

A short introduction how to use the RFE process

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1. RFE usage

The following few pages describes how to get access to the Request for Enhancement pages of IBM.

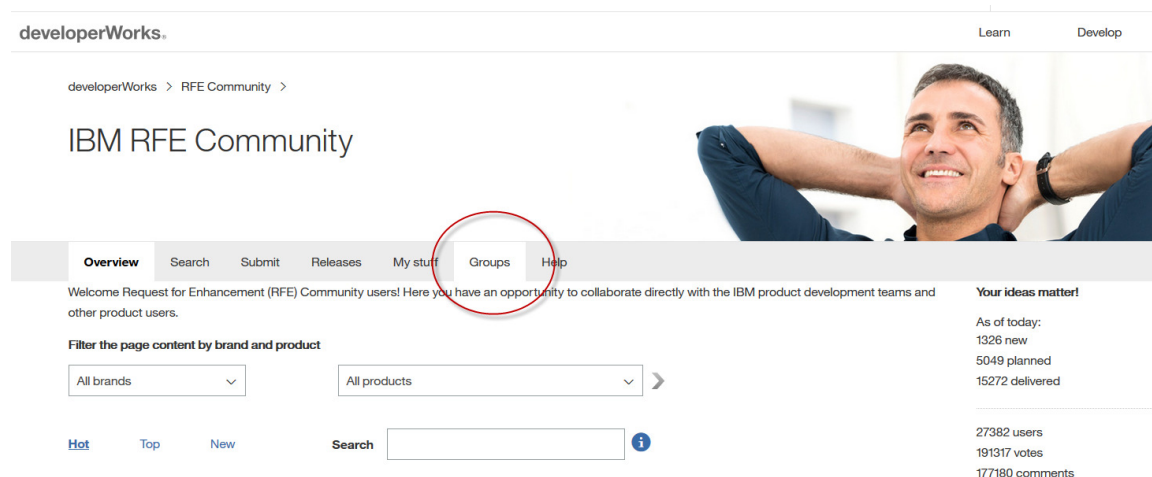
In addition it is explained how to connect to the GSE Storage management requirements.

1.1. INVOKE THE RFE SITE

Please use the following link to access the RFE sites from IBM:

<https://www.ibm.com/developerworks/rfe/>

Otherwise you can also use a search engine with the keywords: IBM RFE. This is the entry web site, please select "GROUPS" as indicated.



Then you get the following picture:

create your own group.' On the right side, there are two sections: 'Spotlight' with links to 'Announcements' and 'Give us your feedback', and 'Brands' with links to 'All brands', 'Analytics Platform', 'Business Analytics', 'Cloud', and 'Commerce'."/>

Groups

Overview Search Submit Releases My stuff **Groups** Help

Groups | [Create a new group](#)

This page displays your groups and all the publicly available groups in the RFE Community. Select what you want to see and click Submit.

Display:

Spotlight

- Announcements
- Give us your feedback

Brands

- All brands
- Analytics Platform
- Business Analytics
- Cloud
- Commerce

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Submit

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Select then in the "MY GROUPS" section, the



ntly belong to any groups. You can select to

"all public groups" as indicated – and press Submit. Then you get the overview with all groups. Go to the page where you find the GSE Storage Management group and press the button "request to join the group":

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| Group name | Owner/Contact | Role/Status | Actions |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| German TPC customers | mstandau | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GM RFE | Idu | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE ADL Germany | Hans Emrich | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE CICS Germany | IsabelArnold | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE DB2 z/OS Belux | bsteeg_screen | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE DB2 z/OS Germany | Walter.Görlich@Volkswagen | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE IMS France | IsabelleBruneel | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE IMS SysM Germany | BDM7_Wolfgang_Sicking | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE MQ-WBI Germany | amreinm | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE RACF Germany | Paolo.W | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE Storagegmt | GWBECKER | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE SysMgt Germany | chmicha | Not a member | Request to join group |
| GSE TK-Guide STELD | Bernd Daubner | Not a member | Request to join group |

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- Cloud
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- Security
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- Smarter W
- Watson H
- WebSpher

Then you get a confirmation that you joined the group.

