

# CA Hyper-Buf® VSAM Buffer Optimizer

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# CA Technologies Product References

This document references the following CA Technologies products:

- CA Hyper-Buf® VSAM Buffer Optimizer (CA Hyper-Buf)
- CA Mainframe Software Manager (CA MSM)

## Contact CA Technologies

### Contact CA Support

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# Chapter 1: New Features

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This section contains the following topics:

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## CA Mainframe Software Manager

CA MSM is an application that simplifies and unifies the management of CA Technologies mainframe products on z/OS systems.

CA MSM provides services that make it easier for you to do the following:

- Acquire, install, and deploy products
- Automatically obtain and apply maintenance

These services enable you to easily manage your software based on industry accepted best practices. A web-based user interface (UI) makes the look and feel of the environment friendly and familiar, enabling you to install and maintain your products faster and with less chance of error.

You can acquire CA MSM using Electronic Software Delivery (ESD) from CA Support Online.

**Note:** For more information, see your product's installation instructions and the *CA Mainframe Software Manager Product Guide*.

## EXCLDD Constraint Parameter

The EXCLDD Constraint keyword allows you to exclude a DDNAME globally by utilizing a single exclude parameter. Excluding a specific DDNAME globally would help prohibit buffering for the DDNAME across different applications, jobs, and job steps.



# Chapter 2: Enhancements to Existing Features

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This section contains the following topics:

[Documentation](#) (see page 9)

## Documentation

This section contains topics that are related to documentation enhancements.

## Installation Guide

The *Installation Guide* has been restructured and describes the following method of installing CA Hyper-Buf:

- CA MSM—CA MSM simplifies and unifies the management of CA Technologies mainframe products on z/OS systems. The services provided by CA MSM acquire, install, deploy, and maintain products in a common way.

## CA HTML Bookshelf

This release contains the CA HTML bookshelf, which is an HTML help system that provides access to all deliverables in the product documentation set in both HTML and PDF. HTML provides robust online viewing and search capabilities, while PDF provides a print-friendly option.

The HTML bookshelf features include:

- A single help screen that displays all documentation for this release.
- An all-in-one search tool that searches the entire documentation set and returns matches found in both the HTML and PDF formatted documentation, without the need for a specialized .PDX index file.
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