



# TOTALVIEW<sup>®</sup> FOR HPC CHANGE LOG

Versions 8.0 to 2017.3

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# TotalView® for HPC Change Log, 8.0 - 8.15.10 and 2016.01-2017.3

This document lists updates made to the TotalView product for versions 8.0.0 through Version 8.15.10, and 2016.01 to 2017.3, including MemoryScape and ReplayEngine. For specifics about the current release, please see the documentation provided with your TotalView installation or [TotalView Online Help and Documentation](#) on the Rogue Wave website.

Note that releases after 8.15.10 (October, 2015) use a different version numbering pattern:

*<year>.<release-number>*

For example, the third release in 2017 would be 2017.3.

# TotalView

## TotalView 2017.3

TotalView® for HPC 2017.3 includes the following primary new or updated features. For a complete change history for TotalView, MemoryScape and ReplayEngine, see the document “TotalView\_for\_HPC\_Change\_Log.pdf” in the PDF directory of your installation, or follow the link “TotalView New Features and Change Log” on the [TotalView documentation page](#) on the website.

### *Early Access to the NextGen TotalView User Interface*

This early version of the NextGen interface continues to add features and is available so we can gather feedback from TotalView users on its updated capabilities. To try out the new user interface, start TotalView with the **-newUI** switch:

```
totalview -newUI
```

For more details on the new UI, see the in-product help through the **Help | Contents** menu item. New features added to the NextGen user interface in this release include:

- **Watchpoint Expressions**  
Added support for watchpoint expressions, which allow you to define a short expression to run when the watchpoint triggers. Use the expression to check the new value of a variable, display information, or execute some other type of custom logic.
- **Modifying Properties on Action Points**  
Added support for editing properties on each Action Point type, including breakpoints, watchpoints, and evaluation points. Use properties to make minor changes to an existing action point without having to delete it and recreate it.
- **Improvements to Lookup View Search Algorithm**  
Enhanced and refined the search algorithm used by the Lookup View in order to remove duplicates and better prioritize the found results.
- **Incremental Display of Data in the Data View**  
Performance and scalability improvements have been made to the Data View allowing for the incremental display of very large structures.
- **Python Debugging**  
Removed the need for a debug build of the Python interpreter for Python debugging. You may use the standard Python interpreter that was distributed with your operating system. Read more about Python debugging capabilities in Chapter 7 of the *NextGen TotalView for HPC User Guide*.

- **Bug Fixes and Improvements**

Numerous bug fixes and minor improvements have been made to the new UI.

Currently, the next generation UI is supported on Linux x86 64-bit, Linux PowerLE, Linux ARM64, and Apple's Mac OS X platforms. It supports multi-process and multi-threaded debugging as well as a level of parallel, MPI and CUDA debugging. Functionality not yet present in the UI is available through the command line interface (CLI). Please send email to [tv-beta@roguewave.com](mailto:tv-beta@roguewave.com) with your feedback and feature priorities. We welcome all feedback and feature requests for the new user interface.

### *Improved Inline and Optimized Code Debugging*

Significant improvements were made to the way TotalView debugs inline functions. TotalView is now able to step the debugging session through the functions and show the local variables for each inline function call.

### *Evaluation Points Performance*

TotalView now evaluates most evaluation point expressions within the TotalView server, providing faster performance. Some expressions may still need to be evaluated on the front-end portion of the debugger, depending on the complexity of the expression or variable data being accessed.

### *CUDA 9*

TotalView has been validated against the latest release of the CUDA SDK, CUDA 9.

### *Platform Updates*

TotalView 2017.3 introduces support for the Fedora 26 platform and GCC 7.1 compiler, as well as Mac OS X High Sierra.

## TotalView 2017.2

TotalView® for HPC 2017.2 includes the following primary new or updated features. For a complete change history for TotalView, MemoryScape and ReplayEngine, see the document "TotalView\_for\_HPC\_Change\_Log.pdf" in the PDF directory of your installation, or follow the link "TotalView New Features and Change Log" on the [TotalView documentation page](#) on the website.

### *Early Access to the NextGen TotalView User Interface*

This early version of the NextGen interface continues to add features and is available so we can gather feedback from TotalView users on its updated capabilities. To try out the new user interface, start TotalView with the **-newUI** switch:

```
totalview -newUI
```

For more details on the new UI, see the in-product help through the **Help | Contents** menu item. New features added to the NextGen user interface in this release include:

- **Official Support - Mixed Language Debugging with Python and C/C++**

Mixed language debugging of Python and C/C++ applications enables you to easily see a fully integrated call stack across the language barriers and to examine data passed between the layers. Read more about the Python and C/C++ debugging capabilities in Chapter 7 of the *NextGen TotalView for HPC User Guide*.

Currently supported platforms:

Python 2.7 on Linux x86 64-bit, Linux PowerLE, and Linux ARM64

- **Evaluation Points Support Added to the New UI**

The ability to create and modify evaluation points, which are snippets of code that run when a point of code is hit, has been added to the new UI. Evaluation points are an excellent resource to add conditional logic for stopping execution of your program or trying out new execution logic without modifying your program. Read more about using evaluation points in Chapter 5 of the *NextGen TotalView for HPC User Guide*.

- **Data View Improvements for Deep Structures**

Improvements have been made to the Data view to better handle structures with many pointers to other structures, creating deep trees of information. The depth of the tree is clipped to keep performance in check but the branches can easily be explored by right clicking on the data element and selecting **Dive** from the context menu.

Currently, the next generation UI is supported on Linux x86 64-bit, Linux PowerLE, Linux ARM64, and Apple's macOS/Mac OS X platforms. It supports multi-process and multi-threaded debugging as well as a level of parallel, MPI and CUDA debugging. Functionality not yet present in the UI is available through the command line interface (CLI). Please send email to [tv-beta@roguewave.com](mailto:tv-beta@roguewave.com) with your feedback and feature priorities. We welcome all feedback and feature requests for the new user interface.

### ***ReplayEngine Reverse Debugging Added to tvscript***

**tvscript** enables unattended debugging functionality that is often useful in test, continuous integration, and batch environments where interactive debugging is not always feasible. With this release, users can now enable reverse debugging through **tvscript** and use an event driven approach to generate ReplayEngine recording files for later analysis. A common use is to enable reverse debugging as part of an overnight test run and if a test failure occurs, generate a ReplayEngine recording file and attach it to a bug report for later analysis. See Chapter 4 in the *NextGen TotalView for HPC Reference Guide* for more information about **tvscript**.

### ***.gdb\_index Section Support***

TotalView now supports processing **.gdb\_index** sections contained within executable and shared library files. Compiling with DebugFission and linking with the gold linker to produce a **.gdb\_index** can greatly reduce link time, disk usage, and debugger start-up time for large applications. See the *Compiling and Linking Split DWARF* section in Chapter 9 of the *TotalView for HPC Reference Guide* for more information on compiling programs with Split DWARF.



## ***Solaris Split DWARF Support***

Starting with the Solaris Studio 12.4 compilers, Oracle® supports a Split-DWARF variant (also known as excluded DWARF) that can greatly reduce link time, disk usage, and debugger start-up time for large applications. See the *Compiling and Linking Split DWARF* section in Chapter 9 of the *TotalView for HPC Reference Guide* for more information on compiling programs with Split DWARF.

## ***dwz Optimized DWARF Support***

TotalView supports debugging ELF shared libraries and ELF executables that are processed with the dwz tool, a tool for optimizing and removing duplicate debug symbols. For more information about dwz, see the dwz (1) Linux man page.

## ***Platform Updates***

TotalView 2017.2 introduces support for the ARM64 platform and Absoft 17 compiler.

## ***Bug Fixes & Performance Improvements***

A significant number of bug fixes and improvements have been added to the 2017.2 release.

