

FDIC - Predict System File

This Natural profile parameter is for:

- Mainframes
- UNIX and Windows

This parameter defines five subparameters for the Predict system file which Predict uses to retrieve and/or store data. In a remote development environment, a Development Server File is used instead, see the Natural Single Point of Development documentation.

Possible settings	<i>database-ID</i>	1 - 65535, except 255	Database ID 255 is reserved for logical system files for Software AG products, see profile parameter LFILE.)
	<i>file-number</i>	1 - 65535	File number.
	<i>password</i>	1 - 8 characters	The password is only required if the Predict system file has been password-protected using the Adabas security feature. Note for Natural with VSAM system files: The password is used to specify the logical name (DD or DLBL) of the system file as defined to VSAM. Example: FDIC=(10,5,SYSVSAM) For further information, see Using Natural with VSAM System Files (in the Natural for VSAM documentation).
	<i>cipher-key</i>	1 - 8 characters	Cipher key for the Predict system file. It is only required if the Predict system file has been ciphered using the Adabas security feature.
	RO		"RO" indicates that the Predict system file is "read-only" and is only specified if modifications on the file are to be disabled.
Default setting	None		
Dynamic specification	YES		If you specify the FDIC parameter dynamically in conjunction with any of the parameters DBID, FNR, SYSPSW and SYSCIP, you must specify the FDIC parameter after any of these other parameters.
Specification within session	NO		

The syntax for this parameter is:

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FDIC=(database-ID,file-number,password,cipher-key,RO)
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Examples:

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FDIC=(10,5,PASSW1,12345678)
FDIC=(1,200,,12345678)
FDIC=(1,5)
FDIC=(,5)
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If any subparameter of the FDIC setting is not specified, the corresponding setting of the parameter DBID, FNR, SYSPSW or SYSCIP applies for the Predict system file.