Customization Guide

Version 5.2
Before using this information and the product it supports, be sure to read the general information under "Notices" on page 83.

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Preface

About this information

This information is intended for systems programmers who are responsible for customizing IBM® Enterprise COBOL for z/OS® for their location. It provides information needed to plan for and customize Enterprise COBOL under z/OS. This information can also help you assess the value of Enterprise COBOL to your organization.

In this information, the generic term "operating system" is used to refer to z/OS.

To use this information, and ensure successful customization, you should have a knowledge of Enterprise COBOL and of your system's operating environment.

How to read the syntax diagrams

This section describes how to read the syntax diagrams in this information.

• Read the syntax diagrams from left to right, from top to bottom, following the path of the line. The following table shows the meaning of symbols at the beginning and end of syntax diagram lines.

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Diagrams of syntactical units other than complete statements start with the >– symbol and end with the –> symbol.

• Required items appear on the horizontal line (the main path).

►►STATEMENT—required item◄◄

• Optional items appear below the main path.

►►STATEMENT—optional item◄◄

• When you can choose from two or more items, they appear vertically in a stack.

If you must choose one of the items, one item of the stack appears on the main path. The default, if any, appears above the main path and is chosen by the IGYCOPT macro if you do not specify another choice. In some cases, the default is affected by the system in which the program is being run.

►►STATEMENT—default-item—required choice 1—required choice 2◄◄

If choosing one of the items is optional, the entire stack appears below the main path.
Using the macro planning worksheets

The planning worksheets in this information ("IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler options" on page 4 and "IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler phases" on page 11) will help you prepare to customize Enterprise COBOL. By completing the worksheets, you will be able to easily identify those values that you want to change from the IBM-supplied defaults. You might then want to use the worksheets as a source from which to customize the IBM-supplied default values.

The headings in each worksheet differ somewhat from each other. See the following list of definitions for an explanation of the column headings in the worksheet for compiler options.

**Compiler option**
The options contained within a specific installation macro. This column represents the options exactly as they are in the macro.

**Enter * for fixed**
The options that cannot be overridden by an application programmer. Enter an asterisk (*) only for those options that you want to be fixed.

**Enter selection**
The value associated with each option. In the space provided, enter the value that you want to assign to each option. To assist you in selecting the appropriate value, see the reference in the **Syntax description** column.

**IBM-supplied default**
The value that is supplied for the specified installation macro if the option is not altered. If the IBM-supplied default is the value that you want, you do not need to modify that option within that specific macro.

**Syntax description**
The topic that contains the syntax diagram and more specific information about the given option.
After you have completed the worksheets, identify those options that are different from the IBM-supplied defaults. These are the items that you must code in the installation macros. The worksheet entries are positioned such that the order of the entries is consistent with the actual coding semantics.

Summary of changes

This section lists the key changes that have been made to this document for Enterprise COBOL Version 5 Release 2 and Version 5 Release 2 with PTFs installed. The latest technical changes are marked within >| and |< in the HTML version, or marked by vertical bars (|) in the left margin in the PDF version.

Version 5 Release 2 with PTFs installed

- The following compiler options are new:
  - PI40822: ZONECHECK ("ZONECHECK" on page 69)
  - PI69197: INITCHECK ("INITCHECK" on page 36)
  - PI81006: NUMCHECK ("NUMCHECK" on page 45)
  - PI85868: VSAMOPENFS ("VSAMOPENFS" on page 66)

- The following compiler options are modified:
  - PI40853: ZONEDATA: New suboption of NOPFD is added to the ZONEDATA compiler option. ZONEDATA+NOPFD lets the compiler generate code that performs comparisons of zoned decimal data in the same manner as COBOL V4 does when using NUMPROC=NOPFD/PFD with COBOL V4 ("ZONEDATA" on page 69).
  - PI53044: SSRANGE: New suboptions ZLEN and NOZLEN are added to the SSRANGE compiler option to control how the compiler checks reference modification lengths ("SSRANGE" on page 58).
  - PI86343: SSRANGE: New suboptions MSG and ABD are added to the SSRANGE compiler option to control how the compiler checks reference modification lengths. ("SSRANGE" on page 58)
  - PI90458: ZONEDATA: The ZONEDATA option is updated to affect the behaviour of MOVE statements, comparisons, and computations for USAGE DISPLAY or PACKED-DECIMAL data items that could contain invalid digits, an invalid sign code, or invalid zone bits ("ZONEDATA" on page 69).
  - PI97835: NUMCHECK(PAC): For packed decimal (COMP-3) data items that have an even number of digits, the unused bits are checked for zeros. ("NUMCHECK" on page 45)
  - PI97835: NUMCHECK(ZON): New suboptions ALPHNUM | NOALPHNUM are added to the NUMCHECK(ZON) option to control whether the compiler will generate code for an implicit numeric class test for zoned decimal data items that are being compared with an alphanumeric data item, alphanumeric literal or alphanumeric figurative constant. ("NUMCHECK" on page 45)

- The following compiler option is removed:
  - PI81006: ZONECHECK is deprecated and can no longer be specified in IGYCDOPT. NUMCHECK=(ZON) gives the same results as ZONECHECK used to. ("ZONECHECK" on page 69)

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- Several changes are made to compiler options:
  - The following compiler options are new:
    - COPYRIGHT ("COPYRIGHT" on page 24)
    - QUALIFY=COMPAT | EXTEND ("QUALIFY" on page 51)
The following compiler options are modified:

- **ARCH**: ARCH(6) is no longer accepted. A new higher level of ARCH(11) is accepted, and ARCH(7) is the default ("ARCH" on page 19).
- **MAP**: New suboptions HEX and DEC are added to the MAP compiler option to control whether hexadecimal or decimal offsets are shown for MAP output in the compiler listing ("MAP" on page 41).

The following compiler option is removed:

- **SIZE**

XML COMPAT support is restored. You can specify the XMLPARSE(XMLSS|COMPAT) compiler option to choose between parsing with the compatibility-mode COBOL XML parser from the COBOL library, or with the z/OS XML System Services parser. It can ease your migration to the Enterprise COBOL V5 compiler.

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**Accessibility**

Accessibility features help users who have a disability, such as restricted mobility or limited vision, to use software products successfully. The accessibility features in z/OS provide accessibility for Enterprise COBOL.

The major accessibility features in z/OS are:

- Interfaces that are commonly used by screen readers and screen-magnifier software
- Keyboard-only navigation
- Ability to customize display attributes such as color, contrast, and font size
Interface information

Assistive technology products work with the user interfaces that are found in z/OS. For specific guidance information, see the documentation for the assistive technology product that you use to access z/OS interfaces.

Keyboard navigation

Users can access z/OS user interfaces by using TSO/E or ISPF. For information about accessing TSO/E or ISPF interfaces, see the following publications:

- z/OS TSO/E Primer
- z/OS TSO/E User’s Guide
- z/OS ISPF User’s Guide Volume I

These guides describe how to use TSO/E and ISPF, including the use of keyboard shortcuts or function keys (PF keys). Each guide includes the default settings for the PF keys and explains how to modify their functions.

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Chapter 1. Planning to customize Enterprise COBOL

When you plan the customization of Enterprise COBOL, you need to consider whether to modify compiler-option default values, whether to place compiler phases in shared storage, and whether to create an additional reserved-word table.

The following information helps you plan your customization:
- “Making changes after installation: why customize?”
- “Planning to modify compiler option default values”
- “Planning to place compiler phases in shared storage” on page 6
- “Planning to create an additional reserved word table” on page 12
- “Using product registration to enable or disable Enterprise COBOL” on page 14

If you're installing IBM Debug Tool, you can decide whether to place its modules in shared storage, and whether to set up your CICS® environment to work with Debug Tool.

For the actual customization procedures, see Chapter 3, “Customizing Enterprise COBOL,” on page 73.

This information also contains worksheets to help you plan modifications to the IBM-supplied default values within macros. For an explanation about the planning sheets, see “Using the macro planning worksheets” on page x.

Important: Confer with the application programmers at your site while you plan the customization of Enterprise COBOL. Doing so will ensure that the modifications you make serve their needs and support the applications being developed.

Making changes after installation: why customize?

When you install Enterprise COBOL, you receive IBM-supplied defaults for compiler options and phases, and for the reserved word table. You might want to customize Enterprise COBOL to better suit the needs of application programmers at your site.

After you install Enterprise COBOL, you can:
- Modify the default values of compiler options: see “Planning to modify compiler option default values.”
- Make compiler options fixed: see “Making compiler options fixed” on page 2.
- Modify the residency values of the compiler phases: see “Planning to place compiler phases in shared storage” on page 6.
- Create additional reserved word tables: see “Planning to create an additional reserved word table” on page 12.

Planning to modify compiler option default values

Compiler option defaults and residency for compiler phases are set in the IGYCDOPT program.

IGYCDOPT is link-edited with AMODE 31 and RMODE ANY during installation.
For compiler option defaults and residency for compiler phases set in the IGYCDOPT program, see **Table 1 on page 5** and **Table 2 on page 11** respectively.

When you assemble COBOL customization parts, such as IGYCDOPT, you need access to a system MACLIB. Typically, the MACLIB is found in SYS1.MACLIB. You also need access to the COBOL MACLIB IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYMAC.

The IGYCDOPT program has two purposes: it lets you select and fix the defaults for compiler options, and specify which compiler phases are in shared storage. You can accept the IBM-supplied compiler option values when you install Enterprise COBOL, or you can modify them to better suit the needs of programmers at your location. You can also choose whether your application programmers will have the ability to override these options.

**Note:** The high-level qualifier IGY.V6R2M0 might have been changed when Enterprise COBOL was installed.

If you identify compiler phases that reside in shared system storage, the compiler can use the storage in the region for work areas. For a more detailed description of why you might want to modify the phase defaults, see **"Why place the compiler phases in shared storage?" on page 7**.

### Making compiler options fixed

These sections explain why you might want to make a compiler option fixed, and explain how you can fix a compiler option and bypass a fixed option.

Enterprise COBOL can help you to set up your site’s unique programming standards. For example, many sites might want RENT as the preferred compiler option setting, and so want to enforce its use.

With Enterprise COBOL, you use the IGYCDOPT program to specify that an option is fixed and cannot be changed or overridden at compile time. Then, at compile time, an attempt to override a fixed option results in a diagnostic message with a nonzero compiler return code.

When certain options are fixed for consistent usage, there might be special conditions that require the ability to bypass a fixed option. This change can be made by assembling a temporary copy of the IGYCDOPT program with different parameters. At compile time, programmer can use a JOBLIB or STEPLIB that contains the required IGYCDOPT module to bypass the fixed option.

For example, if you select the OPT=1 option to be fixed (indicating that you always want the COBOL compiler to generate optimized object code), and then need to exempt an application from this requirement, you must reassemble the IGYCDOPT program after you remove the asterisk parameter from the option. You then place the resulting IGYCDOPT module in a temporary library to be accessed as a JOBLIB or STEPLIB at compile time.

### Sample installation jobs

Enterprise COBOL provides two sample installation jobs that you can modify and then use to change the defaults for compiler options. One sample job, IGYWDOPT, provides an example of how to change the IBM-supplied defaults for compilers.

The other sample job, IGYWUOPT, provides an example of how to override compiler options that have been fixed. These jobs are located in the COBOL sample data set IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP.
IGYWDOPT

Use this sample installation job to change the IBM-supplied defaults using SMP/E.

If IGYWDOPT is being run for the first time, complete the following steps:

1. Change the job card to meet your system requirements.
2. Change these items:
   - #globalcsi (Make it the CSI name of the installation site)
   - #tzzone (Make it the TARGET ZONE name of the installation site)
3. Copy member SIGYSAMP(IGYCDOPT) into SIGYSAMP(IGYWDOPT) in place of the comment lines following the ++ SRC statement in step DOPT.
4. Modify the IGYCDOPT text that was just copied in so that it contains the list of compiler options that need to be overridden. For example:

   COPY IGYCOPT
   IGYCDOPT CSECT
   IGYCDOPT AMODE ANY
   IGYCDOPT RMODE ANY
   IGYCDOPT ARCH=10,
       OPTIMIZE=**2,
       ZONECHECK=MSG,
       ZONEDATA=NOPFD
   END IGYCDOPT

   Use the continuation "X" in column 72 as needed.
5. Run IGYWDOPT to receive and apply the usermod to create a customized version of MOD(IGYCDOPT).
6. Important: Save a copy of the modified SIGYSAMP(IGYWDOPT) for future reference.
   
   CAUTION: Do not ACCEPT the usermod! Accepting the usermod makes it impossible to RESTORE it later in SMP/E when needed.

If MOD(IGYCDOPT) is being changed by an IBM PTF and requires a rerun of the SIGYSAMP(IGYWDOPT) job, complete the following steps:

1. RESTORE the usermod created by the IGYWDOPT job. This is done via the SMP/E command RESTORE SELECT (IGYWDOPT). Doing this will restore MOD(IGYCDOPT) back to the previous IBM PTF level, which will then allow the new IBM PTF to apply properly.
2. Apply the IBM PTF.
3. Change the rework date by changing the REWORK parameter on the ++ USERMOD statement to the date the changes are being made.
4. Add the proper 'PRE( )' statement after the 'FMID( )' statement. This is typically the PTF number that was just applied. See the technote to determine what PRE statement to add if an error occurs.
5. Using the SIGYSAMP(IGYWDOPT) backup member as a reference and referring to any options that may have been added or modified in SIGYMAC(IGYCOPT), update IGYWDOPT so that it contains the list of compiler options that need to be overridden.
6. Rerun IGYWDOPT to receive and apply the usermod to recreate a customized version of MOD(IGYCDOPT).
7. Important: Save off a copy of the modified SIGYSAMP(IGYWDOPT) for future reference.
IGYWDOPT should run with a condition code of 0.

Check the IGYNNNN informational messages in the ASSEMBLER SYSPRINT data set to verify the options that will be in effect when the new IGYCDOPT module is used.

**IGYWUOPT**

Use this sample installation job to create a module outside of SMP/E in which you can specify different defaults if it becomes necessary to override compiler options that have been fixed with the IGYCDOPT program.

These jobs are located in the COBOL sample data set IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP.

**Modifying compiler options and phases**

If you plan to modify the values for compiler options and compiler phases, use the IGYCOPT syntax format.

The IBM-supplied default values are shown both on the planning worksheets and immediately following each syntax diagram. The syntax diagrams also show the default as explained in "How to read the syntax diagrams" on page ix.

Compiler options and phases, and their defaults, are described in the following information. Review these options and phases and their default values to determine the values that are most suitable for your applications.

**IGYCOPT format**

![Figure 1. Syntax format for IGYCOPT compiler options and phases macro](image)

**IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler options**

The IGYCDOPT worksheet will help you plan and code the compiler options portion of the IGYCDOPT program.

To complete the worksheet, fill in the "Enter * for fixed" and the "Enter selection" columns.

The IGYCDOPT worksheet also includes a section for compiler phases. That section of the worksheet can be found in "IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler phases" on page 11, after the description of compiler phases.

**Note:**

- Coding the asterisk [*] when you modify a compiler option default value indicates that the option is to be fixed and cannot be overridden by an application programmer.
- The ALOWCBL, DBCSXREF, LVLINFO, and NUMCLS options cannot be overridden at compile time. Therefore, the "Enter * for fixed" worksheet entries for these options are blank.
- The IBM-supplied default value for ADEIXIT, INEXIT, LVLINFO, LIBEXIT, MSGEXIT, and PRTEIXIT is null. Therefore, the "IBM-supplied default" entries for these options are blank.
The DUMP compiler option cannot be set through the IGYCDOPT program. Unless changed at compile time, DUMP is always set to NODUMP.

The OPTFILE compiler option cannot be set through the IGYCDOPT program.

### Table 1. IGYCDOPT worksheet for options

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Planning to place compiler phases in shared storage

The following sections define shared storage, describe the various compiler phases, and explain why you might want to place the compiler phases in shared storage.

