

## COMMAND EXECUTIVE

MAIN PROCEDURE OF EVERY PROCESS AT AN  
ITP WORK STATION

CONTROLS THE EXECUTION OF TRANSACTIONS

PLUS MUCH MORE

## COMMAND EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS

- WORK STATION AND PROCESS INITIALIZATION
- CONTROLS THE EXECUTION OF TRANSACTIONS
- CONTROLS THE MULTIPLEXING OF USERS (TENANTS)  
ACROSS PROCESSES
- TPR FUNCTIONS:
  - .CANCL
  - .FREE
  - .TRMTN
  - ETC.
- COBOL SEND/RECEIVE
- TPR MEMORY MANAGEMENT
- FAULT HANDLING
- PROCESS WRAPUP
- HONEYWELL SUPPLIED TPR's

COMMAND EXECUTIVE COMPONENTS

SHARED CODE: (1000) (1000)

INITIALIZATION 2000

ALL OTHER 7000

TOTAL 9000

INITIALIZATION TPR (TP1H) 2700

GMAP RUN TIME 2400

TOTAL INITIALIZATION TPR 5100

TPR's

TP-BIO 1200

TP-INI 500

TP-ABT 1000

TP-LOF 600

TP-TWS 500

TP-AWS 500

TOTAL TPR's 4300

## INITIALIZATION

ITP WORKSTATION PROCESSES ARE SPAWNED AUTOMATICALLY  
BY TENANT MANAGEMENT

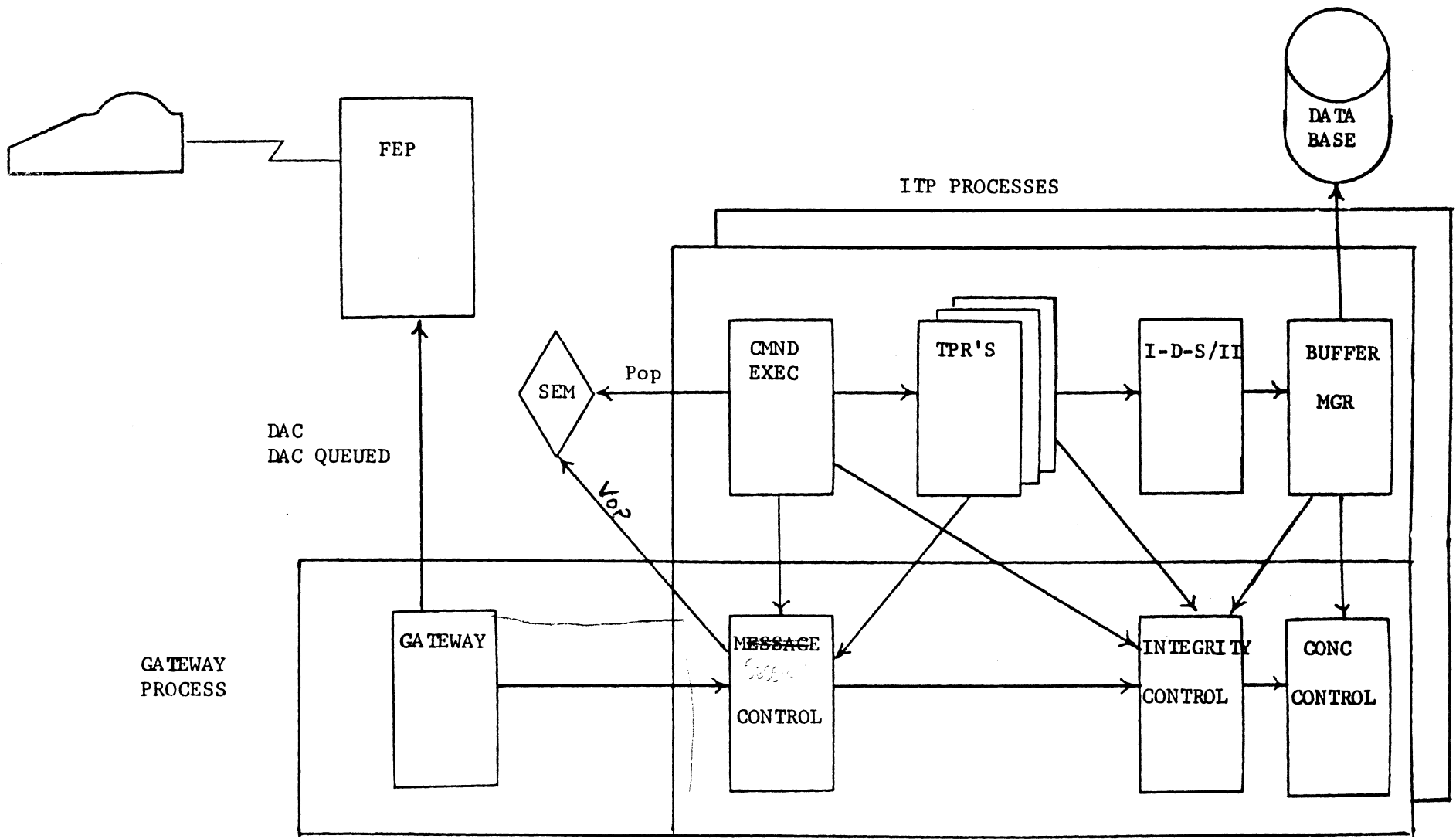
THE FIRST PROCESS STARTED AT THE WORKSTATION IS  
CALLED THE INSTIGATOR

THE INSTIGATOR IS SPAWNED WHEN THE FIRST USER LOGS  
ON TO AN ITP WORKSTATION

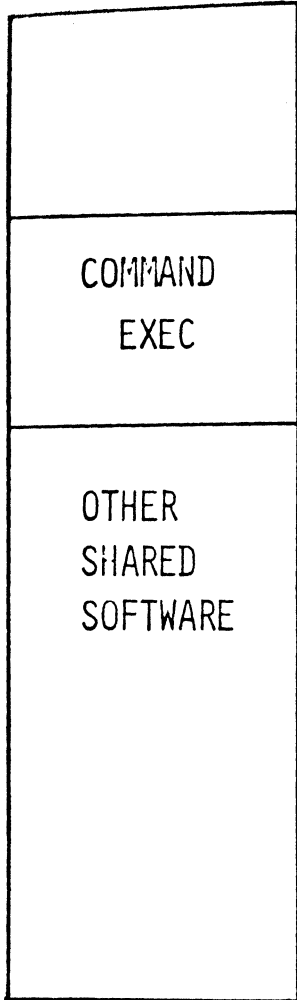
WORKSTATION MANAGEMENT INITIALIZES SOME TABLES FOR  
THE CX WHEN THE WORKSTATION IS STARTED  
(THE INSTIGATOR IS STARTED).

