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License Key File Handling

A path to a valid license key file is required during the installation of Natural. The license key file is an XML file which is delivered by e-mail.

Separate license key files are required for Natural for Tamino and Natural Security.

For further information, see the *Installation* documentation.

Migrating Applications to Version 6.3

Applications that were created with Natural for UNIX Version 3.1 and above can be executed with Version 6.3 with the following restriction:

As of Natural Version 6.2 it is no longer recommended to share the system file FUSER with previous Natural versions. When you have two installations of Natural (for example, version 6.1.1 (or below) and version 6.3.1), you have to use two different version-specific FUSER system files. This is because the format of the Natural library directory file *FILEDIR.SAG* has changed as of Natural Version 6.2. *FILEDIR.SAG* is automatically converted into the new format (which is valid as of Natural Version 6.2.) the first time you modify an object in the FUSER. After *FILEDIR.SAG* has been changed to the new format, Natural Version 6.1.1, which is mentioned in the above example, is not longer able to process the FUSER. For detailed information, see *Portable Natural System Files* and its subsection *Migrating an Old FILEDIR.SAG File* in the *Operations* documentation.

Natural Single Point of Development

Natural Single Point of Development (SPoD) connects Natural for UNIX Version 6.3 to

• a Natural for Windows Version 6.3 client (Natural Studio) via the Natural Development Server (NDV) Version 2.2.

This infrastructure enables the developer to create and maintain Natural applications using the Natural Development Server for UNIX to connect to Natural Studio under Windows.

For further information (including any limitations that may apply for your installation), see the separate Natural Single Point of Development documentation and the Natural Development Server documentation.

Changes in the Documentation

A revised and updated documentation set is available with this Natural version.

The information on installing and configuring the Natural Web I/O Interface client for a production environment, which was previously only available on the product CD, is now included in this Natural for UNIX documentation. See the *Natural Web I/O Interface* documentation.

Explanations of the system error messages that may be issued by the Natural nucleus are now included in this Natural for UNIX documentation. See *Messages and Codes*.

Last-Minute Changes

Information on last-minute changes made just before the product release can be found in the file *readme.txt* that is provided on the Natural installation medium.