You might want to make some program objects resident in a link-pack area in order to minimize the search for them when an Enterprise COBOL program is run or when the objects will be shared. You might also want to make some or all of the compiler phases resident.

The term *shared storage* is used generally to describe the link-pack area (LPA), the extended link-pack area (ELPA), or modified link-pack area (MLPA). Except where specifically otherwise stated, all three terms are implied when the term *link-pack area* is used in this information.
Why place the compiler phases in shared storage?

This section defines shared storage, and explains which compiler phases can be placed in shared storage and why you might want to place them there.

Shared storage is an area of storage that is the same for each virtual address space. Information stored there does not have to be loaded in the user region because it is the same space for all users. By sharing the information, more space is made available for the compiler work area.

All compiler modules, except the run dump modules (IGYCRDPR and IGYCRDSC) and the reserved word utility (IGY8RWTU), are eligible for placement in the shared storage of z/OS machines. All compiler phases except IGYCRCTL and IGYCSIMD have RMODE ANY and AMODE 31. Since IGYCRCTL and IGYCSIMD have RMODE 24, they can be placed in the LPA or MLPA, but not in the ELPA.

Note: The Enterprise COBOL, COBOL for MVS™ & VM, COBOL for OS/390® & VM, and VS COBOL II compilers have modules with the same names; thus, only one set of phases can be placed in the LPA for any given initialization of the operating system. Exception is that Enterprise COBOL V5 modules cannot be placed in shared storage by using LPALST. Because the compiler modules are in a PDSE data set, the module names cannot be in the LPALST concatenation during IPL. You can dynamically add them to LPA at the end of IPL.

The IGYCDOPT program indicates where each compiler phase (except for phases IGYCBE, IGYECWI, IGYMSGK and IGYMSGE) is loaded, either inside (IN) or outside (OUT) the user region. By placing compiler phases in the MLPA, the compiler has more storage available for the user's program.

If you indicate that a phase will not reside in the user region, you must ensure that you actually place the phase in shared storage. This information is used by the compiler to determine how much storage to leave for the system to load compiler phases in the user region.

For a description of how to place a phase in shared storage, see the Initialization and Tuning references listed in "Related publications" on page 87.

It is recommended that the following phases be placed in a shared storage area:

IGYCRCTL
Because it is resident in the user region throughout compilation.

IGYCSIMD
Because it is resident in the user region throughout compilation.

IGYCBE
Because it is the largest compiler phase.

IGYECWI
Because it is the second largest compiler phase.

IGYCPGEN
Because it is the third largest compiler phase.

IGYCSCAN
Because it is the fourth largest compiler phase.

You can select any or all compiler phases to be placed in shared storage based on frequency of concurrent use and phase size. If your facility seldom uses the
compiler, there might be no advantage to installing any phases in shared storage. However, if there are frequent compilations and sufficient MLPA storage is available, making the entire compiler resident might be advantageous. If sufficient shared storage is not available, priority must be given to IGYCRCTL and IGYCSIMD, the two phases that are always resident in the user region during compilation; and also to IGYCBE, the largest compiler phase.

Another advantage of placing compiler phases in shared storage is that, at compile time, the initialization logic allocates in the user region a storage block of sufficient size to contain the largest phase not resident in shared storage. Minimizing the space allocation for any given user region size means more space for the compilation process (which allows larger programs to be compiled within a given user region) and possibly a more efficient compilation. The IGYCBE and IGYECWI compiler phases are approximately 10 MB larger than the next largest compiler phase. Shared storage can make a significant difference if you are compiling using the minimum region size.

Compiler phases and their defaults

This section explains how to indicate where a compiler phase is to be loaded, describes the phases, and includes a worksheet to help you plan changes to the phases.

To indicate where each compiler phase is loaded in relation to the user region, specify either IN or OUT.

For more information about why you might or might not want to change these defaults, see “Why place the compiler phases in shared storage?” on page 7.

IN Indicates that the compiler phase is loaded into the user region from a library available at compile time.

Even though IN is specified for a compiler phase, the phase still can be placed into the shared system area. However, the compiler control phase ensures that the main storage area reserved for compiler phases is large enough to contain the largest phase for which IN is specified. This option will cause some storage to be unused.

OUT Indicates that the compiler phase is not loaded into the user region from the library, and therefore must reside in a shared system area, such as the MLPA.

IGYCDGEN

The data generation phase. It generates the appropriate WCode instructions to describe data items in the program.

Syntax

```
DGEN= IN OUT
```

IGYCDIAG

The diagnostic phase. It processes E-form text and generates compiler diagnostics for source program errors. It includes IGYCDIAG plus the following message modules: IGYCxx$D, IGYCxx$1, IGYCxx$2, IGYCxx$3, IGYCxx$4, IGYCxx$5, and IGYCxx$8, where xx is EN, UE, or JA.
IGYCDMAP
The DMAP phase. It prepares text for output requested by the MAP option.

Syntax
►►DIAG=IN OUT

IGYCFFGEN
The file generation phase. It generates the control blocks for the FDs and SDs defined in the program.

Syntax
►►DMAP=IN OUT

IGYCFINIT
The initialization phase. It does housekeeping to prepare for running of the processing phases.

Syntax
►►INIT=IN OUT

IGYCLIBR
The COPY phase. It processes library source text and does a syntax check of the COPY, BASIS, and REPLACE statements.

Syntax
►►LIBR=IN OUT

IGYCLSTR
The source listing phase. It prints the source listing with embedded cross-reference and diagnostic information.

Syntax
►►LSTR=IN OUT

IGYCMSGT
Represents the header text table and diagnostic message level tables. It includes the following modules: IGYCxxSR, IGYCLVL0, IGYCLVL1, IGYCLVL2, IGYCLVL3, and IGYCLVL8, where xx is EN, UE, or JA.
IGYCOSCN
The option scanning phase. It determines the default options, processes the EXEC PARM options, and processes the PROCESS (CBL) statements.

Syntax

IGYCPGEN
The procedure generation phase. It supplies code for all procedure source verbs.

Syntax

IGYCRCTL
The resident control phase. It establishes the size of compiler common and working storage, and performs initialization of program common storage.

Syntax

IGYCRWT
The normal reserved word table.

Syntax

IGYCSCAN
The scanning phase. It does syntax and semantic analysis of the source program and translates the source to intermediate text.

Syntax

IGYCSIMD
The system interface phase for the Enterprise COBOL compiler. This phase is called by all other compiler phases to perform system-dependent functions.
The XREF phase. It sorts user-names and procedure-names in EBCDIC collating sequence.

### IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler phases

The IGYCDOPT worksheet helps you plan and code the phases portion of the IGYCDOPT program.

In the following worksheet, circle the value that you plan to assign to each phase. For more information on the values that can be assigned to each phase, see “Compiler phases and their defaults” on page 8.

**Note:** All phase defaults are initially set to **IN**.

**Table 2. IGYCDOPT program worksheet for compiler phases**

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<td><strong>IN</strong> / <strong>OUT</strong></td>
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<td>FGEN=</td>
<td><strong>IN</strong> / <strong>OUT</strong></td>
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<td><strong>IN</strong> / <strong>OUT</strong></td>
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<td>LIBR=</td>
<td><strong>IN</strong> / <strong>OUT</strong></td>
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<td>LSTR=</td>
<td><strong>IN</strong> / <strong>OUT</strong></td>
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Table 2. IGYCDOPT program worksheet for compiler phases (continued)

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<td>IN / OUT</td>
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<td>IN / OUT</td>
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<td>IN / OUT</td>
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Planning to create an additional reserved word table

The following sections describe why you might want to create additional reserved word tables, explain how you can restrict the use of nested programs by modifying a reserved word table, and list the reserved word tables supplied with Enterprise COBOL.

You can create additional reserved word tables after installation. During compilation, the value of the WORD compiler option determines which reserved word table is used.

Why create additional reserved word tables?

This section describes the benefits of creating additional reserved word tables.

You can create additional reserved word tables to:

- Translate the reserved words into another language, such as French or German.
- Prevent application programmers from using a particular Enterprise COBOL instruction, such as GO TO.
• Control the usage of nested programs.
• Flag words that are not supported under CICS, such as READ and WRITE.

**Controlling use of nested programs**

To restrict the use of nested programs without restricting any other COBOL language features, modify the reserved word table.

Do this by using the INFO and RSTR control statements. For instructions on how to make these modifications, see "Creating or modifying a reserved word table" on page 77.

**Reserved word tables supplied with Enterprise COBOL**

Enterprise COBOL provides reserved word tables on the installation medium.

The reserved word tables are:
• Default reserved word table
• CICS reserved word table

**Default reserved word table (IGYCRWT)**

About the default reserved word table provided for your entire facility, see the *Enterprise COBOL Language Reference*.

**CICS reserved word table (IGYCCICS)**

Enterprise COBOL provides an alternate reserved word table for CICS application programs so that COBOL words that are not supported under CICS are flagged by the compiler.

The CICS reserved word table is the same as the default reserved word table except that the following COBOL words are marked as restricted (RSTR):
• CLOSE
• DELETE
• FD
• FILE
• FILE-CONTROL
• INPUT-OUTPUT
• I-O-CONTROL
• MERGE
• OPEN
• READ
• RERUN
• REWRITE
• SD
• SORT
• START
• WRITE

**SORT users**: Enterprise COBOL supports an interface for the SORT statement under CICS. If you intend to use the SORT statement under CICS, you must modify the CICS reserved word table before using it. The words that are underlined above must be removed from the list of words marked as restricted, because they are required for the SORT function.
Using the table:

To use the CICS reserved word table, you must specify the WORD(CICS) compiler option.

To have the CICS reserved word table used as the default, you must set the default value of the WORD compiler option to WORD=CICS.

Location of the table:

The data used to create the CICS reserved word table is in member IGY8CICS in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP.

Note: The high-level qualifier IGY.V6R2M0 might have been changed when Enterprise COBOL was installed.

Using product registration to enable or disable Enterprise COBOL

The default behavior for Enterprise COBOL V5 is to run on every z/OS system, but you can use the IFAPRDxx member of SYSx.PARMLIB to disable COBOL V5 from running on selected z/OS systems.

If you want to disable COBOL V5, add the following code to the active IFAPRDxx member:

```cobol
PRODUCT OWNER('IBM CORP')
   NAME('ENTERPRISE COBOL')
   ID(5655-W32)
   VERSION(05) RELEASE(*) MOD(*)
   FEATURENAME(*)
   STATE(DISABLED)
```

In this case, the compiler stops with RC=16 and a write-to-operator message.

If you want to explicitly enable COBOL V5, add the following code to the active IFAPRDxx member:

```cobol
PRODUCT OWNER('IBM CORP')
   NAME('ENTERPRISE COBOL')
   ID(5655-W32)
   VERSION(05) RELEASE(*) MOD(*)
   FEATURENAME(*)
   STATE(ENABLED)
```

However, because COBOL V5 is enabled by default, you don’t have to explicitly enable COBOL V5 by adding the previous statements to the active IFAPRDxx member.
Chapter 2. Enterprise COBOL compiler options

This information describes the compiler options whose default values can be changed.

The notes that accompany some of the descriptions provide additional information about these options, such as how they interact with other options during compilation.

This information might help you to make decisions about which default values are appropriate for your installation.

For more information about the compiler options, see Compiler options in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

Important:

Confer with the application programmers at your site while you plan the customization of Enterprise COBOL. Doing so will ensure that the modifications you make serve their needs and support the applications that are being developed.

Specifying COBOL compiler options

When you specify compiler options in the IGYCOPT macro, both the option name and its value must be specified in uppercase.

If you don't specify the option name in uppercase, both the option name and its value are ignored and the default value is used instead. No error message is issued. If only the option value is not in uppercase, an error message will be issued indicating that an invalid option value has been specified.

Conflicting compiler options

If you specify certain compiler option values, a conflict with other compiler options might result. This topic describes possible conflicts between compiler options.

Table 3. Conflicting compiler options

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<td>DBCS=NO</td>
<td>NSYMBOL=NATIONAL</td>
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<td>DBCSXREF=(other than NO)</td>
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<td>WORD=xxxx</td>
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<tr>
<td>XREFOPT=NO</td>
<td>DBCSXREF=(other than NO)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Compiler options for standards conformance

Several compiler options are required to conform with the 85 COBOL Standard.

For details, see Option settings for 85 COBOL Standard conformance in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

Compiler options syntax and descriptions

The syntax diagrams in the following topics describe each modifiable compiler option. The text after each diagram describes the effect of selecting a specific parameter.

Note:
- The DUMP option is not in this list. Unless you change DUMP at compile time, it is always set to NODUMP. This option is not for general use; it is used only at the request of an IBM representative.
• The OPTFILE option is not in this list. It can be specified only as a compiler invocation PARM option, or in a PROCESS or CBL statement in the COBOL source program.

• Coding the asterisk (*) when you modify a compiler option default value indicates that the option is to be fixed and cannot be overridden by an application programmer.

**ADATA**

ADATA affects whether an Associated Data file is produced during compilation.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
ADATA=NO
```

**Default**

ADATA=NO

**YES**

Produces the Associated Data file with the appropriate records.

**NO**

Does not produce the Associated Data file.

**Note:**

• The ADATA option can be specified only at invocation through the option list, on the PARM field of JCL, as a command option, or as an installation default.

• Selection of the Japanese language option might result in DBCS characters written records in the Associated Data file.

• Specification of NOCOMPILE(W|E|S) might stop compilation prematurely, resulting in a loss of specific Associated Data records.

• If you use the INEXIT option, the compilation source module is not identified in the SYSADATA (Associated Data file) information.

**ADEXIT**

ADEXIT designates a module to be called for each record that is written to the SYSADATA file.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
ADEXIT=name
```

**Default**

No exit is specified. Equivalent to specifying the NOADEXIT suboption of the EXIT compiler option. If ADEXIT=* is coded without the name parameter, NOADEXIT cannot be overridden.

**name**

Identifies a module to be used with the EXIT compiler option. If the suboption for this user exit is specified, the compiler loads the named module and calls it for each record that is written to the SYSADATA file.
ADV

ADV affects WRITE ... ADVANCING statements, determining whether one byte is added to the record length for the printer control character.

Syntax

```
ADV= YES NO
```

Default

ADV=YES

**YES**

Adds one byte to the record length for the printer control character. This option might be useful to programmers who use WRITE ... ADVANCING in their source files. The first character of the record does *not* have to be explicitly reserved by the programmer.

**NO**

Does not adjust the record length for WRITE ... ADVANCING. The compiler uses the first character of the specified record area to place the printer control character. The application programmer must ensure that the record description allows for this additional byte.

Note:

- With ADV=YES, the record length on the physical device is one byte larger than the record description length in the source program.
- If the record length for the output file is not defined in the source code, COBOL ensures that the DCB parameters are appropriately set.
- If ADV=YES is specified, and the record length for the output file has been defined in the source code, the programmer *must* specify the record description length as one byte larger than the source program record description. The programmer *must* also specify the block size in correct multiples of the larger record size.
- If the LINAGE clause is specified in a file description (FD), the compiler treats that file as if ADV=YES has been specified.

AFP

The AFP option controls the compiler usage of the Additional Floating Point (AFP) registers that are provided by z/Architecture® processors.

Syntax

```
AFP= VOLATILE NOVOLATILE
```
Default is: \texttt{AFP=VOLATILE}

The Enterprise COBOL compiler generates code that uses the full complement of 16 floating point registers (FPR) provided by a z/Architecture processor. These FPRs are as follows:

- Original FPRs, which are numbered 0, 2, 4, and 6
- AFP registers, which are numbered 1, 3, 5, 7, and 8-15

\textbf{Note:} If your code runs on a version of CICS Transaction Server that is earlier than V4.1, you must specify \texttt{AFP=VOLATILE}.

\textbf{AFP=VOLATILE}

If you specify \texttt{AFP=VOLATILE}, the AFP registers 8-15 are considered volatile, which means that they might be changed by a called subprogram. Therefore, the COBOL compiler generates extra code to protect the values in these registers.

