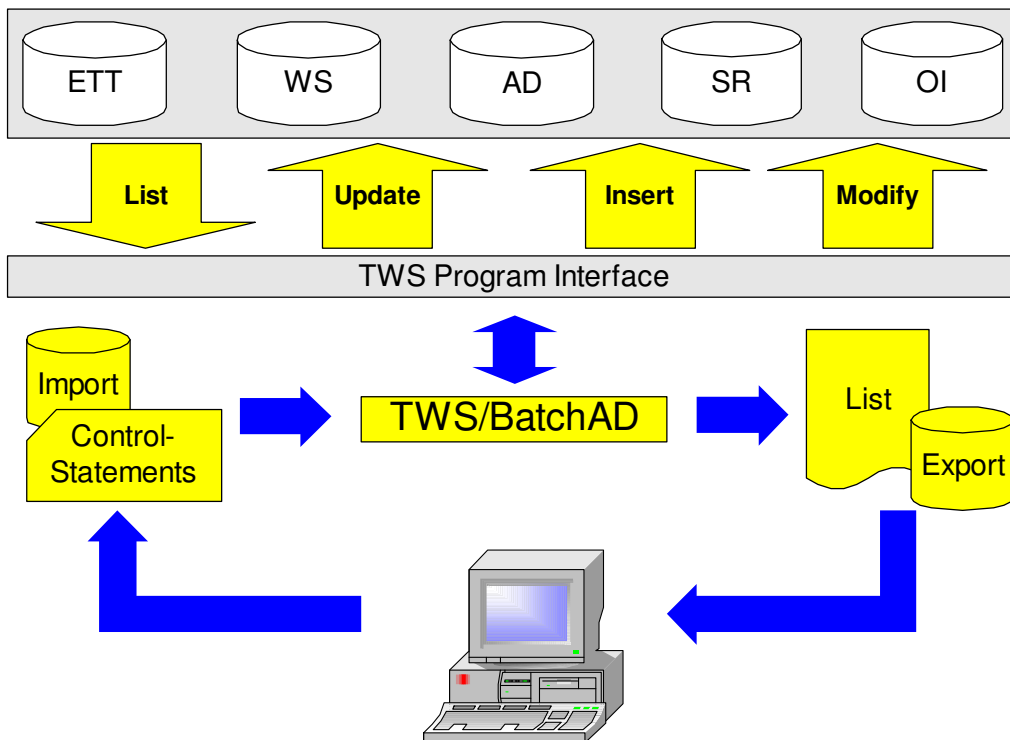


TWS/BatchAD

The System for comfortable Mass Updates

This useful interface to the TWS Application Database permits mass changes, cloning and/or maintenance in batch mode. Productivity is increased by minimizing dialog usage.

Modify, insert, delete or copy the following objects: Applications, Run Rules, Run Cycles, Operations, Predecessors, Special Resources, Calendar, Periods, ETT



Especially useful in test environments. TWS/BatchAD allows you to move definitions from test to production, and vice versa. While transferring data, all fields can be modified, e.g. "Copy all Applications created today by user P390G by changing all workstations P* to T**"

The users do not need any programming knowledge. TWS/BatchAD works with easy to understand control statements. Easy to install and use. Can be integrated into REXX, CLISTS or dialog programs for customized solutions.

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Area of application

TWS/BatchAD is the mass update system for all users, who modify TWS definitions:

- Production planning
- Project teams
- Test teams

Data

TWS/BatchAD modifies the TWS definition database (AD, OI, RD, SI and WS). All objects can be listed, updated, inserted or deleted:

- Applications
- Operations
- Dependencies
- Special Resources
- Operator Instructions
- ETT
- Calendar
- Periods
- Variables

Additional options

TWS/BatchAD contains some useful special functions:

- Export- and import function to transfer data from TWS to TWS, e.g. from test to production
- Sort function, e.g. "sort all operations by operation number"
- Test mode

Examples

- All Operations *AB*300** should get a new start time 16:00.
- All Applications *STA** should become PENDING.
- All Operations of Applications *XYZ%100PG* and Workstation *CPUA* should be assigned 2 tape units.
- All Operations with Workstation *DB2** should become a Special Resource *DB2.UPDATE*.
- In all Applications all Run Cycles names *BONUS98* should be renamed to *BONUS99*.
- The jobs *%KONTO** should have a new Workstation *CPUX*. In addition the modification is done automatically in all external predecessor definitions pointing to these jobs.
- All Applications *T** should be renamed to *P**. In addition the modification is done automatically in all external predecessor definitions pointing to these Applications.
- All external predecessor definitions pointing to deleted jobs should be removed to avoid **NOTFND**.
- A Special Resource should be inserted automatically into the RD file (TWS-Dialog 1.6)
- Export all Applications and Variable tables called *TEST**, change the first four characters from *TEST* to *PROD*, and import the new Applications and Variable tables into another TWS.