

Cover Letter

SAS® IT Resource Management Solution MXG Version 26.03 z/OS®

Dear SAS IT Resource Management Solution Customer:

Thank you for choosing the SAS IT Resource Management Solution for evaluating your Information Technology services. We are pleased to enclose a tape containing:

- **MXG - Merrill's Expanded Guide to CPE, May 11, 2008, MXG Version 26.03**
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If you are running an older version than 26.03, please install this tape at your earliest convenience because it fixes reported problems and provides support for new data records. We have successfully run the SAS IT Resource Management Solution in conjunction with MXG Version 26.03 and have experienced no problems with operations or data validity. The SAS IT Resource Management Solution currently has dictionary support for MXG Version 25.08. As time permits, we will update our dictionary support to include subsequent versions.

To install this version of MXG, locate the `IEBUPDTE` job in the "Configuring SAS IT Resource Management" appendix of the *Configuration Guide for SAS 9.1.3 Foundation for z/OS* (this appendix documents support for SAS IT Resource Management versions 2.7 and 3.1.1). You can also find this job in the `CMXGINST` member of the `CPMISC` PDS, which is created when you install the SAS IT Resource Management Solution under z/OS. Add a `JOB` statement, make the indicated modifications, and then submit the job. Complete the installation by reviewing and following the instructions in members `CHANGES` and `INSTALL` of the source library created in `STEP1`. Additional MXG documentation is available from Merrill Consultants at (214) 351-1966 or fax (214) 350-3694.

Should you need assistance with the software, we ask that only the SAS Installation Representative or the SAS Support Consultant call our Technical Support Division. Sites in the U.S. and Canada may call (919) 677-8008. Support is available between 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., EST during SAS Institute business days. Other sites should contact their SAS Installation Representative or SAS Support Consultant for the nearest SAS Institute office.

Thank you for choosing the SAS IT Resource Management Solution.