\textbf{AFP=NOVOLATILE}

If you specify \texttt{AFP=NOVOLATILE}, the AFP registers 8-15 are considered nonvolatile, which means that they are known to be unchanged or preserved by every called subprogram. Therefore, the compiler can generate more efficient code sequences for programs with floating point operations. It is the normal z/OS architecture convention.

\section*{ALOWCBL}

ALOWCBL affects whether PROCESS (or CBL) statements can be used in COBOL programs.

\textbf{Syntax}

\begin{verbatim}
ALOWCBL= YES NO
\end{verbatim}

\textbf{Default}

ALOWCBL=YES

\textbf{YES}

Allows the use of the PROCESS (or CBL) statements in COBOL programs.

\textbf{NO}

Diagnoses the use of PROCESS (or CBL) statements in a program as an error.

\textbf{Note:}

- ALOWCBL cannot be overridden at compile time because it cannot be included in the PROCESS (or CBL) statement.
- The PROCESS (or CBL) statement specifies compiler-option parameters within source programs. If your installation requirements do not allow compiler options to be specified in a source program, specify ALOWCBL=NO.

\section*{ARCH}

The ARCH option specifies the machine architecture for which the executable program instructions are to be generated.
If you specify a higher ARCH level, the compiler generates code that uses newer and faster instructions. Your application might abend if it runs on a processor with an architecture level lower than what you specify with the ARCH option. Use the ARCH level that matches the lowest machine architecture where your application runs.

Current supported architecture levels and groups of models are as follows:

**Default**

- **ARCH=7**

  Produces code that uses instructions available on the 2096-xxx (IBM System z9® BC) and 2094-xxx (IBM System z9 EC) models in z/Architecture mode.

  Specifically, these ARCH(7) machines and their follow-ons add instructions supported by the following facilities:
  - Extended-immediate facility
  - Decimal floating point facility. These instructions might be generated if decimal data is used in numeric operations.

- **ARCH=8**

  Produces code that uses instructions available on the 2097-xxx (IBM System z10® EC) models in z/Architecture mode.

  Specifically, these ARCH(8) machines and their follow-ons add instructions supported by the general instruction extensions facility.

- **ARCH=9**

  Produces code that uses instructions available on 2817-xxx (IBM zEnterprise® 196) and 2818-xxx (IBM zEnterprise 114) models in z/Architecture mode.

  Specifically, these ARCH=9 machines and their follow-ons add instructions supported by the following facilities:
  - High-word facility
  - Interlocked access facility
  - Load/store-on-condition facility
  - Distinct-operands facility
  - Population-count facility

- **ARCH=10**

  Produces code that uses instructions available on the 2827-xxxx (IBM zEnterprise EC12) models in z/Architecture mode.

  Specifically, these ARCH(10) machines and their follow-ons add instructions supported by the following facilities:
  - Execution-hint facility
  - Load-and-trap facility
  - Miscellaneous-instructions-extension facility
  - Transactional-execution facility
• Enhanced decimal floating point facility that enables more efficient conversions between zoned decimal data items and decimal floating point data items. Instead of converting zoned decimal data items to packed decimal data items to perform arithmetic, the compiler converts zoned decimal data items directly to decimal floating point data items, and then back again to zoned decimal data items after the computations are complete.

11 Produces code that uses instructions available on the 2964-xxx (IBM z13®) models in z/Architecture mode.

Specifically, these ARCH(11) machines and their follow-ons add instructions with support of the following facilities:

• Enhanced decimal floating point facility that enables more efficient conversions between packed-decimal data items and decimal floating point intermediate result data items

• Exploitation of the new vector extension facility (SIMD) instructions for some INSPECT REPLACING and INSPECT TALLYING statements

Note: A higher ARCH level includes the facilities of the lower ARCH level. For example, ARCH=11 includes all the facilities of the lower ARCH levels.

For more information about these facilities, see z/Architecture Principles of Operation.

ARITH

ARITH affects the maximum number of digits that can be coded for integers, and the number of digits used in fixed-point intermediate results.

Syntax

ARITH=COMPAT|EXTEND

Default

ARITH=COMPAT

COMPAT

Specifies 18 digits as the maximum precision for decimal data.

EXTEND

Specifies 31 digits as the maximum precision for decimal data.

AWO

AWO affects whether the APPLY-WRITE-ONLY clause is activated for physical-sequential files that have variable blocked format.

Syntax

AWO=NO|YES

Default

AWO=NO
YES
Activates the APPLY-WRITE-ONLY clause for any file within the program that is physical sequential with variable block format regardless of whether or not the APPLY-WRITE-ONLY clause is specified in the program.

Performance consideration: Using AWO=YES generally results in fewer calls to Data Management Services for runtime files when handling input and output.

NO
Does not activate the APPLY-WRITE-ONLY clause for any file within the program that is physical sequential with variable block format unless the APPLY-WRITE-ONLY clause is specified in the program.

BLOCK0
BLOCK0 affects whether the default blocking specification for QSAM files is changed from unblocked to blocked.

Syntax

Default
BLOCK0=NO

YES
Changes the default blocking specification for QSAM files that specify neither BLOCK CONTAINS nor RECORDING MODE U in the file description entry. BLOCK0=YES activates the BLOCK CONTAINS 0 clause for such files, causing them to have a system-determined block size at run time.

Performance consideration: Using BLOCK0=YES could result in enhanced processing speed and minimized storage requirements for QSAM output files. But see the recommendation below.

NO
Does not activate the BLOCK CONTAINS 0 clause by default for any file.

Recommendation: Adding a BLOCK CONTAINS 0 clause to file descriptions in existing programs could result in a change of behavior in those programs, including some undesirable effects for files opened as INPUT. For this reason, it is recommended that BLOCK0=YES not be set as an installation default.

For further details, see BLOCK0 in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

BUF
BUF specifies the amount of dynamic storage to be used during compilation.

Syntax

Default
BUF=4K
**integer**
Specifies the amount of dynamic storage, in bytes, to be allocated to each compiler work file buffer. The minimum value is 256 bytes.

**Performance consideration:** Using a large buffer size usually improves the performance of the compiler.

**integerK**
Specifies the amount of dynamic storage to be allocated to buffers in increments of 1K (1024) bytes.

**Note:**
- BUF cannot exceed the track capacity for the device used, nor can it exceed the maximum allowed by data management services.

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**CICS**

CICS affects whether a COBOL source program that contains CICS statements is to processed by the integrated CICS translator.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
CICS=NO YES
```

**Default**

- CICS=NO

**YES**
If a COBOL source program contains CICS statements and has not been preprocessed by the CICS translator, the YES option must be specified.

**NO** When the NO option is specified, any CICS statements that are found in the source program are diagnosed and discarded.

**Note:**
- The CICS compiler option can contain CICS suboptions. The CICS suboptions delimiters can be quotation marks or apostrophes. CICS suboptions cannot be specified as a COBOL installation default.
- You can specify the CICS compiler option in any of the compiler option sources: installation defaults, compiler invocation, or PROCESS or CBL statements.

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**CODEPAGE**

CODEPAGE affects the coded character set identifier (CCSID) for an EBCDIC code page for processing compile-time and runtime COBOL operations that are sensitive to character encoding.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
CODEPAGE=ccsid
```

**Default**

- CODEPAGE=1140
ccsid

Specifies a valid coded character set identifier (CCSID) integer that identifies an EBCDIC code page.

The default CCSID 1140 is the equivalent of CCSID 37 (EBCDIC Latin-1, USA), but additionally includes the euro symbol.

**Recommendation:** To avoid unnecessary conversions and associated performance overhead on systems that use both COBOL and DB2®, use the same CODEPAGE compiler option setting as in your DB2 subsystem parameters and application programming defaults (specify in DSNHDECP).

**Note:** If you specify the TEST option, you must set the CODEPAGE option to the CCSID that is used for the COBOL source program. In particular, programs that use Japanese characters in DBCS literals or DBCS user-defined words must be compiled with the CODEPAGE option set to a Japanese codepage CCSID.

For further details, see CODEPAGE in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

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**COMPILE**

COMPILE determines whether compilation continues if diagnostic messages of a specified severity occur.

**Syntax**

```
COMPILE=*

S
NOC(E)
YES
```

**Default**

COMPILE=NOC(S)

**NOC**

Indicates that you want only a syntax check.

**NOC(W)**

**NOC(E)**

**NOC(S)**

Specifies an error message level: W is warning; E is error; S is severe. When an error of the level specified or of a more severe level occurs, compilation stops, and only syntax checking is done for the balance of the compilation.

**YES**

Indicates that you want full compilation, including diagnostics and object code.

Specifying NOCOMPILE might affect the Associated Data file by stopping compilation prematurely, resulting in loss of specific messages.

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**COPYRIGHT**

Use COPYRIGHT to place a string in the object module if the object module is generated. If the object is linked into a program object, the string is loaded into memory with this program object.
The copyright string is limited to 64 characters in length.

**CURRENCY**

CURRENCY determines whether an alternate currency symbol will be used; the default is dollar sign ($).

**Syntax**

```cobol
cURRENCY=NO literal
```

**Default**

CURRENCY=NO

**literal**

Represents the default currency symbol that you want to use in your program.

The literal must be a nonnumeric literal representing a 1-byte EBCDIC character that must not be any of the following items:

- Digits zero (0) through nine (9)
- Uppercase alphabetic characters: A B C D P R S V X Z
- Lowercase alphabetic characters a through z
- The space
- Special characters: * + - / , . ; ( ) = "
- Uppercase alphabetic character G, if the COBOL program defines a DBCS item with the PICTURE symbol G. The PICTURE clause will not be valid for that DBCS item because the symbol G is considered to be a currency symbol in the PICTURE clause.
- Uppercase alphabetic character N, if the COBOL program defines a DBCS item with the PICTURE symbol N. The PICTURE clause will not be valid for that DBCS item because the symbol N is considered to be a currency symbol in the PICTURE clause.
- Uppercase alphabetic character E, if the COBOL program defines an external floating-point item. The PICTURE clause will not be valid for the external floating-point item because the symbol E is considered to be a currency symbol in the PICTURE clause.

The literal (including hex literal) syntax rules are as follows:

- The literal delimiters can be either quotation marks or apostrophes regardless of whether the APOST or QUOTE option is in effect.
- When an apostrophe (‘) is to be the currency sign, the embedded apostrophe must be doubled, that is, two apostrophes must be coded to represent one apostrophe within the literal. For example:
The format for a hex literal specification is as follows:

\[ X'\text{H1H2}' \] or \[ X"\text{H1H2}" \]

where H1H2 is a valid hexadecimal value representing a 1-byte EBCDIC character conforming to the rules for the currency sign literal as described above. Alphabetic characters in the hex literal must be in uppercase.

Note: Hex values of X'20' or X'21' are not allowed.

NO Indicates that no alternate default currency sign is provided through the CURRENCY option, and the dollar sign will be used as the default currency sign for the program if the CURRENCY option is not specified at compile time.

The value NO provides the same results for the source program as omitting the CURRENCY SIGN clause in the COBOL source program.

Note:

- You can use the CURRENCY option as an alternative to the CURRENCY SIGN clause (which is specified in the COBOL source program) for selecting the currency symbol that you use in the PICTURE clause of your COBOL program.
- When both the CURRENCY option and the CURRENCY SIGN clause are used in a program, the symbol that is specified in the CURRENCY SIGN clause is the currency symbol in a PICTURE clause when that symbol is used, even if the CURRENCY option is fixed (*).

**DATA**

DATA affects whether storage for dynamic data areas and other dynamic runtime storage is obtained from above or below the 16 MB line.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
DATA=31
```

**Default**

DATA=31

24 Causes allocation of user data areas in virtual addresses below 16 MB in storage acquired by a GETMAIN with the LOC=BELLOW option.

Specify DATA=24 for programs compiled with the RENT option that are passing data parameters to programs in 24-bit mode. This includes the following cases:

- A COBOL program is passing items in its WORKING-STORAGE to an AMODE 24 program.
- A COBOL program is passing, by reference, data items received from its caller to an AMODE 24 program. DATA=24 is required even when the data received is below the 16 MB line.

Otherwise, the data might not be addressable by the called program.

DATA does not affect the location of LOCAL-STORAGE data; the STACK runtime option controls that location instead, along with the AMODE of the program.
31 Causes allocation of user data areas, such as WORKING-STORAGE and FD record areas, from unrestricted storage or in space acquired by a GETMAIN with the LOC=ANY option. Specifying this option can result in storage being acquired in virtual addresses either above or below the 16 MB line. The operating system generally satisfies the request with space in virtual addresses above the 16 MB line, if it is available.

Note:
- If a program is compiled with the RENT option, the DATA option controls how space for WORKING-STORAGE and parameter lists is acquired.
- The DATA option has no effect on programs compiled with the NORENT option.

**DBCS**

DBCS affects whether the compiler recognizes X'0E' and X'0F' in a nonnumeric literal and treats them as shift-out and shift-in control characters for delimiting DBCS data.

**Syntax**

```
DBCS=YES
```

**Default**

DBCS=YES

**YES**

Recognizes X'0E' and X'0F' in a nonnumeric literal and treats them as shift-out and shift-in control characters for delimiting DBCS data.

**NO**

Does not recognize X'0E' and X'0F' as shift-out and shift-in control characters in a nonnumeric literal.

Note:
- The presence of DBCS data inside the nonnumeric literal might cause the compiler to disallow certain uses of that literal. For example, DBCS characters are not allowed as program names or DDNAMES.
- DBCS=NO conflicts with NSYMBOL(NATIONAL).

**DBCSXREF**

DBCSXREF indicates that an ordering program is to be used for cross-referencing of DBCS names.

**Syntax**

```
DBCSXREF=NO
```

**Default**

DBCSXREF=NO
R  Specifies that the DBCS Ordering Support Program (DBCSOS) is loaded into
the user region.

N  Specifies that the DBCS Ordering Support Program (DBCSOS) is loaded into a
shared system area such as the MLPA.

xx Names a program object of the relevant ordering program to produce DBCS
cross-references. It must be eight characters in length.

yy Names an ordering type. It must be two characters in length. The default
ordering type defined by the specified ordering program occurs if this
parameter is omitted.

zz Names the encode table that the specified ordering type uses. It must be eight
characters in length. The default encode table that is associated with the
particular ordering type occurs if this parameter is omitted.

NO Specifies that no ordering program is used for cross-reference of DBCS names.
If the XREF phase is specified, a cross-reference listing of DBCS names is
provided based on their physical order in the program.

Note:
• The DBCS Ordering Support Program (DBCSOS) must be installed to specify
anything other than DBCSXREF=NO.
• If R is specified, ensure that the user region is large enough to accommodate
both the compiler and the ordering program.
• Specifying both XREFOPT=NO and DBCSXREF with an ordering program
results in a nonzero return code while attempting to assemble the customization
macro.
• The assembly process terminates when validation diagnoses:
  – A parameter length that is not valid
  – Characters other than 'R' and 'N'
  – Missing parameters after a comma
  – Missing yy when zz is specified

DECK

DECK determines whether 80-column object-code records are produced in a file
defined by the SYSPUNCH DD statement.

Syntax

```
DECK= [NO] [YES]
```

Default

```
DECK=NO
```

YES
Places the generated object code in a file defined by SYSPUNCH.

NO  Sends no object code to SYSPUNCH.
**DIAGTRUNC**

DIAGTRUNC affects whether the compiler issues a severity-4 (warning) diagnostic message for MOVE statements with numeric receivers when the receiving data item has fewer integer positions than the sending data item or literal.

**Syntax**

```
>>> DIAGTRUNC=

YES

NO
```

**Default**

DIAGTRUNC=NO

**YES**

Causes the compiler to issue a severity-4 (warning) diagnostic message for MOVE statements with numeric receivers when the receiving data item has fewer integer positions than the sending data item or literal.

**NO**

Does not cause the compiler to produce a severity-4 message.

**Note:**

- The diagnostic message is also issued for moves to numeric receivers from alphanumeric data names or literal senders, except when the sending field is reference modified.
- There is no diagnostic message for COMP-5 receivers, nor for binary receivers when you specify the TRUNC(BIN) option.

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**DISPSIGN**

The DISPSIGN option controls output formatting for DISPLAY of signed numeric items.

**Syntax**