THESE TABLES PROVIDE GATING AND TEMPORARY STORAGE  
FOR THE CX

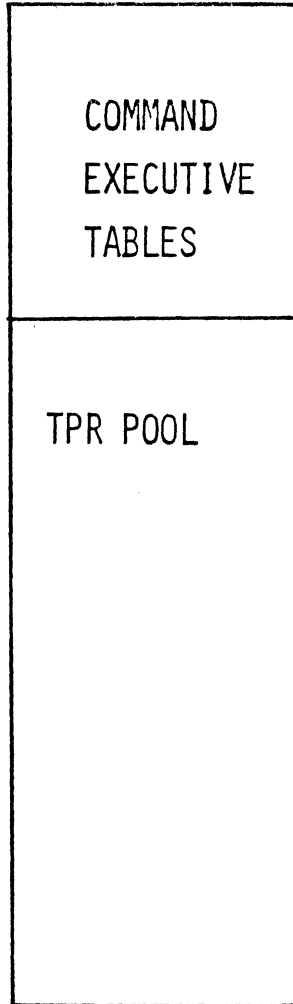
TRANSACTION FLOW



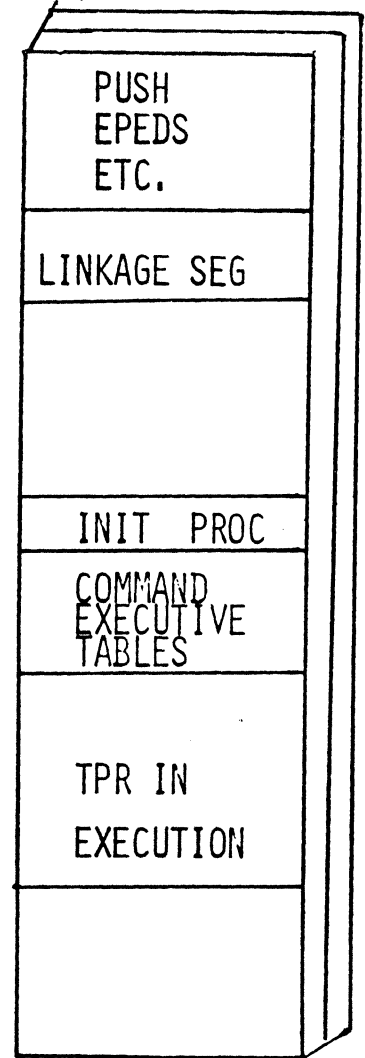
WSR5



WSR6



WSR7



## INITIALIZATION CONTINUED

THE INSTIGATOR INITIALIZES THE WORKSTATION STRUCTURES  
AS FOLLOWS:

BOOTSTRAP VERSIONS OF THE CX TABLES ARE BUILT  
INITIALIZATION TPR IS LOADED  
ITP EXTENSION OF THE WORKSTATION DATA BASE IS READ  
GMAP RUN TIME ROUTINES ARE CALLED TO CREATE AND  
AND INITIALIZE SEGMENTS

THE INSTIGATOR AND EVERY OTHER PROCESS INITIALIZES

THE PROCESS LOCAL STRUCTURES AS FOLLOWS:  
THE CX LINKAGE SEGMENT IS INITIALIZED  
PROCESS LOCAL SEGMENTS ARE CREATED AND  
INITIALIZED

THE READY TPR(s) ARE EXECUTED TO:

- READY THE AREAS FOR EACH SUBSCHEMA
- INITIALIZE GLOBAL STORAGE

CONTROL IS PASSED TO THE MAIN PROCEDURE OF CX

## TENANT MULTIPLEXING

### TENANT CREATION

TENANT MANAGEMENT CREATES A TENANT WHEN A NEW USER  
LOGS ON THE ITP WORKSTATION

TENANT MANAGEMENT NOTIFIES THE ITP WORKSTATION THAT  
A NEW USER HAS LOGGED ON THROUGH THE WORKSTATION  
SEMAPHORE

ONE OF THE ITP PROCESSES RESPONDS TO THE NOTIFICATION:  
THE CX MAPS THE TENANT TO THE PROCESS

THE LOG-ON TPR (TP-INI) IS EXECUTED:

- A SESSION CONTROL ACCEPT IS ISSUED
- VALIDITY CHECKING IS PERFORMED
- SECURITY PARAMETERS ARE ESTABLISHED  
FOR THE TENANT
- AN LID IS ESTABLISHED

TENANT IS UNMAPPED FROM THE PROCESS



## TENANT MULTIPLEXING

### TRANSACTION CONTROL

TENANT MANAGEMENT NOTIFIES THE ITP WORKSTATION WHEN  
AN END QUARANTINE UNIT HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY  
SESSION CONTROL

ONE OF THE ITP PROCESSES RESPONDS TO THE NOTIFICATION:

THE CX MAPS THE TENANT TO THE PROCESS  
A PRERECEIVE OF THE FIRST RECORD IS DONE  
A SCAN IS MADE TO LOCATE THE COMMAND  
THE COMMAND IS INTERPRETED  
IMPLICIT RECEIVE IS DONE IF REQUIRED  
VIRTUAL RESOURCES ARE ALLOCATED IF REQUIRED  
GLOBAL STORAGE IS ALLOCATED IF REQUIRED  
THE INITIAL TPR OF THE TRANSACTION IS LOADED  
AND EXECUTED

THE TPR IS UNLOADED

IMPLICIT SEND IS DONE IF REQUIRED

ONE OF FIVE ACTIONS CAN NOW TAKE PLACE:

1. TRANSACTION TERMINATION (COMMITMENT)
2. TRANSACTION ABORT
3. CONVERSATION WITH COMMITMENT
4. DEFERRED COMMITMENT (CHECKPOINT)
5. TPR CHAINING

## TENANT MULTIPLEXING

### TRANSACTION ABORT

TWO KINDS OF ABORT: FATAL AND RESTARTABLE

FATAL ABORT:

ROLLBACK IS DONE

ON-ABORT TPR IS LOADED AND EXECUTED

COMMITMENT IS DONE

TENANT IS UNMAPPED FROM THE PROCESS

RESTARTABLE ABORT:

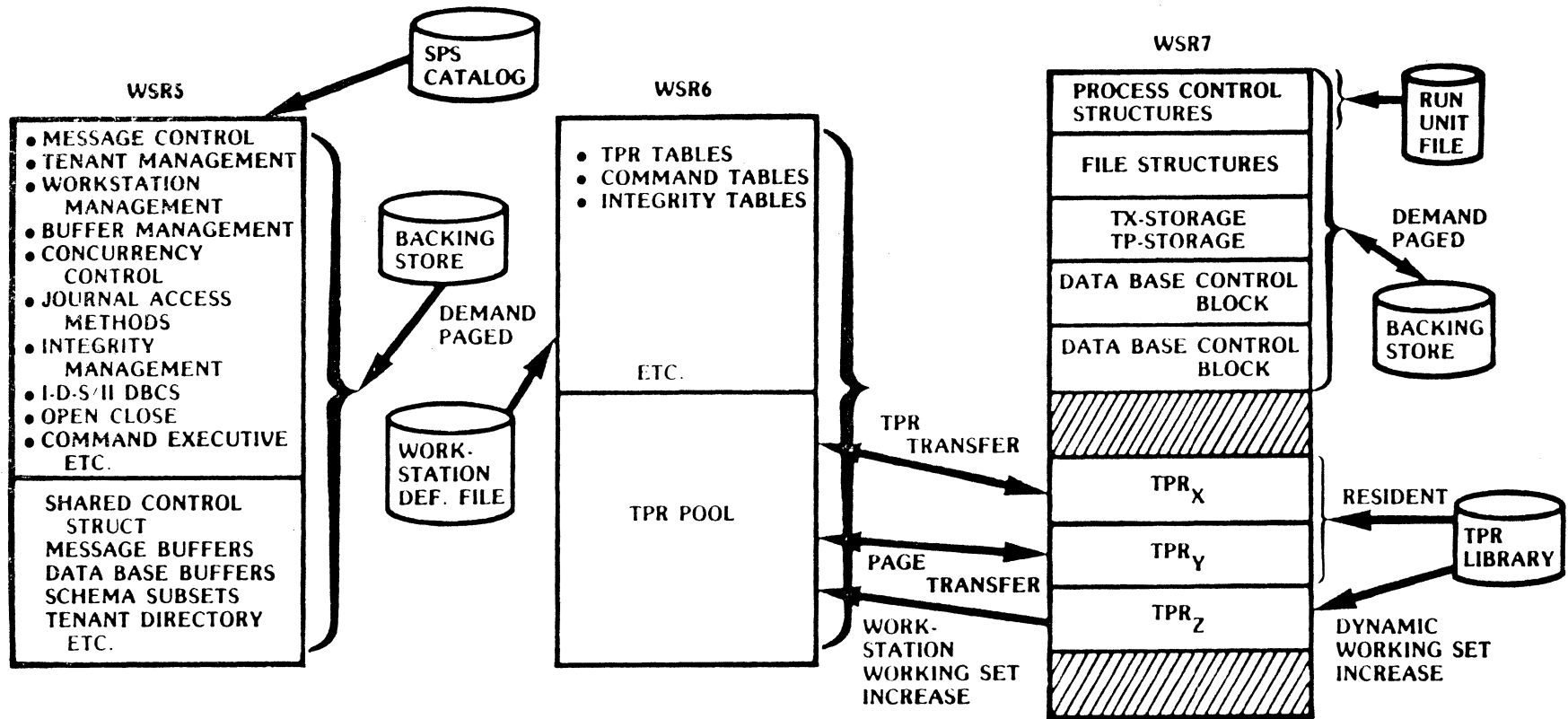
ROLLBACK IS DONE

REQUEUING OF LAST INPUT MESSAGE IS REQUESTED

AN ATTEMPT IS MADE TO UNMAP TENANT:

- SUCCESSFUL IF INPUT NOT REQUEUED
- TENANT STAYS MAPPED IF INPUT IS REQUEUED

# PHYSICAL LAYOUT



## TPR FUNCTIONS

TWO KINDS:

IMMEDIATE

DEFERRED - EXECUTED WHEN TPR TERMINATES

IMMEDIATE FUNCTIONS:

.UNLKV - UNLOCK VIRTUAL RESOURCES

.ABORT - FATAL ABORT

.CHANC - CHANGE GLOBAL STORAGE

.DEFNG - DEFINE GLOBAL STORAGE

DEFERRED FUNCTIONS:

.FREE - DEFERRED COMMITMENT (CHECKPOINT)

.FREER - CONVERSATION WITH

.UNLKV - UNLOCK VIRTUAL RESOURCES

.CANCL - CANCEL TPR

.RBORT - RESTARTABLE ABORT

.TRMTN - TERMINATE TENANT

## FAULT HANDLING

BASIC MECHANISM IS EPED'S

WHEN A FAULT OCCURS, CX GETS CALLED

IF FAULT OCCURED BEHIND WSR7, A CHECK IS MADE  
IF TPR HAS A VALID FAULT VECTOR ENTRY,

IF SO, CONTROL IS TRANSFERRED TO THE TPR  
FOR FAULT HANDLING

IF NOT, THE TRANSACTION IS ABORTED.

IF FAULT OCCURED BEHIND ANOTHER WSR, THE PROCESS IS  
ABORTED.

# IMPLICIT/EXPLICIT SEND AND RECEIVE

## SEND

## RECEIVE

### INPUTS

### OUTPUTS

### INPUTS

### OUTPUTS

- PARAM
- o ADVANCING IND.
  - o ADVANCING CT.
  - o SEND IND. (EXP)

- o STATUS

- o ENCLOSURE

- o STATUS

- CD
- o DEST. CT.
  - o TEXT LNTH.
  - o LID
  - o SUBID

- o STATUS KEY

- o LID
- o SUBID
- o TEXT LNTH
- o END KEY

- BUFFER
- o BUFFER

- o BUFFER

- TP-STORAGE
- o SEND IND. (IMP)

- o ABORT CODE
- o ITP RET CODE

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- o ITP RET CODE

## IMPLICIT/EXPLICIT SEND AND RECEIVE

### SEND

### RECEIVE

- |                             |   |  |   |   |
|-----------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| IMPLICIT                    | o | COMMAND TERMINATION<br>CONVERSATION W/COMMIT<br>DEFERRED COMMIT<br>TPR-CHAINING      | o | NEW TX<br>RESPONSE FROM CONVERSATION                                      |
|                             | o | IFF OUTPUT BUFFER<br>SIZE $\neq \emptyset$<br>AND<br>SEND INDICATOR $\neq \emptyset$ | o | IFF INPUT (REPLY)<br>BUFFER SIZE $\neq \emptyset$                         |
| EXPLICIT                    | o | CLIMB TO CX DOMAIN   | o | CLIMB TO CX DOMAIN  |
|                             | o | COBOL "SEND" VERB<br>A RUNTIME ROUTINE<br>MAPS "SEND" TO A<br>CLIMB                  | o | COBOL "RECEIVE" VERB<br>A RUNTIME ROUTINE<br>MAPS "RECEIVE" TO A<br>CLIMB |
| IMPLICIT<br>AND<br>EXPLICIT | o | CX PERFORMS VIA<br>COMMON ROUTINES   | o | CX PERFORMS VIA<br>COMMON ROUTINES  |

## IMPLICIT/EXPLICIT SEND AND RECEIVE

### SEND INDICATORS

|         |   | <u>IMPLICIT</u> | <u>EXPLICIT</u> |
|---------|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| PORTION | 0 | NO              | YES             |
| ESI     | 1 | YES             | YES             |
| EMI     | 2 | YES             | YES             |
| EGI     | 3 | YES             | YES             |
| RFU     | 4 | NO              | NO              |
| PURGE   | 5 | NOT YET         | NO              |

### EDIT/NO EDIT MODE

- o EDIT MODE IMPLIES THE AFTER ADVANCING AND BEFORE ADVANCING CHARACTERS ARE GENERATED BY THE CX SEND ROUTINES
- o DEFAULT IS EDIT MODE
- o ENTERING AND EXITING EDIT MODE IS CONTROLLED BY TYPES OF SEND INDICATORS USED:
  - SEND PORTION LEAVE EDIT MODE
  - SEND SEGMENT ENTER EDIT MODE
  - OTHERS NO CHANGE IN MODE
- o TO BE ADDED: EDIT MODE SPECIFICATION BY TX TYPE



## PROCESS WRAPUP

CLEANUP OF A TRANSACTION INTERRUPTED BY A PROCESS  
ABORT IS DONE IN WRAPUP

THE ROLLBACK OF THE TRANSACTION IS DONE BY INTEGRITY  
MANAGEMENT DURING THE FIRST ROLLCALL BY SHARED  
SOFTWARE TERMINATION

THEN PROCESS WRAPUP IS PAID TO THE COMMAND EXECUTIVE  
IF A TPR WAS IN EXECUTION AT THE TIME OF THE  
ABORT, IT IS UNLOADED.

THE PROPER ON-ABORT TPR IS EXECUTED

HONEYWELL SUPPLIED TPR's

- TP-BIO - CONTROLS BIBO EXECUTION
- TP-INI - LOG-ON TPR
- TP-ABT - DEFAULT ON-ABORT TPR
- TP-LOF - LOG OFF TPR (\$BYE)
- TP-TWS - TERMINATE WORKSTATION (\$TERM)
- TP-AWS - ABORT WORKSTATION (\$ABRT)

# TENANT MANAGEMENT

- WHAT IS TENANT MANAGEMENT
- REVIEW OF WORK STATIONS, TENANTS,  
AND OTHER STUFF
- MAJOR FUNCTIONS
- ALL FUNCTIONS
- AUTOMATIC SPAWNING AND  
TERMINATION OF PROCESSES
- INTERNAL STRUCTURES

# WHAT IS TENANT MANAGEMENT

- MONITOR CONTROLLING CREATION, DELETION AND STATE CHANGES OF TENANTS.
- SINGLE DOMAIN OF ITP SHARED SOFTWARE
- PACKAGING:
  - SINGLE MODULE (i.e. single object deck)
  - part of SC1.0 subcatalog
  - 2 to 2.5 K
  - GMAP

# REVIEW OF WORK STATIONS, TENANTS, AND OTHER STUFF

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- VIEWS OF WORK STATIONS

- N IDENTICAL PROCESSES
- POINT OF COMMUNICATION
- SET OF CAPABILITIES

- TENANT IS LOGICAL REPRESENTATION OF A USER

- MANY TENANTS MULTIPLEXED ACROSS  
N PROCESSES OF A WORK STATION
- COMMUNICATION BETWEEN TENANTS
- LOGICALLY ATTACHED TO A WORK STATION

- TYPES OF WORK STATIONS

| <u>TYPE</u> | <u>EXAMPLE</u>  | <u># PROCESSES</u> | <u># TENANTS</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1           | Batch           | 1                  | 1                |
| 2           | Gateway         | 1                  | M                |
| 3           | New Timesharing | N                  | N                |
| 4           | ITP             | N                  | M                |