Request to join Group "GSE Storagegmt"

Overview Search Submit Releases My stuff **Groups** Help

Groups Create a new group

Your request to join Group "GSE Storagegmt" has been approved. You can access the group's information using the [Groups](#) page.

[Continue](#)

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Brands
→ All brands

Press Continue to go to the entry panel again.

2. *Vote for a specific RFE*

Once you are part of a group you can either get detailed information by pressing the "groupname" – or you can go directly to the Watchlist, by pressing "WATCHLIST" :


Groups

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This page displays your groups and all the publicly available groups in the RFE Community. Select what you want to see and click Submit.

Display:

 A key icon indicates a private group (see [FAQ](#) for more information).

My groups

1 - 1 of 1 [Show summaries](#) | [Hide summaries](#)

| Group name | Owner/Contact | Role/Status | Actions |
|--------------------------------|--|-------------|---|
| GSE Storagegmt |  GWBECKER | Member | Watchlist Leave Group |

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Press Watchlist, and you will get all the open RFEs with the possibility to vote.

Filter by category Add request Rank requests

No category has been defined.

Sort by: Rank | Date | Headline | Status | ID | Votes Order: Ascending | Descending

Group watchlist

Show summaries | Hide summaries Subscribe Download RSS

8 votes **DFRMM : TSO CMD for large number of tapes (90192)**
Last updated: 09 May 2017
Categories: <No category>
Voted by [6 members](#)
→ Voted Uncommitted Candidate z/OS

3 votes **Option to enhance ANR3654W Inventory file expiration when not using replication (90940)**
Last updated: 09 May 2017
Categories: <No category>
Voted by [3 members](#)
✓ Vote Submitted Tivoli Storage Manager (TSM) Family

The ones marked with an "arrow" you have already voted. The ones with a check mark are not yet voted by you. If you press the "VOTE" – your vote will counted and the checkmark will be replaced by the arrow.

The list of all requests are summarized in following table:
If the links are not working Please cut and paste the the link in the url-row in your browser.

| Umfeld | Kurzbeschreibung | Link | Status |
|---------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Mainframe SMS | DFRMM: TSO Cmd for large Number of Tapes | ID=90192 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | No Hyperswap readiness until rebuilt of SSSCB device table | ID=68124 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Opportunity to set the data tier in the DASD Subsystem using DFSMS | ID=68171 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | RMF Reporting for autotiering tier inter/intra tier migration | ID=68174 | Declined |
| | RMF Reporting for Flash Copy and other Backround activity | ID=68176 | Declined |
| | RMF Reporting for autotiering tier placement for logical volumes | ID=68177 | Declined |
| | Set MSR data set responce time targets for automatic tiering | ID=68184 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Separate synchronuous and asynch. activity in RMF 74.8 Link Statistics | ID=68184 | Declined |
| | Use SMFID in addition to systemname in all RMF records | ID=68186 | Declined |
| | Add Service Class to more RMF-Recods | ID=68188 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Add SSID and CCA for each device in RMF 74.1 and DCOLLECT | ID=68189 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Update SMF42 data set activity record with recent counters | ID=68191 | Delivered |
| | Support for Windows 10 clients on DFS/SMB server in Z/OS | ID=98174 | Declined |