```
>>> DISPSIGN=

COMPAT

SEP
```

**Default is:** DISPSIGN=COMPAT

**DISPSIGN=COMPAT**

If you specify DISPSIGN=COMPAT, formatting for displayed values of signed numeric items is compatible with prior versions of Enterprise COBOL. Overpunch signs are generated in some cases.

**DISPSIGN=SEP**

If you specify DISPSIGN=SEP, the displayed values for signed binary, signed packed-decimal, or overpunch signed zoned-decimal items are always formatted with a leading separate sign.
The following example shows the DISPLAY output with the DISPSIGN=COMPAT option or the DISPSIGN=SEP option specified:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Data items</th>
<th>DISPLAY output with the DISPSIGN=COMPAT option specified</th>
<th>DISPLAY output with the DISPSIGN=SEP option specified</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Unsigned binary</td>
<td>111</td>
<td>111</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Positive binary</td>
<td>111</td>
<td>+111</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Negative binary</td>
<td>11J</td>
<td>-111</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unsigned packed-decimal</td>
<td>222</td>
<td>222</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Positive packed-decimal</td>
<td>222</td>
<td>+222</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Negative packed-decimal</td>
<td>22K</td>
<td>-222</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zoned-decimal unsigned</td>
<td>333</td>
<td>333</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zoned-decimal trailing positive</td>
<td>33C</td>
<td>+333</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zoned-decimal trailing negative</td>
<td>33L</td>
<td>-333</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zoned-decimal leading positive</td>
<td>C33</td>
<td>+333</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zoned-decimal leading negative</td>
<td>L33</td>
<td>-333</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### DLL

DLL affects whether an object module generated by the compiler is enabled for dynamic link library (DLL) support.

**Syntax**

```
>DLL= YES NO
```

**Default**

DLL=NO

**YES**

Generates an object module that is enabled for dynamic link library (DLL) support. DLL enablement is required if the program is part of a DLL, references DLLs, or contains object-oriented COBOL syntax (for example, INVOKE statements, or class definitions).

Specification of the DLL option requires that the NODYNAM option and RENT options are also used.

**NO**

Generates an object module that is not enabled for DLL usage.

**RELATED REFERENCES**

CALLINTERFACE (Enterprise COBOL Language Reference)
DYNAM

DYNAM affects whether the compiler dynamically loads subprograms that are invoked through the CALL literal statement.

Syntax

```
DYNAM=
```

Default
DYNAM=NO

YES
Dynamically loads subprograms that are invoked through the CALL literal statement.

Performance consideration: Using DYNAM=YES eases subprogram maintenance because the application is not relink-edited if the subprogram is changed. However, individual applications with CALL literal statements can experience some performance degradation due to a longer path length.

NO Includes, in the calling program, the text files of subprograms called with a CALL literal statement into a single program object.

Note:
- The DYNAM option has no effect on the CALL identifier statement at compile time. The CALL identifier statement always compiles to a dynamic call.
- Do not specify DYNAM=YES for applications running under CICS.

For further details, see DYNAM in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

RELATED REFERENCES
CALLINTERFACE (Enterprise COBOL Language Reference)

EXPORTALL

EXPORTALL affects whether the compiler automatically exports certain symbols when the object deck is link-edited to form a DLL.

Syntax

```
EXPORTALL=
```

Default
EXPORTALL=NO

YES
Automatically exports the program-name and alternate entry-point names when the object deck is link-edited to form a DLL.

Specification of EXPORTALL requires that the DLL, RENT, and NODYNAM options are also used.

NO Does not export any symbols.
FASTSRT

FASTSRT determines whether DFSORT or comparable product performs input and output for sort and merge, or whether they are performed by Enterprise COBOL. It applies only to sorting files by using the format 1 SORT statement.

Syntax

```
FASTSRT=YES
```

Default

FASTSRT=NO

YES

Specifies that the IBM DFSORT licensed program or comparable product performs input and output when you use either the USING or GIVING option.

Performance consideration: Using FASTSRT=YES eliminates the overhead, in terms of CPU time usage, of returning to Enterprise COBOL after each record is processed. However, there are restrictions that you must follow if you choose to use this option. (For a detailed description of the restrictions, see Improving sort performance with FASTSRT in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.)

NO

Specifies that Enterprise COBOL does the input and output for the sort and merge.

Note:

- If FASTSRT is in effect at compile time, the compiler verifies that the FASTSRT interface can be used for all restrictions except these two:
  - A device other than a direct-access device must be used for sort work files.
  - The DCB parameter of the DD statement for the input file or output file must match the file description (FD) of the file.
- If FASTSRT cannot be used, the compiler generates a diagnostic message and prevents the sort program from performing I/O when using either the USING or GIVING options. Therefore, it might be to your advantage to specify YES as the default.

FLAG

FLAG affects whether the compiler produces diagnostic messages at or above a specified severity level.

Syntax

```
FLAG=(x,y)
```

Default

FLAG=(I,I)
Note: The second severity level used in this syntax must be equal to or higher than the first.

\[ x \ I|W|E|S|U \]

Specifies that errors at or above the severity level specified are flagged and written at the end of the source listing.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ID</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Return code</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>I</td>
<td>Information</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W</td>
<td>Warning</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>E</td>
<td>Error</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>S</td>
<td>Severe error</td>
<td>12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>U</td>
<td>Unrecoverable error</td>
<td>16</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

\[ y \ I|W|E|S|U \]

The optional second severity level specifies the level of syntax messages embedded in the source listing in addition to being at the end of the listing.

NO Indicates that no error messages are flagged.

Note:

- If the messages are to be embedded, SOURCE must be specified at compile time. Embedded messages enhance productivity because they are placed after the referenced source statement.
- Specification of FLAG(W|E|S) might result in the loss of entire classes of messages from the Events records in the Associated Data (SYSADATA) file. For further details, see FLAG in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

### FLAGSTD

FLAGSTD affects the subset of the 85 COBOL Standard language elements that are regarded as conforming, and affects the flagging of informational messages about the language elements used.

**Syntax**

\[
\text{FLAGSTD} = \begin{cases} 
\text{NO} \\
\{ x \} \\
\{ y \} \\
\{ 0 \}
\end{cases}
\]

**Default**

FLAGSTD=NO

\[ x \]

Can be M, I, or H to specify flagging for a FIPS COBOL subset or standard:

- M = ANS minimum subset of Standard COBOL
- I = ANS intermediate subset, composed of those additional intermediate subset language elements that are not part of the ANS minimum subset
- H = ANS high subset, composed of those additional high subset language elements that are not part of the ANS intermediate subset

\[ y \]

Can be any one or two combinations of D, N, or S to further define the level of flagging produced:

- D = Specifies ANS debug module level 1
N  Specifies ANS segmentation module level 1
S  Specifies ANS segmentation module level 2 (where S is a superset of N)
0  Specifies that obsolete elements occurring in any of the sets above are flagged
NO Specifies that no FIPS flagging is to be done

Note:
- The following elements are flagged as nonconforming nonstandard IBM extensions to the 85 COBOL Standard:
  - Language syntax used by the COBOL automatic date-processing facilities
  - Language syntax for object orientation and improved interoperability with C/C++
  - Use of the PGMNAME=LONGMIXED compiler option
- When FIPS flagging is specified, informational messages in the source program listing identify:
  - Whether the language element is obsolete, nonconforming standard, or nonconforming nonstandard (language elements that are both obsolete and nonconforming are flagged as obsolete only)
  - The clause, statement, or header containing the nonconforming or obsolete syntax
  - The source program line and an indication of the starting column within that line
  - The level or optional module to which the language element belongs
- FIPS flagging is suppressed when any error diagnosed as level E or higher occurs.
- Interaction of FLAGSTD and other compiler options:
  - If the following compiler options are explicitly or implicitly specified in a program, FLAGSTD=(other than NO) causes a compiler FIPS message to be issued:
    - ADV=NO
    - BLOCK0=YES
    - CICS=YES
    - DLL=YES
    - DYNAM=NO
    - EXPORTALL=YES
    - FASTSRT=YES
    - LITCHAR=APOST
    - NAME=NO
    - NUMPROC=PFD
    - PGMNAME=LONGMIXED
    - QUALIFY=EXTEND
    - THREAD=YES
    - TRUNC=OPT or BIN
    - VLR=COMPAT
    - WORD=(other than NO or RWT)
    - ZONEDATA=MIG
    - ZWB=NO
Specifying the following options together with FLAGSTD=(other than NO), while attempting to assemble the customization macro, results in a nonzero return code:
- ADV=NO
- DBCS=YES
- DYNAM=NO
- LITCHAR=APOST
- NUM=YES
- NUMPROC=PFD
- QUALIFY=EXTEND
- SEQ=YES
- TRUNC=OPT or BIN
- VLR=COMPAT
- WORD=(other than NO or RWT)
- ZONEDATA=MIG
- ZWB=NO

- FLAGSTD might produce events records in the Associated Data file for FIPS standard conformation messages. Error messages are not guaranteed to be sequential with respect to source record numbers.

FLAGSTD messages can be converted into diagnostic messages, or suppressed. For details, see "MSGEXIT" on page 43.

HGPR
The HGPR option controls the compiler usage of the 64-bit registers provided by z/Architecture processors.

### Syntax

```
HGPR=
PRESERVE

HGPR=
NOPRESERVE
```

Default is: HGPR=PRESERVE

The Enterprise COBOL compiler uses the 64-bit width of the z/Architecture General Purpose Registers (GPRs). HGPR stands for "High-halves of 64-bit GPRs", which means the use of native 64-bit instructions.

**HGPR=PRESERVE**

If you specify HGPR=PRESERVE, the compiler preserves the high halves of the 64-bit GPRs that a program is using, by saving them in the prolog for the function and restoring them in the epilog. The PRESERVE suboption is necessary only if the caller of the program is not Enterprise COBOL, Enterprise PL/I, or z/OS XL C/C++ compiler-generated code.
**HGPR=NOPRESERVE**

If you specify **HGPR=NOPRESERVE**, the compiler omits preserving the high-halves of the 64-bit GPRs that a program is using, which improves performance.

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**INEXIT**

INEXIT designates a module to be called to obtain source statements instead of reading the SYSIN data set.

**Syntax**

```
INEXIT=* name
```

**Default**

No exit is specified. Equivalent to specifying the NOINEXIT suboption of the EXIT compiler option. If INEXIT=* is coded without the *name* parameter, NOINEXIT cannot be overridden.

**name**

Identifies a module to be used with the EXIT compiler option. If the suboption for this user exit is specified, the compiler loads the named module and calls it to obtain source statements instead of reading the SYSIN data set. If the option is supplied, the SYSIN data set is not opened.

For more information about the EXIT compiler option, see *EXIT compiler option* in the *Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide*.

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**INITCHECK**

Use the INITCHECK option to have the compiler check for uninitialized data items and issue warning messages when they are used without being initialized.

**Syntax**

```
INITCHECK=NO YES
```

**Default**

INITCHECK=NO

**NO** The compiler will not issue any warning messages for uninitialized data items.

**YES**

The compiler will check for uninitialized data items and issue a warning message when a data item is used without being initialized. However, if a data item is possibly initialized when it is used in a statement, no warning message will be issued.

**Restrictions:**

- The INITCHECK option analyzes data items in the WORKING-STORAGE SECTION and LOCAL-STORAGE SECTION only. In particular, it does not analyze data items in the LINKAGE SECTION or FILE SECTION.
- The INITCHECK option does not track external or global data items.
The INITCHECK option does not track individual elements in tables independently. Instead, if one element of a table is initialized, all corresponding elements of the table are considered to be initialized. This applies to both fixed-length and variable-length tables.

The INITCHECK analysis does not track the initialization of items if it happens through a pointer. For example, if a pointer to an uninitialized data item is created by using ADDRESS-OF, and that data item is initialized through that pointer, the INITCHECK analysis might also issue a warning message.

For uninitialized data items being passed BY REFERENCE, no warning messages will be issued. However, the INITCHECK analysis will warn about uninitialized data items being passed BY CONTENT and BY VALUE.

The INITCHECK and OPTIMIZE=0 compiler options are mutually exclusive. Setting OPTIMIZE=0 and INITCHECK=YES results in a nonzero return code and an error message during assembly of the customization macro.

Note:
- All of the INITCHECK analyses occur at compile time only.
- The INITCHECK option has no effect on the behavior or performance of the program after it has been compiled.
- Use of the INITCHECK option might increase compile time and memory consumption.

INTDATE

INTDATE affects the starting date that is used for date intrinsic functions.

Syntax

```
INTDATE=ANSI | LILIAN
```

Default
INTDATE=ANSI

ANSI
Uses the ANSI COBOL Standard starting date for integer date format dates used with date intrinsic functions. Day 1 = Jan 1, 1601.

With INTDATE(ANSI), the date intrinsic functions return the same results as in COBOL/370 Release 1.

LILIAN
Uses the Language Environment® Lilian starting date for integer date format dates used with date intrinsic functions. Day 1 = Oct 15, 1582.

With INTDATE(LILIAN), the date intrinsic functions return results compatible with the Language Environment date callable services. These results are different from those in COBOL/370 Release 1.

Note:
- When INTDATE(LILIAN) is in effect, CEECBLDY is not usable because you have no way to turn an ANSI integer into a meaningful date using either intrinsic functions or callable services. If you code a CALL literal statement with CEECBLDY as the target of the call with INTDATE(LILIAN) in effect, the compiler diagnoses this and converts the call target to CEEDAYS.
If you set your installation option to INTDATE(LILIAN), you should recompile all of your COBOL/370 Release 1 programs that use intrinsic functions to ensure that all of your code uses the lilian integer date standard. This method is the safest, because you can store integer dates, pass them between programs, and even pass them from PL/I to COBOL to C programs and have no problems.

**LANGUAGE**

LANGUAGE affects the language used for compiler output messages.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
LANGUAGE=XX
```

**Default**

```
LANGUAGE=EN
```

**XX** Specifies the language for compiler output messages. Entries for this parameter might be selected from the following list.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Entry</th>
<th>Language</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>EN or ENGLISH</td>
<td>Mixed case U.S. English</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>JA, JP, or JAPANESE</td>
<td>Japanese</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UE or UENGLISH</td>
<td>Uppercase U.S. English</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Note:**

- The LANGUAGE option name must consist of at least the first two identifying characters. Other characters after the first two can be used; however, only the first two are used to determine the language name.
- This compiler option does not affect the language in which runtime messages are displayed. For more information about runtime options and messages, see the z/OS Language Environment Programming Guide.
- Some printers use only uppercase and might not accept output in mixed case (LANGUAGE=ENGLISH).
- To specify the Japanese language option, the Japanese National Language Feature must be installed.
- To specify the English language option (mixed-case English), the U.S. English Language Feature must be installed.
- If your installation provides a language other than those listed above, and you select it as your installation's default, you must specify at least the first two characters of the language name. These two characters must be alphanumeric.
- The selection of Japanese together with specification of the ADATA option might result in DBCS characters being written to error identification records in the Associated Data file.

**LIBEXIT**

LIBEXIT designates a module to be called to obtain COPY statements instead of reading the SYSLIB or library-name data set.
Syntax

\[ \text{LIBEXIT=} \star \text{name} \]

Default
No exit is specified. Equivalent to specifying the NOLIBEXIT suboption of the EXIT compiler option. If LIBEXIT=\* is coded without the name parameter, NOLIBEXIT cannot be overridden.

name
Identifies a module to be used with the EXIT compiler option. If the suboption for this user exit is specified, the compiler loads the named module and calls it to obtain COPY statements instead of reading the SYSLIB or library-name data set. If the option is supplied, the SYSLIB and library-name data sets are not opened.

For more information about the EXIT compiler option, see EXIT compiler option in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

**LINECNT**

LINECNT affects the number of lines to be printed on each page of the compiler source listing.

