Using Adabas Vista Online Services

The Adabas Vista Online Services application is accessible from Adabas Online System (AOS), either the demo AOS version supplied with Adabas version 7.1 and above, or the full AOS version.

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Online Services Main Menu

▶ **To invoke Adabas Vista Online Services**

- Either select Adabas Vista from the AOS main menu

  Or:
  log on to SYSAVI and enter the command MENU.

The Main Menu screen appears:

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09:29:50  ***** A D A B A S   VISTA SERVICES 7.4.2*****          2003-04-14
                    -  Main Menu  -                              V1MAINM1


              Code    Service
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               0      System Settings
               1      Maintenance
               2      Session Monitoring
               3      Special Services
               4      Avilook
               5      About Adabas Vista
               .      Exit
              ----    ------------------
         Code..: _



 You can easily switch around the tools for Fastpath, Vista etc by use of the
 PF Keys shown, or use the codes COR, AFP, AVI, AAF, ATM as commands - anytime.

 Command ==>
Enter-PF1---PF2---PF3---PF4---PF5---PF6---PF7---PF8---PF9---PF10--PF11--PF12
     Help        Exit                 COR   AFP         AAF   ATM         Vers
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The following options are available:

Option	Description
System Settings	Maintain Adabas Vista configuration file setting.
Maintenance	Maintain Adabas Vista definitions and parameters.
Session Monitoring	Monitor the current session.
Special Services	Provide installation and applied ZAP information for the Adabas Vista components.
AVILOOK	File analysis tool.
About Adabas Vista	Display product information.

Navigation

You can access screens in two ways:

- sequentially by selecting a menu service and entering it in the Code field; or

- directly by typing a numerical command on the command line.

For example, entering the command 1.1 on the command line directly accesses the File Partitioning screen within the General Maintenance function without first accessing the General Maintenance menu.

Function	Object	Command
System Settings	Menu	0
	LFILE 152 Maintenance	0.1
Maintenance	Menu	1
	File Partitioning	1.1
	File Translation	1.2
	Job Parameters	1.3
	Target Categories	1.4
Session Monitoring	Menu	2
	Display Job Parameters	2.1
	Modify Job Parameters	2.2
	System Status	2.3
Special Services	Menu	3
	Local SYSAVI Services	3.1
AVILOOK	Menu	4
About Adabas Vista	Information	5

Using PF Keys

SYSAVI uses PF keys for various actions. Key functions are standard throughout the system, wherever possible. The PF keys that apply to each screen are indicated at the bottom of the screen.

The following keys apply throughout the system:

PF Key	Function	Description
PF1	Help	invoke the help specific to the current screen
PF3	Exit	quit and return to the previous screen

The following keys apply generally, depending on the type of action or function in use:

PF Key	Function	Description
PF4	Refr	from active screens, refresh the data
PF5	Upd.	from general maintenance screens, commit the update
PF7	Back	from list screens, return to the previous page
PF8	Next	from list screens, move to the next page
PF10	Add	from general maintenance screens, add an object
PF12	Menu	return immediately to the main menu

Help Information

▶ **To invoke Adabas Vista help information**

- Press PF1.

The help screen that appears applies to the current screen and may comprise several pages. From each help screen, you can access lower level options or return to previous, higher levels.

An example of a help screen follows:

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12:08:17   ***** A D A B A S  VISTA SERVICES 7.4.2 *****            2002-10-29
           - Help for Maintain File Translation -  Page 1 of 1         V11200H1


This screen lists ALL Translation Source Profiles. Each Source Profile can be
defined to one or more Target Categories. Translation File details are stored
within each Target Category. If no details are available for a particular
Target Category, this is indicated accordingly. Details can have a Published
and/or Draft version. Only the published version is used during program
execution. The displayed detail is that of the published version, where
available, otherwise the draft version. Repositioning of the Source Profile
and Target Category is available.
PF10 is used to add Source Profiles and Translation details for a particular
Target Category. To add Translation details to a Target Category for an
existing Source Profile, PF11 to the Target Category, tab the cursor to the
Source Profile and PF10.

The following options are available:
1 ADD     (PF10)   4 COPY     ('C')   7 PUBLISH ('U')
2 DISPLAY ('D')    5 PURGE    ('P')   8 LIST    ('L')
3 MODIFY  ('M')    6 WITHDRAW ('W')


 Enter options 1 to 8 for Help about the individual functions, or,
 . '.' to End Help, '-' for Previous Pages
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In the above example, you can navigate by entering

-	to move backwards and up a menu level
1 - 8	to move down a level to the function selected

If the help screen comprises multiple pages, you can enter

+	to move to the next page
-	to move to a previous page until page 1, then back up a level