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| | ACS Routine write Information to Dataset | ID=100838 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Support Windows 10 Client on DFS/SMB Server in Z/OS | ID=98174 | Declined |
| | ISMF/ACS Testpanel does not have the possibility to test USER_ACSVAR 2 & 3 | ID=108983 | Planned for Future Release |
| | All data set attributes shall be selectable in the Dataclass | ID=119068 | Planned for Future Release |
| | Replace CBRUXSAE OAM security exit with RACF STGADMIN profiles | ID=120663 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Support for non paged mechanism in IBM CSM Flash Copy Manager for z/OS (CSMFCM) | ID=124792 | Under Consideration |
| | ICKDSF REFORMAT SUBCHSET(subchset-identifier) | ID=126512 | Submitted |
| | Verify PPRC Consistency Group Settings in CSM | ID=126835 | Submitted |
| | CSM LDAP authentication with native RACF/SDBM | ID=127410 | Submitted |
| Open Allg. | RAS Enhancements for Spectrum Scale mmchnsd | ID=97799 | Delivered |
| | Report fragmentation of an specific in scale filesystems | ID=103582 | Information provided |
| | mmbackup enhancements in spectrum scale | ID=121687 | Submitted |
| | mmchconfig maxblocksize is not dynamicly changeable in spectrum scale | ID=125603 | Under Consideration |
| | Native LDAP for DS Storage | ID=106375 | |
| | Native LDAP Support for DS8000 | ID=127079 | Submitted |
| Spectrum Protect | Option to enhance ANR3654W Inventory file expiration when not using replication | ID=90940 | Submitted |
| | Deliver sha2 and md5 hash for software downloads | ID=89973 | Submitted |
| | TSM4VE backup schedule ends with RC=12 when there is no guest eligible for backup | ID=86152 | Under Consideration |
| | Combine snappdiff and SM2T as complete backup solution | ID=81386 | Declined |
| | TDP for ERP - Support Oracle 12c | ID=72485 | Planned for Future Release |

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| Warning message in actlog when active log exceeds Threshold | ID=60822 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Multisession replication of big file | ID=55368 | Planned for Future Release |
| Tivoli Fastback for Windows 2012 and exchange 2013 | ID=50839 | declined |
| one way password implementation on tsm server | ID=34973 | Declined, but delivered through TLS |
| Avoid restore from copy pool when primary pool is of type vtl | ID=27245 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Point in time restore facility | ID=27244 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| ODBC Enhancements for TSM 6.3 | ID=27243 | Declined |
| TSM Client support for Solaris | ID=27242 | Declined |
| Multi Vendor Support for Snapshots in FCM/TSM | ID=33561 | Planned for Future Release |
| selectable DIO/nonDIO-Support on Storagepools | ID=58238 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| FlashCopy Manager support for Solaris 11 | ID=60824 | Declined |
| TSMVE UI Support for multiple Spectrum Protect server Instances | ID=95590 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Centralized include/exclude list for VM Backups | ID=73983 | Planned for Future Release |
| Verify Management Class Constraints on Node Migration | ID=93682 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Provide container pool data protection on same SP instance on DISK/NAS Devices | ID=96056 | Submitted |
| NDMP to TSM-Server (NAS filer to server) - enable simultaneous write | ID=72787 | Under Consideration |
| Central Configuration of enable instrumentation parameter by client option set | ID=96739 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Multi session restore from container pool should result in load balanced session | ID=98409 | Uncommitted Candidate |

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| Run enduser file level restore with restricted privileges | ID=99559 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Support Node Replication with SSAM | ID=53258 | Under Consideration |
| Avoid filespace lock used by export server/node | ID=96445 | Submitted |
| Add backup storage reporting on TSM Policy Domain level to OC | ID=69951 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| TSM OC reporting issue with DB size of TSM instances in GPFS Cluster | ID=90605 | Submitted |
| Delegate Task (migration) to data mover servers | ID=77906 | Planned for Future Release |
| Data Integrity Verification during storage pool hierachy (copy/migration) | ID=79665 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Optimize migration algorithym of seq. storagepool to collocated stg | ID=101444 | Submitted |
| Less Tape commits with server procs like Backup stg, Migration and Reclamation | ID=101746 | Declined, but in 8.1.5 u. 8.1.6 delievered |
| Missing Errors messages whem silent installation of SP for VE Recovery Agent fails | ID=104554 | |
| one way password implementation on tsm server | ID=104796 | Submitted, trough TLS delivered |
| Global switch on/off client instrumentation trace in Server Node or Cloptset | ID=104534 | Submitted |
| TSM-Server Support for Ontap NDMP CAB Feature | ID=60432 | |
| Request for a Server option to prevent the server to pass the communication options for a replication target to a client | ID=105152 | Submitted |
| Segregation of Duties in Sprectrum Protect Server | ID=105531 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Backup of encrypted vSphere 6.5 environments | ID=106925 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Easy Read/Write failover for a replicated node | ID=107699 | Uncommitted Candidate |