Syntax

\[ \text{LINECNT=} \star \text{integer} \]

Default
LINECNT=60

integer
Specifies the number of lines to be printed on each page of the compiler source code listing. Three of the lines are used to generate headings. For example, if you specify LINECNT=60, 57 lines of source code are printed on each page of the output listing, and 3 lines are used for headings.

The LINECNT installation option is equivalent to the LINECOUNT compiler option.

**LIST**

LIST affects whether an assembler-language expansion is produced in source listings.

Syntax

\[ \text{LIST=} \star \text{NO-YES} \]

Default
LIST=NO
YES

   Produces a listing that includes:
      • The assembler-language expansion of source code
      • Information about working storage
      • Global tables
      • Literal pools

NO  Suppresses this listing.

The LIST and OFFSET compiler options are mutually exclusive. Setting offsets=YES and LIST=YES results in a nonzero return code and an error message during assembly of the customization macro.

LITCHAR

LITCHAR affects whether the QUOTE figurative constant represents quotation marks or apostrophes.

Syntax

   LITCHAR=[QUOTE | APOST]

Default

   LITCHAR=QUOTE

QUOTE

   Use QUOTE if you want the figurative constant [ALL] QUOTE or [ALL] QUOTES to represent one or more quotation mark (" characters.QUOTE conforms to the 85 COBOL Standard.

Note:

   • Either quotation marks or apostrophes can be used as literal delimiters, regardless of whether the APOST or QUOTE option is in effect.
   • The delimiter character used as the opening delimiter for a literal must be used as the closing delimiter for that literal.

LVLINFO

LVLINFO affects whether one to eight characters of compiler-level information are inserted into the listing header and object program.

Syntax

   LVLINFO=[xxxxxx]

Default

   No characters are specified.

xxxxxxx

   Identifies the one to eight alphanumeric characters that are inserted into the
listing header following the release number, and also the last eight bytes of the
Compiler Options and Program Information Section of the object program.
This option might be used to identify “compiler level” information within the
listing header and object program.

**MAP**

The MAP option affects whether map information about the DATA DIVISION
items and all implicitly declared items is shown in the listing. The option also
controls whether hexadecimal or decimal offsets are shown for MAP output in the
listing.

**Syntax**

```
MAP=*
```

**HEX or DEC**
Maps items that are declared in the DATA DIVISION. Map output includes:
- DATA DIVISION map
- Nested program structure map, and program attributes
- Size of the program’s WORKING-STORAGE and LOCAL-STORAGE and its location in
  the object code if the program is compiled with the NORENT option

If you specify MAP=HEX, data item offsets within groups will be in
hexadecimal notation.

If you specify MAP=DEC, data item offsets within groups will be in decimal
notation.

**NO** Mapping is not performed.

**MAXPCF**

Use the MAXPCF option to specify a maximum program complexity factor value. The
program complexity factor (PCF) is computed by the compiler and the computed
value is in the listing file. If the PCF of your program exceeds the maximum value,
the compiler will automatically reduce the optimization level to speed up the
compilation and use less storage. Therefore, when you compile a suite of
programs, you do not have to specify an OPTIMIZE option value for each program.

**Syntax**

```
MAXPCF=n
```

Default is: \texttt{MAXPCF=60000}
must be an integer of 0 - 999999.

The aspects of the program taken into consideration when computing the complexity factor include:

- The number of COBOL statements in the PROCEDURE DIVISION, including generated statements from the CICS, SQL or SQLIMS options, and the expansion of COPY and REPLACE statements
- Initialization operations for WORKING-STORAGE or LOCAL-STORAGE data items with value clauses
- Operations for variable-length groups or subgroups in the DATA DIVISION, which compute their size at run time

Note: PCF is not a metric to measure how complex a program is. It is merely a count of COBOL items that can cause problems for optimization when there are a lot of them. To measure program complexity, you should use something like the Metrics feature provided by IBM Developer for z Systems®.

For large and complex programs, you can use the MAXPCF option to set a threshold on the program complexity that the compiler attempts optimize. Lower the MAXPCF value to reduce the optimization level, hence the compiler needs less memory and compilation time. Raise the MAXPCF value to attempt to optimize the programs at the cost of longer compilation time.

If you specify MAXPCF=0, no limit is enforced on the complexity of the program, and the MAXPCF option has no effect.

If you specify MAXPCF=n and n is not zero, when the program complexity factor exceeds n, any specification of OPTIMIZE(1) or OPTIMIZE(2) is reset to OPTIMIZE(0), and a warning message is generated.

If the COBOL source file contains a sequence of source programs (a batch compile), the MAXPCF limit is applied on a per program basis.

Notes:

- If the OPT=1 or OPT=2 option is set at installation time as a fixed, nonoverridable option, then MAXPCF=n with a nonzero n is an option conflict. In this case, the OPTIMIZE option takes precedence and the MAXPCF=0 option is forced on.
- If you attempt to optimize a program larger than the default threshold by raising the value of MAXPCF to n where n is greater than the default, or by specifying MAXPCF(0), the compiler might take excessive time to compile or fail to compile because of insufficient memory.

RELATED REFERENCES

"OPTIMIZE" on page 49

MDECK

MDECK affects whether output from library processing is written to a file.

Syntax
Default
MDECK=NO

COMPILE
Compilation continues normally after library processing and generation of the MDECK output file.

NOCOMPILE
Compilation ends after library processing is completed and the expanded source program file is written.

NO  An MDECK output file is not produced.

MSGEXIT
MSGEXIT designates a module to be called to enable customization of compiler messages.

Syntax

Default
No exit is specified. Equivalent to specifying the NOMSGEXIT suboption of the EXIT compiler option. If MSGEXIT=* is coded without the name parameter, NOMSGEXIT cannot be overridden.

name
Identifies a module to be used with the EXIT compiler option. If the suboption for this user exit is specified, the compiler loads the named module and calls it to enable customization of compiler messages. The severity of messages can be changed, messages can be suppressed, and FIPS messages resulting from the FLAGSTD compiler option can be converted into diagnostic messages.

For more information about the EXIT compiler option, see EXIT compiler option in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

NAME
NAME affects whether a program management binder NAME statement is appended to each object module and whether an ALIAS statement is created for each ENTRY statement.

Syntax

Default
NAME=NO

ALIAS
Creates a program management binder ALIAS statement for each ENTRY statement in the program. The ALIAS statement is inserted preceding the NAME statement corresponding to the PROGRAM-ID.
**NOALIAS**

Appends a program management binder NAME statement (NAME modname(R)) to each object module created in a batch compilation. The module name (modname) is derived from the PROGRAM-ID according to the rules for forming external module names.

**NO** Does not append program management binder NAME statements.

The NAME option lets you create multiple modules in a program library with a single batch compilation, which can be useful for dynamic calls.

**NSYMBOL**

NSYMBOL controls the interpretation of the N symbols used in PICTURE clauses, indicating whether national or DBCS processing is assumed.

**Syntax**

```
NSYMBOL= NATIONAL DBCS
```

**Default**

NSYMBOL=NATIONAL

**DBCS**

Use DBCS when data items are defined with the PICTURE clause consisting only of the PICTURE symbol N and without the USAGE clause. Such data items are treated as if the USAGE DISPLAY-1 clause were specified. Literals of the form N"..." or N'.....' are treated as DBCS literals.

**NATIONAL**

Use NATIONAL when data items are defined with the PICTURE clause consisting only of the PICTURE symbol N and without the USAGE clause. Such data items are treated as if the USAGE NATIONAL clause were specified. Literals of the form N"..." or N'.....' are treated as national literals.

**Note:**

- The NSYMBOL(DBCS) option is compatible with previous releases of IBM COBOL. The NSYMBOL(NATIONAL) option handles the N symbol consistently with the 2002 COBOL Standard.
- NSYMBOL(NATIONAL) forces the DBCS option.

**NUM**

NUM affects whether source-program line numbers are used in error messages and procedure maps.

**Syntax**

```
NUM= NO YES
```

**Default**

NUM=NO
YES
Uses the line numbers from the source program rather than compiler-generated line numbers in error messages and procedure maps.

NO  Uses the compiler-generated line numbers in error messages and procedure maps.

If COBOL programmers use COPY statements and NUM=YES is in effect, they must ensure that the source program line numbers and the COPY member line numbers are coordinated.

**NUMCHECK**

The NUMCHECK compiler option tells the compiler whether to generate extra code to validate data items when they are used as sending data items. For zoned decimal (numeric USAGE DISPLAY) and packed decimal (COMP-3) data items, the compiler generates implicit numeric class tests for each sending field. For binary data items, the compiler generates SIZE ERROR checking to see whether the data item has more digits than its PICTURE clause allows.

**Syntax**

```
NUMCHECK=<NO>, (ZON *(ALPHNUM | NOALPHNUM)), NOZON, PAC, NOPAC, BIN, NOBIN, MSG, ABD
```

**Default**

NUMCHECK=(NO)

Suboption defaults are:

- If no suboption is specified, defaults are NUMCHECK=(ZON(ALPHNUM), PAC, BIN, MSG).
- If no datatype suboption is specified, default datatype suboptions are ZON(ALPHNUM), PAC, and BIN. For example, NUMCHECK=(ABD) has the same effect as NUMCHECK=(ZON(ALPHNUM), PAC, BIN, ABD).
- If only one datatype suboption is specified, defaults are NOZON, NOPAC, NOBIN, and MSG. For example, NUMCHECK=(BIN) has the same effect as NUMCHECK=(NOZON, NOPAC, BIN, MSG).
- If all datatype suboptions are specified with NO, then the listing will show NONUMCHECK. For example, NUMCHECK=(NOZON, NOPAC, NOBIN) has the same effect as NUMCHECK=NO.

**ZON *(ALPHNUM | NOALPHNUM) | NOZON**

Specifying ZON or ZON(ALPHNUM) causes the compiler to generate code for an implicit numeric class test for zoned decimal (numeric USAGE DISPLAY) data items that are used as sending data items in COBOL statements.
Specifying ZON(NOALPHNUM) causes the compiler to generate code for an implicit numeric class test for zoned decimal (numeric USAGE DISPLAY) data items that are used as sending data items in COBOL statements, except when they are used in a comparison with an alphanumeric data item, alphanumeric literal or alphanumeric figurative constant.

Receivers are not checked, unless they are both a sender and a receiver, such as data item B in the following sample statements:

```
ADD A TO B
DIVIDE A INTO B
COMPUTE B = A + B
INITIALIZE B REPLACING ALPHANUMERIC BY B
```

This checking is done before the data is used in each statement:

- If the data is NOT NUMERIC, either a warning message for NUMCHECK=(ZON,MSG) or a terminating message for NUMCHECK=(ZON,ABD) is issued.
- If the data is NUMERIC, the external behavior of the statement is the same as NUMCHECK=(NOZON), other than being slower.

**PAC | NOPAC**

Specifying PAC causes the compiler to generate code for an implicit numeric class test for packed decimal (COMP-3) data items that are used as sending data items in COBOL statements. For packed decimal data items that have an even number of digits, the unused bits are checked for ones.

**Restriction:** For CALL statements, NUMCHECK=(ZON) and NUMCHECK=(PAC) check BY CONTENT data items that are zoned decimal or packed decimal, but they do not check BY REFERENCE parameters. (Neither zoned decimal nor packed decimal data items can be specified in a BY VALUE phrase.)

**BIN | NOBIN**

When TRUNC(OPT) or TRUNC(STD) are in effect, specifying NUMCHECK=(BIN) causes the compiler to generate code similar to ON SIZE ERROR to test if binary data items contents are bigger than the PICTURE clause. This extra code will be generated only for binary data items that are used as sending data items, and COMP-5 data items will not get this ON SIZE ERROR code generated.

NUMCHECK(BIN) has no effect if TRUNC(BIN) is in effect.

**MSG | ABD**

Determines whether the message issued for invalid data is a warning level message to continue processing or a terminating level message to cause an abend:

- If MSG is in effect, a runtime warning message with the line number, data item name, data item content, and program name is issued.
- If ABD is in effect, a terminating message is issued that causes an abend.

**NO** No code is generated to validate data items when they are used as sending data items.

**Performance considerations:** NUMCHECK is much slower than NUMCHECK=NO, depending on how many zoned decimal (numeric USAGE DISPLAY) data items, packed decimal (COMP-3) data items, and binary data items are used in a COBOL program.
In Enterprise COBOL V5.2 with PTF for APAR PI81006 installed, ZONECHECK is deprecated and can no longer be specified in IGYCDOPT. NUMCHECK= (ZON(ALPHNUM)) gives the same results as ZONECHECK used to.

**NUMCLS**

NUMCLS, in conjunction with NUMPROC, affects the numeric signs that the compiler treats as valid in numeric class tests.

NUMCLS specifies the sign representations that are recognized as valid by the numeric class test for data items that are defined with all of the following conditions:

- As signed (with an “S” in the PICTURE clause)
- Using DISPLAY or COMPUTATIONAL-3 (packed-decimal)
- No SEPARATE phrase on any SIGN clause

**Syntax**

```
NUMCLS= PRIM | ALT
```

**Default**

NUMCLS=PRIM

**ALT**

Processing with ALT accepts hexadecimal A through F as valid.

**PRIM**

Processing with PRIM accepts hexadecimal C, D, and F as valid.

**Note:**

- The numeric class test is affected by how the NUMPROC and the NUMCLS options are specified.
- The NUMCLS option is effective only for NUMPROC=NOPFD. NUMPROC=PFD specifies more strict rules for valid sign configuration.

**NUMPROC**

NUMPROC affects the treatment and processing of signs in internal decimal and zoned decimal data.

**Syntax**

```
NUMPROC= NOPFD | PFD
```

**Default**

NUMPROC=NOPFD
**NOPFD**

Repairs signs on input. After repair is performed, the signs meet the criteria for NUMPROC=PFD.

**PFD**

Optimizes the generated code, especially when a non-zero 0PTIMIZE level (OPT=1 or OPT=2) is specified. No explicit sign repair is performed. Note that NUMPROC=PFD has stringent criteria to produce correct results. To use NUMPROC=PFD:

- The sign position of unsigned numeric items must be X’F’.
- The sign position of signed numeric items must be either X’C’ if positive or zero, or must be X’D’ if negative.
- The sign position of separately signed numeric items must be either ’+’ if positive or zero, or ’-’ if otherwise.

Elementary MOVE and arithmetic statements in Enterprise COBOL always generate results with these preferred signs; however, group MOVEs and redefinitions might produce nonconforming results. The numeric class test can be used for verification. With NUMPROC=PFD, a numeric item fails the numeric class test if the signs do not meet the preferred sign criteria.

**Performance consideration:** Using NUMPROC=PFD generates significantly more efficient code for numeric comparisons. For most references to COMP-3 and DISPLAY numeric data items, using NUMPROC=NOPFD generates extra code because of sign “fix-up” processing. This extra code might also inhibit some other types of optimizations. Before setting this option, consult with your application programmers to determine the effect on the application program’s output.

Both the NUMPROC and NUMCLS options affect the numeric class test. With NUMPROC=NOPFD, the results of the numeric class test are controlled by how NUMCLS is set. When NUMPROC=PFD, a data item must meet the preferred sign criteria to be considered numeric.

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**OBJECT**

OBJECT affects whether the generated object code is written to a file.

**Syntax**

```
OBJECT=YES|NO
```

**Default**

```
OBJECT=YES
```

**YES**

Places the generated object code in a file, defined by the SYSLIN DD statement, to be used as input to the binder.

**NO**

Places no object code in SYSLIN.

The OBJECT=NO option conflicts with all values for TEST other than NO.
OFFSET

OFFSET affects whether a condensed PROCEDURE DIVISION listing is produced.

Syntax

OFFSET=*

Default
OFFSET=NO

YES

Produces a condensed PROCEDURE DIVISION listing. The procedure portion of the listing will contain line numbers, verb references, and the location of the first instruction generated for each verb. In addition, the listing also shows:

- Global tables
- Literal pools
- Size of the program's working storage, and its location in the object code if the program is compiled with the NORENT compiler option

NO

Does not condense the listing or produce the items listed above.

