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Getting Started

The Getting Started part of the Adabas Online System documentation introduces the AOS screen system and usage conventions.

The Adabas Online System Getting Started documentation is organized in the following topic:

Main Menu Functions AOS Demo

1 Main Menu Functions

Specifying the Basic Services Database	
■ Using Program Function (PF) Keys	
Invoking Basic Services Functions	
■ Getting Help	
■ Basic Services Messages	

To enter Adabas Online System

1 Log on to the Natural application SYSAOS and enter MENU at the NEXT prompt, if one appears.

08:10:40	*	**** A D A B A S ONLINE - Main Menu	3131 LII	**** 2006-03-13 PMAIN02
	Code	Basic Services	Code	Other Services
Code	A C F M O R S	Session monitoring Checkpoint maintenance File maintenance Database maintenance Session opercoms Database report Space calculation Help Exit	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Cache Services Delta Save Facility Trigger Maintenance AOS Security Transaction Manager Adabas Statistics Vista Fastpath SAF Security
	_	(RD-105)		
Command ==> PF1 PF2 Help		PF3 PF4 PF6	PF7	PF8 PF12

2 From the main menu, you can access Basic Services or any Other Service that is installed on your system. Such services are highlighted on the menu.

The Adabas Online System Main Menu indicates the main DBA tasks within Basic Services:

Code	Function	Section
A	Session monitoring functions display nucleus parameters, session statistics, buffer sizes for queues and areas, and maintenance levels	Session Monitoring
С	Checkpoint maintenance lists and deletes checkpoint information.	Checkpoint Maintenance
F	File maintenance controls Adabas fields (increase or add a field, release a descriptor) and files (define a new file; delete a file; refresh, rename, or renumber a file; allocate file space; change file parameters). It also controls ISN / storage block reuse.	File Maintenance
M	Database maintenance controls Adabas database (ASSO/DATA) file and space allocation, DIB blocks, and lets you recover space unused by ABENDed utilities.	

Code	Function	Section
Ο	Session opercoms control extended error recovery, lock/unlock of files, stop user(s), session termination, and management of online utilities	System Operator Command Functions
R	Database report displays tables of "critical" extents, a file's FDT, general and specific file information, VOLSER, and general database information.	Database Report
S	Space calculation provides an aid to calculating database ASSO, DATA, sort, temp, and WORK space.	Space Calculation

Subsequent sections in this chapter describe the major Basic Services functions and menu/screen structures in the order that they appear on the Main Menu.

Specifying the Basic Services Database

The database on which Basic Services is installed becomes the default database for Basic Services functions. However, you can specify the database of any active Adabas nucleus session. Subsequent Basic Services functions refer to that database until you specify another database or exit Basic Services.

Using Program Function (PF) Keys

Available PF keys and their functions are listed at the bottom of each Basic Services screen. The following program function (PF) keys appear on all Basic Services screens; other navigation keys appear on some screens:

PF1	Help
PF3	Exit to previous screen
PF12	Return to the Adabas Online System main menu

Invoking Basic Services Functions

Selecting a Menu Option

To select a function or option

■ Enter the option code in the Code field.

Selecting a Main Menu function displays a menu of choices for that function.

Entering Commands Directly

Most Basic Services functions can be invoked using direct commands from the command line. The only exceptions are Adabas Online System Security functions.

Each direct command corresponds to a function on a Basic Services menu. You can issue a direct command for a function on a different menu from the one currently displayed. You do not have to leave the current menu to perform a function that is not displayed.

More information about the direct commands is included in the *Basic Services Direct Commands*, where the direct command equivalent to each menu function is described.

Getting Help

Two direct commands that can be issued from any Basic Services menu are? and help.

- The "?" option (you can also use PF1; see the section *Program Functions Keys*) displays a brief comment about the current menu.
- help provides concise information about the individual Basic Services functions.

Basic Services Messages

Basic Services issues a message confirming each completed function. If an error occurs, a message appears containing a reference number and describing the error.

Before analyzing an error

Try reviewing the Help information ("?" or PF1) for the last step you performed to see if any requirements were overlooked.

■ Then retry the operation.

