

FSPOOL - Natural Advanced Facilities Spool File

This Natural profile parameter is for mainframes only.

It only applies to Natural Advanced Facilities. It indicates the database ID, file number, password and cipher key for the Natural Advanced Facilities spool file. The spool file is the database file that is used by Natural Advanced Facilities. This file must be different from the FNAT, FUSER, FDIC and FSEC system files.

Possible settings	Database ID 1 to 254, or 256 to 65535 FNR 1 to 65535 password 1 to 8 upper-case characters cipher key 8 characters	Database ID, file number, password and cipher key for the Natural Advanced Facilities spool file. The password is only required if the spool file has been password-protected using the Adabas security feature. The cipher key is only required if spool file has been ciphered using the Adabas security feature. If any component of the FSPOOL setting is not specified, the corresponding setting of the parameter DBID, FNR, SYSPSW or SYSCIP applies for the spool file.
Default setting	none	
Dynamic specification	YES	If you specify the FSPOOL parameter dynamically in conjunction with any of the parameters DBID, FNR, SYSPSW or SYSCIP, you must specify the FSPOOL parameter after any of these other parameters.
Specification within session	NO	

The syntax for this parameter is:

```
FSPOOL=(dbid,file-number,password,cipher-key,RO)
```

"RO" indicates that the spool file is "read-only" and is only specified if modifications on the file are to be disabled. This would mean, for example, that no reports could be stored on the spool file.

Example:

```
FSPOOL=(10,8)
```

FSPOOL with VSAM System Files

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:

```
FSPOOL=(10,8,SYSVSAM)
```

For further information, see Using Natural with VSAM System Files (in the Natural for VSAM documentation).