

Import Function

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Common Restrictions

The following is checked during an import function to the Entire Operations system file:

- If the object already exists in the target, it may be rejected, depending on the import mode.
- Key fields are required in any case.
- Required fields are necessary for ADD.
- Only complete objects are imported.
- All required fields must be supplied.
- For multiple fields and periodic groups, SYSEOR-wide array limits must not be exceeded.
- Invalid representations of numbers, date and time fields, etc. are rejected. This causes the **whole** object to be rejected.
- Objects with invalid keywords are rejected.
- Set the global parameter DEC.CHARACTER (DC) to '.' in your Natural environment.

Object = NETWORK-MASTER

Networks which have the owner SYSTEM cannot be imported.

Defaults with a library name starting with DM or with an equal sign (=) are not accepted during import.

Object = TO-ACTIVATE

Planned activations before or at the current date are rejected. This prevents unwanted activations.

Object = CALENDAR

Empty calendars are added for the current year.

Object = SCHEDULE

The current date. The date the Import function runs is entered as an explicit exclusion date in the network schedule. This prevents unwanted activations.