# CDB/Auto-Unload

## Situation

Your production environment is in a state of constant activity. There is an increase in demand for high speed data movement and automation. Additionally, you need more flexibility when selecting and unloading data from DB2.

## What is CDB/Auto-Unload?

CDB/Auto-Unload is a flexible, high speed utility solution that extracts data from DB2 tables and puts it in sequential files.

Decreased performance! Unloading DB2 data is an essential but lengthy procedure, which can result in high CPU and DASD consumption along with significant downtime. Unloads can also become time consuming and tedious when data needs to be converted or rearranged.

### Solution

By taking advantage of parallel processing and multitasking, CDB/Auto-Unload provides the fastest unload process which minimizes downtime and increases performance. CDB/Auto-Unload also offers more flexibility in the areas of data formatting and conversions. You have full control over column placement, column order, and data format.



#### Features:

Specify certain rows or columns

Unloads directly from DB2 tables, Image Copies, or DSN1COPY

Multiple output formats available

Specify ordering sequence

Problem

#### Benefits:

Increased data availability

Reduced batch window

Automatically determines record lengths and formats

Decreased CPU time

Reduced system load

Simplified utility scheduling and operation

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