Reviewing Adabas Mainframe Database DIBs

The data integrity block (DIB) comprises entries for each Adabas utility currently operating, describing the resources each utility is using.

You can review the DIB of an Adabas mainframe database as follows:

To review the DIB of an Adabas database:

- 1. Select an Adabas database in tree-view.
- 2. Right-click the database name in tree-view.
- 3. Select **Display DIB** on the drop-down menu.

The DIB information appears in detail-view. It includes the following information about the Adabas database:

- the name of the service
- the name of the job
- the date and time the job was started
- the type of job
- the number of locked files in the database

An Adabas utility removes its entry from the DIB when it terminates normally. If a utility terminates abnormally (for example, the job is cancelled by the operator), the files used by that utility remain "in use". Any such files may be released with the **Reset DIB** function.

To reset the DIB of an Adabas database:

- 1. Select an Adabas database in tree-view.
- 2. Right-click the database name in tree-view.
- 3. Select **Display DIB** on the drop-down menu.

The DIB information appears in detail-view.

4. Click **Reset DIB** to return to the DIB information panel.

When an ADASAV online dump operation has ABENDed, the online dump status can be reset.

To reset the online dump status:

1. Select an Adabas database in tree-view.

- 2. Right-click the database name in tree-view.
- 3. Select **Display DIB** on the drop-down menu.

The DIB information appears in detail-view.

4. Click **Reset Online Dump Status** to return to the DIB information panel.