

Installation Overview

This section contains general information that applies to all Entire Net-Work installations. It covers the following topics:

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Installation Checklist

The following checklist outlines the steps for installing Entire Net-Work:

1. Prepare the environment as described in the section specific to the operating system and the Simple Connection Line Driver.
2. Unload the installation libraries from the installation tape. Refer to the Report of Tape Creation for specific data set sequence numbers.
3. Prepare Entire Net-Work JCL and parameter statements.
4. Install the Adabas router, if necessary.
5. Complete any access method-related work.
6. Start Entire Net-Work and establish connectivity with the partner nodes.

Using System Maintenance Aid

If you use Software AG's System Maintenance Aid (SMA), refer to the System Maintenance Aid manual for information about the installation process.

The installation procedures described in this section correspond to the jobs that SMA creates to install the product.

If you do not use SMA, you can modify and use the sample JCL to unload the Entire Net-Work libraries from the installation tape. Sample JCL is provided in each of the platform-specific installation procedure sections.

The Entire Net-Work Installation Tape

The Entire Net-Work installation tape is a standard label tape. Refer to the Report of Tape Creation that accompanies the tape for the volume serial number, density, media type, data set names, and data set sequence numbers.

The tape contains the installation data sets, a data set required by SMA, and one or more data sets containing maintenance fixes. Only the load modules required to run the Entire Net-Work line drivers purchased for your environment are included on the tape.

Adabas Requirements

Software AG recommends that you concatenate the Entire Net-Work and Adabas limited libraries with the Entire Net-Work library first in the sequence. The Adabas limited libraries (WALvrs) are distributed on the installation tape. The Adabas router (that is, ADASVC in z/OS or VSE) must be installed on any node where Entire Net-Work is to be run, even if no servers are running on that node. Refer to the section *Installation Tape Information* provided with the Entire Net-Work installation tape for information about the WAL library modules and the version of Adabas required. Refer to the *Adabas Installation Manual* for information about installing the Adabas router in your environment.

Adabas client application programs need an Adabas Link Routine module suitable for the environment in which they run. For example, batch programs should be linked with ADAUSER, which loads current versions of ADALNK and supporting modules from the Adabas load library. TP environments usually require specialized Link Routine modules, such as ADALNC for CICS, which may require an additional license.

Adabas SVC

The Adabas SVC is required in z/OS to provide communications between user programs, Entire Net-Work, and Adabas or other servers. If already installed for Adabas or any other Software AG server, it can and should also be used for Entire Net-Work. The Adabas SVC number is specified in the ADARUN SVC=nnn parameter.

Adabas 7 Data Conversion

Entire Net-Work Administration requires UES-enabled databases, which enable it to perform data conversion instead of Entire Net-Work.

Running Entire Net-Work

Starting the Entire Net-Work Job/Task

When execution JCL, including the ADARUN and Entire Net-Work parameter statements, is created for each node, and all access method-specific definitions and installation steps are completed, Entire Net-Work can be started.

The execution job or procedure for Entire Net-Work must be started on each of the participating nodes. Once started, Entire Net-Work determines the interregion communications environment on its node, connects to neighboring nodes through the defined links, and exchanges all relevant information with the other nodes during the "handshaking" process following link connection.

While the Entire Net-Work tasks are active and connected, user programs on any node can access all active targets on any other node, regardless of the targets' locations.

If a link fails or cannot be connected properly, Entire Net-Work searches for possible alternate routes to complete the call. Once a disconnected link becomes available again, it is automatically considered for traffic.

Specifying the Control Statements

There are five types of Entire Net-Work control statements:

- ADARUN control statements define the interregion communications environment. Some ADARUN parameters are the same as for Adabas; others are similar, but are designed specifically for Entire Net-Work. For more information, see the section *ADARUN Control Statements*
- NODE statements define the node's name and operating characteristics. For more information, see the section *Entire Net-Work NODE Statements*.
- DRIVER statements define the line driver type to be loaded. For more information, see the section *Entire Net-Work DRIVER Statements*.
- LINK statements define the links to other nodes. For more information, see the section *Entire Net-Work LINK Statements*