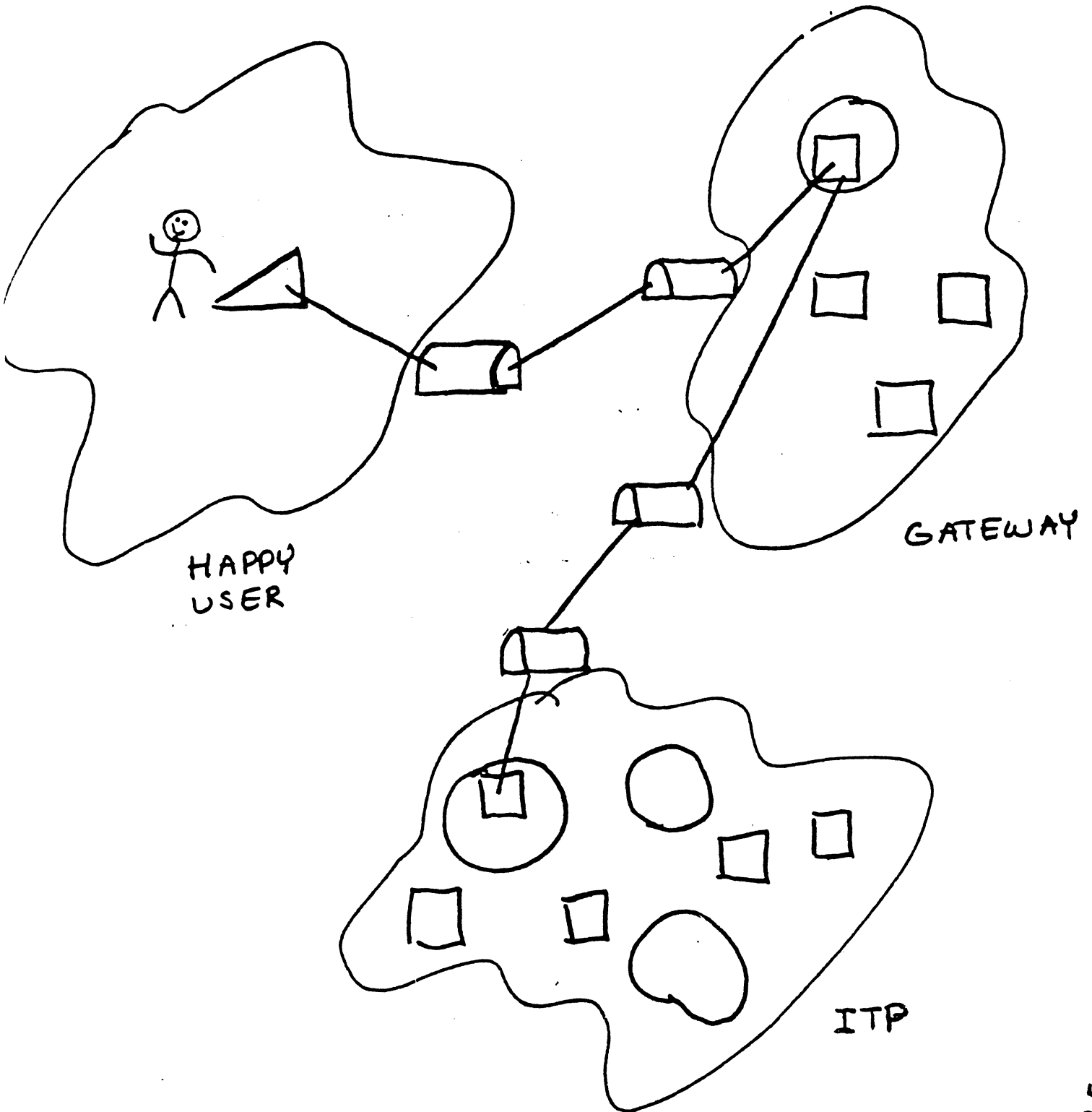
- MESSAGE GROUPS

- WS SEMAPHORE

- P-OP
- V-OP

# REVIEW OF WORK STATIONS, TENANTS, AND OTHER STUFF (CONT'D)

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# MAJOR FUNCTIONS

- ASSIGN TENANT

- CREATION OF TENANTS
- EXPLICIT OR IMPLICIT

- MAP TENANT

- WS PROCESS WANTS TO DO WORK ON BEHALF OF A TENANT
- TENANT ID INTO PCB
- WS SEMAPHORE CONTROL
- ONLY TYPES 2 + 4

- UNMAP TENANT

- WS PROCESS IS DONE DOING WORK ON BEHALF OF A TENANT
- TENANT ID IN PCB ZEROED
- MARKING

- NOTIFY TENANT

- V-OP ON WS SEMAPHORE
- IMPLICIT TENANT CREATION
- AUTOMATIC PROCESS SPAWNING

## ALL FUNCTIONS

- ASSIGN TENANT
- DELETE TENANT
  - MIGHT DELETE WS
- MAP TENANT
- NOTIFY TENANT
- P-OP
  - AUTO SPAWN
  - PMME FINISH
- ENABLE WORK STATION
- DISABLE WORK STATION
- T-OP
- UNMAP TENANT
- UNCONDITIONAL UNMAP TENANT



# AUTOMATIC SPAWNING AND TERMINATION OF PROCESSES

- CAN'T MIX WITH MANUAL SPAWN
- ONLY FOR TYPE 4 WS
- SPAWN RULES:

CURRENT < MIN

MIN  $\leq$  CURRENT < NORM  
AND NO PROCESSES WAITING

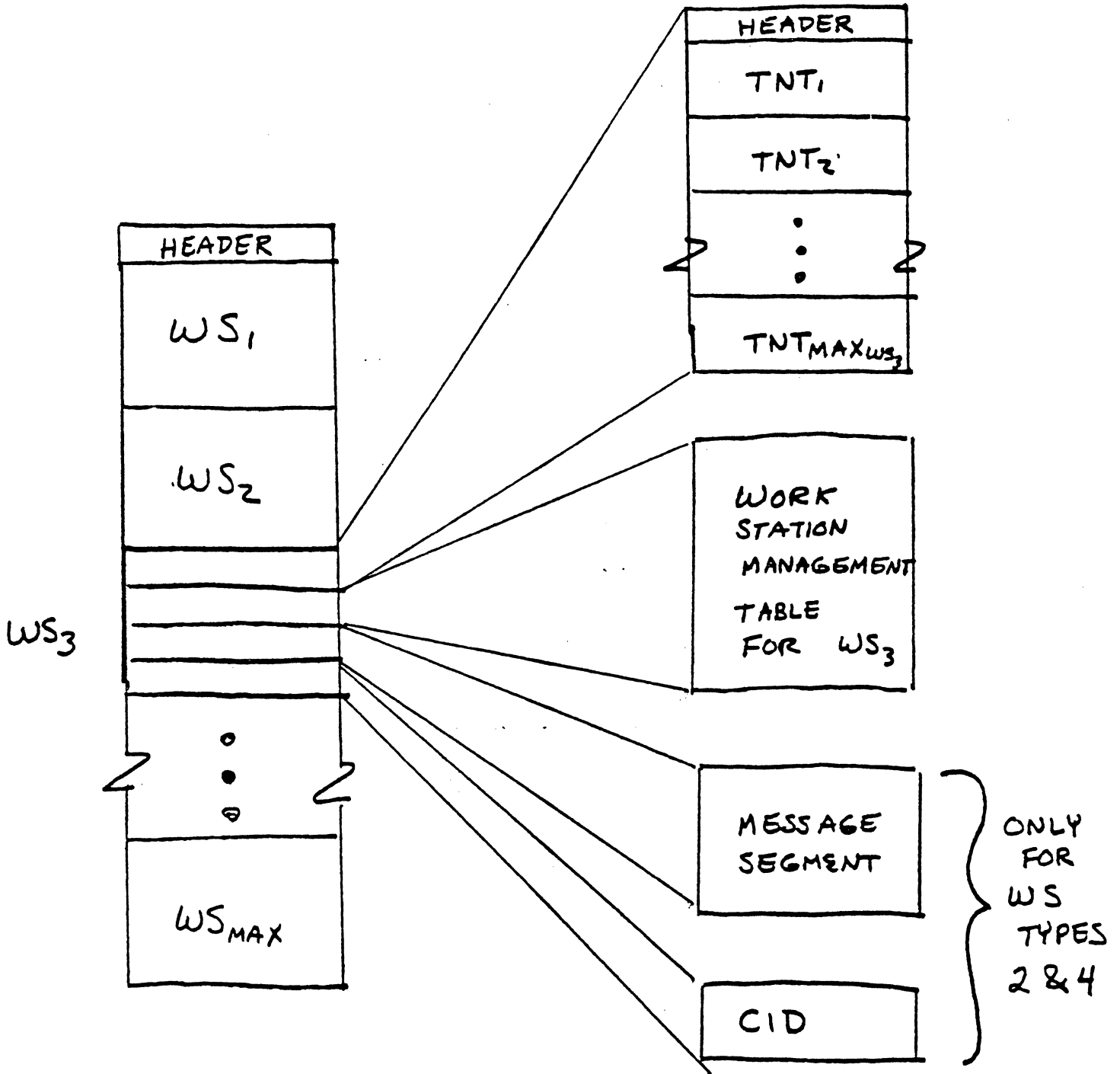
NORM  $\leq$  CURRENT < MAX  
AND # MESSAGES QUEUED  
ON WS SEMAPHORE > THRESHOLD

