS.

MEAN CPU-MIN	The mean derived between the NUMBER CMDS and TOTAL CPU-MIN.
HOG FACTOR	A relative measurement of the ratio of system availability to system usage. It is computed by the following formula:
	(total CPU time) / (elapsed time)
	This gives a relative measure of the total available CPU time consumed by the process during its execution.
K-CHARS TRNSFD	The total number of characters moved by the read(2) and write(2) system calls.
I/O BUFS RD/WR	The total number of physical reads and writes that a process performed.

# 2.2.7.4 Last Login Report

The last login report provides the date on which a particular login was last used. You can use this report as a source of likely candidates to be moved to the archives, or, of unused logins and login directories to be deleted.

# 2.2.8 Accounting Files

This section lists files relevant to the accounting system in the /usr/adm/acct/day, /usr/adm/acct/nite, /usr/adm/acct/sum, and /usr/adm/acct/fiscal directories.

Files in the /usr/adm/acct/day directory are as follows:

<u>File</u>	Description
dtmp	Output from the acctdusg(8) program.
fee	Output from the chargefee(8) program (ASCII tacct records).
pacct	Active process-accounting file.
pacct*	Process-accounting files switched using turnacct(8).

Spacct*.MMDD	Process-accounting files for <i>MMDD</i> during execution of runacct(8).			
Files in the /usr/adm/acct	c/nite directory are as follows:			
File	Description			
active	Used by runacct to record progress and print warning and error messages. The active <i>MMDD</i> file is the same as active after runacct detects an error.			
CMS	ASCII total command summary used by prdaily(8).			
ctacct.MMDD	Connect accounting records in tacct.h format.			
ctmp	Output of acctcon1 program (see acctcon(8)); connect session records in ctmp.h format.			
daycms	ASCII daily command summary used by prdaily.			
daytacct	Total accounting records for one day in tacct.h format.			
disktacct	Disk accounting records in tacct.h format; created by dodisk(8) procedure.			
fd2log	Diagnostic output during execution of runacct.			
lastdate	Last day runacct executed in <i>date</i> +% <i>m</i> % d format.			
lineuse	The tty line usage report used by prdaily.			
lock lock1	Used to control serial use of runacct.			
log	Diagnostic output from acctcon1.			
log MMDD	Same as log after runacct detects an error.			
reboots	The beginning and ending dates from wtmp, and a listing of reboots.			
statefile	A record of the current state during execution of runacct.			
tmpwtmp	The wtmp file corrected by wtmpfix (see fwtmp(8)).			
wtmperror	Place for wtmpfix error messages.			

wtmperror <i>MMDD</i>	Same as wtmperror after runacct detects an error.					
wtmp.MMDD	Previous day's wtmp file.					
Files in the /usr/adm/acct/sum directory are as follows:						
<u>File</u>	Description					
cms	Total command summary file for current fiscal year in internal summary format.					
cmsprev	Command summary file without latest update.					
daycms	Command summary file for yesterday in internal summary format.					
loginlog	Login record file created by lastlogin(8).					
pacct.MMDD	Concatenated version of all pacct files for <i>MMDD</i> ; removed after reboot by remove(8) procedure.					
rprt <i>MMDD</i>	Saved output of prdaily(8) program.					
tacct	Cumulative total accounting file for current fiscal period.					
tacctprev	Same as tacct without latest update.					
tacctMMDD	Total accounting file for MMDD.					
wtmp.MMDD	Saved copy of wtmp file for <i>MMDD</i> , removed after reboot by remove(8) procedure.					
Files in the /usr/adm/acct/fiscal directory are as follows:						
File	Description					
Cms	Total command summary file for the fiscal period in internal summary format.					
fiscrpt	Report similar to prdaily(8) for fiscal period.					

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Total accounting file for fiscal period.

# 2.3 Front-end Formatting

Front-end formatting facilities let you customize accounting reports and generate output files that can be processed on a front-end computer system. The front-end formatting process consists of two main parts:

- Consolidating the accounting data you have collected to select useful information and to reduce it to a manageable amount of data for the front-end system.
- Formatting the consolidated data into meaningful reports and files for further processing on the front-end system.

Accounting data is consolidated using identifier keys. These keys may include user ID (uid), account ID (acid), job ID (jid), group ID (gid), and job class (jclass). The front-end formatters then can send the consolidated data output to either an ASCII report or to a binary file.

**Note:** Disk usage information is not available on a job basis in the UNICOS operating system; thus, it cannot be consolidated by job ID or job class. However, output from the dodisk(8) utility can be used for billing disk usage on a user ID or account ID basis.

# 2.3.1 Why Use Front-end Formatting

Sites may want to use a front-end formatter to customize Cray Research accounting data in the following situations:

- All billing is done on a single system. When accounting data from several systems are processed on a single system, the units of measure may need to be standardized. For example, all CPU time should be expressed in milliseconds.
- The front-end system is an IBM machine that requires character fields to be in EBCDIC format.
- Only a few fields are important to the billing system; these usually include CPU time, memory use, disk use, and swap use.

Cray Research accounting products let you choose from two types of front-end formatting:

- Cray Research system accounting (CSA) front-end formatters are templates of C programs that show you how to consolidate session file records and delivers output in VM, MVS, or ASCII format.
- The generic front-end formatter, csagfef(8), accepts as input a generic consolidated data file or multiple pacet (per-process accounting data) files. It delivers output as either an ASCII report or a Cray Research binary file. csagfef cannot convert output to VM or MVS format.

You should consider several factors when deciding which front-end formatter to use:

- The CSA front-end formatters require a source license, while the generic formatter does not.
- The generic front-end formatter delivers either ACSII or Cray binary data output, where binary numbers are always written as a 64-bit word. CSA formatters can be modified to write 32-bit numeric values or EBCDIC output.
- Both types of formatters process session record files, which are created by csabuild(8). However, the generic formatter is also capable of processing multiple pacet files.

### 2.3.2 Preparing to Use a Formatter

Before you attempt either to modify a CSA formatter or to execute the generic formatter, you must make several decisions based on what you want the final report or data file to contain. The issues you must decide upon include the following:

• Identifying the data that needs to be reported.

A multitude of data can be extracted from a session or a pacct file. For efficiency and the conservation of disk space, only the necessary data should be consolidated by the CSA formatters or by csagcon(8).

