

# **Data Archiving for Adabas**

## **Adabas Long Field Names**

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## Adabas Long Field Names

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Adabas long field name support is provided by exporting them from Natural DDMs or from Predict, or by defining them manually using an Adabas FDT.

This document consists of the following sections:

- *Exporting Long Names from Natural DDM*
- *Exporting Long Names from Predict*

Refer to the document *File Mappings* for information about how to manage and manually create Adabas long field names.

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# 1 Exporting long Names from Natural DDM

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You can export long names from DDM definitions using the ADRDDM export utility supplied on the SYSADR library. This utility requires LFILE 152 to be set to the location of the Data Archiving for Adabas configuration file.

## ➤ To use ADRDDM

- Enter the following:

```
LOGON SYSADR
ADRDDM
EXPORT [LIBRARY=name] ddm [REPLACE=NO|YES]
```

Where *ddm* is the name of the DDM to be exported. REPLACE= is optional, the default value is NO.



### Notes:

1. The hyphen character "-" is replaced by the underscore character "\_" in the archiving configuration.
2. LIBRARY= is only required for Natural systems on Windows, Unix and Linux.

### Example 1

Export a DDM named EMPLOYEES-FILE from mainframe Natural - it will not be replaced in the archiving configuration if it already exists:

```
LOGON SYSADR  
ADRDDM  
EXPORT EMPLOYEES-FILE
```

### **Example 2**

Export a DDM named VEHICLES-FILE from Natural on open systems - it will be replaced in the archiving configuration if it already exists:

```
LOGON SYSADR  
ADRDDM  
EXPORT LIBRARY=SYSADR VEHICLES-FILE REPLACE=YES
```

## 2 Exporting long Names from Predict

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You can export long names from Predict file definitions using the ADRPRD export utility supplied on the SYSADR library. This utility requires LFILE 152 to be set to the location of the Data Archiving for Adabas configuration file.

### ➤ To use ADRPRD

- Enter the following:

```
LOGON SYSADR
ADRPRD
EXPORT filename [REPLACE=NO|YES]
```

Where *filename* is the name of the Predict file to be exported. REPLACE= is optional, the default value is NO.



**Note:** The hyphen character "-" is replaced by the underscore character "\_" in the archiving configuration.

### Example 1

Export a file named EMPLOYEES-FILE from Predict - it will not be replaced in the archiving configuration if it already exists:

```
LOGON SYSADR
ADRPRD
EXPORT EMPLOYEES-FILE
```

### Example 2

Export a file named VEHICLES-FILE from Predict - it will be replaced in the archiving configuration if it already exists:

```
LOGON SYSADR  
ADRPRD  
EXPORT VEHICLES-FILE REPLACE=YES
```