- TERMINATION RULES:

MIN < CURRENT < NORM  
AND ALL OTHER PROCESSES WAITING

NORM  $\leq$  CURRENT  $\leq$  MAX  
AND ANY PROCESSES WAITING

# INTERNAL STRUCTURES



- SOME HISTORY
- ITP OBJECTIVES
- ITP ARCHITECTURE
  - DSA POINT OF VIEW
  - NSA/GCOS 8 POINT OF VIEW
- WHERE ARE WE GOING ?

## SOME HISTORY

### TPE

- + integrated with OS
- program # limitation
- no sharing of database management
- FMS concurrency/recovery limitations
- no conversation facility
- no program linking by name

### • 1Q 1974 - TDS

- + good concurrency/recovery
- + conversation facility
- + dynamic program linking by name
- + shared database manager
- + can handle thousands of terminals
- everything  $\neq$  from batch
- only BCD/COBOL 68
- hard to use (differed I/O's)
- limited to one processor
- limited to 192 K of memory
- difficult TX/batch concurrency

### • 2Q 1977 - DM IV TP

- + same as TDS
- + ASCII/COBOL 74
- + SAME IDS-II as batch
- + easier to use than TDS (no differed I/O's)
- no BCD/COBOL 68
- limited to one processor
- limited to 192 K of memory

• 78 TPE-II

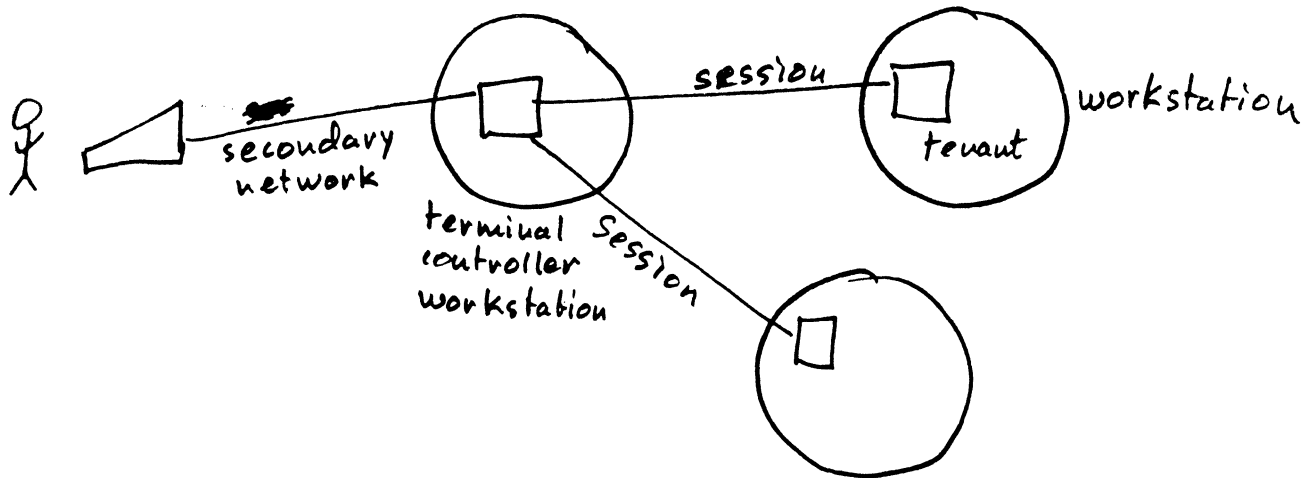
- + integrated with OS
- + fast loading/unloading of programs
- + reuse of processes
- FMS concurrency/recovery limitations
- no sharing of database management
- no conversation capability

- 1Q77 first signature of DSA protocols
- 2Q77 Top-Down definition of ITP
- 4Q77 Start ITP implementation on ACDS, new from Japan
- 1Q78 4VX/ITP Conceptual Design Review: GO
- 4Q78 Version I2 running on 4V
- 2Q79 Version I3 running on early 4VX
- 4Q79 Version I4 running on 4VX

# ITP OBJECTIVES (CDR)

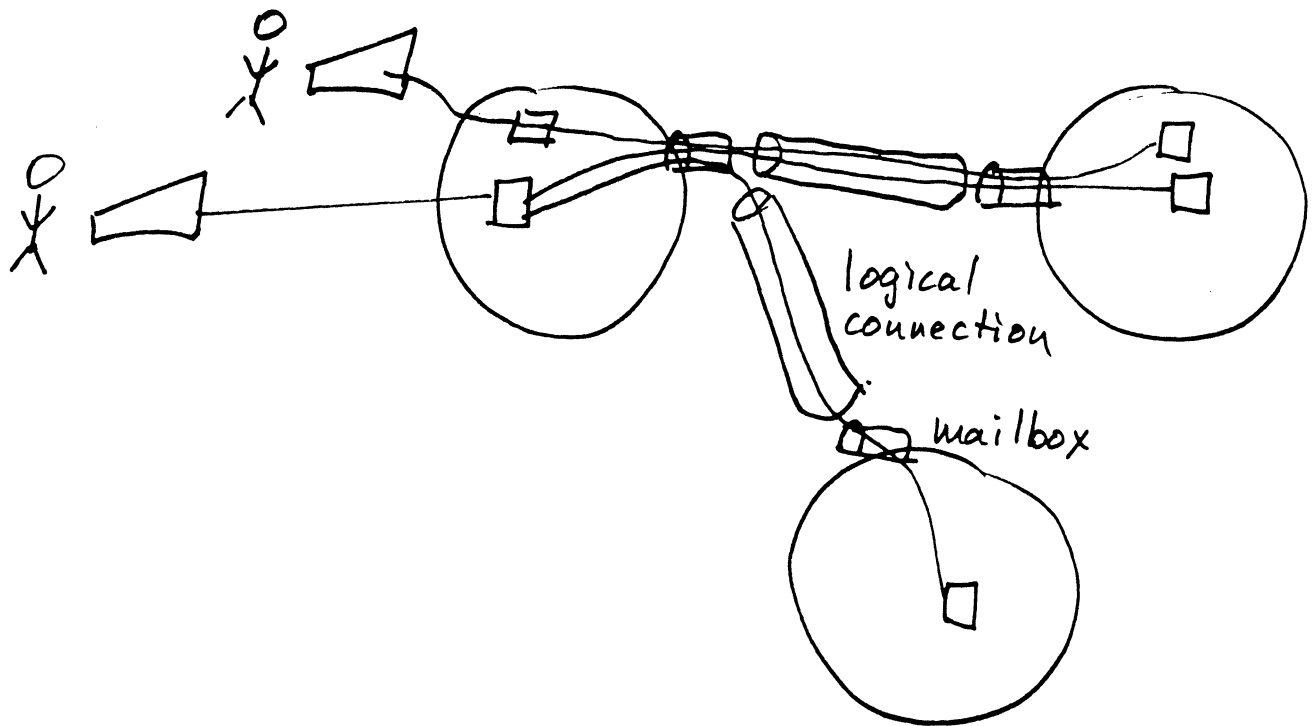
- ELIMINATE PROBLEMS OF TPE/TPE-II/TDS/DNII-TP
  - INTEGRATED TO OS: multiprocessor, no memory limit
  - NEW CONCURRENCY/RECOVERY SYSTEM WIDE
  - SHARED DATABASE MANAGEMENT
- COMPATIBLE WITH DNII-TP
  - TPR'S OBJECT COMPATIBLE
  - NO DATABASE CHANGES
  - NO TERMINAL OPERATOR CHANGES
- BASE OF DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING (DSA)
  - WORKSTATION ARCHITECTURE
  - SESSION CONTROL LAYER
  - GATEWAY TO EXISTING NETWORK
- STEPPING STONE FOR GCOS 8 EVOLUTION
  - FULL USAGE OF NSA CAPABILITY:  
DOMAIN ISOLATION, VIRTUAL MEMORY, SLAVE MODE
  - ALL ITP FUNCTIONS (EXCEPT EXECUTIVE)  
MUST BE USABLE IN ALL DIMENSIONS