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| | IBM Spectrum IBM Spectrum Protect Replication to 3rd SP Server and/or Public Cloud Storage | ID=109500 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Need web client support in IBM Spectrum Protect V8.1.2 or later server. | ID=111699 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | maxruntime parameter does not honor admin schedules with wait=yes | ID=114205 | Submitted |
| | IBM Redbooks for IBM Spectrum Protect / IBM SpectrumProtect Plus | ID=118412 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | export to tape from directory-container storage pools | ID=118791 | Planned for Future Release |
| | different failoverhladdresses for nodes | ID=118788 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | On install OC accept unaccepted characters in the password , installation fails later on | ID=118668 | Planned for Future Release |
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| | Data Protection for VMware Support for vSphere 6.7 | ID=119114 | Delivered |
| | VMPROCESSVMWITHPRDM under SPP | ID=119097 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Select which management class for offload backup is used | ID=119126 | |
| | Tool to reset damaged files without "audit volume" | ID=119187 | Declined |
| | Do not register mount proxy nodes in configuration wizard | ID=119175 | Declined |
| | RFE: Chargeback reporting in SPP | ID=119247 | Duplicate |
| | Spectrum Protect for VE backup report | ID=119265 | Submitted |
| | Remove SP server startup dependency on availability of LDAP URL and implement recurring probing of LDAP access | ID=119348 | Planned for Future Release |
| | Better performance/parallelism on generate dedupstats | ID=119557 | Submitted |
| | audit container markdamaged needs to update inventory objects as damaged | ID=119624 | Submitted |
| | Dedupstats continuous update | ID=119589 | Submitted |
| | Add extra filesystem check in linux BA client | ID=119651 | Submitted |

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| Login with certificates during file indexing on Linux | ID=119749 | Planned for Future Release |
| IBM Spectrum Protect Plus Backup of an Individual VM in an SLA Policy | ID=119898 | Planned for Future Release |
| Add hyperlinks from status icons on SPP Dashboard | ID=120031 | Planned for Future Release |
| Disable ransomware alert for specific nodes | ID=120082 | Planned for Future Release |
| Enhancement to replicate node commando to only replicate nodes in send or sendsync mode | ID=100363 | Submitted |
| Allow SP Plus backups to Spectrum Protect server w/o requiring a backup to the vSnap storage first | ID=120171 | Declined |
| File Recovery Options in SPP | ID=120188 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| VMware Tags support in SPP | ID=120189 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Ability to configure start time for SPP "inventory" jobs | ID=120190 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Decomission of VM | ID=120196 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Ability to use VMware backup to recover SQL database | ID=120193 | Declined |
| vSphere Web Client Integration | ID=120191 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Restart failed backup | ID=120194 | Planned for Future Release |
| REPLICATE NODE needs a DURATION option | ID=120203 | Submitted |
| Spectrum Protect Plus - Office365 support needed | ID=120995 | Planned for Future Release |
| Spectrum Protect Plus User Experience Enhancements | ID=121092 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Spectrum Protect Plus Direct Offload to Spectrum Protect | ID=121091 | Declined |
| FLR from VM target replicated via Vsnap | ID=121085 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| IBM Spectrum Protect Plus Reporting using VM Tagging | ID=121127 | Uncommitted Candidate |