# TotalView 2017.1

TotalView® for HPC 2017.1 includes the following primary new or updated features. For a complete change history for TotalView, MemoryScape and ReplayEngine, see the document “TotalView\_for\_HPC\_Change\_Log.pdf” in the PDF directory of your installation, or follow the link “TotalView New Features and Change Log” on the [TotalView documentation page](#) on the website.

## ***Early Access to the NextGen TotalView User Interface***

This early version of the NextGen interface continues to add features and is available so we can gather feedback from TotalView users on its initial capabilities. To try out the new user interface, start TotalView with the **-newUI** switch:

```
totalview -newUI
```

For more details on the new UI, see the in-product help through the **Help | Contents** menu item. New features added to the NextGen user interface in this release include:

- **Replay Bookmarks**  
For ReplayEngine supported platforms, Replay Bookmarks allow you to easily mark a point during your program's execution history and then jump back to that point in time. See the *Replay Bookmarks* section of in Chapter 9 of the *NextGen for TotalView User Guide*.

- **Early Access to Mixed Language Debugging with Python and C/C++**

This release introduces mixed debugging of Python and C/C++ applications, enabling you to easily see a fully integrated call stack across the language barriers and to examine data passed between the layers. Read more about the Python and C/C++ debugging capabilities in Chapter 7 of the *NextGen TotalView for HPC User Guide*.

Currently, the next generation UI is supported on Linux x86 64-bit, Linux PowerLE, Linux ARM64, and Apple's macOS/Mac OS X platforms. It supports multi-process and multi-threaded debugging as well as a level of parallel, MPI and CUDA debugging. Functionality not yet present in the UI is available through the command line interface (CLI). Please send email to [tv-beta@roguewave.com](mailto:tv-beta@roguewave.com) with your feedback and feature priorities. We welcome all feedback and feature requests for the new user interface!

### ***Distribution Tar Bundle Name Change for 32-bit Linux and Mac OS***

- **Linux:** The names of the Linux x86-based 32-bit tar bundles now append "-32" to more clearly identify 32-bit versus 64-bit distributions.
- **Mac:** The names of the Mac OS distributed tar bundles now append "-64" to more clearly identify the architecture.

### ***Bug Fixes & Performance Improvements***

A significant number of bug fixes and improvements have been added to the 2017.1 release.

## **TotalView 2017.0**

### ***Updates to the NextGen TotalView User Interface***

New features added to the NextGen user interface in this release include:

- Creating unconditional watchpoints
- Creating breakpoints "At Location"

Currently, the next generation UI is supported on Linux x86 64-bit, Linux PowerLE, Linux ARM64, and Apple's macOS/Mac OS X platforms. It supports multi-process and multi-threaded debugging as well as a level of parallel, MPI and CUDA debugging.

### ***ReplayEngine Performance Improvements***

Performance for the ReplayEngine **GoBack** operation has been substantially improved. The magnitude of the improvement depends on the nature of the program being debugged, but at least a 10X factor has been measured when running a process backward until it hits either an action point or the beginning of recorded Replay history.

***NVIDIA® Tesla® P100 GPU with NVIDIA Pascal™ GPU architecture***

This release enables debugging support on NVIDIA's new Tesla P100 GPU featuring its Pascal GPU architecture.

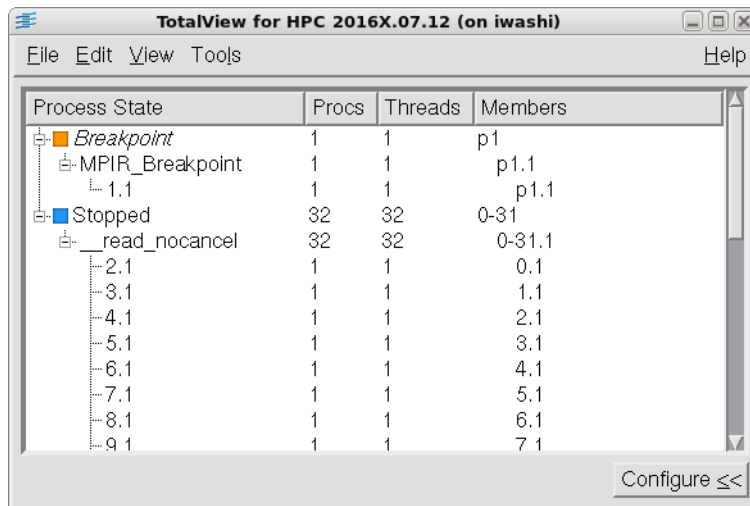
# TotalView 2016.07

## Early Access Support for Linux ARM64

The TotalView 2016.07 release adds support for Apple's macOS Sierra.

## Root Window Enhancements

TotalView's Root Window displays grouped threads and processes using common properties and allows you to quickly see the state of all processes and threads in your debugging session. For this release, the Root Window now features color coded icons to help you quickly distinguish between the different process and thread states.



## Bug Fixes and Improvements

- Improved stepping and debugging through inlined functions
- Significant startup and stability improvements when debugging parallel CUDA jobs
- Performance and stability enhancements for TotalView's reverse debugging feature, ReplayEngine

# TotalView 2016.06

## *Early Access to the NextGen TotalView for HPC Interface*

The TotalView team continues to develop the next generation user interface. This release adds two new features to the NextGen interface:

1. **An environment variable `TVNEWUI`** to easily launch the NextGen interface, so you can now try out the new user interface in two ways:

- To launch the new UI for a single instance of TotalView, simply add the `-newUI` switch after the executable command, for example:

```
totalview -newUI
```

- To routinely use the new UI, set the environment variable `TVNEWUI` to `True` and run the `executable` command, like so:

```
setenv TVNEWUI True
totalview
```

2. **Source Search Path Management**

If TotalView cannot find the source for your program, you can now adjust the source search path directly through the Search Path preferences panel in the new UI. To change the source search path click on the **Settings** gear icon in the main window toolbar or select **Preferences...** from the top-level **File** menu. Use the controls in the Search Path Configuration panel to change where TotalView finds sources for your program.

## *TotalView License Software Update*

All versions prior to 11.13.1.2 of the Flexera Software FlexNet Publisher, the licensing software used by TotalView, contain a buffer overflow vulnerability that may be leveraged to gain code execution.

TotalView has been updated to use the latest version and so contains an updated vendor daemon. You must update your license server installation to at least 11.13.1.2 to use this version of TotalView in order to eliminate the security vulnerability. See the *TotalView for HPC Installation Guide* for more information about setting up the license server. The updated licensing software is included in the distribution.

## *CUDA 8 Support*

TotalView has been tested against the latest CUDA 8 release candidate and works as expected for CUDA debugging. When the final version CUDA 8 is released, TotalView's CUDA 8 support will be revalidated, but no changes are anticipated.

## *Early Access Support for Native SLURM Using MRNet on Cray CTI*

TotalView is providing Early Access support for the preliminary implementation of scalable debugging on Cray systems running native SLURM. Specifically, you can debug a job launched by SLURM's `srun` command, and TotalView will use the MRNet scalable infrastructure by default.

Note that, for this release, you cannot also use ReplayEngine, due to Cray file staging issues. If the `-replay` option is used, TotalView cannot connect to any parallel process started by `srun`. We'll be looking further into this issue in subsequent releases. See the release notes for more details about the Early Access support of native SLURM.

### ***Platform Updates***

TotalView 2016.06 introduces support for the following platforms, compilers and parallel environments.

- Operating Systems:  
None
- Compilers:  
IBM XLF 15.1.3 and XLC 13.1.3 on AIX and Linux Power
- Parallel:  
None

## **TotalView 2016.05**

### ***Support for Rogue Wave Replicator***

TotalView for HPC 2016.05 adds support for loading and debugging application runtime sessions recorded with Rogue Wave's new Replicator product. Replicator records a Linux program while it's executing to produce a single Replay recording file containing a detailed recording of that program's execution history. You can then provide this Replay file to TotalView for HPC and use all the power of TotalView's reverse debugging technology to re-run and move back and forth in the program's execution history to debug and understand how the program ran.