## ITP ARCHITECTURE - DSA POINT OF VIEW



- The tenant is the "agent" of the user
- All these agents communicate via "sessions"
- tenants are located in "workstations"
- workstations are indivisible, but relocatable

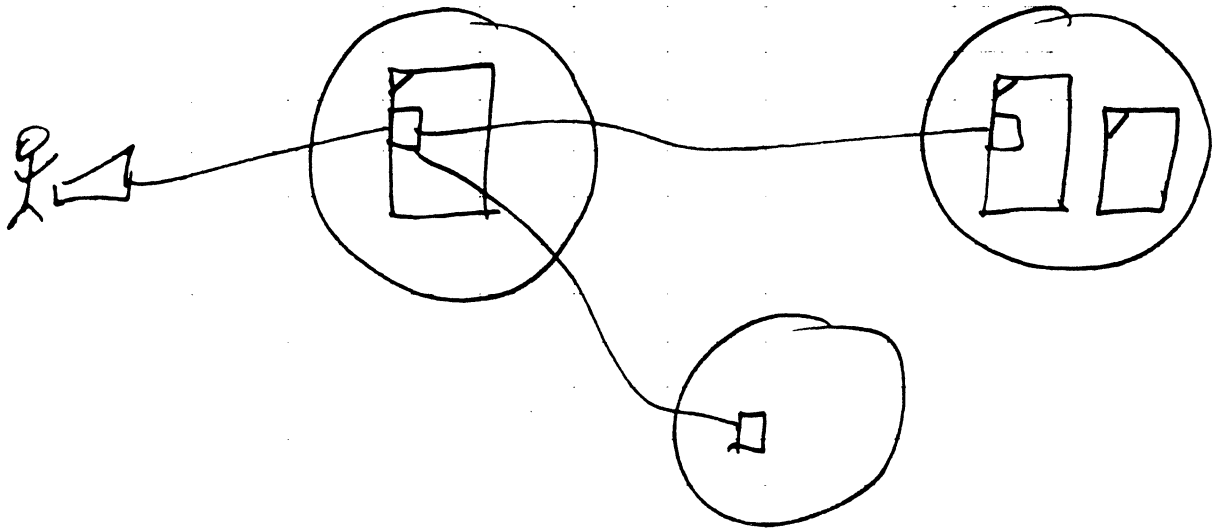
# ITP ARCHITECTURE - DSA POINT OF VIEW



- workstations are addressed by  
    < node code, mailbox name, mailbox extension
- many sessions using identical protocol options  
    may share a "logical connection"



## ITP ARCHITECTURE - DSA POINT OF VIEW



- To do useful work a tenant must be "mapped" to a process
- many more tenants than processes may exist
- unmapping may be meaningless for some types of workstations.

## ITP ARCHITECTURE - DSA POINT OF VIEW

- There are many types of workstation
- TO each workstation corresponds:
  - a description of the WS entities via Workstation Control Language
  - a main procedure associated with each workstation process:
    - "The command executive"
- Workstation types in 4VX:
  - Gateway
  - ITP
  - BIBO
  - Administrative

## LTP ARCHITECTURE - NSA/GCOP'S POINT OF VIEW

- EACH TPR RUNS AS A SUBROUTINE UNDER ITS OWN PROCESS
- MANY IDENTICAL PROCESSES AT A WORKSTATION
- PROCESSES ARE UNTRAPPED AT CONVERSATIONS AND END OF TRANSACTIONS, THEY ARE REUSE FOR OTHER TRANSACTIONS
- UP TO 477 PROCESSES
- TRANSACTION PROCESSING IS ONE OR SEVERAL WORKSTATIONS
- POOL OF TPR'S KEPT IN REAL MEMORY
- SHARED DATABASE MANAGER
- NEW RECOVERY/RESTART/CONCURRENCY CONTROL

## ITP ARCHITECTURE - NSA/GCOS 8 POINT OF VIEW

- WORKSTATION = SET OF IDENTICAL PROCESSES:
- WORKSTATION MANAGEMENT ADDED TO OS  
PROCESS INITIATION / TERMINATION
- MULTI PROCESS WORKSTATION HAVE THEIR OWN WSCQ
- 2 HARDWARE MODULES , 23 SLAVE DOMAINS
- ITP ONLY USER OF DEMAND PAGING AND  
MULTISEGMENT ENVIRONMENT
- TEMPORARY DYNAMIC LINKER / LOADER FOR SHARED  
SOFTWARE PENDING DEFINITION OF  
SHARED RUNTIME ENVIRONMENT.
- ALL ITP SOFTWARE IS OPTIONAL

