

# **Con-nect**

## **Release Notes**

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This document applies to Con-nect Version 3.4.3.

Specifications contained herein are subject to change and these changes will be reported in subsequent release notes or new editions.

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# 1 Release Notes

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This document describes the new and modified features for Con-nect/Con-form Version 3.4.3, Con-nect Teleservices Version 2.6.3, and Con-nect SNADS Version 1.5.3. It consists of the following sections:

<b>Installation</b>	Changes for installation and documentation prerequisites.
<b>New Features and Enhancements</b>	Detailed information about what is new and what has changed in this version.
<b>Notice of Future Changes</b>	Information on changes that are planned for a future version.



# 2 Installation

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## Installation Prerequisites

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Con-nect is a subsystem of Natural. Con-nect/Con-form Version 3.4.3, Con-nect Teleservices Version 2.6.3, and Con-nect SNADS Version 1.5.3 are compatible with Natural Version 8.2.2 or above.

The prerequisites for Con-nect are listed in *General Information for Con-nect* in the *Con-nect Installation and Operations* documentation.

The prerequisites for Con-form are listed in *General Information* in the *Con-form Installation* documentation.

Since Natural no longer supports VM/CMS, Con-nect and Con-form do not support this either.



# 3 New Features and Enhancements

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## Installation

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For Con-nect, the error messages are now contained in the INPL data sets.

## Application Programming Interface

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### Return Code 02

The meaning of the return code 02 has been enhanced. It is now also used in batch mode when a cabinet is locked. See also *Con-nect Application Programming Interface*, section *Return Codes*.

### Z-DIS17C

This is a new API subprogram which can be used to display a list of members of a specific shared cabinet. The list also includes the profile type of each member cabinet (shared cabinet profile, private cabinet profile or special profile). See *Con-nect Application Programming Interface*, section *Z-DIS17C*.

### Z-DIS17F

This is a new API subprogram which can be used to display the cabinet profile of a specific member of a shared cabinet. See *Con-nect Application Programming Interface*, section *Z-DIS17F*.

### Z-ERA05A

This is a new API subprogram which can be used to mark a cabinet for deletion and at the same time lock access to this cabinet. See *Con-nect Application Programming Interface*, section *Z-ERA05A*.

## Con-form

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### **.OP DAS - Number of Characters After the Decimal Character**

It is now possible to define up to 29 digits after the decimal character. With previous versions, this was restricted to 7 digits. See *Con-form User's Guide*, section *Decimal Numbers*.



# 4 Notice of Future Changes

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Con-nect Version 3.4.3 is the last version which supports Con-nect SNADS.