The LIST and OFFSET compiler options are mutually exclusive. Setting OFFSET=YES and LIST=YES results in a nonzero return code when you attempt to assemble the customization macro. For more information about conflict resolution, see "Conflicting compiler options" on page 15.

OPTIMIZE

OPTIMIZE affects the level of optimization that is made to object code, and can result in performance improvements.

Syntax

OPT=*

Default
OPT=0

0  Specifies limited optimizations, which result in the shortest compilation time. When the TEST option is specified, full debug capabilities are available.

1  Specifies optimizations that improve application runtime performance. Optimizations at this level include basic inlining, strength reduction, simplification of complex operations into equivalent simpler operations, removal of some unreachable code and block rearrangement. Also, OPT=1 includes some intrablock optimizations such as common subexpression elimination and value propagation. When the TEST option is specified, most debug capabilities are available.

2  Specifies further optimizations, which include more aggressive simplifications and instruction scheduling. Also, some interblock optimizations such as global
value propagation and loop invariant code motion are included. When the TEST option is specified, some debug capabilities are available.

**Performance consideration:** Using OPT=1 or OPT=2 generally results in more efficient runtime code.

**Note:**
- The OPTIMIZE compiler option is fully supported for programs that use object-oriented syntax for Java™ interoperability.
- Optimization is set to 0 if an S-level error or U-level error occurs, or if the Program Complexity Factor exceeds the MAXPCF integer specified.

For further details, see OPTIMIZE in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

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### OUTDD

OUTDD specifies the ddname to which DISPLAY output should be directed.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
OUTDD=SYSOUT ddname
```

**Default**

OUTDD=SYSOUT

**ddname**

Specifies the ddname of the file used for runtime DISPLAY output.

Change the default for this option if, at run time, you expect there could be a conflict with another product that requires SYSOUT as a ddname.

To understand how OUTDD interacts with the MSGFILE runtime option, see the description of MSGFILE in the z/OS Language Environment Programming Reference.

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### PGMNAME

PGMNAME controls the handling of program-names and entry-point names.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
PGMNAME=COMPAT|LONGMIXED|LONGUPPER
```

**Default**

PGMNAME=COMPAT

**COMPAT**

Program names are processed in a manner compatible with COBOL/370 Release 1 and VS COBOL II.

**LONGMIXED**

Program names are processed as is, without truncation, translation, or folding to uppercase.
LONGUPPER
Program names are folded to uppercase by the compiler but otherwise are processed as is, without truncation or translation.

The PGMNAME option controls the handling of names used in the following contexts:
- Program names defined in the PROGRAM-ID paragraph
- Program entry-point names in the ENTRY statement
- Program-name references in:
  - CALL statements that reference nested programs, statically linked programs, or DLLs
  - SET procedure-pointer or function-pointer statements that reference statically linked programs or DLLs
  - CANCEL statements that reference nested programs

For further details, see PGMNAME in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

PRTEXIT
PRTEXIT designates a module to be called instead of output being written to the SYSPRINT data set.

Syntax

PRTEXIT=

Default
No exit is specified. Equivalent to specifying the NOPRTEXIT suboption of the EXIT compiler option. If PRTEXIT=* is coded without the name parameter, NOPRTEXIT cannot be overridden.

name
Identifies a module to be used with the EXIT compiler option. When the suboption for this user exit is specified, the compiler loads the named module and calls it instead of writing to the SYSPRINT data set. When the option is supplied, the SYSPRINT data set is not opened.

For more information about the EXIT compiler option, see EXIT compiler option in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

QUALIFY
QUALIFY affects qualification rules and controls whether to extend qualification rules so that some data items that cannot be referenced under COBOL Standard rules can be referenced.
QUALIFY=*

COMPAT

If QUALIFY=COMPAT is in effect, the behavior will be the same as in previous COBOL compilers. A reference must be unique even if there is only one data item with exactly that complete set of qualifiers.

EXTEND

If QUALIFY=EXTEND is in effect, qualification rules are extended so that some references that are not unique by COBOL standard rules can be unique. If every level in the containing hierarchy of a group of names is qualified, the set of qualifiers is called a complete set of qualifiers. If there is only one data item with a specific complete set of qualifiers, the reference resolves to that data item, even if the same set of qualifiers could match with another reference as an incomplete set of qualifiers.

Example

01 A.
  02 B.
    03 C PIC X.
    02 C PIC X.
    .
    .
Move space to C of A  => Refers to 02 level C (unique only with QUALIFY(EXTEND))
Move space to C of B of A  => Refers to 03 level C (unique by COBOL standard rules)
Move space to C of B  => Refers to 03 level C (unique by COBOL standard rules)

RENT

RENT affects whether generated object code is reentrant.

Syntax

Default

RENT=YES

YES

Indicates that generated object code is to be reentrant. Using RENT=YES enables the program to be placed in shared storage for running above the 16 MB line. However, this option causes the compiler to generate additional code to ensure that the application program is reentrant.

NO  Indicates that generated object code is not to be reentrant.

Note:
• Compile programs with RENT if they will be run in virtual storage addresses above 16 MB.
• Execution of nonreentrant programs above 16 MB is not supported. Programs compiled with NORENT must be RMODE 24.
• The RENT compiler option is required for programs that are run under CICS.
• The RMODE assigned to a program depends on the RENT | NORENT and RMODE compiler options. Valid combinations are shown in the following table.

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<td>ANY</td>
<td>RMODE ANY</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>RENT</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>RMODE 24</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>NORENT</td>
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<td>RMODE 24</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NORENT</td>
<td>ANY</td>
<td>Compiler option conflict</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>NORENT</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>RMODE 24</td>
<td></td>
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</tbody>
</table>

• If the THREAD compiler option is specified, the RENT compiler option must also be specified. If THREAD and NORENT are specified at the same level of precedence, the RENT option is forced on.

For further details, see RENT in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

RMODE

RMODE affects the residency mode of generated object programs.

Syntax

```
RMODE=  AUTO  24  ANY
```

Default

RMODE= AUTO

24 Specifies that a program will have RMODE 24 whether NORENT or RENT is specified.

ANY Specifies that a program will have RMODE ANY if RENT is specified, and will receive an error if NORENT is specified.

AUTO Specifies that a program will have RMODE 24 if NORENT is specified, and RMODE ANY if RENT is specified.

Note:

• Enterprise COBOL NORENT programs that pass data to programs running in AMODE 24 must be either compiled with the RMODE(24) option or link-edited with RMODE 24. The data areas for NORENT programs will be above the 16
MB line or below the 16 MB line depending on the RMODE of the program, even if DATA(24) has been specified. DATA(24) applies to programs compiled with the RENT option only.

- Programs compiled with Enterprise COBOL always have AMODE ANY. The RMODE assigned to a program depends on the RMODE and RENT|NORENT compiler options. Valid combinations are shown in the following table.

Table 7. Effect of RMODE and RENT | NORENT on residency mode

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<td>RENT</td>
<td>RMODE ANY</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ANY</td>
<td>NORENT</td>
<td>NORENT</td>
<td>Not applicable. A compiler error is issued.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>RENT</td>
<td>RENT</td>
<td>RMODE 24</td>
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### RULES

You can use the RULES option to request information about your program from the compiler to improve the program by flagging certain types of source code at compile time.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
RULES = (NOENDP, EVENP, LXPRF, SLCKB)
```

**Default**

RULES = (NO)

Has the same effect as RULES=(ENDP, EVENP, LXPRF, SLCKB).

You can specify the following suboptions for RULES other than default ones:

**RULES=(NOENDP)**

Causes the compiler to issue warning messages when the scope of a conditional statement is terminated by a period instead of an explicit scope terminator END-*.

**RULES=(NOEVENP)**

Causes the compiler to issue warning messages for any USAGE PACKED-DECIMAL (COMP-3) data items that have an even number of digits because those data items whose unused bits are not zero can lead to an unexpected program behavior.
**Note:** RULES(NO EVENP) helps compilers to identify even-length USAGE PACKED-DECIMAL (COMP-3) data items. However, it is not necessary to change those data items to odd-length items when the related database schema uses even-length packed values.

**RULES=(NOLXPRF)**
Causes the compiler to issue warning messages for usage of inefficient COBOL features. These features might include USAGE DISPLAY numeric data items in arithmetic statements, large amounts of space padding in MOVE statements, inefficient compiler options, and other cases.

**RULES=(NOSLCKB)**
Causes the compiler to issue warning messages for any SYNCHONIZED data items that cause the compiler to add slack bytes, either slack bytes within records or slack bytes between records. Each data item that causes slack bytes to be added gets a compiler diagnostic.

**Notes:**
- It is not necessary to specify all of the suboptions for RULES. If a suboption is not specified, the default takes effect.
- RULES must be specified with at least one suboption for installation defaults.
- If more than one suboption is specified, separate the suboptions with commas or space, for example, RULES=(NOLXPRF,SLCKB) or RULES=(NOLXPRF SLCKB).

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**SERVICE**

Use SERVICE to place a string in the object module if the object module is generated. If the object module is linked into a program object, the string is loaded into memory with this program object. If the Language Environment dump includes a traceback, this string is included in that traceback.

**Syntax**

```
SERVICE= [NO] 'service string'
```

**Default**

SERVICE=NO

The service string is limited to 64 characters in length.

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**SEQ**

SEQ affects whether the compiler verifies that source statements are in ascending order by sequence number.

**Syntax**

```
SEQ=[YES|NO]
```

**Default**

SEQ=YES
YES
Checks that the source statements are in ascending alphanumeric order by line number.

NO  Does not perform sequence checking.

If both SEQ and NUM are in effect at compile time, the sequence is checked according to numeric, rather than alphanumeric, collating sequence.

**SOURCE**

SOURCE affects whether source statements are included in compiler listings.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
>> SOURCE=  
YES NO  
```

**Default**

SOURCE=YES

YES  Indicates that you want a listing of the source statements in the compiler-generated output. This listing also includes any statements embedded by COPY.

NO  Source statements do not appear in the output.

The SOURCE compiler option must be in effect at compile time if you want embedded messages in the source listing.

**SPACE**

SPACE affects whether single-, double-, or triple-spacing is used in source listings.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
>> SPACE=  
1 2 3  
```

**Default**

SPACE=1

1  Provides single spacing for the source statement listing.
2  Provides double spacing for the source statement listing.
3  Provides triple spacing for the source statement listing.

**SQL**

SQL affects whether the DB2 coprocessor is enabled and whether DB2 options can be specified.
Syntax

Default
SQL=NO

YES
Use to enable the DB2 coprocessor and to specify DB2 options. You must specify the SQL option if your COBOL source program contains SQL statements and it has not been processed by the DB2 precompiler.

NO
Specify to have any SQL statements found in the source program diagnosed and discarded.

Use SQL=NO if your COBOL source programs do not contain SQL statements, or if the separate SQL precompiler will be used to process SQL statements before invocation of the COBOL compiler.

Note:
- You can specify the SQL option in any of the compiler option sources: compiler invocation, PROCESS or CBL statements, or installation defaults.
- Use either quotation marks or apostrophes to delimit the string of DB2 options.
- DB2 options cannot be specified as part of customizing the SQL option. (DB2 options are supported only if the SQL compiler option is specified as an invocation option or in a CBL or PROCESS statement.) However, default DB2 options can be specified when you customize the DB2 product installation defaults.

SQLCCSID

SQLCCSID controls whether the CODEPAGE compiler option influences the processing of SQL statements when the SQL compiler option is in effect.

Syntax

Default
SQLCCSID=YES

YES
Indicates that the CODEPAGE compiler option setting will influence the processing of SQL statements within the source program when the integrated DB2 coprocessor (SQL compiler option) is used.

NO
Indicates that the CODEPAGE compiler option setting will not influence the processing of SQL statements within the source program when the integrated DB2 coprocessor is used. Only COBOL statements will be sensitive to the CCSID specified in the CODEPAGE option.

Note:
The SQLCCSID option has an effect only when you use the integrated DB2 coprocessor (SQL compiler option).

The NOSQLCCSID option is recommended for applications that require the highest compatibility with the behavior of the DB2 precompiler.

For further details, see SQLCCSID in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.

### SQLIMS

SQLIMS affects whether the IMS SQL coprocessor is enabled and whether Information Management System (IMS) suboptions can be specified.

**Syntax**

```
SQLIMS=[NO|YES]
```

**Default**

SQLIMS=NO

**YES**

Use to enable the IMS SQL coprocessor and to specify Information Management System (IMS) suboptions. You must specify the SQLIMS option if a COBOL source program contains SQLIMS statements.

**NO**

Specify to have any SQLIMS statements found in the source program diagnosed and discarded.

Use SQLIMS=NO if your COBOL source programs do not contain SQLIMS statements.

**Notes:**

- You can specify the SQLIMS option in any of the compiler option sources: compiler invocation, PROCESS or CBL statements, or installation defaults.
- Use either double quotation marks or single quotation marks to delimit the string of IMS suboptions.
- You can partition a long suboption string into multiple suboption strings in multiple CBL statements.

### SSRANGE

SSRANGE affects whether code is generated to check for out-of-range storage references.

**Syntax**

```
SSRANGE=[NO|ZLEN|NOZLEN|ABD|ZLEN,NOZLEN,ABD,MSG]
```

With the PTF for APAR PI53044 installed, new suboptions ZLEN and NOZLEN are added to control how the compiler checks reference modification lengths.
With the PTF for APAR PI86343 installed, new suboptions MSG and ABD are added to control the runtime behavior of the COBOL program when a range check fails.

**Default**
SSRANGE=NO

**ZLEN|NOZLEN**
Generates code that checks subscripts, reference modifications, variable-length group ranges, and indexes at run time to ensure that they do not refer to storage outside the area assigned. It also verifies that a table with ALL subscripting, specified as a function argument, contains at least one occurrence in the table.

The generated code also checks that variable-length items do not exceed their defined maximum length as a result of incorrect setting of the OCCURS DEPENDING ON object. For unbounded groups or their subordinate items, checking is done only for reference modification expressions. Subscripted or indexed references to tables subordinate to an unbounded group are not checked.

The ZLEN and NOZLEN suboptions control how the compiler checks reference modification lengths:

- If ZLEN is in effect, the compiler generates code to ensure that reference modification lengths are greater than or equal to zero (that is, zero-length reference modification specifications will NOT get an SSRANGE error at runtime).
- If NOZLEN is in effect, the compiler generates code to ensure that reference modification lengths are greater than or equal to 1 (that is, zero-length reference modification specifications will get an SSRANGE error at runtime). This is compatible with how SSRANGE behaved in previous COBOL versions.

**Performance consideration:** If SSRANGE=ZLEN or SSRANGE=NOZLEN at compile time, object code size is increased and there will be an increase in runtime overhead to accomplish the range checking.

**MSG|ABD**
The MSG and ABD suboptions control the runtime behavior of the COBOL program when a range check fails.

- If MSG is in effect and a range check fails, a runtime warning message will be issued. Also, the program will continue executing and might potentially identify other out-of-range conditions.
- If ABD is in effect and a range check fails, the first out-of-range condition will result in a runtime error message and the program will abend. You can find the next potential out-of-range condition by fixing the first out-of-range condition and then recompiling and running the program again. To identify all other potential out-of-range conditions, you might need to repeat this process several times.

**Performance consideration:** If anything other than SSRANGE=NO is in effect at compile-time, the object code size will be increased, and the runtime overhead will also be increased to accomplish the range checking.

**NO**
No code is generated to perform subscript or index checking at run time.

**Notes:**
- If you specify anything other than SSRANGE=NO, range checks are generated by the compiler and the checks are always executed at run time. The
compiled-in range checks cannot be disabled even if you specify the Language Environment runtime option CHECK(OFF).

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**STGOPT**

The STGOPT option controls storage optimization.

**Syntax**

