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SnapShot (FILExxSS) is a rolling copy of core processing data as of yesterday.

End-of-Day (EOD) Data Time Slice

SNAPSHOT OVERVIEW

ATTENTION DATA USERS

Imagine you could take a picture of *every data point* in your database just before you roll into the next business day – A snapshot in time to preserve a copy of how yesterday ended. What would you do with that picture?

CU*Answers offers a free SnapShot (FILExxSS) data library for all credit unions on the CU*BASE® core. Access to SnapShot is available by request only - Order via the CU*Answers Online Store.

No management or customization required, it's an instant solution for a consistent, new time slice of your existing data.



TOP 5 REASONS TO LOVE SNAPSHOT

01. Every Piece of Data, Literally!

No corners are cut here. Every single table, row, and column that you find in the daily processing database has a corresponding record in SnapShot.

02. Latest Possible Moment

The picture will be developed within normal end-of-day (EOD) processing so you consistently capture the <u>final</u> values for any given day.

03. New Time Slice for Analysts & Researchers

Comparing current day data to yesterday's data aids in member support research, research of financials, and other queries where timing is important.

04. Quadrupled Processing Window

Data transfers to vendors or your own teams can be larger and more flexible as they are moved outside the Operations cycle (a 3-5 hour window) and now run from the SnapShot data (available 20 hours)

05. Smoooooth Operating

Testing of the transition to run vendor data transfers off SnapShot has been seamless and many custom data transfers already use it! Development continues to identify and prepare additional custom programs to utilize SnapShot.

ONE OF THE FAMILY

Snapshot is native to CU*BASE® and functions as a third **operational*** data environment:

- > FILExx (core data for live transaction processing)
- > FILExxE (selective set of 6 end-of-month records)
- FILExxSS (rolling copy of prior end-of-day records)

*an operational database is one which supports core system processing functions.

Contact the Asterisk Intelligence Team at CU*Answers for more information on all the database environments in CU*BASE!

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