Response code 22 is returned if the Adabas session is terminated and restarted while Basic Services is active. In this case, the application should be stopped and restarted.

2 AOS Demo

In this section a demonstration is shown how AOS is used.

This screen displays the Main Menu. Space calculation as well as Trigger maintenance are not available.

```
12:53:58
                  **** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
                                                                                   2006-03-13
Replicator
                             - Main Menu -
                                                                                   PMAIN02
                 Code Basic Services Code Other Services
                 A Session monitoring 1 Adabas Cache Facilit C Checkpoint maintenance 2 Delta Save Facility File maintenance * Trigger Maintenance M Database maintenance 4 AOS Security 0 Session opercoms 5 Transaction Manager R Database report 6 Adabas Statistics * Space calculation 7
                                                         _____
                                                          1 Adabas Cache Facility
                                                     7 Vista
                       Space calculation
                                                         8
                       Help
                                                                 Fastpath
                                                          9
                       Exit
                                                                 SAF Security
Code ....._
Database ... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
Help
                       Exit
```

This screen displays Session monitoring. You can only select "display parameters", "display installed products" and "display queues".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
12:56:58
                                                 2006-03-13
                   - Session Monitoring -
                                                 PAC0002
Code Service
                            Code Service
- - - -
                            ----
     Display cluster members
 D
 Ι
 *
 Q
 ?
     Help
     Exit
Code ......
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
      Exit
Help
                                               Menu
```

This screen shows Queue Displays. You can only select "Display Hold Queue".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
12:59:14
                                                          2006-03-13
                         - Queue Displays -
                                                          PAC0002
Code
      Service
      Display User Queue Elements
*
      Display Command Queue
      Display Hold Queue
Н
?
      Help
      Exit
Code .....
Max No. Elements ... 100
Last Activity ..... 0 (elapsed time in seconds)
Selection Criteria
ET-ID (User-ID) .. _____
                          User Type ... _
Job Name ..... _____
Terminal ID .....
Database ID ...... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                Exit Clear UID
```

This screen shows Resource Utilization. You can only select "System status" and "Thread usage".

```
13:05:39
               **** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
                                                           2006-03-13
                       - Resource Utilization -
                                                           PACU002
Code Service
                                  Code Service
____
                                  S System status
    Command usage
                                      Thread usage
    File usage
                                   Τ
    High water marks (pools/queues) * WORK status
    Workpool (LWP) usage * Cluster usage
Nucleus File Status * Display PPT ta
    Nucleus File Status
                                       Display PPT table
*
    PLOG status
? Help
   Exit
Code ....._
File Number .. 0
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                Exit
```

This screen shows Checkpoint maintenance. You can only select "List checkpoints".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES ****
13:10:23
                                                     2006-03-13
                    - Checkpoint Maintenance -
                                                      PCP0002
Code Service
----
      -----
     List checkpoints
     Delete checkpoints
     Help
     Exit
Code .....
Date(YYYY-MM-DD) . 0000-00-00
Ext. CP-list ..... N
Database ID ..... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
Help
               Exit
                                                    Menu
```

This screen shows File Maintenance. You can only select "Define/modify FDT".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES ****
13:16:44
                                                                  2006-03-13
                        - File Maintenance -
                                                                  PFL0002
Code
       Service
- - - -
C
       Define/modify FDT
       Release descriptor
       Delete existing file
 *
       Define new file
       Modify file parameters
 *
       Reorder file online
 *
       Refresh file to empty status
       Allocate/deallocate file space
 *
       Maintain expanded files
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....._
                 Descriptor Name .. ___
File No ..... 0
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                  Exit
                                                                Menu
```

This screen shows FDT/SDT Definition / Modification. You can only select "Define new FDT".

```
13:25:44
                 **** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
                                                                 2006-03-13
                   - FDT/SDT Definition / Modification -
                                                                 PFLC002
Code
       Service
 *
       Add new field(s)
       Change field parameters
 D
       Define new FDT
 *
       Online invert
 *
       Define/add SDT
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....._
File No. .... 1
Field Name ... ___
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                  Exit
Help
                                                               Menu
```

This screen shows Database Maintenance, and only shows a list of items available when there is a licensed product installed, no items available in Demo mode.