• Selecting the consolidation keys.

You can use various keys to consolidate the data. Both types of formatters support data consolidation by account ID, group ID, job ID, and user ID or some combination thereof. csagcon also supports data consolidation by job class, which is either interactive or batch through the Network Queuing System (NQS).

• Determining which sessions should be consolidated when the input is a session file.

You can consolidate data for only terminated sessions, only active sessions, or both terminated and active sessions.

• Selecting the format of the ASCII report or binary data file.

Among the things to be decided are the units of the various fields, the precision, the order of the data, the character set, the length of character strings, and the size and format of binary integer and floating point numbers.

After making these decisions, you should modify or set up the front-end formatter to generate reports or data files based on these specifications. Normally, front-end formatters are executed by csarun in either the FEF or the USEREXIT state. See Section 2.1.10.3, page 51, for more information on these user exits.

# 2.3.3 CSA Front-end Formatting

All CSA front-end formatters contain code both to consolidate session record data and to send consolidated data to a report or file. You must modify one of these templates in order to consolidate and send the data output specifically needed by your site.

**Note:** csafef(8), csafef2(8), and csaibm(8) are templates; if you execute them as released, they produce a message stating that they are templates. If your site wants to use one of these programs, you must have a source license and you must make modifications to the code. Any local changes made to these templates are not supported by Cray Research.

# 2.3.4 Generic Front-end Formatting

The generic accounting data consolidator csagcon(8) and the generic front-end formatter csagfef(8) are more flexible versions of the csacon(8) and csacrep(8) utilities. They let you do the following tasks:

- Consolidate a session file
- Consolidate one or more pacct accounting files
- Generate an ASCII report or a binary file based on a file created by csagcon

The csagcon and csagfef utilities let you specify the fields to be consolidated and the format of the report. In contrast, csacon and csacrep have hardcoded data specifications and formats that cannot be changed without source code and local modifications. Administrators who execute csagcon may need privilege to access the the /dev/kmem file. If this privilege is needed and you do not possess it, csagcon will terminate with an error.

The csagcon and csagfef utilities can be executed from the csarun user exit scripts. Both commands can be invoked from either the FEF or USEREXIT state of csarun. See Section 2.1.10.3, page 51, for more information on user exits.

To invoke csagcon and csagfef from the FEF state, put these or similar commands in the file /usr/lib/acct/csa.fef:

csagcon -S \${SESSION\_FILE} -s username -o \${SESSION\_DIR}/gacct csagfef -f \${SESSION\_DIR}/gacct source\_file > \${CRPT\_DIR}/site.rpt

Alternately, the same two commands can be placed into the /usr/lib/acct/csa.user file; then, csagcon and csagfef will execute from the csarun USEREXIT state.

# 2.3.4.1 Data Consolidation

The csagcon command consolidates data either from a session file, which is created by csabuild(8), or from pacct files. You can choose the data that is to be consolidated by using the csagcon -R option. If a data list is not specified, a set of default variables is selected. In addition, some variables are always selected.

The variable names listed throughout this section are used by both csagcon and csagfef.

# 2.3.4.2 Required Data Variables

The following table lists the required variables that are always included in the consolidated data file. You must not include any of these variables in a csagcon request file (-R option). If you do, csagcon will terminate with an error.

Variable	Type or Value	Description			
acid *	Integer	Account ID.			
con_key	Integer	csagcon consolidation option(s) you specify. If you specify multiple options, the values are added together.			
		Value	csagcon consolidation option		
		0001	-a (consolidate by the account ID (acid) variable)		
		0002	-c (consolidate by the job class (jclass) variable; job class is either interactive or NQS)		
		0004	-g (consolidate by the group ID (gid) variable		
		0010	-j (consolidate by the job ID (jid) variable)		
		0020	-u (consolidate by the user ID (uid) variable)		
		0040	-N (consolidate NQS requests strictly by job ID		
		0100 -A (consolidate active and terminated ses			
		0200	-C (consolidate only active sessions)		
creatime	Integer	Creation time of the file in seconds since 00:00:00 GMT, 1 January 1970.			
file_end	Integer	If the input was a pacct file, this is the latest process end time found in the file. If the input was a session file, this is the end time of the last uptime period. Measured in seconds.			
file_start	Integer	time found	was a pacct file, this is the earliest process end in the file. If the input was a session file, this is the of the first uptime period. Measured in seconds.		
gid *	Integer	Group ID.			
ios	Integer	I/O subsys	tem type.		
		Value	I/O subsystem type		
		1	Model E		
jclass *	Integer	Job class.			
		Value	Job class		
		1	Interactive job		

# Table 4. Required data variables

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Variable	Type or Value	Description			
		2	NQS job		
jid *	Integer	Job ID.			
ncpus	Integer	Number of <b>(</b>	CPUs started.		
njobs	Integer	Number of j records foun	obs. Calculated as the number of pacct end-of-job		
nproc	Integer	Number of p	processes.		
nsess	Integer	Number of s was a session	sessions. This is meaningful only when the input n file.		
num_datarec	Integer	Number of a	data records in the file.		
sort_opt	Integer	csagcon so	rt option used.		
		Value	csagcon sort option		
		0	None (unsorted)		
		1	-s acid (sorted by account ID then user ID)		
		2	-s acname (sorted by account name then user name)		
		3	-s jclass (sorted by job class then job ID)		
		4 -s uid (sorted by user ID then account I			
		5 -s uname (sorted by user name then acc name)			
tp_devgrp	String	An array that is indexed by 0 through (tp_ndevgrp -1) and contains the names of the tape device groups. The names are prefixed with tp If there are fewer than tp_ndevgrp tape device groups, the unused entries have values of tp_null0, tp_null1, and so on. This field is reported when the input was a session file and tape information was requested.			
tp_ndevgrp	Integer	Number of tape device groups. This field is reported when the input was a session file and tape information was requested.			
uid *	Integer	User ID.			
us_nttype	Integer	Number of UNICOS station call processor (USCP) transfer types. This field is reported when the input was a session file and USCP information was requested.			

