

NAF - NATSPOOL under TSO

Natural sessions under TSO can store reports on the spool file.

To do so, specify `FSPOOL=(nnnnn,fffff)` and the printers to be used by Natural Advanced Facilities with either the `NTPRINT` macro or the `PRINT` parameter (see the Natural Operations for Mainframes documentation).

The reports can subsequently be routed by the operator to remote terminal printers.

Since the NATSPOOL spool server under CICS or IMS/TM is not started by TSO, one of the SYSPPOOL start functions (see Function 10 and Function 11) must be executed from within a Natural session under CICS or IMS/TM. This means that in general, reports created under TSO are not printed automatically on CICS or IMS/TM terminal printers. However, if the spool server is already active, reports that are created under TSO are also printed if they have the same Destination/Form as the report which has ONPR status.

In order to use NATSPOOL under TSO, the NATSPOOL nucleus NAFNUC must be link-edited to the Natural/TSO module.

The TSO user ID is taken as the Sending User ID.

If the spool file is an Adabas file, NATSPOOL can be invoked under CICS or IMS/TM and under TSO concurrently.