The key feature of Replicator is that it can record without involving TotalView for HPC. This independent execution makes it easy to debug a customer's code, since the Replay recording file is an exact replica of the issues that created the crash or bug. It can also be an important tool for testing in-house applications in which the testing team provides the engineers a recording of the problem that can be played back.

# TotalView 2016.04

## *Early Access to the NextGen TotalView for HPC User Interface*

The TotalView team continues to develop the next generation user interface. To try out the new user interface, start TotalView with the `-newUI` switch:

```
totalview -newUI
```

Each release will include additional functionality based on a priority list that you can help influence. Please send email to [tv-beta@roguewave.com](mailto:tv-beta@roguewave.com) with your feedback and feature priorities. For information about the new user interface, check out the in-product help through the **Help | Contents** menu item.

Here are the new features added to the new interface in this release:

- **New platform support: Linux PowerLE**

- **Initial MPI and OpenMP debugging support**

Parallel jobs launched through the command line interface now start a debugging session. See the MPI and parallel debugging documentation in the *TotalView for HPC User Guide* for information on how to launch a parallel job from the command line. An upcoming release will bring the Parallel Session capability into the new user interface.

- **Support for evaluation and barrier points**

While barrier and evaluation points must be initially created from the command line, once created they are displayed in the new interface Source and Action Points views. They can then be enabled, disabled, deleted, and suppressed like breakpoints.

- **Improved source search algorithms**

The locating of source files through the Source view and the Find Files and Functions view uses improved algorithms. The interface also responds to changes to the `EXECUTABLE_SEARCH_PATH` variable. See the *TotalView for HPC Reference Guide* for information on setting this variable through the command line.

- **Improved support for CUDA debugging**

The interface correctly displays CUDA source code and threads, and supports the setting of breakpoints in CUDA code.

## *Continued Performance Improvements*

This release of TotalView for HPC has numerous improvements to better handle very large executables with very extensive debug information.

## Calling Functions when Running ReplayEngine Recorded Execution History

TotalView for HPC now supports the calling of functions through the TotalView expression system when the ReplayEngine reverse debugging engine is activated. This allows for calls to functions such as printf or your own functions while evaluating expressions in the debugger during playback mode. See the *Reverse Debugging with ReplayEngine* document for more information on how memory-related side-effects are handled during the evaluation of expressions.

## Platform Updates

TotalView 2016.04 introduces support for the following platforms, compilers, and parallel environments.

- **Compilers:**

- PGI 16.1

- Absoft 16

## TotalView 2016.01

### Early Access to the NextGen TotalView for HPC User Interface

While the interface is in its initial development stage, we are pleased to provide an early version so that we can gather feedback from TotalView users on its existing capabilities. To try out the new user interface, start TotalView with the `-newUI` switch:

```
totalview -newUI
```

Check out the in-product help through the **Help | Contents** menu item for more details about the new user interface. Currently, the next generation UI is available only on Linux x86 64-bit platforms. It fully supports multi-process and multi-threaded debugging but does not yet support parallel, MPI or CUDA debugging. It also does not yet include some features like evaluation, barrier and watchpoints. Each new release will include additional functionality based on a priority list that you can help influence. Please send email to [tv-beta@roguewave.com](mailto:tv-beta@roguewave.com) with your feedback and feature priorities. We welcome all feedback and feature requests for the new user interface.

### Continued Performance Updates

Each TotalView release incorporates performance improvements. For this release, improvements were made to leverage the GNU\_HASH section to quickly read and process debug information.

### Fortran Improvements

A number of bug fixes and enhancements have been made to TotalView's Fortran support, including the functionality to display variables within nested modules as well as to display modules and the module data for the Intel Fortran compiler.



## *Platform Updates*

TotalView 2016.01 introduces support for the following platforms, compilers, and parallel environments.

- **Operating Systems:**  
Mac OS X 10.11 (El Capitan)
- **Compilers:**
- **Parallel:**  
Open MPI 1.10.0

## TotalView 8.15.10

### *C++11 Support*

TotalView now supports C++11 features for the GNU compiler, including support for lambdas, transformations for smart pointers, auto types, R-Value references, range-based loops, strongly-typed enums, initializer lists, user defined literals, and transformations for many of the containers such as array, forward\_list, tuple and others.

### *Linux PowerLE Support*

TotalView now supports Linux PowerLE (Little Endian) systems. All major debugging support is provided, including memory debugging, Remote Display Client, CUDA and MPI debugging.

### *CUDA 7.5 Support*

Support for CUDA version 7.5. TotalView continues to support CUDA versions 7.0 and 6.5.

## *Platform Updates*

- **Operating Systems:** Linux PowerLE
- **Compilers:** GCC 5.2 and Intel 16.0

## TotalView 8.15.7

### *Early Access Support for Linux PowerLE*

TotalView 8.15.7 provides early access support for the new Linux PowerLE (Little Endian) systems. This support includes major debugger functionality, including support for CUDA 7.0. Contact Rogue Wave support at [support@roguewave.com](mailto:support@roguewave.com) to try this early access version of TotalView on your Linux PowerLE system.

### ***CUDA Core File Support***

TotalView now supports debugging core files generated from a GPU core dump when a GPU exception is encountered. TotalView loads GPU-generated core files in the same way as traditional core files, making it possible to inspect the state of GPU code and the point at which it crashed.

### ***PGI OpenACC Support***

TotalView has been updated to work with the latest versions of the PGI compiler and has been verified to debug code written with the OpenACC Application Program Interface. This enables easy debugging of PGI OpenACC applications that offload code from a host CPU to an attached accelerator device.

### ***Platform Updates***

- **Operating Systems:** Solaris 11, Ubuntu 15.04
- **Compilers:** PGI 15.5

## **TotalView 8.15.4**

### ***Support for CUDA 7.0***

Support for CUDA version 7.0. TotalView continues to support CUDA versions 6.5 and 6.0.

### ***ReplayEngine***

GUI support for saving and loading Replay Recording files

### ***Platform Updates***

- **Operating Systems:** OpenSuSE 13.2, SuSE SLES 12, Red Hat Fedora 21
- **MPIs:** SGI MPT 2.12, OpenMPI 1.8.4, Intel MPI 5.0
- **Compilers:** Clang 3.5 for Linux-x86 (32-bit), Linux-x86-64

## **TotalView 8.15.0**

### ***Significant scalability and performance improvements***

This release focuses on a new scalability infrastructure on Linux, Blue Gene/Q and Cray platforms that uses efficient broadcast and reduction operations for a quantum leap in scalability. TotalView can now be used across hundreds of thousands of processes and millions of threads. This change is particularly noticeable in the reduction in time between when you launch a job and when you can begin actual debugging.

### *Improved MemoryScape startup performance*

Scalability, performance, and reduced startup times have also been implemented for memory debugging. At very large scales, focusing on a single process is likely to result in the greatest improvements.

### *Root window aggregate display improvements*

The root window now displays an aggregated tree of information about the state of the processes and threads you are debugging, rather than the former list-based display. The new display offers flexibility in the type of data that is aggregated, and maintains the full ability to dive on processes and threads.

### *New compiler support*

TotalView now supports the Intel 15.0 and PGI C++ 14.4 compilers.

## TotalView 8.14

### *CUDA 6.0*

Support for CUDA version 6.0, including debugging applications that utilize the new Unified Memory feature. TotalView continues to support CUDA versions 5.5 and 5.0. Starting at CUDA 5.5 there is limited support for dynamic parallelism.

### *Performance and Usability Improvements*

Critical performance improvements, and usability enhancements that cancel long running operations when processing delayed symbols and when creating certain types of breakpoints.