## WHERE ARE WE GOING?

2Q80

SR 1000 GENERAL RELEASE

4Q80

SR 1100 CONTROLLED RELEASE

+ regressions items

2Q81

SR 2000 CONTROLLED RELEASE

+ FORMS support

+ UNCP connection

+ DUAL DATA ENVIRONMENT

2Q82

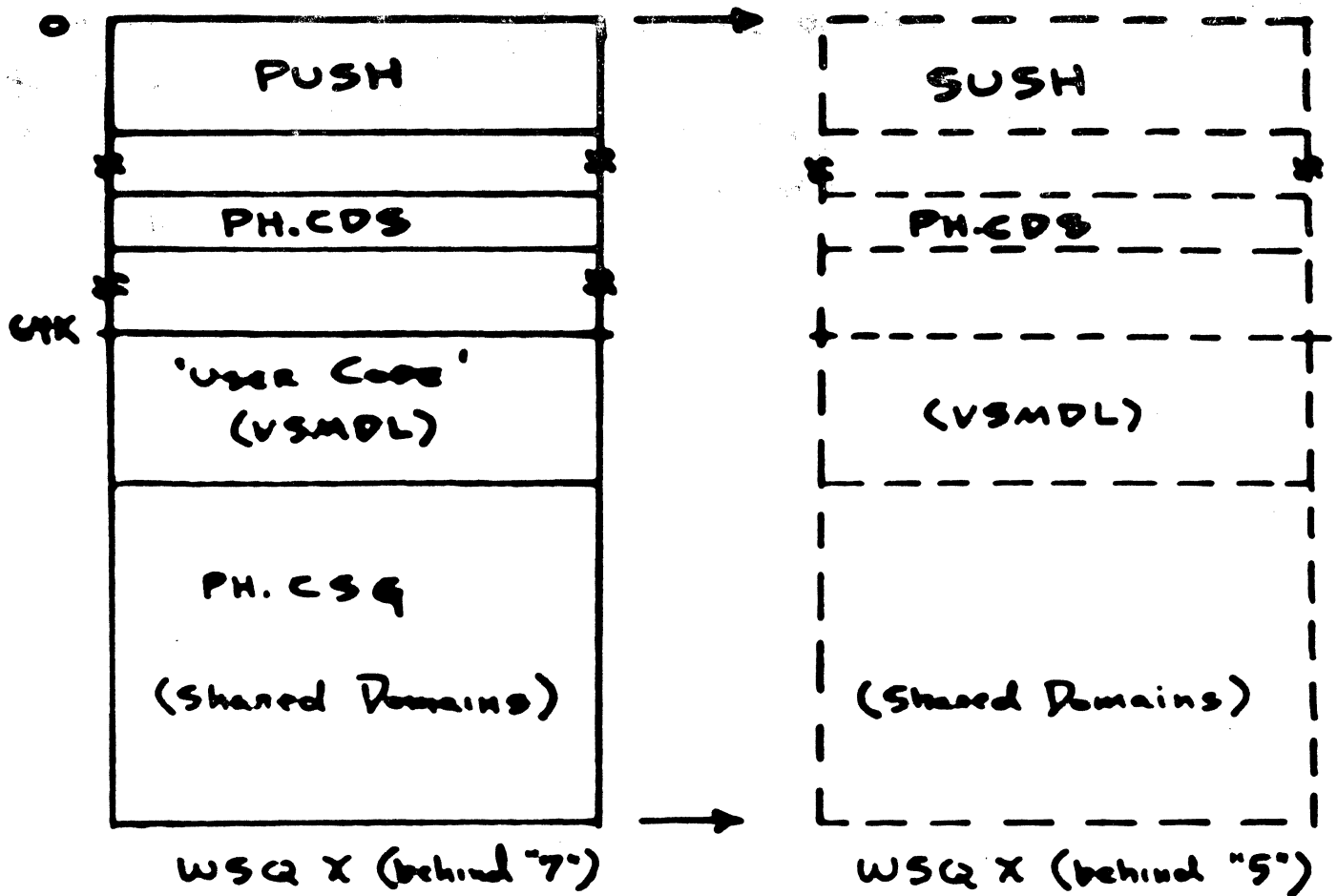
SR 3000 CONTROLLED RELEASE

+ MESSAGE QUEUING

+ TX SCHEDULING

+ NATIVE TPR'S

# LOADING SHARED SOFTWARE



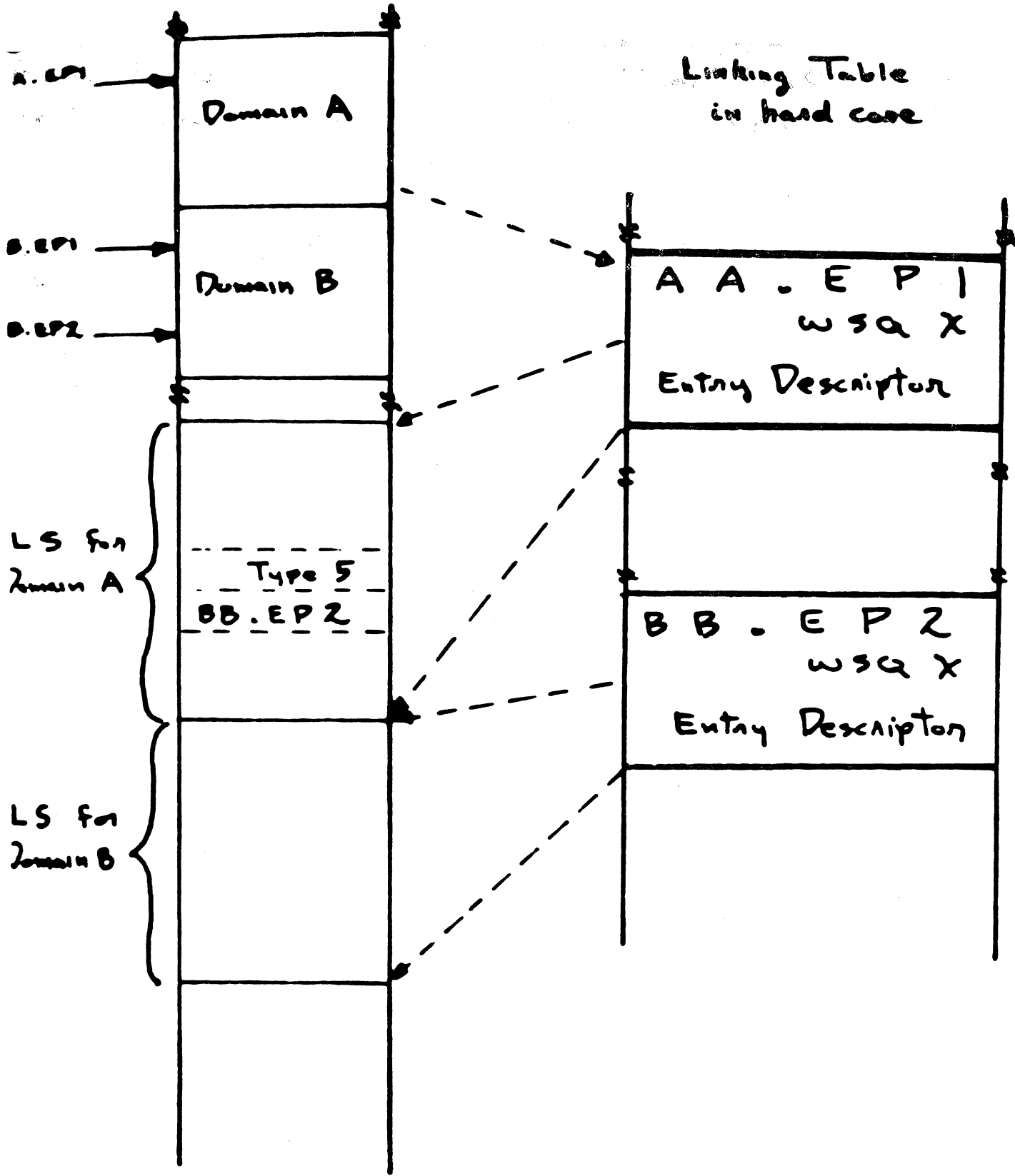
- VSMDL a native mode process
  - paging of shared software
  - shared structures, i.e., PATS
  - commonality of process/shared structure
- Major steps in loading shared software
  - loads WSR 5 with contents of WSR 7
  - loads each shared domain into PH.CSQ and climbs to initialization entry point of domain
  - name WSQ using name from WSQDF

## Domain Initialization

What's required by a domain at run time ?

- 1- For it to be climbed to, it must have provided entry descriptor(s) to the system enabling access to it.
  - 2- It must be operating with a linkage segment that:
    - a- provides access to necessary structures
    - b- contains entry descriptors that enable climbs to other domains that it must call
- The solution to requirements 1 and 2b involves the utilization of dynamic linking descriptors to define domain entry points (`..EPX` macro)
  - The remainder of the solution to requirements 1 and 2 is provided by utilizing the `.EPX.M` macro (or `.PLS.M` macro). Via these macros, the domain passes to MLINK:
    - a- A list of 'type 5' descriptors identifying its entry points (in BCI); and for each an associated entry descriptor.
    - b- A copy of the linkage segment that it wishes to operate under when it is called.

WSQ X  
(Behind WSRF)



Linking Table  
in hard case

Domain A

Domain B

AA.EP1  
WSQ X  
Entry Descriptor

Type 5  
BB.EP2

BB.EP2  
WSQ X  
Entry Descriptor

LS for  
Domain A

LS for  
Domain B



## Steps in dynamic linking

A climb is attempted using type 5 descriptor, causing dynamic linking fault which passes control to MLINK in hard core.

- 1) MLINK retrieves faulting entry descriptor (type 5) and locates corresponding entry in Linking Table.
- 2) Climb re executed using correct entry descriptor.

