PWG Web-based Imaging Management Service

Phone Conference Minutes May 18, 2005

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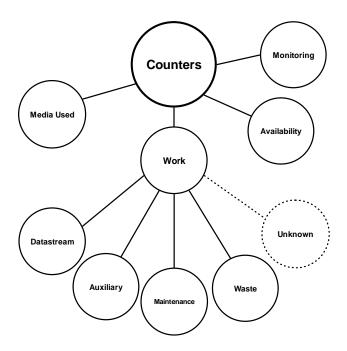
Attendees

- Harry Lewis IBM
- Ira McDonald High North
- Bill Wagner Independent

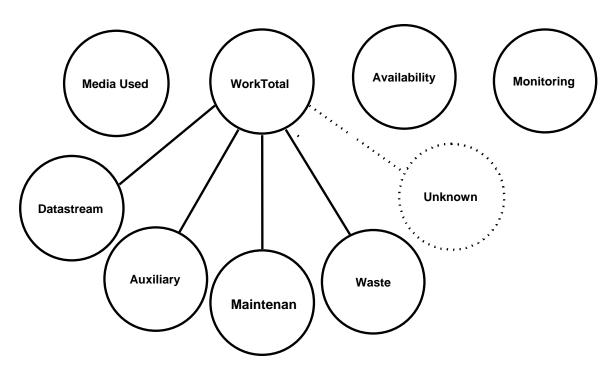
Counter Spec

There is still some latent confusion about terminology. We will avoid using the same work capitalized and lower case (like "Work" and "work") with two separate meanings in the spec. There is also an intuitive desire to have the summation point for service counters reflect that it is a sum or total. This counter has been called Summary, Job, Work and TotalWork throughout the history of the Counter Spec. We decided to label this counter with the token "WorkTotal". We also need to redraw fig 4 to show that WorkTotal is a sum but the "Counters" bubble is not (Media Used, WorkTotal, Avail and Mon are "peers").

Below is a cut and past of the current Fig 4 followed by two examples of possible draft alternatives.

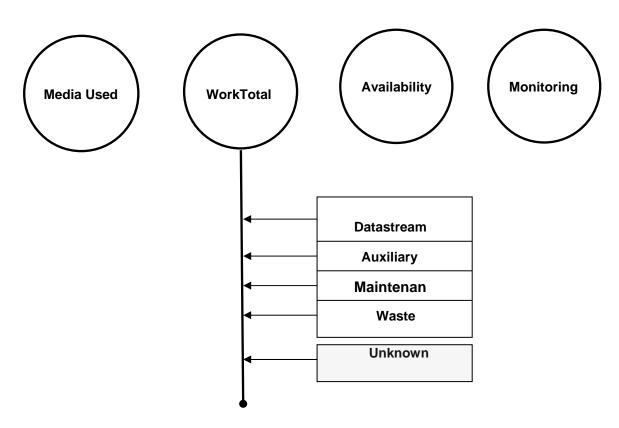


Counters



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Further, we need better explanation or graphic representation of how Fig 4 relates to both the left and right side (service and system) side of Fig 3.

We discussed that the counter labeled "Monitoring" is really a miscellaneous collection of counters. We considered changing the label to "Activity" but did not feel this was descriptive enough so we left the label "Monitoring".

The Counter MIB references normative definitions in the Counter Spec. Some of these need better definitions in the Counter Spec.

There are some messages which need to be removed from Monitoring and moved into WorkTotal, Maint and Datastream (I did not capture which messages these are).

We would like to get the Counter Spec to complete Last Call at the July meeting. This will be difficult as Bill will be dedicating less time due to other work responsibilities.

Counter MIB

The Counter MIB will reference subunits from the Printer MIB, not the Counter Spec. We should remove the definition of subunit from the Counter Spec.

WIMS Protocol

Ira has a few comments for the WIMS prototype spec which he will post shortly.

Next Conference Call

The next WIMS conference call will be Wednesday May 25, 2005.

Time: Noon Eastern (9 am Pacific)

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