Variable	Type or Value	Description			
us_tname	String	An array that is indexed by 0 through (us_nttype -1) and contains the names of the USCP transfer types. The names ar prefixed with us This field is reported when the input was session file and USCP information was requested.			
BYTE_CLICK	Integer	Number of bytes per click.			
BYTE_WORD	Integer	Number of bytes per word.			
CLK_TCK	Integer	Number of clocks per second.			
FPTYPE	String	Floating point type: Cray or IEEE.			
HARDWARE	String	Machine identification. Includes serial number and mainframe type.			
MACHINE	String	Machine name.			
MAXBDEVNO	Integer	Maximum number of block devices.			
MAXCDEVNO	Integer	Maximum number of character devices.			
MAXCPUS	Integer	Maximum number of CPUs for this mainframe type and subtype.			
MEMORY	String	Memory configuration.			
MEMORY_NWORD	Integer	Total system and user memory in words.			
NODENAME	String	Network node name.			
OS_HZ	Integer	Clock rate (the frequency per second with which the clock routine is called); usually 60 or 100.			
RELEASE	String	Release of the operating system.			
SDS_WGHT	Integer	Number of clicks per SDS allocation unit.			
SOFTWARE	String	Software release information.			
SYSNAME	String	Operating system name.			
VERSION	String	Release version of the operating system.			
WORD_CLICK	Integer	Number of words per click.			

\* If this variable is not selected as a consolidation key, its value is -2. For example, the following command consolidates session record file by job ID:

csagcon -jN -S Session-Record.0928 -o gacct.0928

In the file gacct.0928 the values for the acid, gid, jclass, and uid variables will be -2 for records. This is because these variables were not selected as consolidation keys on the command line.

### 2.3.4.3 Default and Optional Data Variables

The following sections describe the data that you can specify in a csagcon request file (-R option). The request file contains a list of variables that will be consolidated by csagcon. By default, csagcon consolidates the same data as csacon(8).

The csagcon utility gets the default and optional data variables from the file /usr/lib/acct/table\_init. Specifying a different file using the -T option is not recommended because csagcon expects the data variable names given in this file. Use caution in specifying the -T option; normally it is used only for debugging source code.

The column headings are defined as follows:

<u>Heading</u>	<u>Meaning</u>	<u>Meaning</u>				
Variable	name, except	e that csagcon and csagfef use for the data item. This acept where noted, should appear in the request file when the csagcon -R option.				
Туре	The data typ and string	e of the variable. Valid types are integer, float,				
Unit	The unit, if any, of the data item. The item can be converted to another unit by csagfef (see Section 2.3.4.5.7, page 126).					
Default	Specifies whether a data item is consolidated when the csagcon –R option is omitted.					
	Yes	The data item is consolidated by default.				
	No	The data item is not consolidated by default.				
Job	Specifies whether the csagcon -j option must be used when the data item is consolidated.					
	Yes	The csagcon -j option must be used. For this data item to be consolidated when -j is specified, either the -R option is not used and this is a default item, or the -R option is used and this item is listed in the request file.				

No The csagcon -j option does not have to be used.

# 2.3.4.3.1 Pacct Record Variables

This section describes the variables that contain pacct process information. These variables are available when the csagcon input is either a session file or one or more pacct files.

**Note:** The values in Table 5 are only available when using the csagcon -I option.

Table 5. pacct		

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pp_p_cmd	String	-	No	No	Command name (first 8 characters).
pp_p_flag	Integer	-	No	No	Record flags (See ac_flag in /user/include/sys/acct.h).
pp_p_nice	Integer	-	No	No	Nice value.
pp_p_pid	Integer	-	No	No	Process ID.
pp_p_ppid	Integer	-	No	No	Parent process ID.
pp_p_stat	Integer	-	No	No	Exit status.
ps_p_tty	String	-	No	No	Controlling tty device (maximum of 8 characters).

Table 6. pacct base record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pb_t_btime	Integer	Seconds	No	Yes	Process start time.
pb_t_ctime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Process connect time.
pb_t_etime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Elapsed time.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pb_t_io	Integer	Bytes	No	No	Number of characters transferred.
pb_t_iobtime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	I/O wait time.
pb_t_iosw	Integer		No	No	I/O swap count.
pb_t_iowmem	Integer	Click- ticks	No	No	I/O wait time memory integral while locked in memory.
pb_t_iowtime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	I/O wait while locked in memory.
pb_t_kcore	Float	Kiloword minute	-No	No	Kcore-minutes.
pb_t_lio	Integer		No	No	Number of logical I/O requests.
pb_t_mem	Integer	Click- ticks	No	No	Memory integral.
pb_t_phimem_max	Integer	Words	No	No	Maximum process highwater memory mark.
pb_t_phimem_min	Integer	Words	No	No	Minimum process highwater memory mark.
pb_t_rw	Integer		No	No	Number of physical I/O requests.
pb_t_sctime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	System call time.
pb_t_stime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	System CPU time.
pb_t_utime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	User CPU time.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	: Job	Description
pb_p_ctime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Process connect time.
pb_p_etime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Elapsed time.
pb_p_io	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of characters transferred.
pb_p_iobtime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	I/O wait time.
pb_p_iosw	Float		No	No	I/O swap count.
pb_p_iowmem	Float	Click- ticks	Yes	No	I/O wait time memory integral while locked in memory.
pb_p_iowtime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	I/O wait while locked in memory.
pb_p_kcore	Float	Kilowor minute	d-Yes	No	Kcore-minutes.
pb_p_lio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/O requests.
pb_p_mem	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	Memory integral.
pb_p_rw	Float		Yes	No	Number of physical I/O requests.
pb_p_sctime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	System call time.
pb_p_stime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	System CPU time.
pb_p_utime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	User CPU time.

Table 7. pacct base record variables - prime time values

Table 8. pacct base record variables - nonprime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pb_n_ctime	Foat	Clocks	No	No	Process connect time.
pb_n_etime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Elapsed time.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pb_n_io	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of characters transferred.
pb_n_iobtime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	I/O wait time.
pb_n_iosw	Float		No	No	I/O swap count.
pb_n_iowmem	Float	Click- ticks	Yes	No	I/O wait time memory integral while locked in memory.
pb_n_iowtime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	I/O wait while locked in memory.
pb_n_kcore	Float	Kiloword¥es minute		No	Kcore-minutes.
pb_n_lio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/C requests.
pb_n_mem	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	Memory integral.
pb_n_rw	Float		Yes	No	Number of physical I/O requests.
pb_n_sctime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	System call time.
pb_n_stime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	System CPU time.
pb_n_utime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	User CPU time.

