

The China Systems Nanjing Development Centre has now concluded a test on the compatibility of CS Eximbills Version 3.0 Interest Accrual (IA) subsystem on patch CX3.00306 with AS/400 V5R3 and can certify that no errors have been found.

The test includes the following areas: Setup Environment, Maintenance Functions, Accrual and Amortization Transaction Processes, and Report and Housekeeping Functions.

China Systems has a policy of subjecting every software release and operating system upgrade to predefined tests that give expected results.



New features in AS/400® V5R3

The Configuration and Service component of iSeries Navigator of V5R3 now contains information about time management. The information allows the user to do a variety of things with time zone and time management. These are the following:

- The user can set a time zone for each system.
- The user identifies a time maintenance application to use to adjust his/her system time in order to keep it synchronized with an external time source.
- The user no longer needs to manually set the time of day system value when Daylight Saving Time starts and ends.
- The user no longer needs to set the offset from the coordinated universal time (QUTCOFFSET) system value. This value is now determined by the time zone properties associated with the time zone specified for the time zone (QTIMZON) system value.

New time zone function

- You can now specify time zone properties on your iSeries server.
- You can specify one of the shipped time zones or create your own time zone.

New time adjustment function

- Time adjustment can be made where time gradually speeds up or slows down on the system in order to reach the desired time value.

New time maintenance support

- You can use the AS/400 provided Simple Network Time Protocol (SNTP) application or another application to synchronize your system time with an external time source.

New date and time system value

- You can now use the new character-based interface, QDATETIME system value to set the date, time or both.