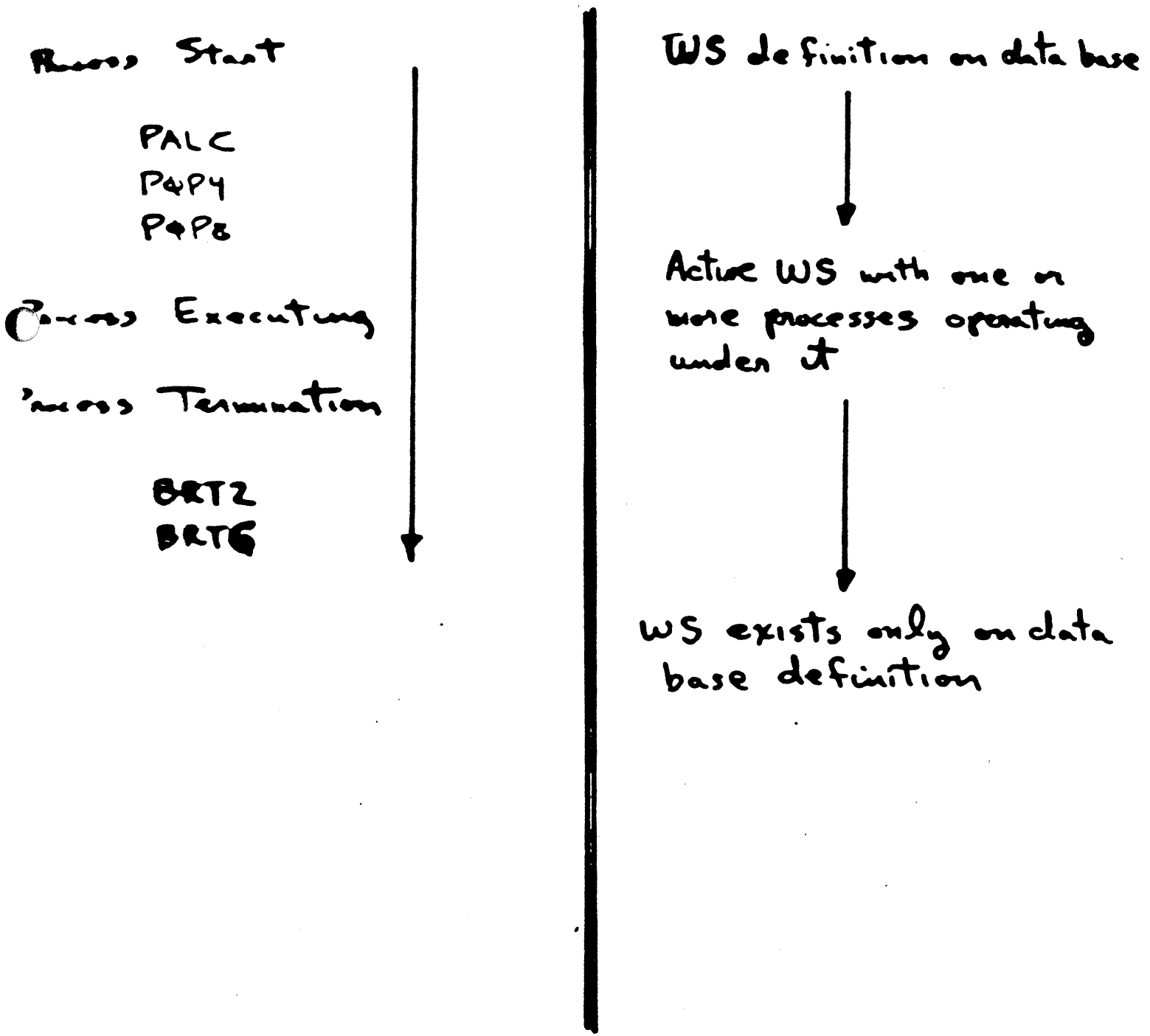
### Misc:

- MLINK provides facility at system startup for placing dynamic linking descriptors to shared software into system linkage segment.
- Option on ..EPX. macro permits specification of whether faulting entry descriptor should be replaced.
- The \$ SHRM card in process JCL enables linking to a specific set of shared software (in-house test environment)
- In the case of process local linkage segment - the linkage segment is built at the time of the dynamic linking fault.

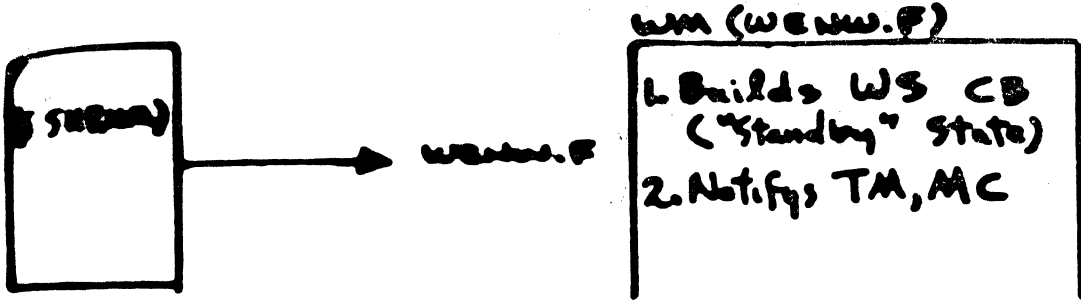
# Workstation Management

General Purpose:

To provide integration between the operating system process management functions and shared domain management of work stations.



STARTING A WORKSTATION

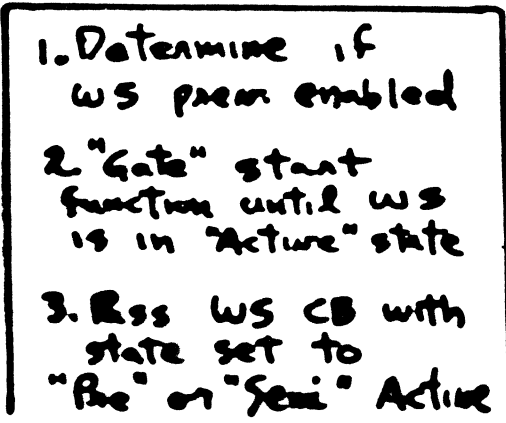


(optional step) ↑

PALC

IF \$ WPKST → WACT.F

WM (WACT.F)



Returns ←

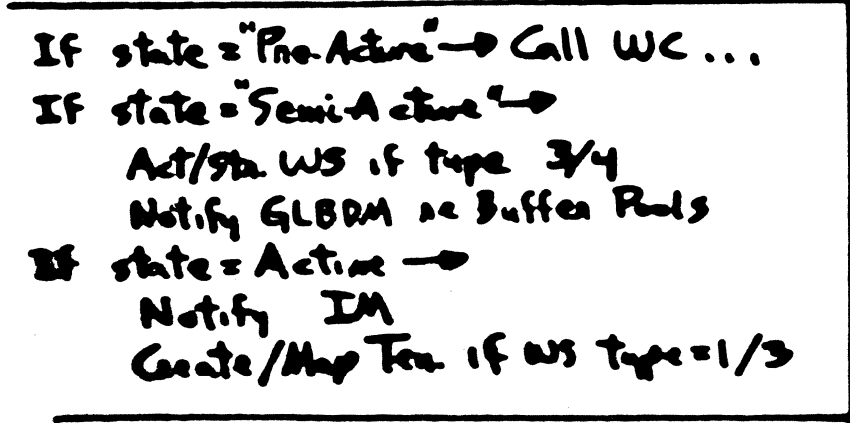
- 1. "Investigator"
- 2. "Continue"
- 3. wait/try again
- 4. Abort (\$ WPKST error)

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POP8

IF WPKST → WSTW.F

WM (WSTW.F)



Returns ←

Continue  
Bad status

→ "IAG/WSN" error

# TERMINATION & WORKSTATION

1. A WORKSTATION MAY BE "TERMINATED" OR "ABORTED" via calls to WTMW.F OR WABW.F .

WTMW.F → WS state set to "quiescent"  
MC notified

WABW.F → WS state set to "aborted"  
All active processes on WS aborted

## 2. Process Termination

IF WS state = "Active" → # Active proc. decremented  
and snumb removed

IF WS state = "Quiescent" or "Aborted" and  
last process terminates →  
WORK STATION reverts to defined state  
TM, MC, IM notified  
Buffer pools and all other  
structure released