Table 9. pacct secondary data storage (SDS) record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
ps_t_memsw	Integer	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS execution memory integral.
ps_t_sdioch	Integer	Bytes	No	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from SDS.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
ps_t_sdlio	Integer		No	No	Number of logical SDS I/O requests.
ps_t_sdsmem	Integer	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS residency memory integral.

Table 10. pacct SDS record variables - prime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
ps_p_memsw	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS execution memory integral.
ps_p_sdioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from SDS.
ps_p_sdlio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical SDS I/O requests.
ps_p_sdsmem	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS residency memory integral.

Table 11. pacct SDS record variables - nonprime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
ps_n_memsw	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS execution memory integral.
ps_n_sdioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from SDS.
ps_n_sdlio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical SDS I/O requests.
ps_n_sdsmem	Float	Click- ticks	No	No	SDS residency memory integral.

**Note:** All of the variables in Table 12 are available when -E is specified. Job-specific variables (the Job value is Yes) are also accessible when the csagcon -j option is used.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pe_t_fsblkused	l Integer		No	Yes	Number of file system blocks used.
pe_t_jetime	Integer	Seconds	No	Yes	Time the job ended.
pe_t_jhimem	Integer	Clicks	No	Yes	Job highwater memory mark.
pe_t_jnice	Integer	-	No	No	Nice value at job termination.
pe_t_sdshiwat	Integer	SDS allocatio: units	No n	Yes	Job SDS highwater mark.

Table 12. pacct end-of-job record variables

In Table 13, the pd\_t\_bxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXBDEVNO - 1). The pd\_t\_cxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXCDEVNO - 1).

Table 13. pacct device I/O record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pd_t_bioch	Integer	Bytes	No	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the block device.
pd_t_blio	Integer		No	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the block device.
Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
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pd_t_btype	Integer		No	No	Major device number for block devices. A device number of -1 indicates that there is no accounting information for the array index.
pd_t_cioch	Integer	Bytes	No	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the character device.
pd_t_clio	Integer		No	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the character device.
pd_t_ctype	Integer		No	No	Major device number for character devices. A device number of -1 indicates that there is no accounting information for this array index.

In Table 14, the pd\_p\_bxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXBDEVNO - 1). The pd\_p\_cxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXCDEVNO - 1).

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pd_p_bioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the block device.
pd_p_blio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the block device.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pd_p_btype	Integer		Yes	no	Major device number for block devices. A device number of -1 indicates that there is no accounting information for the array index.
pd_p_cioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the character device.
pd_p_clio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the character device.
pd_p_ctype	Integer		Yes	No	Major device number for character devices. A device number of -1 indicates that there is no accounting information for this array index.

In Table 15, the pd\_n\_bxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXBDEVNO - 1). The pd\_n\_cxxxx variables are arrays that are indexed by 0 through (MAXCDEVNO - 1).

Table 15. pacct device I/O record variables - non-prime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pd_n_bioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the block device.
pd_n_blio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the block device.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pd_n_cioch	Float	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes transferred to or from the character device.
pd_n_clio	Float		Yes	No	Number of logical I/O requests for the character device.

Table 16. pacct massively parallel processing (MPP) record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pm_t_pe	Integer		No	No	Number of MPP processing elements.
pm_t_pe_max	Integer		No	No	Largest number of MPP processing elements used by a single process.
pm_t_pe_time	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Sum of (number of PEs used multiplied by time used).
pm_t_time	Integer	Clocks	No	No	MPP time used.
pm_t_time_max	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Greatest amount of MPP time used by a single process.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pm_p_pe	Float		Yes	No	Number of MPP processing elements.
pm_p_pe_time	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	Sum of (number of PEs used multiplied by time used).
pm_p_time	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	MPP time used.

Table 17. pacct MPP record variables - prime time values

Table 18. pacct MPP record variables - nonprime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pm_n_pe	Float		Yes	No	Number of MPP processing elements.
pm_n_pe_time	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	Sum of (number of PEs multiplied by time used).
pm_n_time	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	MPP time used.

**Note:** Each item in the following multitasking tables is an array that is indexed by 0 through (MAXCPUS - 1).

Table 19. pacct multitasking record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job Description
pu_t_mutime	Integer	Clocks	No	No Time connected to [i+1] CPUs.
pu_t_smwtime	Integer	Clocks	No	No Semaphore wait time.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pu_p_mutime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	Time connected to [i+1] CPUs.
pu_p_smwtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Semaphore wait time.

Table 20. pacct multitasking record variables - prime time values

Table 21. pacct multitasking record variables - nonprime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pu_n_mutime	Float	Clocks	Yes	No	Time connected to [i+1] CPUs.
pu_n_smwtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Semaphore wait time.

Table 22. pacct performance record variables - total values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pp_t_phrwblks	Integer		No	No	Number of raw physical blocks moved.
pp_t_rwblks	Integer		No	No	Number of buffered physical blocks moved.
pp_t_rtime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Process start time past pb_t_btime.
pp_t_srunwtime	Integer	Second	sNo	No	SRUN wait time.
pp_t_swapclocks	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Swapped time.
pp_t_tiowtime	Integer	Clocks	No	No	Terminal I/O wait time.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pp_p_phrwblks	Float		No	No	Number of raw physical blocks moved.
pp_p_rwblks	Float		No	No	Number of buffered physical blocks moved.
pp_p_rtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Process start time past pb_t_btime.
pp_p_srunwtime	Float	Seconds	No	No	SRUN wait time.
pp_p_swapclocks	Float	Clocks	No	No	Swapped time.
pp_p_tiowtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Terminal I/O wait time.

Table 23. pacct performance record variables - prime time values

Table 24. pacct performance record variables - nonprime time values

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
pp_n_phrwblks	Float		No	No	Number of raw physical blocks moved.
pp_n_rwblks	Float		No	No	Number of buffered physical blocks moved.
pp_n_rtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Process start time past pb_t_btime.
pp_n_srunwtime	Float	Seconds	No	No	SRUN wait time.
pp_n_swapclocks	Float	Clocks	No	No	Swapped time.
pp_n_tiowtime	Float	Clocks	No	No	Terminal I/O wait time.

