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- Locate IBM Look@ z/OS Messages and Codes
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- Learn how to determine what's new in each new release of z/OS

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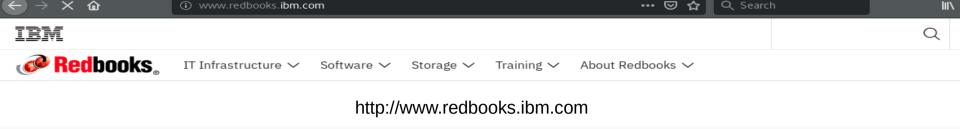
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by Paul Newton, Joshua Bennetone, Jenay Miller, Beth Shelly

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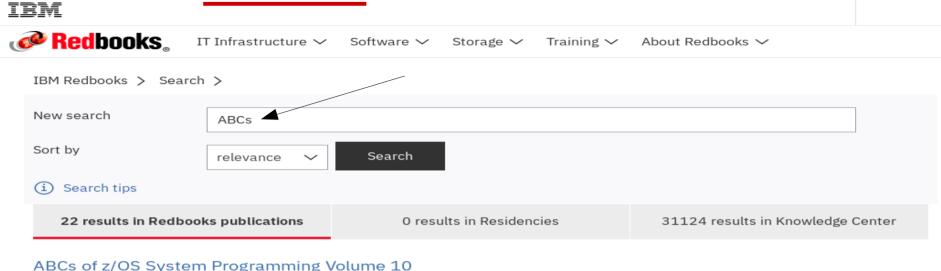
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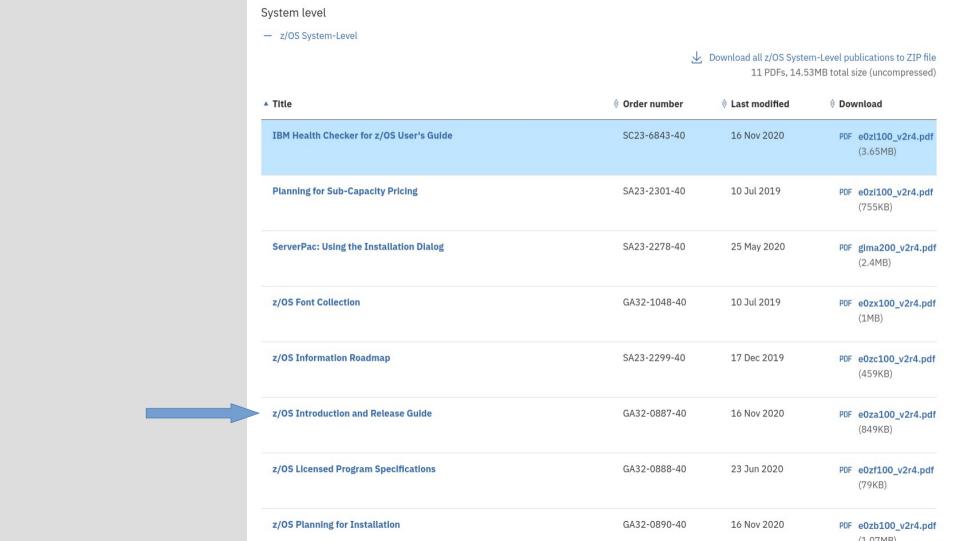
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