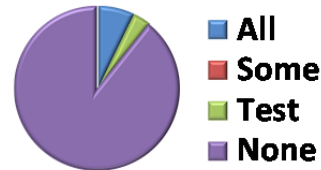


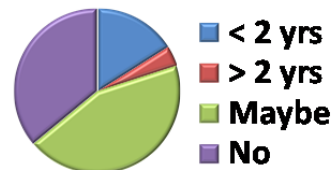
Have you converted any RACF databases to VSAM?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Yes, on all production systems	2	7.1%
Yes, on some production systems	0	0%
Yes, but only in system-test/sandbox systems	1	3.6%
No	25	89.3%
Total	28	100%



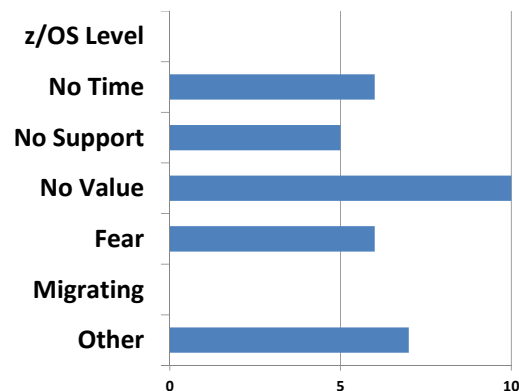
For those answering "No", do you plan to convert any RACF databases to VSAM?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Yes, in the next two years	4	16%
Yes, sometime beyond two years	1	4%
Maybe, no decisions made	11	44%
No	9	36%
Total	25	100%



For those answering "Maybe" or "No", what are the reasons making you hesitant to convert RACF databases to VSAM?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Have not yet migrated to z/OS 2.5 or 3.1	0	0%
No time to do so	6	31.6%
No management support	5	26.3%
No perceived value in doing so	10	52.6%
Fear of causing problems or outage	6	31.6%
Migrating off the mainframe	0	0%
Other (see below)	7	36.8%
Total	19	

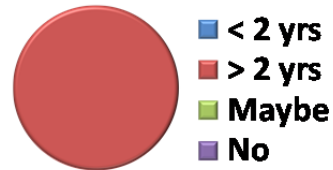


Other:

- First time I heard about this. Would need to understand the benefits and draw backs to converting
- The feature is not supported by RACF/VM
- Concern that our odd configuration SYSPLEX but individual RACF DBs for each LPAR is not supported or tested by IBM for VSAM RACFDB
- Don't know what is the benefit of converting?
- The system is maintained by an outsourcer, they control all system level and management functions.
- Uh, it's VSAM.
- Benefits of converting to VSAM are unclear, aside from database/dataset encryption

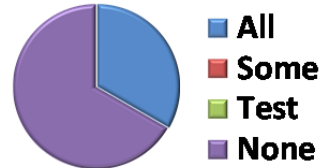
For those answering "Yes" to first question, do you plan to convert all remaining RACF databases to VSAM?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Yes, in the next two years	0	0%
Yes, sometime beyond two years	1	100%
Maybe, no decisions made	0	0%
No	0	0%
Total	1	100%



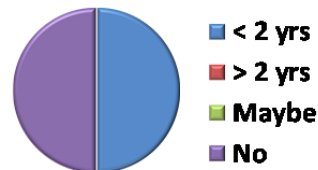
Have you encrypted any RACF VSAM databases?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Yes, on all production systems	1	33.3%
Yes, on some production systems	0	0%
Yes, but only in system-test/sandbox systems	0	0%
No	2	66.7%
Total	3	100%



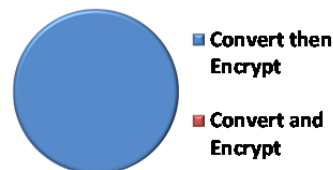
Do you plan to encrypt all RACF VSAM databases?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Yes, in the next two years	1	50%
Yes, sometime beyond two years	0	0%
Maybe, no decisions have been made	0	0%
No	1	50%
Total	2	100%



Which of the following best describes your planned approach to encrypting RACF VSAM databases?

Responses	Count	Percent %
Convert to VSAM, then encrypt the database sometime later	1	100%
Convert to VSAM and encrypt the database at the same time	0	0%
Total	1	100%



For those answering "Maybe" or "No", what are the reasons making you hesitant to encrypt RACF VSAM databases?

Responses	Count	Percent %
No time to do so	0	0%
No management support	0	0%
No perceived value in doing so	1	100%
Fear of causing problems or outage	1	100%
No experience encrypting datasets	0	0%
Migrating off the mainframe	0	0%
Other	0	0%
Total	1	