### 2.3.4.3.2 Daemon Accounting Variables

The accounting variables that contain daemon usage information are available only when the csagcon input file is a session file.

In Table 25 each item is an array that is indexed by the tape device group names prefixed by tp\_ (see the tp\_devgrp array in Table 14, page 111) or by 0 through (tp\_ndevgrp - 1).

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
tp_nmount	Integer		Yes	No	Number of volumes mounted.
tp_nread	Integer	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes read.
tp_nwrite	Integer	Bytes	Yes	No	Number of bytes written.
tp_rtime	Integer	Seconds	Yes	No	Reservation time.
tp_stime	Integer	Clocks	Yes	No	System CPU time.
tp_utime	Integer	Clocks	Yes	No	User CPU time.

Table 25. Tape accounting variables

In Table 26, the values for nq\_init, nq\_disp, and nq\_term are found in /usr/include/acct/dacct.h.

Table 26. NQS accounting variables

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
nq_btime *	Integer	Seconds	No	Yes	Start time of the request.
nq_disp *	Integer		No	Yes	Dispose subtype (NQ_DISP).
nq_elapse **	Integer	Seconds	No	Yes	Wall-clock time used while the request was running.
nq_init *	Integer		No	Yes	Initiation subtype (NQ_INIT).

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
nq_machname	String		No	Yes	Originating machine name (16 characters).
nq_mid *	Integer		No	Yes	Originating machine ID.
nq_nreq	Integer		Yes	No	Number of NQS requests.
nq_quename	String		No	Yes	Name of the last queue in which the request was located (16 characters).
nq_qwtime	Integer	Seconds	No	No	Queue wait time.
nq_reqname	String		No	Yes	Request name (16 characters).
nq_seqno *	Integer		No	Yes	Sequence number.
nq_stime	Integer	Clocks	Yes	No	Shepherd system CPU time.
nq_term*	Integer		No	Yes	Termination subtype (NQ_TERM).
nq_utime	Integer	Clocks	Yes	No	Shepherd user CPU time.
nq_wallclock ***	Integer	Seconds	No	Yes	Total wall-clock time for the request to complete.

\* If the value for this field is unknown, or if this is an interactive session, this field is set automatically to -9.

\*\* ng\_elapse is the amount of wall-clock time which elapsed while the request was running on a CPU. This does not include queue wait time, system down time, or the period when the request was suspended, checkpointed, or held.

\*\*\* ng\_wallclock is the total amount of wall-clock time it took the request to complete. This includes queue wait time and system down time. This value is reported only once for a request. It is possible that the amount of CPU time the request uses is greater than the wall-clock time, because the request could have created additional processes, been multitasked, or done work in the background.

Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
ct_con_n	Integer	Seconds	Yes	No	Nonprime time connect time.
ct_con_p	Integer	Seconds	Yes	No	Prime time connect time.
ct_nlogin	Integer		Yes	No	Number of interactive logins.

Table 27. Connect time accounting variables

## 2.3.4.3.3 System Billing Units (SBU) Variables

The following table describes the variables that contain information about the system billing units (SBUs). If the input to csagcon is a session file, all the SBUs are multiplied by the appropriate NQS weighting factor. The NQS weighting factors are defined in the accounting configuration file /etc/config/acct\_config.

Table 28.	System	billing	units	(SBU)	variables
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Variable	Туре	Unit	Default	Job	Description
sb_pacct	Float	Billing units	No	No	pacct SBUs.
sb_tape	Float	Billing units	No	No	Tape SBUs.
sb_uscp	Float	Billing units	No	No	USCP SBUs.
sb_ctime	Float	Billing units	No	No	Connect time SBUs.
sb_total	Float	Billing units	Yes	No	Total SBU value.

## 2.3.4.4 Data File Format

The csagcon consolidated data file consists of header and data records. The header records describe both the machine on which the data was collected and the data records.

The csagfef -h option displays some of the information found in the header records.

The file is organized as follows:

<u>Record Type</u>	Description
Header word	File identifier that is defined in /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h.
gc-defs	Definitions record.
gc-imeta	Meta record for integer data.
gc-fmeta	Meta record for floating point data.
gc-cmeta	Meta record for character string data.
gc-data	Indicator for the start of data record 1.
gc-int	Data record 1 containing integer data.
gc-float	Data record 1 containing floating point data.
gc-char	Data record 1 containing character string data.
gc-data	Indicator for the start of data record 2.
gc-int	Data record 2 containing integer data.
gc-float	Data record 2 containing floating point data.
gc-char	Data record 2 containing character string data.
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(Additional gc-data, gc-int, gc-float, and gc-char records for each data record.)

### 2.3.4.4.1 Header Records

Header records appear only once, at the beginning of the consolidated data file. There are three types of header records:

Header Record Type	Description
Header word	Identifies the file according to the format specified in the file /usr/include/sys/accthdr.h. This word allows other accounting programs to check for a valid input file type before attempting to process the file.
Definitions record	Contains constants and character strings that describe the machine on which the data was consolidated and array element names. These variables can be accessed by csagfef(8) and are listed in Section 2.3.4.2, page 100.
Meta record	Describes the data in the data records. A meta record lists the name, type, and size of each item or array in the data records and the order of the data found in the data records. There is a separate meta record for integer data, floating point data, and character string data.

# 2.3.4.4.2 Data Records

Data records follow the header records in a file. The gc-data record denotes the start of the data for a unique consolidation identifier.

## 2.3.4.5 csagfef Source Scripts

The csagfef(8) command is a translator that formats csagcon(8) output into an ASCII report or a binary file according to the directives found in a source script.

The csagfef scripts are based on four sections including the body, any of which may be empty or missing. Scripts can contain any of the following sections in any order:

BEGIN { statements }
END { statements }
function name ( arglist ) { statements }
statements

The csagfef command can process multiple source scripts, and one script can contain multiple BEGIN, END, or body sections. In these cases, csagfef executes the statements for all like sections in the order that they appear in the scripts or script.

For example, all statements in the various BEGIN sections will be combined into one BEGIN section. The statements will be in the same order as they appear in the scripts or script.