### *Type Transformation of Additional Datatypes*

Added support for transforming the raw implementations of the **unordered\_map**, **unordered\_set**, **unordered\_multimap** and **unordered\_multiset** STL collection classes. This data is transformed into readable name/value pairs, making it much more intuitive for you to understand the data in your application.

### *FlexLM License Upgrade*

FlexLM software has been upgraded to the latest FlexNet v11.12.1 version. This eliminates the need to work around the Flexera **INCREMENT** bug on most platforms. The platforms Linux-IA64, Linux Power, and AIX (RS6000) remain on FlexNet v11.11.1 either because v11.12.1 is not available or because of other, more serious bugs in the new FlexLM version. On these platforms, the workaround developed for TotalView 8.13 still applies, as described in the Release Notes.

### *Replay Save and Restore*

A Replay session can now be stored to disk and later retrieved, at which time you can perform all of the replay functionality that was available at the time of the save. See the section "Saving the Execution History" in Chapter 1 of *Reverse Debugging with ReplayEngine*. This is early access functionality.

## ***Platform Updates***

PGI Compiler version 14.4, Red Hat Fedora 20, Argonne MPICH 3.1, Cray CCE 8.3.1, Intel Composer XE for Linux 2013 SP1 Update 2 (14.0.2), Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6u5 x86 64-bit and 32-bit, GNU GCC 4.8.2.

## **TotalView 8.13**

### ***CUDA 5.0 and 5.5***

TotalView now supports CUDA versions 5.0 and 5.5. With CUDA 5.0 TotalView does not support dynamic parallelism at all. With CUDA 5.5 we have limited support for dynamic parallelism. You should be able to use TotalView in the CUDA 5.5 runtime with applications that display dynamic parallelism, however we plan improvements to our functionality for displaying the relationships between dynamically launched kernels and navigating the various running kernels.

### ***Xeon Phi Memory Debugging***

TotalView's support for Intel Xeon Phi (MIC architecture) has been extended to include memory debugging with MemoryScape for Native and Symmetric modes. MemoryScape functionality is not yet available for Offload mode programs.

### ***Xeon Phi Symmetric Mode***

Xeon Phi support has been further extended to include Xeon Phi Symmetric Mode across a Xeon Phi cluster.

### ***Mac OS X Mavericks***

TotalView now supports the Macintosh OS X Mavericks platform. Please check the TotalView Reference Guide, Part III, "Platforms and Operating Systems," for special installation instructions.

### ***Scalable data aggregation***

Some CLI commands, including `dwhere` and `dstatus`, now provide options to aggregate the data they display, making it much easier to understand the status and location of all the processes and threads being debugged.

### ***Improved breakpoint performance***

There is a significant improvement in performance when creating and using breakpoints to debug very large applications.

### ***Early Access: Tree-Based Scalable Debugging Infrastructure***

TotalView's early access support for tree-based scalability has noticeably improved performance. This support is based on the MRNet overlay tree network, and is available to selected customers on request. This release also includes a new scalable root window that aggregates data about many processes rather than listing them out one per line.

## ***FLEXLM and Security***

The version of FLEXLM being used with TotalView has been upgraded to a more current version, which offers improved security.

## ***Platforms and Compilers***

Support for new versions of operating systems and compilers. For a complete listing of supported platforms, please see the document *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements*.

# TotalView 8.12

## ***Sessions Manager***

This release introduces the Sessions Manager, which allows you to set the configuration for a debugging session and preserve it from session to session. The Sessions Manager also provides a single, centralized interface for initiating debugging sessions. See the *TotalView for HPC Getting Started Guide* and *TotalView for HPC User Guide* for information on this feature.

## ***Xeon Phi Support***

TotalView now fully supports Xeon Phi (MIC architecture) using the Knights Corner implementation. This is a separately licensed feature.

For more information, see the PDF document [TotalView\\_Intel\\_Xeon\\_Phi\\_Debugging.pdf](#).

## ***Support for Intel AVX and AVX2, and AMD XOP instruction sets***

On Linux for the x86 and x86-64 architectures, TotalView's disassembler now supports most instructions from Intel's AVX and AVX2 set, and AMD's XOP set. As a result, the assembler code view will display these instructions, and single-stepping will work correctly for code containing these instructions.

ReplayEngine does not yet support these instructions, so reverse debugging will fail on code containing them.

## ***Enhanced Addresses Dialog***

Setting action points on templated or overloaded functions can result in a large number of individual action points, particularly in massively parallel programs. The new Addresses dialog for action points helps you to enable a subset of these action points that pertain to the problem you are trying to debug.

## ***Cray ATP Support***

Cray Abnormal Termination Processing (ATP) stops program execution at the time of a crash so you can debug the problem. TotalView now makes it easy to attach to such a held process.

## ***STL Container Support***

The TotalView STLView feature now includes support for the STL containers set, multiset, and multimap.

## ***Support for Mac OS X Lion and Mountain Lion***

TotalView now supports the Macintosh OS X Lion and Mountain Lion platforms. Please check the TotalView Reference Guide, Part III, "Platforms and Operating Systems," for special installation instructions.

## **TotalView 8.11**

### ***Blue Gene/Q***

TotalView now supports the Blue Gene/Q platform.

### ***CUDA 4.2***

Support added for the NVIDIA CUDA SDK 4.2 tool chain on Linux x86 64-bit and Cray XK CPU-based systems.

### ***OpenACC and OpenMP Directives Programming***

Support on the XK6 platform for Cray's OpenMP Accelerator Directives and Cray's OpenACC Directives. For information on this support, see the section Directive-Based Accelerator Programming Languages in the *TotalView for HPC User Guide*.

### ***Xeon Phi***

This release provides Early Access support for Xeon Phi (MIC architecture) using the Knights Corner implementation. This is a separately licensed feature.

## **TotalView 8.10**

### ***Enhanced and Extended CUDA Support***

Support added for the NVIDIA CUDA SDK 4.1 tool chain on Linux x86 64-bit and Cray XK CPU-based systems. Support for the Cray platform represents the first extension of CUDA support beyond the Linux x86 64-bit platform. For more information on this support, see the *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements* guide.

### ***ReplayEngine on Demand***

ReplayEngine can now be enabled on a running application. Formerly, ReplayEngine had to be enabled when the application was started. This enhancement includes the addition of a Record button on the Process Window toolbar, which allows you to easily enable Replay on a running process.

### ***ReplayEngine on Cray XE***

Support for ReplayEngine has been extended to the Cray XE platform.

## ***C++View in ReplayEngine***

C++View type transformations now work in the context of ReplayEngine. Note, however, that there are some specific behavioral considerations. Please see Using C++ View with ReplayEngine in the *TotalView Reference Guide* for details.

## ***Enhanced TVScript Scalability***

Batch debugging of large-scale MPI applications through TVScript has been fully certified to the level of 1024 process jobs, and 2048 threads per process.

## ***Enhanced Dive Visibility***

When the cursor hovers over a divisible object in the TotalView Source Pane, a red, dotted-line box appears around the object text, clearly indicating that this is a divisible object.

# TotalView 8.9.2

## ***Enhanced CUDA Support***

TotalView 8.9.2 adds support for the NVIDIA CUDA SDK 4.0 tool chain on Linux x86 64-bit systems. For information on the specific platforms supported, see the *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements* guide.

# TotalView 8.9.1

## **New Platforms and Compilers for Version 8.9.1**

New platforms supported are Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6, Red Hat Fedora 14, and IBM AIX 6.1.5.

New compilers supported are GCC/GFortran 4.5.2, Intel Composer XE 2011 for Linux and Mac, and PGI 11.2. New MPI environments are Intel MPI 4.0.1 and POE 5.2. See the *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements* guide.

