



Rocket® Zara™

For automated tape management



Rocket® Zara™ is an automated IBM z/OS® tape management system. It automatically monitors, manages, and records all tape processing while providing online, real-time access to all tape management data. Zara tracks all dataset contents on a volume, determines tape status, and performs its own database maintenance. Other features include cloud storage of tape data, transient tape support, SAF security, optional SMP/E support, alphanumeric volser support, peer-to-peer communication with silo devices, electronic vaulting support, real-time offsite storage management, and external label printing.

Benefits/Features



Maintains the latest data versions

Ensures that the most current versions of your critical data are safely backed-up and stored offsite.



Keeps clear audit trails

Supplies Operations with a well-documented, easy-to-follow audit trail of all tape activities with online displays and hardcopy reports.



Keeps track of all your datasets

Tracks the physical location and status of every volume in your library, including transient and off-site tape.



Reduces mainframe storage costs

Enables storage cost reduction by archiving mainframe datasets to the cloud or on-prem appliances



Safeguards essential data

Protects your important tapes and data from untimely expiration or costly overwrites.



Centralizes data storage

Stores all tape management data in a centralized location, giving you constant and immediate access to all tape data, including non-corporate, transient tapes.

Rocket® Software's suite of workload automation solutions simplifies and optimizes your end-to-end value streams. **Learn more about our solutions:**




Zara™
Automated tape management




Zebb™
Automated process restart management

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Zack™
Advanced console automation and event management

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Zeke™
Enterprise-wide automated process scheduler

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Around the world today, Zara is being used to manage libraries that range from thousands of tapes to hundreds of thousands of tapes. It is a flexible, efficient system that provides all the standard services expected – and more.

Rocket® Zara™ offers:



Comprehensive, online, real-time data access and updates



Direct communication improves ATL's operational efficiency



Transient tape management that increases control



Open application program interface (API) that ensures total system integration



Easy online definition of retention values with no JCL changes



Cloud tape management with [Rocket® Cloud Connector](#) integration



Maximum flexibility with multiple CPU or IBM z/OS environment support



Export and import services that provide versatile administrative data management

Monitor valuable IT data in a mainframe environment while providing real-time access to tape management data.

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