### 2.3.4.5.1 BEGIN Section

The statements associated with BEGIN comprise the preamble. The preamble is executed once after the definition and meta-data records are read. The preamble can be used to print report headings and to initialize variables used in the body

#### 2.3.4.5.2 END Section

The statements associated with END comprise the postamble. The postamble is executed once after all the records in the data file have been read. You can instruct csagfef in this section to process and print summary data.

### 2.3.4.5.3 function Section

The statements in the function section of csagfef define functions as specified by you. Functions always begin with the word function followed by the function name and the argument list. The arglist consists of names separated by commas. These argument names are the formal parameters of the function and the variables that are local to the function. Function calls may be nested and recursive. The return statement can be used to return a value.

### 2.3.4.5.4 Body

Statements that are not in any of the above sections form the body of the csagfef source script. Typically, these statements print out information from the data records. This section is executed once for each data record encountered.

#### 2.3.4.5.5 Example Source Scripts

Examples of csagfef source scripts can be found in the /usr/src/cmd/acct/src/csa/csagfef/examples directory.

#### 2.3.4.5.6 csagfef Language Description

The csagfef language is the action language of nawk without the string processing operations. If you are familiar with nawk, you will have little difficulty writing and understanding csagfef scripts. The pattern part of nawk is unnecessary in csagfef, because the data format is defined in the data file. You merely select the data items to process by name.

csagfef implements a version of the awk language (new awk, or nawk) described in *The AWK Programming Language*, by Alfred Aho, Brian Kernighan, and Peter Weinberger (1988).

A csagfef script can include any of the following statements:

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if ( expression ) statement [ else statement ]
while ( expression ) statement
do statement while ( expression )
for ( expression; expression ) statement
break
continue
{ [ statements ] }
expression
print expression-list [ >expression ]
printf format[, expression-list ] [ >expression ]
next
exit [ expression ]
return [ expression ]
```

The following describes further the contents of statements in a csagfef script:

• Statement terminators. Statements are terminated by semicolons, right braces, or newlines.

• Statement continuation. Statements can be continued on successive lines by using \ as the last character of the line. Statements can also be continued after the following symbols:

,	(comma)					
{	(left brace)					
હહ	(logical AND)					
	(logical OR)					
do						
else						
)	(right parenthesis in an "if" or "for" statement)					

- Comments. Nonexecutable comments begin with # and end with a newline. They can appear anywhere in the source script.
- Expressions. Expressions include constants, variables, and operators. Parentheses can be used to control the grouping of the operations in an expression.
- Logical expressions. Logical expressions have a value of 1 (true) and 0 (false). As in the C language, any nonzero value is taken to be true.
- Numbers. Numbers can be integers or floating points. The format is the same as that recognized by strtod(3C) and strtol(3C): digits, decimal point, digits, e or E, signed exponent. At least one digit or a decimal point must be present; the other components are optional. Octal integers begin with 0. Hexadecimal integers begin with 0 *x*.
- Variable names. Variable names consist of a letter followed by a string of letters, numbers, or the character \_. Variables are used to name the data items found in the data records of the consolidated file.

Some variables in the consolidated data file are arrays. The elements of these arrays can be referenced by indexing. For example, the variable, pu\_t\_mutime, is an array that contains the time a process was connected to (i+1) CPUs; see Table 19, page 114 (table: pacct multitasking record variables). The time a process was connected to one CPU is referenced by pu\_t\_mutime [0].

You can also define additional variables within the csagfef source script; however, user-defined arrays are not supported.

A csagfef script can include prefix, infix, and suffix operators as follows:

Prefix operators	The csagfef command applies a prefix operat immediately preceding a term and any suffix operators. It then applies any prefix operators t the left of that operator, grouping them from rig to left.				
	<u>Operator</u>	Action			
	++X	Preincrement			
	-X	Predecrement			
	+X	Plus			
	-X	Minus			
	!X	Logical NOT			
Infix operators	The csagfef command applies infix operators, in descending order of precedence, as follows:				
	<u>Operator</u>	Action			
	Х^Ү	Exponentiation			
	X*Y	Multiplication			
	X/Y	Division			
	X%Y	Remainder			
	X+Y	Addition			
	X-Y	Subtraction			
	X <y< td=""><td>Less than</td></y<>	Less than			
	X<=Y	Less than or equal			
	X>Y	Greater than			
	X>=Y	Greater than or equal			
	X==Y	Equals			
	X!=Y	Not equals			
	X&&Y	Logical AND			
	$X \mid \mid Y$	Logical OR			
	Z?X:Y	Conditional			
	X=Y	Assignment			
	$X^*=Y$	Multiply assign			

	X/=Y	Divide assign		
	Х%=Ү	Remainder assign		
	X+=Y	Add assign		
	X-=Y	Subtract assign		
	X,Y	Comma		
Suffix operators	The csagfef command applies a suffix op immediately following a term before it app any other operator. It then applies any suff operators to the right of that operator, grou them from left to right. The following list s the suffix operators:			
	<u>Operator</u>	Action		
	X++	Postincrement		
	Х-	Postdecrement		
	X[Y]	Subscript		
	X(Y)	Function call		

### 2.3.4.5.7 Built-in Functions

The csagfef command has the following built-in functions, with the function parameters (given in parentheses) defined at the end of the list:

Function name	Description
abs(exp)	Returns the absolute value of <i>exp</i> .
acid2nam( <i>num</i> )	Returns the character string associated with the account ID ( <i>num</i> ). If there is no associated string, return Unknown.
<pre>bytes_to(num[ , unit])</pre>	Converts bytes to some other unit. If [, <i>unit</i> ] is not specified, kilobytes are returned.
<pre>clicks_to(num[, unit])</pre>	Converts clicks to some other unit. If [, unit] is not

	specified, kilobytes are returned.
clocks_to(num[, tunit])	Converts clocks to some other unit. If [ <i>, tunit</i> ] is not specified, seconds are returned.
close( <i>str</i> )	Closes the file stream specified by <i>str</i> .
frac( <i>exp</i> )	Returns the fractional part of <i>exp</i> .
gid2nam( <i>num</i> )	Returns the character string associated with the group ID ( <i>num</i> ). If there is no associated string, return Unknown.
<pre>imax(arr)</pre>	Returns the index of the maximum element of array <i>arr</i> .
<pre>imin(arr)</pre>	Returns the index of the minimum element of array <i>arr</i> .
<pre>int(exp)</pre>	Returns the integer part of <i>exp</i> .
<pre>isdefined(sym)</pre>	Returns 1 if <i>sym</i> is defined. Otherwise, returns 0.
nam2acid(str)	Returns the numeric account ID associated with the account name ( <i>str</i> ). If there is no account ID, return -1.
nam2gid( <i>str</i> )	Returns the numeric group ID associated with the group name ( <i>str</i> ). If there is no group ID, returns -1.
nam2uid(str)	Returns the numeric ID associated with the user name ( <i>str</i> ). If there is no user ID, returns -1.

<pre>strcmp(str1, str2)</pre>	Compares two strings. Returns a value that is greater than, equal to, or less than 0 according to whether <i>str1</i> is greater than, equal to, or less than <i>str2</i> .
<pre>strftime(fmt)</pre>	Formats the time into a string according to ( <i>fmt</i> ).
<pre>strlen(str)</pre>	Returns the number of characters in string ( <i>str</i> ).
<pre>sum(arr)</pre>	Returns the sum of the elements in array <i>arr</i> .
system(str)	Passes <i>str</i> to the shell for execution.
<pre>ticks_to(num[, tunit])</pre>	Converts ticks to some other unit. If [, <i>tunit</i> ] is not specified, seconds are returned.
uid2nam( <i>num</i> )	Returns the character string associated with the user ID ( <i>num</i> ). If there is no associated string, returns Unknown.
<pre>words_to(num[, unit])</pre>	Converts words to some other unit. If [, <i>tunit</i> ] is not specified, kilowords are returned.

The definitions of the function parameters are as follows:

Parameter_	Definition			
arr	An array name. For example:			
	<pre>imax (pd_t_cioch)</pre>			
exp	A variable name or a function invocation. For example:			

	abs (pb_t_rw)			
	Variable name			
fmt	NULL or a valid strftime(3C) format that is enclosed in double quotes. For example:			
	strftime ()			
	NULL format			
	strftime (" %X ")			
	strftime format			
num	Either an integer value or the name of a variable that contains an integer value. For example:			
	bytes_to (pb_t_io)			
	Variable name			
	uid2nam ( <i>uid</i> )			
	Variable name			
	words_to (5125)			
	Integer value			
str, str1, str2	Either character strings enclosed in double quotation marks or the names of a variables whose values are character strings. For example:			
	close (" cpu_data ")			
	Character string			
	<pre>command = "date; uname -a"</pre>			
	system (command)			
	Variable that contains a character string			
sym	A variable name. Names of array elements are not valid symbols. <i>sym</i> can be defined by the csagfef -D option. For example:			

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if (isdefined (ios_e))				
Variable				
if (isdefined (us_stime [ us_Dispose ]))				
Not valid				
csagfef -DCPU				
if (isdefined (CPU))				
Symbol defin csagfef -D				
May be one of the following:				
В	Converts to bytes			
KB	Converts to kilobytes (2 <sup>10</sup> bytes)			
MB	Converts to megabytes (2 <sup>20</sup> bytes)			
GB	Converts to gigabytes (2 <sup>30</sup> bytes)			
W	Converts to words			
KW	Converts to kilowords (2 <sup>10</sup> words)			
MW	Converts to megawords (2 <sup>20</sup> words)			
GW	Converts to gigawords (2 <sup>30</sup> words)			
number	Uses number as the divisor and divides the value by number			

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unit

variable_name	Uses variable_name as the divisor
Examples of using the unit follow:	function parameter
<pre>bytes_to (tp_nread, MB)</pre>	
Converts byt	es to megabytes
words_to(pb_t_phimem_n	nax, 1000)
0000 1000 40	the divisor and t_phimem_max
May be one of the following:	
SEC	Converts to seconds
MIN	Converts to minutes
HOUR	Converts to hours
DAY	Converts to days
Example:	
clocks_to(pb_t_iowtime	e, MIN)
Convert cloc	ks to minutes

Convert clocks to minutes

## 2.3.4.5.8 Built-in Variables

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The csagfef command has the following built-in variables, as shown in Table 29:

Table 29. Built-in variables				
Variable	Default	Description		
FILENAME	None	Name of the current input file		
NR	None	Number of data records read so far		
OFMT	%.6g	Output format for printing numbers		

Variable	Default	Description
OFS	" "	Output field separator
ORS	∖n	Output record separator
RSIZE	None	Size of the data records in bytes

#### 2.3.4.5.9 Generic Front-end Formatting Example

The extended example presented here illustrates how you can consolidate and format data for NQS requests using csagcon and csagfef. It assumes input from a session file. The example follows the steps listed in Section 2.3, page 97.

1. Identify the data that needs to be reported.

Determine the information that is useful to your site. In this case, for each NQS request the example will report the following fields:

- User name
- Account name
- Request name
- Request ID
- Queue name
- CPU time
- Memory high-water value
- Queue wait time
- Locked I/O wait time
- Unlocked I/O wait time

Because some of these items are not default csagcon consolidation items, you must specify a request file when executing csagcon. The following variable names, which are described in Table 14, page 111, through Table 29, page 131, must be in the request file (ngs.req). You can find a copy of this file in the /usr/src/cmd/acct/src/csa/csagfef/examples directory.

nq\_reqname nq\_seqno nq\_quename pb\_t\_stime
pb\_t\_utime
pb\_t\_phimem\_max
nq\_qwtime
pb\_t\_iowtime
pb\_t\_iobtime

Pass the request file name (nqs.req) to csagcon by using the -R option (-R nqs.req).

2. Select the csagcon consolidation keys.

To extract information for each NQS request, you must select consolidation keys: appropriate job ID (-j option) and job class (-c option). However, you must be certain that all portions of an NQS request are processed as though they have the same job ID, which is the default. (For this example, do not specify the -N option, which consolidates each portion of an NQS request according to its job ID).

To report the username and account name that is associated with each request, you also must specify the -u and -a options. If these two keys are not specified, the username and account name will not be known.

**Note:** All consolidation keys (acid, gid, jclass, jid, and uid) that are not selected on the csagcon command line by the -a, -g, -c, -j, and -u options, will have a value of -9.

For example, if you do not specify the -u option, the uid variable will always have a value of -9.

If you want to sort the output, use the -s option. In this example, the output is sorted alphabetically by username (-s username option).

To summarize, the consolidation and sort options used in this example are the following: -j -c -u -a -s username.

3. Determine which sessions should be consolidated.

This example will consolidate only terminated sessions (default option). You can use the -A or -C option to consolidate all sessions or only active sessions.

The data to be consolidated now is identified and you are ready to execute csagcon. If you assume that the input comes from a session file named Super-Record.1130 and the output is written to the file gacct.1130, you would execute the following command:

```
csagcon -S Super-Record.1130 -o gacct.1130 -R nqs.req -jcua -s username
                           4. Format the consolidated data into a report.
                              You must decide the units and length of the various fields. In this example,
                              memory highwater is reported in megawords and CPU time, queue wait
                              time, locked I/O wait time, and unlocked I/O wait time is reported in
                              seconds. Data that is not already in the correct units is converted by
                              csagfef. Tables Table 14, page 111 through Table 29, page 131 list the
                              default units of the various fields.
                              After deciding on the format, you must write a csagfef source script that
                              tells csagfef how to generate the report. The following script can be used
                              as input to csagfef and is found in the following file:
                              /usr/src/cmd/acct/src/csa/csagfef/examples/nqs.ss
                              The script contains variables that control the writing of the header and
                              summary lines. When -D HEADER is specified on the command line,
                              csagfef outputs the header. When -D SUMMARY is specified, summary
                              information is written.
                              If you assume that the consolidated data file is named gacct.1130, and
                              the source script is named ngs.ss, the following command will generate a
                              report without the header and summary lines:
                              csagfef -f gacct.1130 nqs.ss
                              If you want both, the header and summary information, you should execute
                              the following command:
                              csagfef -f gacct.1130 -D HEADER -D SUMMARY ngs.ss
                              The ngs.ss source script listing follows.
BEGIN {
#
#
       Figure out which sessions were consolidated.
#
if (con_key & 0100) {
       CONSOL = "ACTIVE AND COMPLETED SESSIONS"
} else if (con_key & 0200) {
       CONSOL = "ONLY ACTIVE SESSIONS"
} else {
       CONSOL = "ONLY COMPLETED SESSIONS"
}
```

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#
#
      Initialize counters.
ntot_sess = 0
                            # Total number of sessions
nnqs = 0
                            # Number of NQS sessions
#
       Print the header if "-D HEADER" was specified on the command line.
#
#
if ( isdefined(HEADER) ) {
       printf("%s DAILY REPORT FOR %s (Rel %s, %s)\n\n",
         strftime("%c", creatime), SYSNAME, RELEASE, VERSION)
       printf("INCLUDES DATA FOR %s BETWEEN\n", CONSOL)
       printf(" %s AND %s\n\n",
         strftime("%c", file_start), strftime("%c", file_end))
       printf("
                                                        REOUEST ")
                                        MEM HIWAT QWAIT LCK IO ")
       printf("
                            CPU TIME
       printf("UNLCK \n")
       printf("USER NAME ACCOUNT NAME
                                                               ")
                                        REQUEST NAME ID
       printf("QUEUE NAME
                             [SECS]
                                        [MW] [SECS] WAIT
                                                               ")
       printf("IO WAIT\n")
       printf("===================================")
       printf("=================================")
       printf("======\n")
}
}
                     # count the total number of sessions
ntot_sess++
# count the number of NQS requests
       nngs++
       username = uid2nam(uid)
                                            # user name
       acname = acid2nam(acid)
                                            # account name
       cputime = clocks_to(pb_t_stime, SEC) + \ clocks_to(pb_t_utime, SEC)
                                            # CPU time in seconds
       memhiwat = words_to(pb_t_phimem_max, MW) # memory high water in megwords
       lockio = clocks_to(pb_t_iowtime, SEC)  # locked I/O wait in seconds
```

}

#

#

# #

}

```
ulockio = clocks_to(pb_t_iobtime, SEC)
                                                  # unlocked I/O wait in seconds
       printf("%-12.12s %-16.16s %-16.16s %-8d %-16.16s ",
          username, acname, nq_reqname, nq_seqno, nq_quename)
       printf("%11.3f %8.0f %7d %7.1f %7.1f\n",
           cputime, memhiwat, nq_qwtime, lockio, ulockio)
       Print summary information about the input file if "-D SUMMARY"
       was specified on the command line.
END {
if ( isdefined(SUMMARY) ) {
       printf("\n\nInput file: %s\nTotal number of sessions: %d\n",
          FILENAME, ntot_sess)
       printf("Number of NQS requests: %d\n", nnqs)
       printf("Number of non-NQS requests: %d\n", ntot_sess - nnqs)
```

### The script above produces the following output. Both the header and summary information are included.

Wed Nov 30 10:04:50 1994 DAILY REPORT FOR sn1703c (Rel 9.0.0ao, d90.50) INCLUDES DATA FOR ONLY COMPLETED SESSIONS BETWEEN Wed Nov 30 07:58:09 1994 AND Wed Nov 30 09:51:45 1994 REQ CPU TIME MEM HIWAT QWAIT LCK IO UNLCK

			~				2		
USER NAME	ACCOUNT NAME	REQUEST NAME	ID	QUEUE NAME	[SECS]	[MW]	[SECS]	WAIT	IO WAIT
			==						
fe	Xydev	STDIN	3	b_30_1	0.411	1	4	0.1	0.4
fe	Xydev	STDIN	4	b_30_1	0.414	1	3	0.1	0.3
pds	SysAdm	STDIN	6	b_30_1	0.570	0	4	0.0	0.4
root	SysAdm	STDIN	6	b_30_1	0.544	0	0	0.0	0.5
root	SysAdm	SLSCRUB	7	b_1200_1	0.958	0	0	0.0	1.6
root	SysAdm	STDIN	5	b_30_1	0.531	0	0	0.0	0.1
root	Xydev	STDIN	4	b_30_1	0.558	0	0	0.0	0.3
root	Xydev	STDIN	3	b_30_1	0.552	0	0	0.1	0.4
userl	SysAdm	SLSCRUB	7	b_1200_1	2.079	0	9	0.1	14.8

Input file: gacct Total number of sessions: 175 Number of NQS requests: 10 Number of non-NQS requests: 165