## **New Features for TotalView 8.9.1**

### ***Enhanced CUDA Support***

Support for CUDA 3.2 on Linux x86 and Linux x86-64 has been added. The following features are included

- Support for apps built with the CUDA 3.0, 3.1, or 3.2 SDK
- Compatibility with CUDA 3.0, 3.1 or 3.2 drivers
- Support for CUDA function calls on the stack (in addition to the inlined function support in previous versions)
- Handles exceptions in CUDA code

- Display of variables in GPU hardware registers
- Support for host pinned memory regions
- Support for CUDA contexts
- New CLI commands for CUDA functionality

### **Array Statistics CLI Commands**

You can now use a **dprint -stats** to programmatically gather the array statistics that were previously only available in the GUI. These can be directly printed to the TCL prompt or placed in a TCL associative array with the **-data** option.

### **Array Type Inheritance**

In the multi-dimensional array display, changes to types made in the variable window are picked up prior to launching the array display, resulting in the most up-to-date information.

### **Enhanced Parallel Backtrace**

We've improved the way we store stack trace data to improve the representation of recursive function calls in the parallel backtrace view. In addition, parallel backtrace data is now available through the CLI with the **dcalltree** command.

## **Platform Changes in Previous Version 8 Releases**

### **8.9 Changes**

TotalView supports Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 Update 4 and 4 Update 8, Fedora 13, and Ubuntu 9.10. New compilers supported are GCC 4.5.0, GFortran 4.5.0, PGI 10.6, Intel 11.1, IBM C/C++ 11.1, and IBM Fortran 13.1. New parallel runtimes (MPIs) supported are MPICH 1.2.1p1, OpenMPI 1.4.1, Intel MPI 4.0, MVAPICH 1.2, MVAPICH2 1.4.1, SGI MPT 1.27, and IBM POE 5.1.

### **8.8 Changes**

TotalView supports the Fedora 12 and Ubuntu 9.10 platforms and compiler PGI 10.1.

### **8.7 Changes**

TotalView supports the Fedora 9 and 10 platforms; compilers XLF 12.1, XLC 10.1, Intel 11.1, GCC 4.4, gfortran 4.4, and Berkeley UPC 2.8; and parallel environments MPICH 2.1 and OpenMP 1.3.

### **8.6 Changes**

TotalView supports C/C++ compilers for the IBM Cell Broadband Engine, GNU Fortran from Red Hat, and the Sony BCU-100 Zego.



## 8.5 Changes

TotalView supports the IBM Cell Broadband Engine.

### 8.4.1 Changes

This release has updated the compilers TotalView supports. Consult the *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements* guide for more information.

### 8.4 Changes

TotalView supports Apple Mac OS X 10.5 (Leopard).

### 8.3 Changes

New operating system versions include:

- Apple OS X 10.4.5, 10.4.8, and 10.4.9
- Fedora Core 7
- Ubuntu 6.06

As always, we have added support for new versions of existing compilers and parallel runtime environments.

### 8.2 Changes

TotalView 8.2 has added support for the following systems and compilers:

- SiCortex supercomputer
- Cray XT4 support and APLs integration
- Fedora Core 6
- Expanded Mac support  
Preliminary Mac OS X Leopard, 64-bit Mac-Intel, and Mac Universal Binaries
- Ubuntu

Ubuntu is a community-developed Linux-based operating system for the desktop, laptop, thin client and server. TotalView will support applications developed on this platform.

You'll find a complete list of supported platforms and compilers in the *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements* guide.

# New and Changed Features in Previous Version 8 Releases

## Version 8.9 Features

Support for CUDA 3.0 on Linux x86 and Linux x86-64 has been added. The following features are included:

- Tesla and Fermi hardware support
- Device (not emulator) support
- CUDA function inlining support
- CUDA memcheck functionality support
- Linux threads and GPU device threads visibility
- Representation of hierarchical memory with type qualification
- Display and navigation using logical thread and block coordinates and hardware coordinates
- Breakpoints and stepping code running on the device
- Interoperability with MPI for use in accelerated clusters

A **2D array viewer** enables viewing a multi-dimensional array in a two-dimensional grid, allowing for setting the slice and stride within the dimensions to limit the amount of data in view. It includes a mechanism for controlling the numerical precision of the data displayed.

**C++View** is an extension of TotalView's type transformation facility, to allow formatting functions to be written in the user's target code and preferred language rather than in TCL code in the debugger.

The **parallel backtrace** feature provides a single view to the state of every process/thread in a parallel job. It displays the host, status, process ID, rank and the line of code being executed.

**TVScript** support has been expanded to include the Cray XT, Blue Gene/L and Blue Gene/P platforms.

The **Data Window** supports display of very long C++ expressions.

## Version 8.8 Features

This section lists the changes made for version 8.8 of TotalView.

- A Remote Display client for the Mac and Windows 7 operating systems has been added.
- Runtime performance at scale has been improved.

## Version 8.7 Features

This section lists the changes made for version 8.7 of TotalView.

- TotalView includes the MemoryScape GUI for memory debugging, with Red Zones on Linux platforms for detection and immediate notification of errors in heap arrays.
- Support for various heterogeneous debugging combinations and Power PC 32 cross debugging is introduced.
- Remote debugging is enhanced to support IP-only networks and nodes with multiple interfaces with different IP addresses.
- TotalView allows subset attach from the command line and via the CLI.
- New server launch CLI state variables and shared library search and mapping state variables are added, and the search path and mapping rules are changed.

## Version 8.6 Features

This section lists the changes made for version 8.6 of TotalView.

- **Remote Display:** TotalView can open a window on your machine that displays TotalView executing on a remote system. We provide installers for Windows running XP or Vista, Linux x86 and Linux x86-64. While Remote Display can run only on these operating systems, the remote TotalView can execute on any platform that TotalView supports.
- **TVScript / Batch debugging:** TotalView can run unattended using the **tvscript** shell command. The commands that tvscript executes can be entered as command-line options or by creating a file for **tvscript** to execute. See the *TotalView Reference Guide* for how to use the **tvscript** command.
- **Debug** is added to the TotalView menubar if you are running on Linux-x86 (32-bit) and Linux-x86-64. All memory commands are now within **Debug**.
- The current line is highlighted in yellow. If you have purchased a Replay license, an orange highlight line shows where you've gone back to. A separate marker shows the PC that existed when you entered replay mode.
- The **dhistory** command lets you invoke ReplayEngine from within the CLI. The **spurs** command displays information on spurs library use.
- Options supporting ReplayEngine are added to **dattach**, **dload**, and stepping commands such as **dstep**, **dnext**, **duntil**, etc.
- Options to the **dload** command let you start MPI programs. These options are **-mpi**, **-nodes**, **-starter\_args**, **-np**, **-procs**, and **-tasks**.
- The **Process > Startup Parameters** dialog is rearranged and contains options for enabling memory debugging and ReplayEngine. This window comes up automatically when you start TotalView using a program's name as an argument.

- Other command-line options added for this release include **-local\_interface** (most often used with Blue Gene), **-memory\_debugging**, and **-replay**.
- New variables added at this release are TV::ask\_on\_cell\_spu\_image\_load, **TV::cell\_spu\_image\_ignore\_regexp**, **TV::cell\_spu\_images\_stop\_regexp**, **TV::cell\_spurs\_jm\_name**, **TV::cell\_spurs\_kernel\_dll\_regexp**, **TV::cell\_spurs\_ss\_name**, **TV::cell\_spurs\_tm\_name**, **TV::data\_format\_int128**, **TV::local\_interface**, and **TV::GUI::heap\_summary\_refresh**.

## Version 8.5 Features

No changes are listed for version 8.5 of TotalView.

## Version 8.4 Features

This section lists the changes made for version 8.4 of TotalView.