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| | add functionality to audit container command | ID=121134 | Submitted |
| | Exclude File System Type | ID=121572 | |
| | Add error handling to dsme to avoid looping asking questions to non-existent terminal | ID=121773 | Planned for Future Release |
| | SP+ Syslog alerting | ID=121905 | Delivered |
| | SP Plus interface enhancement: vm search and selection | ID=121903 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | SP Plus interface enhancement: job monitor | ID=121904 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Progress bar for Node Replication | ID=122136 | Submitted |
| | Operation Center Client Deployment Support for Ubuntu/Debian | ID=122185 | Declined |
| | Mailbox Item Level restore | ID=122141 | Submitted |
| | Storage pool Protect query | ID=122138 | Delivered |
| | Admin User Creation Segregation of Duty | ID=122309 | Submitted |
| | Spectrum Protect KMIP support for encryption | ID=122299 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Directory-container stgpool protection using cloud-container stgpools | ID=122461 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | New OS & Oracle version support for SPP | ID=122566 | Declined |
| | Expire individual backups in Spectrum Protect Plus | ID=122707 | Duplicate |
| | IBM SPP Support for Non-AD LDAP servers | ID=122821 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | IBM SPP to show daily replication throughput | ID=122869 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | ReFS and S2D support for Spectrum Protect server on Windows | ID=122884 | Submitted |
| | Allow for more than 1 concurrent expiration processes | ID=122953 | Submitted |
| | Add Nutanix Acropolis AHV as supported SPP Hypervisor | ID=123041 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Add virtualmountpoint support for Spectrum Protect for Space Management on Spectrum Scale servers | ID=123088 | Declined |
| | Spectrum Protec for VE Change Last Backup Field in vCenter | ID=123181 | Submitted |

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| Allow REPLICATE NODE against DECOMMISSIONED nodes | ID=123394 | Submitted |
| Operations Center does not allow a Container-Copy to be defined on a Directory Pool which Node Reps to a server using Cloud | ID=123545 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| ISP4VE- Additional Tagging documentation for powershell | ID=123674 | Delivered |
| Spectrum Protect Plus - Introduce new Replication Only SLA | ID=123777 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| SPECTRUM PROTECT VMWARE REPORTING BY VMWARE FOLDER | ID=123966 | Declined |
| Allow SLA jobs to be run only by external tools rather than the SPP scheduler | ID=124162 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Include SNMPD in appliance | ID=124154 | Planned for Future Release |
| backup individual vm within current sla | ID=124084 | Duplicate |
| Spectrum Protect PLUS support RedHat v5.9 | ID=123178 | Declined |
| Trigger email/report when sla run contains failed vms | ID=124200 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Delete a single VM or data backup in SPP | ID=124216 | Duplicate |
| SLA policy without schedule in SPP GUI | ID=124442 | Duplicate |
| Add VMware Tape support to ISP Server | ID=124496 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| Move filespace to another node | ID=124364 | Declined |
| Proxy Support for Spectrum Protect Operation Center | ID=117485 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| CANCEL PROTECT or DURATION on PROTECT STGPOOL | ID=125342 | Submitted |
| Logfiles that would include all execution outputs | ID=126109 | Declined |
| Spectrum Protect Operations Center Security Exposure IBM-OC Administrator | ID=126121 | Submitted |
| Data Protection for VMware vSphere GUI configuration mode checkbox should be UNCHECKED by default. | ID=126351 | Planned for Future Release |
| Support for vCenter 6.7 U1 | ID=126945 | Planned for Future Release |

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| | Spectrum Protect Plus - Support of Oracle Database on Windows Server | ID=127107 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | include a record in SPserver SUMMARY_EXTENDED for missed scheduled (successful=no) | ID=127043 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Add vSnap Utilisation to the 'Protected VMs Report' | ID=126899 | Duplicated |
| | tsmdlst for direct attached SCSI libraries/drives | ID=126873 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Backup of VMware Custom Attributes | ID=126675 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Select datastore per VMDK during restore | ID=126668 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | SPPlus : restore VM to my cloud provider | ID=126381 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | SP Plus KMIP support for encryption | ID=126383 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Improve performance when retrieving partial tapes by using Recommended Access Order on supported tape drives | ID=110697 | Uncommitted Candidate |
| | Properly manage Archive Mode flag in TS1150/TS1155 tape drives | ID=127442 | Submitted |
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