```
STGOPT= NO YES
```

Default is: STGOPT=NO

If you specify STGOPT=YES, the compiler might discard any or all of the following data items, and does not allocate storage for them.

- Unreferenced LOCAL-STORAGE and non-external WORKING-STORAGE level-77 and level-01 elementary data items
- Non-external level-01 group items if none of their subordinate items are referenced
- Unreferenced special registers

The compiler will not generate code to initialize discarded data items to the values in their VALUE clauses.

In addition, with STGOPT=YES, data items in the LOCAL-STORAGE SECTION can be reordered in memory to optimize performance.

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**TERM**

TERM affects whether progress and diagnostic messages are sent to the SYSTERM device.

**Syntax**

```
TERM= NO YES
```

Default

- TERM=NO
- TERM=YES

YES

Specifies that the progress and diagnostic messages are sent to the SYSTERM file, which defaults to the user's terminal unless specified otherwise.

NO

Specifies that no messages are sent to the SYSTERM file.

If TERM is specified in the source program, a SYSTERM DD statement must also be specified for each application program.
TERM corresponds to the TERMINAL compiler option.

TEST

TEST affects the amount of debugging information that is produced in object code, which determines the level of debugging support that is available.

Syntax

TEST=(NO,DWARF)

If you specify TEST=(NO,DWARF), basic DWARF diagnostic information is included in the application module. This option enables application failure analysis tools, such as CEEDUMP and IBM Fault Analyzer. With TEST=(NO,DWARF), the debugging information is a subset of the DWARF information that is available with TEST.

Debugging information generated by the compiler is in the industry-standard DWARF format. For more information about DWARF, see About Common Debug Architecture in the DWARF/ELF Extensions Library Reference.

TEST=(NO, NODWARF)

If you specify TEST=(NO, NODWARF), DWARF diagnostic information is not included in the application module.

TEST=(other than NO)

Produces object code that is enabled to be symbolically debugged using Debug Tool. When the TEST option is specified, DWARF debugging information is included in the application module.

TEST=(EJPD, ...)

If you specify TEST=(EJPD, ...) and OPT=(1|2):

- The Debug Tool commands GOTO and JUMPTO are enabled.
- Program optimization will be reduced. Optimization will be done within statements; most optimizations will not cross statement boundaries.

TEST=(NOEJPD, ...)

If you specify TEST=(NOEJPD, ...) and OPT=(1|2):

- The JUMPTO and GOTO commands are not enabled. However, you can still use JUMPT0 and GOTO if you use the SET WARNING OFF Debug Tool command. In this scenario, JUMPTO and GOTO will have unpredictable results.
- The normal amount of program optimization is done.

TEST=(..., SOURCE)

If you specify TEST=(..., SOURCE), the generated DWARF debug
information generated by the compiler includes the expanded source code, and the compiler listing is not needed by IBM Debug Tool.

**TEST=(..., NOSOURCE)**

If you specify `TEST=(..., NOSOURCE)`, the generated DWARF debugging information does not include the expanded source code, and you will not be able to use IBM Debug Tool.

Note: If you specify the TEST option, you must set the `CODEPAGE` option to the CCSID that is used for the COBOL source program. In particular, programs that use Japanese characters in DBCS literals or DBCS user-defined words must be compiled with the `CODEPAGE` option set to a Japanese codepage CCSID. For more information, see “CODEPAGE” on page 23.

**THREAD**

THREAD controls whether programs are to be enabled for use in multithreaded applications.

**Syntax**

```plaintext
THREAD=YES

NO
```

**Default**

- `THREAD=NO`
- `YES`
- `NO`

Use YES to indicate that programs are to be enabled for execution in Language Environment enclaves that have multiple POSIX threads or PL/I tasks.

Use NO to indicate that programs are not to be enabled for execution in Language Environment enclaves that have multiple POSIX threads or PL/I tasks.

**Performance consideration:** If the THREAD compiler option is specified, runtime performance might be degraded because of the serialization logic that is automatically generated.

**Note:**

- If the THREAD compiler option is specified, the program is enabled for use in a threaded application. However, THREAD can be used in nonthreaded applications. For example, you can run a program that was compiled with the THREAD option in the CICS environment if the application does not contain multiple POSIX threads or PL/I tasks at run time.
- If the THREAD compiler option is specified, the RENT compiler option must also be specified. If THREAD and NORENT are specified at the same level of precedence, RENT is forced on.
- For COBOL programs to run in a threaded application, all COBOL programs in the run unit must be compiled with the THREAD compiler option.
- If the THREAD compiler option is specified, the following language elements are not supported. If any of the following language elements are specified, they are diagnosed as errors:
- ALTER statement
- DEBUG-ITEM special register
- GO TO statement without a procedure name
- INITIAL phrase in the PROGRAM-ID paragraph
- Nested programs
- RERUN
- Segmentation module
- Format 1 SORT or MERGE statements
- STOP literal statement
- USE FOR DEBUGGING statement

• If you compile programs with the THREAD compiler option, the following special registers are allocated upon each invocation:
  - ADDRESS OF
  - RETURN-CODE
  - SORT-CONTROL
  - SORT-CORE-SIZE
  - SORT-FILE-SIZE
  - SORT-MESSAGE
  - SORT-MODE-SIZE
  - SORT-RETURN
  - TALLY
  - XML-CODE
  - XML-EVENT
  - XML-INFORMATION
  - XML-NAMESPACE
  - XML-NAMESPACE-PREFIX
  - XML-NNAMESPACE
  - XML-NNAMESPACE-PREFIX
  - XML-NTEXT
  - XML-TEXT

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**TRUNC**

TRUNC affects the way that binary data is truncated during MOVE and arithmetic operations.

**Syntax**

```
TRUNC=STD|OPT|BIN
```

**Default**

TRUNC=STD

**BIN**

Should not be used as an installation default. Specifies that:
  - Output binary fields are truncated only at halfword, fullword, and doubleword boundaries, rather than at PICTURE-clause limits.
- Sending binary fields are treated as halfwords, fullwords, or doublewords, and no assumption is made that the values are limited to those implied by the PICTURE clause.
- DISPLAY converts and outputs the full content of binary fields with no truncation to the PICTURE description.

OPT
The compiler assumes that the data conforms to PICTURE and USAGE specifications. The compiler manipulates the result based on the size of the field in storage (halfword or fullword).

TRUNC=OPT is recommended, but it should be specified only when data being moved into binary areas does not have a value with larger precision than that defined by the binary item PICTURE clause. Otherwise, truncation of high-order digits might occur.

STD
Conforms to the 85 COBOL Standard.

Controls the way arithmetic fields are truncated during MOVE and arithmetic operations. The TRUNC option applies only to binary (COMP) receiving fields in MOVE statements and in arithmetic expressions. When TRUNC=STD is in effect, the final intermediate result of an arithmetic expression, or of the sending field in the MOVE statement, truncates to the number of digits in the PICTURE clause of the binary receiving field.

Performance consideration: Using TRUNC=OPT does not generate extra code, and generally improves performance. However, both TRUNC=BIN and TRUNC=STD generate extra code whenever a BINARY data item is changed. TRUNC=BIN is usually the slower of these options.

Recommendations:
- TRUNC=BIN is the recommended option for programs that use binary values set by other products. Other products, such as IMS, DB2, C/C++, FORTRAN, and PL/I, might place values in COBOL binary data items that do not conform to the PICTURE clause of those data items.
- You can use TRUNC=OPT with CICS programs provided that your data conforms to the PICTURE clause for the binary data items.
- Setting this option affects program runtime logic; that is, the same COBOL source program can give different results depending on the option setting. Verify whether your COBOL source programs assume a particular setting for correct running.

RELATED REFERENCES
“NUMCHECK” on page 45

VBREF
VBREF affects whether a cross-reference of verbs to line numbers and a verb-usage summary is produced.

Syntax

```
VBREF=YES
```

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Default

VBREF=NO

YES

Produces a cross-reference of all verb types in a source program to the line numbers where they are found. VBREF=YES also produces a summary of how many times each verb was used in the program.

NO  Does not produce a cross-reference or verb-summary listing.

VLR

The VLR option affects the file status returned from READ statements for variable-length records when the length of record returned is inconsistent with the record descriptions. It eases your migration from earlier versions to Enterprise COBOL V5, if your programs have READ statements that result in a record length conflict.

Syntax

[VLR=] STANDARD  COMPAT

Default

VLR=STANDARD

After the execution of a READ statement:

- If the number of character positions in the record that is read is less than the minimum size specified by the record description entries for the file, the portion of the record area that is to the right of the last valid character read is undefined.
- If the number of character positions in the record that is read is greater than the maximum size specified by the record description entries for the file, the record is truncated on the right to the maximum size.

In either of these cases, the READ statement is successful, and the file status is set to either 00 (hiding the record length conflict condition) or 04 (indicating that a record length conflict has occurred), depending on the VLR compiler option setting.

COMPAT

If you specify VLR=COMPAT, you get the status value of 00 when READ statements encounter a record length conflict.

Note: This setting can hide I/O problems that can arise with the wrong length read situation. Use the VLR=COMPAT option with caution, and check for correct READ statements.

STANDARD

If you specify VLR=STANDARD, you get the status value of 04 when READ statements encounter a record length conflict.

You can add code to test for FS=04 to avoid accessing undefined data in a record and also avoid getting protection exceptions for attempting to reference a part of the record that was truncated.
The VSAMOPENFS option affects the user file status reported from successful VSAM OPEN statements that require verified file integrity check.

Syntax

```plaintext
VSAMOPENFS=COMPAT
```

Default

VSAMOPENFS=COMPAT

COMPAT
If you specify VSAMOPENFS=COMPAT, the statement returns the file status 97 when a VSAM OPEN statement is successfully verified. This is compatible with pre-V5 COBOL runtime behavior.

SUCC
If you specify VSAMOPENFS=SUCC, the statement returns the file status 00 when a VSAM OPEN statement is successfully verified. This allows users to simply check for 0 in the first digit of the returned file status, as they usually do with other successful operations.

WORD

WORD indicates which alternate reserved-word table is to be used during compilation.

Syntax

```plaintext
WORD=NO
```

Default

WORD=NO

CICS
A CICS-specific word table, IGYCCICS, is provided as an alternate reserved word table. For a description, see “CICS reserved word table (IGYCCICS)” on page 13.

xxxx
Specifies an alternative default reserved word table to be used during compilation. xxxx represents the ending characters (can be 1 to 4 characters in length) of the name of the reserved word table used. The first 4 characters are IGYC. The last 4 characters cannot be any one of the character strings listed below, nor can any of them contain the dollar sign character ($).

- CBE
- DGEN
- DIAG
- DMAP
- DOPT
- ECWI
• FGEN
• INIT
• LIBO
• LIBR
• LSTR
• LVL0
• LVL1
• LVL2
• LVL3
• LVL8
• OSCN
• PGEN
• RCTL
• RDPR
• RDSC
• RWT
• SAW
• SCAN
• SIMD
• XREF

**NO** Indicates that no alternative reserved word table is to be used as the default.

**Note:**
• Specification of WORD affects the interpretation of input reserved words. System names (such as UPSI and SYSPUNCH) and the intrinsic function names should not be used as aliases for reserved words. If a function name is specified as an alias through the reserved word table ABBR control-statement, that function name will be recognized and diagnosed by the compiler as a reserved word and the intrinsic function will not be performed.
• Changing the default value of the WORD=XXXX option conflicts with all values for FLAGSTD other than NO.

### XMLPARSE

XMLPARSE indicates which parser is to be used for processing XML input, and therefore which XML parsing capabilities are available.

**Syntax**

```
XMLPARSE=XMLSS
```

**Default**

XMLPARSE=XMLSS

**COMPAT**

XML PARSE statements are processed using the XML parser that is a built-in component of the COBOL library. The XML PARSE statement results and
operational behaviors are then compatible with those obtained with Enterprise COBOL Version 3, and also with Version 4 when XMLPARSE(COMPAT) was used.

XMLSS
XML PARSE statements are processed using the z/OS XML System Services parser. The following XML parsing capabilities are available only when this suboption is in effect:

- Namespace processing enhancements
- The ENCODING, RETURNING NATIONAL, and VALIDATING phrases of the XML PARSE statement
- Support for direct parsing of XML documents encoded in UTF-8
- Support for parsing very large XML documents, a buffer of XML at a time
- Offloading of XML parsing to System z® Application Assist Processors (zAAPs)

XREFOPT
XREFOPT sets the default value for the XREF compiler option, which affects the amount of cross-reference information produced in listings.

Syntax

```
XREFOPT= FULL SHORT NO
```

Default
XREFOPT=FULL

FULL
Produces a sorted cross-reference of the names used in the program, and indicates the lines where the names are defined. Also produces a COPY/BASIS cross-reference. If SOURCE=YES is also specified, embedded cross-reference information is printed on the same lines as the source.

SHORT
Produces a sorted listing of only the explicitly referenced variables, and produces a COPY/BASIS cross-reference.

NO Supresses the cross-reference listings.

Note:
- XREFOPT=NO conflicts with values of DBCSXREF other than NO.
- It is recommended that you not change the default to XREFOPT=NO. If XREFOPT=NO, the COPY/BASIS cross-reference might in some cases be incomplete or missing.

For further details, see XREF in the Enterprise COBOL Programming Guide.
ZONECHECK

In Enterprise COBOL V5.2 with PTF for APAR PI81006 installed, ZONECHECK is
deprecated and can no longer be specified in IGYCDOPT.
NUMCHECK=(ZON(ALPHNUM)) gives the same results as ZONECHECK used to.

For details, see “NUMCHECK” on page 45.

RELATED REFERENCES
“NUMCHECK” on page 45
“NUMPROC” on page 47
“ZONEDA”

ZONEDATA

The ZONEDATA option tells the compiler whether the data in USAGE DISPLAY and
PACKED-DECIMAL data items is valid, and if not, what the behavior of the compiler
should be.

Syntax

```
ZONEDATA= PFD MIG NOPFD
```

Default

ZONEDATA=PFD

PFD

When ZONEDATA=PFD is in effect, the compiler assumes that all data in USAGE
DISPLAY and PACKED-DECIMAL data items is valid, and generates the most
efficient code possible to make numeric comparisons. For example, the
compiler might generate a string comparison to avoid numeric conversion.

MIG

When ZONEDATA=MIG is in effect, the compiler generates instructions to do
numeric comparisons that ignore the zone bits of each digit in zoned decimal
data items. For example, the zoned decimal value is converted to
packed-decimal with a pack instruction before the comparison. The compiler
will also avoid performing known optimizations that might produce a different
result than COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) when a zoned decimal or packed
decimal data item has invalid digits or an invalid sign code, or when a zoned
decimal data item has invalid zone bits.

NOPFD

When ZONEDATA=NOPFD is in effect, the compiler generates instructions for
numeric comparisons or an alphanumeric comparison of zoned decimal data in
the same manner as COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) does when using
NUMPROC=NOPFD|PFD with COBOL V4 (or earlier versions):

• In the cases where COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) considered the zone bits,
  the compiler generates an alphanumeric comparison which will also
  consider the zone bits of each digit in zoned decimal data items. The zoned
decimal value remains as zoned decimal.

• In the cases where COBOL V4 ignored the zone bits, the compiler generates
  numeric comparisons that ignore the zone bits of each digit in zoned
decimal data items. The zoned decimal value is converted to packed-decimal with a PACK instruction before the comparison.

In order for the compiler to generate comparisons of zoned decimal data in the same way that COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) did, the NUMPROC suboption used in COBOL V5 must match the NUMPROC suboption used in COBOL V4 (or earlier versions):

• To get the COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) NUMPROC=NOPFD behavior in COBOL V5, use ZONEDATA=NOPFD and NUMPROC=NOPFD in COBOL V5.
• To get the COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) NUMPROC=PFD behavior in COBOL V5, use ZONEDATA=NOPFD and NUMPROC=PFD in COBOL V5.

The compiler will also avoid performing known optimizations that might produce a different result than COBOL V4 (or earlier versions) when a zoned decimal or packed decimal data item has invalid digits or an invalid sign code, or when a zoned decimal data item has invalid zone bits.

Note: The sign code must be a valid sign code according to the NUMPROC compiler option setting. In addition, the low-order byte must have a valid zone (x'F') for unsigned and signed with either SIGN IS LEADING or SIGN IS SEPARATE.

In all, to ease your migration to COBOL V5:

• If your digits, sign code, and zone bits are valid, use ZONEDATA=PFD and the same NUMPROC setting that you used with COBOL V4 when using COBOL V5.
• If you have invalid digits, invalid sign code, or invalid zone bits:
  – If you used NUMPROC=MIG with COBOL V4, use ZONEDATA=MIG and NUMPROC=NOPFD with COBOL V5.
  – If you used NUMPROC=NOPFD with COBOL V4, use ZONEDATA=NOPFD and NUMPROC=NOPFD with COBOL V5.
  – If you used NUMPROC=PFD with COBOL V4, use ZONEDATA=NOPFD and NUMPROC=PFD with COBOL V5.

Note: It is not always possible to entirely match the behaviour of the old compiler even with these options when faced with clearly invalid data. For example, even for compares, ZONEDATA(NOPFD) isn’t going to give the same result in all cases as COBOL V4.

Performance consideration: ZONEDATA=PFD gives better runtime performance than ZONEDATA=NOPFD|MIG does. ZONEDATA=NOPFD|MIG disables some of the optimizations that NUMPROC=PFD can give.

ZWB

ZWB determines whether the compiler removes the sign from signed zoned decimal fields before they are compared to alphanumeric fields at run time.

Syntax