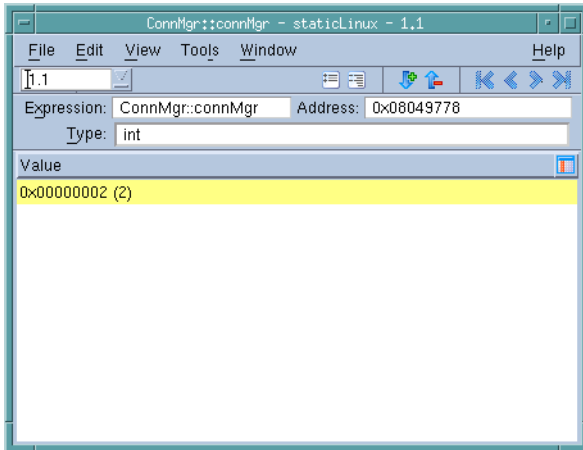
- If you have more than one TotalView license, you can control which kind of license TotalView uses by adding one of the following command-line options: **-team**, **-noteam**, **-teampplus**, **-noteampplus**, **-ent** or **-noent**.
- The TotalView Memory Debugger can now write light-weight memory debug files when an event occurs. These files are similar to the memory debugging files (**.mdbg**) files that you can write using the **File > Export** command. They differ in that they are designed to be written when the event occurs and in such a way that the program's behavior is minimally disturbed.
- Improved support for C++ templates.
- Improved support for Fortran modules on Apple Mac OS X.

## Version 8.3 Features

This section lists the changes made for version 8.3 of TotalView.

- Improvements to the way TotalView launches MPI programs let you use TotalView with virtually every MPI library, even with those that were not configured for debugging.
- TotalView now highlights changes to values displayed in the **Variable** and **Expression List** windows with a colored background.

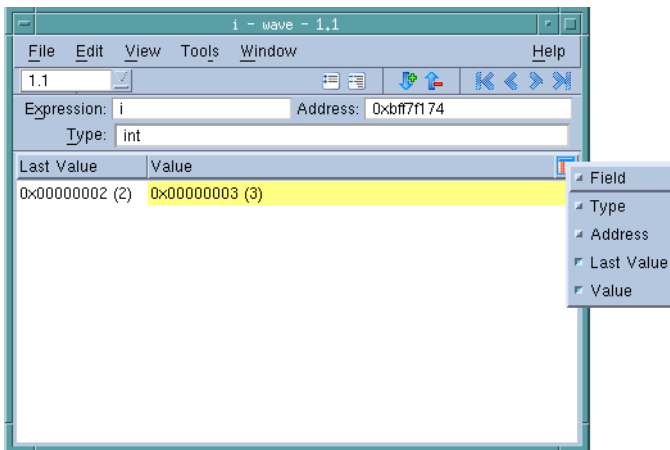
Figure 1 – Highlighted Change in the Variable Window



While this figure shows a simple variable, TotalView also highlights changed elements within compound variables such as structures and arrays.

- Values in the **Variable** and **Expression List** windows have a **Previous value** hidden column that you can display. Use the control on the right side of the column headings to display a list of columns that you can display or hide.

Figure 2 – Last Value Column



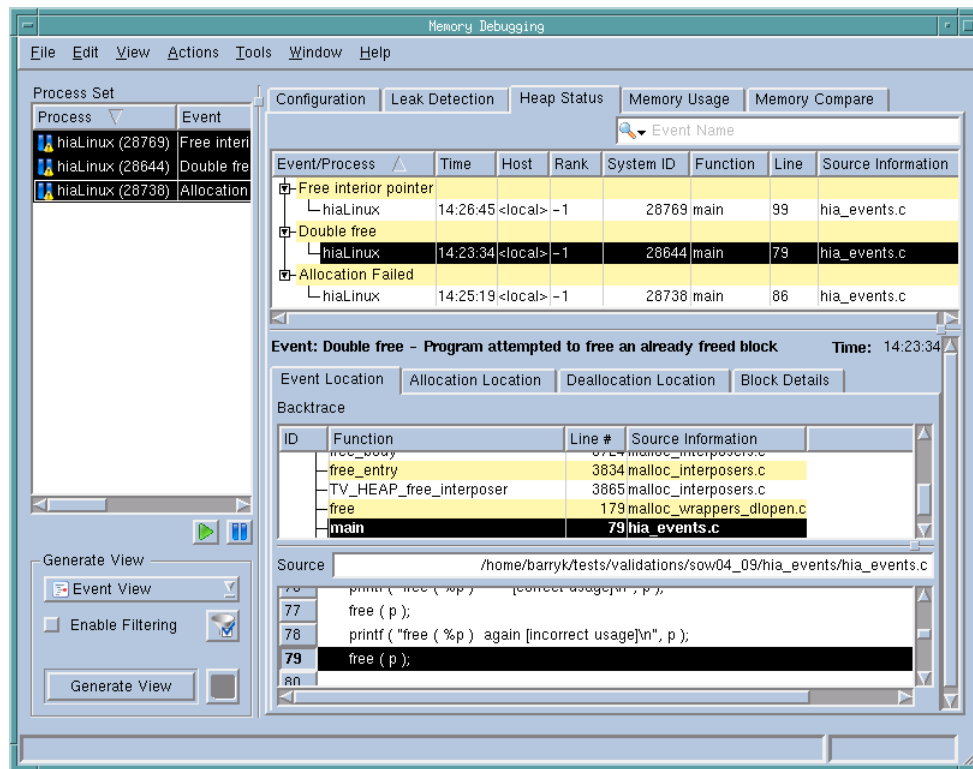
- When a process hits a breakpoint, TotalView highlights the breakpoint by placing an arrow over the breakpoint ID in the Action Points pane.

**Figure 3 – Highlighted Action Point ID**

Action Points	Processes	Threads
STOP 3	tx_fork_loop.cxx#567	wait_a_while+0x21...
EVAL 1	tx_fork_loop.cxx#681	snore+0xd3
STOP 2	tx_fork_loop.cxx#683	snore+0xe9
STOP 4	tx_fork_loop.cxx#1066	fork_wrapper+0x20
STOP 5	tx_fork_loop.cxx#1074	fork_wrapper+0x7a

- **View > Show Across** replaces **View > Laminate** in the **Variable** window's menus. This means the commands you will now use are **View > Show Across > Process** and **View > Show Across > Thread**.
- You can now tell TotalView to show a variable across processes or threads by right-clicking on it in the Source Pane, then selecting either **Across Processes** or **Across Threads** from the context menu.
- The **Create Watchpoint** command was added to the Action Points menu. As always, you can create a watchpoint from within the Variable window by selecting **Tools > Create Watchpoint**.
- You can now set a watchpoint upon a variable's memory address by right-clicking on the variable in the Source pane and then selecting **Create Watchpoint** from the context menu.
- You can completely expand or collapse information in the Variable window by selecting an icon in the toolbar. The accelerators for these commands are **Ctrl++** (that's the control key and the + symbol) and **Ctrl+-** (which is the control key and the - symbol).
- TotalView no longer stops by default when your program loads a library.
- You can specify more than one core file on the command line and you can use wildcards in core file names.
- There is a new Events View report within the Memory Debugger Heap Status tab.

Figure 4 – Event View



- Within the Memory Debugger's **File > Import Data** dialog box, you can select multiple memory debugging (.mdbg) files.

## Version 8.2 Features

This section looks at changes that have occurred within TotalView.

- Early-Access GUI Installer  
You can now install TotalView from tar files as you've always done or install it using our new graphical installer. We are calling this an early-access release in that we want you to tell us what you think of it and how we can improve it.
- Fortran Parameter Display  
TotalView now displays the value of Fortran parameters. Parameters can be used like variables in expressions but could not previously be examined within the debugger.