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
13:36:07
                                                                 2006-03-13
                        - Database Maintenance -
                                                                 PDM0002
Code
       Service
- - - -
       Add new dataset to ASSO/DATA
       Increase/decrease ASSO/DATA
       List/reset DIB block entries
       Recover unused space
 *
       Uncouple two ADABAS files
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....__
File No. ..... 1
Coupled File .. 0
Database ID ... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                  Exit
Help
```

This screen shows Session Opercoms. You can only select "Extended Error Recovery".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES ****
13:43:29
                                                            2006-03-13
                       - Session Opercoms -
                                                            PACI002
Code Service
                                   Code Service
                                   S
     Extended Error Recovery
                                        Stop user(s)
                                       Termination Commands
                                   Τ
    Force CLOG or PLOG switch
    Lock or unlock files
                                   * Manage Online Utilities
    Reset ONLINE-DUMP-Status
                                        User Table Maintenance
?
    Help
     Exit
Code ....._
Userid(ETID) ... __
CLOG/PLOG Ind .. _
Database ID .... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                Exit
```

This screen shows Extended Error Recovery. You can only select "Add/Delete PIN modules" and "Display/modify PIN routines".

```
13:50:56
                 **** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
                                                                2006-03-13
                       - Extended Error Recovery -
                                                                PACIE02
Code
       Service
       Display message buffer
       Display/modify environment
 *
       Display/modify Exit routines
       Add/Delete PIN modules
 М
 Р
       Display/modify PIN routines
       Refresh threshold and alert exits
       SNAP a nucleus dump
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....._
Start Address .. ____
                          End Address ... __
Database ID .... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
                  Exit
```

This screen shows Lock / Unlock Files. You can only select "Display locked files".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
13:50:56
                                                                  2006-03-13
                        - Lock / Unlock Files -
                                                                  PACIL02
Code
       Service
_ _ _ _
D
       Display locked files
       Lock file for all users
       Advance lock file
       Lock file except for UTI/EXF users
       Unlock file from general lock
       Release an advance lock
*
       Unlock file from UTI/EXF lock
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....._
File Number .. 1
UTI/EXF Ind .. U
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
Help
                  Exit
                                                                Menu
```

This screen shows Stop Users. Nothing selectable, just shows what is available with a licensed product.

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
13:58:03
                                                              2006-03-13
                          - Stop Users -
                                                               PACISO2
Code Service
     Stop users using file
     Stop inactive users
     Stop users by jobname
*
     Stop a selected user
?
    Help
     Exit
Code ....._
File Number ..... 1_
Last Activity .... (elapsed time in seconds)
Job Name ....._
Purge UQE(s) ..... N
Selected Userid ...
Database ID ..... 1954 (WIS1954)
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
Help
                 Exit
```

This screen shows Session Termination. Only Normal session termination available.

```
14:06:27
                 **** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
                                                                2006-03-13
                         - Session Termination -
                                                                PACT002
Code
       Service
       Normal session termination (ADAEND)
       Cancel session immediately (CANCEL)
 *
       Stop session
                          (HALT)
 ?
       Help
       Exit
Code ....._
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
Current nr. of users in User Queue ... 1
Nr. of users with open transactions .. 0
```

This screen shows Database Report. You can only select "Display files" {only will show "system" files, i.e., Checkpoint }, and "General database layout".

```
**** A D A B A S BASIC SERVICES *****
14:06:27
                                                            2006-03-13
                      - Database Report -
                                                            PDR0002
Code
      Service
       -----
----
      List files with crit. no. of extents
      Display field description table (FDT)
F
      Display file(s)
G
      General database layout
      List VOLSER distribution of database
*
      Display ASSO/DATA block (RABN)
*
      Display unused storage
?
      Help
      Exit
Code ....__
File No ..... 1 Password ...
Database ID .. 1954 (WIS1954)
VOLSER ....._
Command ==>
PF1---- PF2---- PF3---- PF4---- PF6---- PF7---- PF8---- PF12----
Help
                Exit
                                                          Menu
```

Note: Option F will display system files only.

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