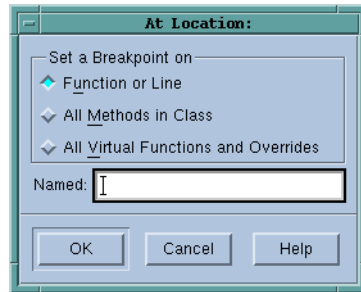
## Versions 8.0 and 8.1 Features

### Breakpoint Changes

Action points are considerably more powerful. Here is a summary:

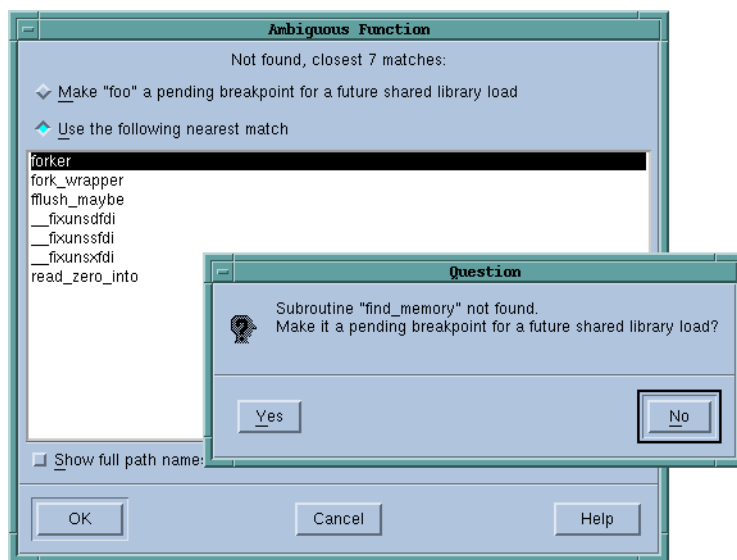
- The **Action Point > At Location** command now has three choices:
- **Function or Line:** lets you set a line number or a function name. This choice is what occurred in previous TotalView releases.
- **All Methods in Class:** lets you set a breakpoint on all methods in a class. This can set more than one breakpoint.
- **All Virtual Functions and Overrides:** lets you set breakpoints on virtual functions and their overrides. This too can set more than one breakpoint.

**Figure 5 – Breakpoint > At Location Dialog Box**



- You can now tell TotalView that a breakpoint will occur in a library that will be loaded later and that TotalView should retain knowledge of this breakpoint. This allows it to be set when the library is read. Previously, TotalView had to create and set breakpoints at the same time. This meant that when you enter a name into the **At Location** dialog box and the name is not yet known, TotalView, displays either an **Ambiguous Function** or a **Question** dialog box. At this time, you can set the breakpoint's status to *pending*.

**Figure 6 – Setting Pending Breakpoints**





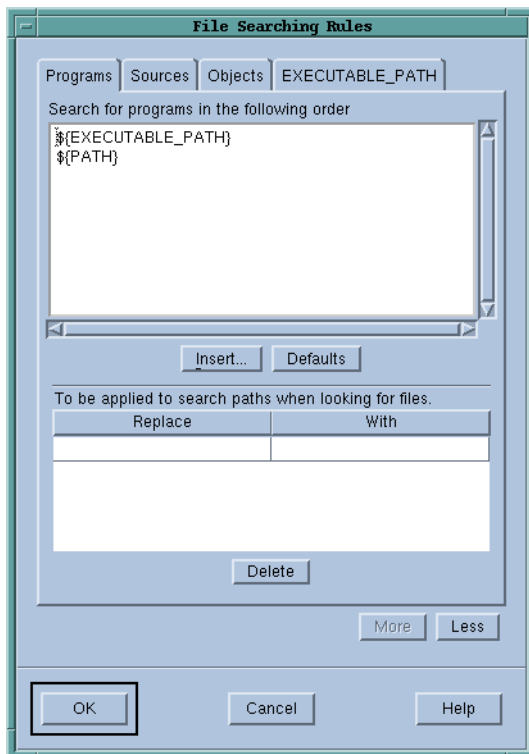
- When you create a barrier breakpoint or change a breakpoint to a barrier point, the same new features are available.
- The CLI **dbreak**, **dbarrier**, and **dlist** commands have been extended to use these features. The argument to these commands can now be a breakpoint expression. Understanding this concept reveals some of the subtleties involved using these new features. These concepts are explained with the **dbreak** pages of the *TotalView Reference Guide*.

## Other Features

This section describes improvements and changes made in many different places in TotalView.

- The way in which you set search paths has changed.

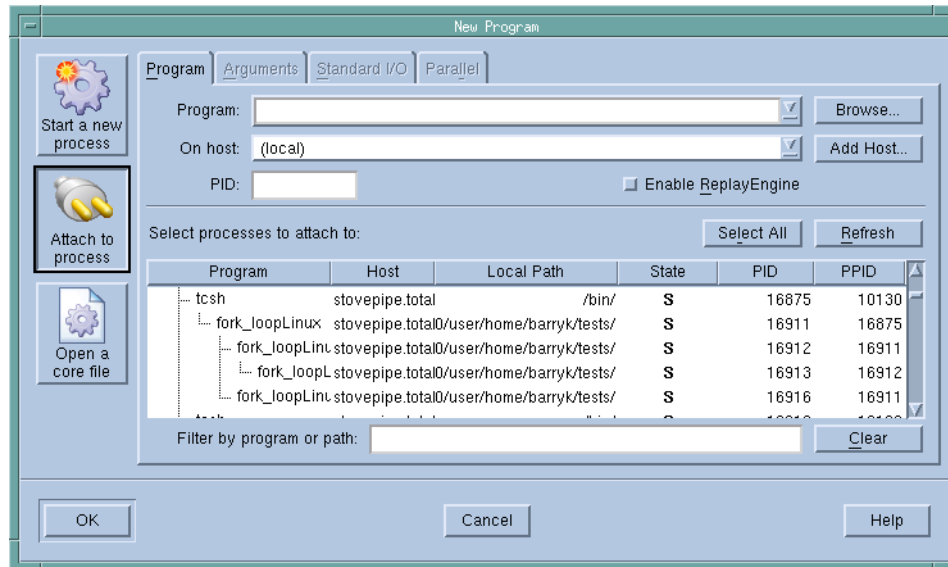
**Figure 7 – File > Search Path Dialog Box**



You have told us that most of the time, you usually do not need to set search paths. If you do, you just need to enter a couple of paths. This is what the old dialog box was designed for. (You can still do this by typing paths directly into the **EXECUTABLE\_PATH** tab.) However, when your programs make the transition from modules being developed on your workstation to an place where the work of development teams is brought together, setting search paths was tedious and difficult to get right. This new dialog box, extensively documented in the help, lets you solve this problem.

- The **File > New Program** dialog box has changed. Much of what you will see makes the dialog box more usable. Most notable is the way you attach to processes. The dialog box now lets you select more than one process at a time. The one new feature is that you can now enable memory debugging from this dialog box.

**Figure 8 – File > New Dialog Box**



- The **View> Freeze** command is added to the Variable window. This command tells TotalView that it should freeze the contents of a Variable window. That is, as your program executes and as data values change, the contents of this window does not change. In most cases, you will also create a second Variable Window so that you can see old and new values at the same time.
- The **View > Lock** command is added to the Variable Window. This command tells TotalView that it should not change the address from which the Variable Window is obtaining information.
- New **dheap -compare** CLI command options. This options lets you compare the result of two different memory states.
- New **dkill -remove** CLI command option. Using this option to tell TotalView that, in addition killing the process, it should remove knowledge of the process. This is seldom necessary. However, if you are using TotalView Team, using this option makes the token used by a process available to another process in your program.
- The following CLI variables were added for this release
  - **TV::env**: sets an environment variable.
  - **TV::bluegene\_server\_launch\_string**: sets the Blue Gene server launch string.
  - **TV::default\_sterr\_append**: tells TotalView to append **stderr** information to **stdout**.

- **TV::default\_stderr\_filename**: tells TotalView to write **stderr** information to a file.
- **TV::default\_stderr\_is\_stdout**: tells TotalView to write **stderr** information to **stdout**.
- **TV::default\_stdin\_filename**: Tells TotalView to read **stdin** information from a file.
- **TV::default\_stdout\_append**: Tells TotalView to append **stdout** information to a file.
- **TV::default\_stdout\_filename**: Tells TotalView to write **stdout** information to a file.

# MemoryScape

## Versions 2016.01 - 06

No updates.

## Version 3.15.4

No updates.

## Version 3.5

### ***Xeon Phi Support***

TotalView's support for Intel Xeon Phi (MIC architecture) has been extended to include memory debugging with MemoryScape for Native and Symmetric modes. MemoryScape functionality is not yet available for Offload mode programs.

### ***Platforms and Compilers***

Support for new versions of operating systems and compilers. For a complete listing of supported platforms, please see the document *TotalView Platforms and System Requirements*.

## Version 3.2.2

### ***Platforms and Compilers***

We have added support for new versions of operating systems and compilers. For a complete listing of supported platforms, please see the *TotalView, MemoryScape, and ReplayEngine Platforms and System Requirements* guide.

### ***New Features***

There are no major new features added in MemoryScape 3.2.2.

# Updates in Earlier 3.n Versions

## *Interoperability with TotalView*

MemoryScape offered greatly increased interoperability with the TotalView debugger. Launch TotalView from within an already running MemoryScape session to examine specific variables or exert more precise control over programs that you are debugging. Enabling memory debugging within a TotalView session will bring up the MemoryScape GUI.

Effective with TotalView 8.7 and later, you can run MemoryScape with a TotalView license that allows memory debugging.

## *Red Zone platforms*

Red Zones (heap memory read and write bounds checking with event generation at read/write time) are available on Solaris and Mac.

## *Support for heterogeneous debugging*

MemoryScape supports several forms of heterogeneous debugging, where the operating system and/or architecture differ. For example, from a Linux x86-64 session you can debug remote processes on Linux Cell.

This table shows the supported combinations:

Host System	Target System
Linux x86-64	Linux x86 (32-bit) Linux x86-64 Linux Power 32 Linux Power 64 / Cell SiCortex Cray XT
Linux x86 (32-bit)	Linux x86 (32-bit) Linux Power 32 Linux Power 64 / Cell
Linux Power 64 (including Linux Cell)	Linux Power 32 Linux Power 64 / Cell Blue Gene
SiCortex Linux x86-64	Linux MIPS 64

## ***Support for Power PC32 cross debugging***

MemoryScape now supports debugging PowerPC32 embedded applications. Support is delivered through a cross debugger. The host system (where MemoryScape is running) must be one of the following platforms:

- x86-64 Linux
- x86 Linux (32-bit)
- Power64 Linux
- Cell Linux

## ***Red Zones for Linux***

The Red Zones feature added to MemoryScape 3.2 provides instant array bounds detection for Linux systems. MemoryScape can immediately detect when a program tries to access memory beyond the allocation bounds.

- Red Zone events: MemoryScape uses Red Zones to detect access violations before and after allocated memory bounds. It can also detect when a program accesses memory that has been deallocated. MemoryScape will stop the program's execution and raise an event alerting you to the illegal access and allowing you to see exactly where the code overstepped the bounds.
- Red Zone allocation size range controls: Red Zones will increase the memory consumption of your program. To reduce this impact, special controls have been added to give you full control over how and when Red Zones are applied to allocated memory. You can restrict Red Zones to allocations in several user-defined size ranges and easily turn Red Zones on or off at any time during a program's execution.
- Red Zone support in the CLI, TVScript, and MemScript: Red Zones are supported in the CLI and TVScript and MemScript via new commands and command qualifiers. The appropriate product documentation provides the details.

## ***Support for malloc zones on Mac OS X***

Mac OS X provides a mechanism for multiple pools of memory called malloc zones. MemoryScape tracks both the allocator and owner of all heap allocations. These properties can be displayed and used for filtering.

## ***Hoard low memory detection***

When you ask MemoryScape to hoard deallocated memory, you may increase the risk of running out of available memory earlier than expected. MemoryScape has the capability to reduce this risk and alert you when you are at risk.

- Hoard low memory controls: you can tell the hoard to automatically release its memory when available memory gets low, allowing the program to run longer.

- Hoard low memory events: MemoryScape can stop execution and notify you when the hoard drops below a defined threshold, so that you know the program is getting close to running out of memory.
- Hoard low memory support in the CLI, TVScript, and MemScript: this feature is supported in the CLI, TVScript, and MemScript via new commands and command qualifiers. The appropriate product documentation provides the details.

# ReplayEngine

## Version 2016.06

### *dhistory* Bookmarking Options

The CLI's **dhistory** command used to perform actions on ReplayEngine now has new options that control bookmarks, and has deprecated some options:

- *New options:* **-create\_bookmark**, **-goto\_bookmark**, **-show\_bookmarks**, **-delete\_bookmark**
- *Deprecated options:* **-get\_time** (use **create\_bookmark**); **-go\_time** (use **goto\_bookmark**)

## Versions 2016.01 - 05

No updates.

## Version 2.15.4

No updates.

## Version 2.1 New Platforms and Features

### *Infiniband Support*

ReplayEngine now has complete coverage for major Infiniband configurations. We introduced support for IP over Infiniband several releases ago and have been gradually improving coverage. It is now possible to use ReplayEngine with native transport mechanisms with the following low-latency Infiniband hardware from market leaders Mellanox and QLogic:

- Mellanox IBverbs transport in Open MPI 1.4.2, MVAPICH2 1.5, MVAPICH2 1.6, and Intel MPI 4.0.
- QLogic PSM transport in Open MPI 1.4.2, MVAPICH 1.2, MVAPICH2 1.5, MVAPICH2 1.6, and Intel MPI 4.0.

For a complete listing of supported platforms, please see the *TotalView, MemoryScape, and ReplayEngine Platforms and System Requirements* guide.



## Previous 1.n Versions

### *Edit During Record*

ReplayEngine allows you to edit values while in Record mode.

### *Shared Memory Support*

Shared memory support includes Unix shm, frequently used for intranode communication between process in HPC systems.

### *Backwards Continue Functionality*

A Backwards Continue function has been added, with support for action points (breakpoints, watchpoints, and expression points).

### *Controlling recorded history and memory constraints*

Turning on ReplayEngine with long-running applications often failed because of insufficient memory for recorded execution history storage. ReplayEngine 1.5 was modified to discard the oldest recorded history and continue when there is insufficient memory. This means that you will be able to move back in execution time only to the point at which the history has been discarded. This behavior is the default, but there are TotalView preferences that allow you to specify that ReplayEngine should stop the process instead when it runs out of memory.

You can also set the maximum size for the ReplayEngine history buffer. The default size is 'unlimited' and bound by the amount of memory available to the process.

## ReplayEngine 1.0 Summary

- ReplayEngine records the changes to program state as they happen.
- ReplayEngine replays previously executed commands. ReplayEngine commands are added to the TotalView toolbar. Generally, these commands let you specify which previously executed line in your program you want to examine. These commands are analogous to Next, Step, Out, and Run To. They differ in that they move into the program's history. That is, entering replay mode is done by pressing a single button. The commands behind these buttons are located on the **Instrumentation** entry added to the tool bar. (All memory commands have also been moved to **Instrumentation**.)
- When you are in replay mode, you can use ReplayEngine commands to move through your program's assembly code.
- Changing back to record mode is as simple as pressing the **Live** tool bar button. Reentering replay mode is just a button press.
- Multithreaded codes replay in precisely the same sequence as the threads previously executed. This is especially useful for examining race conditions.

- Breakpoints, watchpoints, and some conditional breakpoints can be used when running forward in replay mode.