```
ZWB=YES
```

Default

ZWB=YES
YES

Removes the sign from a signed external decimal (DISPLAY) field when comparing this field to an alphanumeric field at run time.

NO

Does not remove the sign from a signed external decimal (DISPLAY) field when comparing this field to an alphanumeric field at run time.

Note:

- Setting this option affects program runtime logic; that is, the same COBOL source program can give different results, depending on the option setting. Verify whether your Enterprise COBOL source programs assume a particular setting to run correctly.

- Application programmers use ZWB=NO to test input numeric fields for SPACES.
Chapter 3. Customizing Enterprise COBOL

The following sections describe the supplied user jobs and modules that you can modify to customize Enterprise COBOL.

You can make modifications to Enterprise COBOL only after installation of the product is complete.

One of the modifications is made using an SMP/E USERMOD. If you do not ACCEPT Enterprise COBOL into the distribution libraries before applying the USERMOD, you will not be able to use the SMP/E RESTORE statement to remove your USERMOD. Do not accept your USERMOD into the distribution libraries. You might want to remove your USERMOD if you find that it does not suit the needs of the programmers at your site.

You will have to remove your USERMOD before applying service to the modules that it changes. In this case, you will probably want to reapply your USERMOD after successful installation of the service.

**Important**: Make sure that Enterprise COBOL serves the needs of the application programmers at your site. Confer with them while you plan the customization of Enterprise COBOL. Doing so will ensure that the modifications you make at install time best support the application programs being developed at your site.

All information for installing Enterprise COBOL is included in the Program Directory provided with the product.

### Summary of user modifications

Installation of Enterprise COBOL places a number of sample modification jobs in the target data set IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP. However, these sample modification jobs are not customized for your particular system. You must customize them.

Table 8 shows the names of the sample modification jobs, which are described in detail in the referenced information.

Copy members from IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP into one of your personal data sets before you modify and submit them so that you have an unmodified backup copy if you make changes that you want to abandon.

Descriptions of possible modifications appear in the comments in the JCL. You can use TSO to modify and submit the job.

**Table 8. Summary of user modification jobs for Enterprise COBOL**

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Changing the defaults for compiler options

You can change the defaults for compiler options, and can override fixed compiler options.

To change the defaults for compiler options:

1. Copy the source of options module IGYCDOPT from IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP into the appropriate job in place of the two-line comment.

2. Change the parameters on the IGYCLOPT macro call to match the compiler options that you have selected for your installation.

Observe the following requirements when coding the changed IGYCLOPT macro call:

- Place continuation character (X in the source) in column 72 on each line of the IGYCLOPT invocation except the last line. The continuation line must start in column 16. You can break the coding after any comma.
- Do not put a comma in front of the first option in the macro.
- Specify options and suboptions in uppercase. Only suboptions that are strings can be specified in mixed case or lowercase. For example, either LVLINFO=(Fix1) or LVLINFO=(FIX1) is acceptable.
- If one of the string suboptions contains a special character (for example, an embedded blank or unmatched right or left parenthesis), the string must be enclosed in apostrophes (’), not in quotation marks (“). A null string can be specified with either contiguous apostrophes or quotation marks.
- To obtain an apostrophe (’) or a single ampersand (&) within a string, two contiguous instances of the character must be specified. The pair is counted as only one character in determining whether the maximum allowable string length has been exceeded and in setting the effective length of the string.
- Avoid unmatched apostrophes in any string that uses apostrophes. The error cannot be captured within IGYCLOPT itself. Instead, the assembler produces a message such as:

IEV03 *** ERROR *** NO ENDING APOSTROPE

This message bears no spatial relationship to the offending suboption.
- Code only those options whose default value you want to change. The IGYCLOPT macro generates the default value for any option that you do not code.

For a worksheet to help you plan your default compiler options, see "IGYCDOPT worksheet for compiler options” on page 4. For descriptions of the options, see Chapter 2, “Enterprise COBOL compiler options,” on page 15.

- Place an END statement after the macro instruction.

For additional details about how to code macro calls, see the High Level Assembler for z/OS Language Reference.
Changing the compiler options default module

To change the defaults for the Enterprise COBOL compiler options, modify the sample job IGYWDOPT.

To choose default values, use the information in Chapter 2, “Enterprise COBOL compiler options,” on page 15.

If you coded OUT as the value for any compiler phase options, be sure to place these phases in shared storage before compiling a program by using your new compiler options default module. For more information, see “Compiler phases and their defaults” on page 8 and “Placing Enterprise COBOL modules in shared storage” on page 81.

To modify the JCL for IGYWDOPT, do these steps:

1. Add a job card appropriate for your site.
2. Add a JES ROUTE card if required for your site.
3. Replace the two comment lines in IGYWDOPT with a copy of the source for IGYCDOPT found in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP.
4. Code parameters on the IGYCOPT macro statement in IGYCDOPT to reflect the values you have chosen for your installation-wide default compiler options.
5. Change #GLOBALCSI to the global CSI name.
6. Change #TZONE in the SET BDY statement to the target zone name.

After you modify the IGYWDOPT job, submit it. You will get a condition code of 0 if the job runs correctly. Also check the IGYnnnn informational messages in your listing to verify the defaults that will be in effect for your installation.

Overriding options specified as fixed

Occasionally, you might have an application that needs to override one or more options that were specified as fixed.

You can provide other options by creating a temporary copy of the options module in a separate data set that can be accessed as a STEPLIB or JOBLIB (ahead of the IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP data set) when the application is compiled.

Sample job IGYWUOPT creates a default options module that is link-edited into a user-specified data set. The assembly and link-editing take place outside SMP/E control, so the standard default options module is not disturbed.

To modify the JCL for IGYWUOPT, do these steps:

1. Add a job card appropriate for your site.
2. Add a JES ROUTE card if required for your site.
3. Replace the two comment lines in IGYWUOPT with a copy of the source for IGYCDOPT found in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP.
4. Change the parameters on the IGYCOPT macro statement in IGYWUOPT to reflect the values that you have chosen for this fixed option override compiler-options module.
5. If you chose to use a different prefix than the IBM-supplied one for the Enterprise COBOL target data sets, check the SYSLIB DD statement (marked with ‘<<<<<<<’) to ensure that the data set names are correct.
6. Change DSNAME=YOURLIB in the SYSLMOD DD statement to the name of the data set that you want your IGYCDOPT module bound into. Note that an IGYCDOPT module currently in the chosen data set will be replaced by the new version.

After you modify the IGYWUOPT job, submit it. Both steps return a condition code of 0 if the job runs successfully. Also check the IGYnnnn informational messages in your listing to verify the defaults that are in effect when this module is used in place of the standard default options module.

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**Changing reserved words**

To change the words that Enterprise COBOL treats as reserved, use the reserved word table utility.

The reserved words used by Enterprise COBOL are maintained in a table (IGYCRWT) provided with the product. A CICS-specific reserved word table (IGYCCICS) is provided as an alternate reserved word table (see "CICS reserved word table (IGYCCICS)" on page 13). You can change the reserved words by using the reserved word table utility (IGY8RWTU) to modify IGYCRWT or IGYCCICS, or by creating additional reserved word tables. You can also modify tables that you previously created.

The reserved word table utility accepts control statements to create or modify a reserved word table. The new table then contains the reserved words from the IBM-supplied table with all the changes that you have applied.

You can make the following types of changes to reserved word tables:

- Add words to be flagged with an informational message whenever they are used in a program. To produce these information messages, you must modify the IGYCRWT reserved word table and compile using the FLAGSTD option.
- Add words to be flagged with a severe error message whenever they are used in a program.
- Indicate that words currently flagged with an informational or error message should no longer be flagged.

Each reserved word table that you create must have a unique 1- to 4-character identifier. For a list of character strings that cannot be used, see "WORD" on page 66.

At compile time, the value of the compiler option WORD(xxxx) identifies the reserved word table to be used. xxxx is the unique 1- to 4-character identification that you specified in the member name IGYCxxxx. You can create multiple reserved word tables, but only one can be specified at compile time.

**Note:** The total number of entries in a reserved word table should not exceed 1536 or 1.5 KB.

Because of the following example, when the IBM extension reserved word ENTRY is used in a program, it will be flagged with message 0086.

INFO ENTRY

The following example restricts the use of Boolean, XD, and PARENT. Use of these will cause errors.
The following example restricts the use of GO TO and ALTER. Use of these will cause errors.

```
RSTR  GO
ALTER
```

In the following example, the reserved word table generated allows usage of all the 85 COBOL Standard language except nested programs.

```
RSTR IDENTIFICATION(1) only allow 1 program per compilation unit
RSTR ID(1) same for the short form
RSTR PROGRAM-ID(1) only allow 1 program per compilation unit
RSTR GLOBAL do not allow this phrase at all
```

**Creating or modifying a reserved word table**

You can create a reserved word table, or modify one of the existing reserved word tables.

Edit a copy of the appropriate source file:

1. Member IGY8RWRD in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP (the IBM-supplied default reserved word table)
2. Member IGY8CICS in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP (the IBM-supplied CICS reserved word table)
3. A user file (user-supplied reserved word table)

You must also modify and invoke the appropriate non-SMP/E JCL.

Your file should have four parts: Parts I, II, III, and IV. Modify the file and non-SMP/E JCL as follows:

1. Make a private copy of the file.
2. Skip Part I (all lines up to and including the line with the keyword MOD). Make no alterations in this part of the file!
3. Edit Part II by placing asterisks in column 1 of the lines that contain reserved words for which you do not want informational messages issued.
4. Edit Part III by placing asterisks in column 1 of the lines that contain reserved words for which you do not want severe messages issued.
5. Edit Part IV by coding additional reserved word control statements that create the modifications that you want, as described in “Coding control statements.”
6. Modify and run the JCL, as described in “Running JCL that creates a reserved word table” on page 81. You also must create a unique 1- to 4-character identification for the new reserved word table and supply it in the JCL.

**Coding control statements**

To create or modify a reserved word table, you must understand the syntax of the control statements that affect them.

The following figure illustrates the format for coding reserved word control statements.
As shown in the preceding figure, the keywords you can use are:

**ABBR** Specifies an alternative form of an existing reserved word

**INFO** Specifies words that are to be flagged with an informational message whenever they are used in a program and the FLAGSTD compiler option is in effect

**RSTR** Specifies words that are to be flagged with an error message whenever they are used in a program

All words that you identify with the control statement keywords INFO and RSTR are flagged with a message in the source listing of the Enterprise COBOL program that uses them. Words that are abbreviated are not flagged in the source listing unless you have also specified them on the INFO or RSTR control statements.

### Rules for coding control statements

You need to follow the rules when you code your control statements.

These rules are:

- Begin the control statement in column 1.
- Place one or more spaces between the keyword and the first operand.
- When specifying a second operand, include a colon (:) and one or more spaces after the first operand.
- Continue a control statement by putting blanks in columns 1 through 5, followed by the operand or operands, to make additional specifications.
- Specify comments by putting an asterisk (*) in column 1 of the control statements. You can also place comments on the same line as the control statement. In that case, however, there must be at least one space following the operand or operands before a comment begins.
- To specify more than one change within a single control statement, put each additional specification on a separate line.
- Do not add any blank lines.

### Coding operands in control statements

This topic shows the types of operands that you will be coding in the control statements.

**reserved-word**

An existing reserved word.

**user-word**

A user-defined COBOL word that is not a reserved word.
comments

Any comments that you want to put on the same line with the control statement, or on a separate line that has an asterisk in column 1.

COBOL-word

A word of up to 30 characters that can be a system name, a reserved word, or a user-defined word.

Rules for coding control statement operands

Follow the rules when you code the control statement operands.

These rules are:

• A user-word can be used in only one ABBR statement in any particular reserved word table.
• A reserved-word specified in an ABBR statement can also be specified in either a RSTR or an INFO statement.
• A particular reserved-word can be specified only once in an ABBR statement.
• A particular COBOL-word can be specified only once in either a RSTR or an INFO statement.

ABBR statement

The ABBR statement defines an alternative symbol for the reserved word specified. The symbol can be used when you code a program.

ABBR reserved-word: user-word [comments]

Note:

• The user-word becomes a reserved word and can be used in place of the reserved-word specified in this statement.
• The reserved-word remains a reserved word with its original definition.
• The source listing shows the original source—the symbol as you coded it.
• The reserved word is used in compiler output—other listings, some messages, and so forth.

In the following example, REDEF and SEP become abbreviations that can be used in source programs. The appropriate reaction to the use of REDEFINES and SEPARATE takes place when the source program is compiled.

ABBR REDIFINES: REDEF
SEPARATE: SEP

INFO statement

The INFO statement specifies the COBOL words that are to be flagged by the compiler, and it can also be used to control the use of nested programs.

INFO COBOL-word[@ | 1] [comments]

By selecting either 1 or 0, you can indicate whether a specific COBOL-word can be used only once, or not at all.

0 Indicates that whenever the specified COBOL-word is used, the 0086 informational message is issued if the FLAGSTD compiler option is in effect.

1 Indicates that the specified COBOL-word can be used once. If it is used more than once, informational message 0195 is issued.
The messages are handled as information (I) messages. The compilation condition is not changed.

**RSTR statement**

The RSTR statement specifies COBOL words that cannot be used in a program, and it can also be used to control the use of nested programs.

```
RSTR COBOL-word[(0 | 1)] [comments]
```

By selecting either 1 or 0, you can indicate whether a specific COBOL-word can be used only once, or not at all.

- **0**: Indicates that whenever the specified COBOL-word is used, message 0084 is issued.
- **1**: Indicates that the specified COBOL-word can be used once. If it is used more than once, severe message 0194 is issued.

The following reserved words can be restricted only by using option 1:

- IDENTIFICATION
- FD
- ENVIRONMENT
- DATA
- WORKING-STORAGE
- PROCEDURE
- DIVISION
- SECTION
- PROGRAM-ID

**Modifying and running non-SMP/E JCL**

Use sample job IGYWRWD in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP to create or modify a reserved word table.

The sample job uses a member based on IGY8RWRD or IGY8CICS in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYSAMP as the input to the reserve word utility. It creates program object IGYCxxxx (where xxxx is the user identification) in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP.

To modify the JCL for IGYWRWD, do these steps:

1. Modify the job statement for your site.
2. Add JES ROUTE records if required.
3. Change the data set name on the STEPLIB DD statement in STEP1 to match the compiler target data set name you used during installation.
4. To point to your modified reserved word table, do only one of the following steps:
   - Change the data set name in //RSWDREAD DD DSN=... to the data set name and member name of your modified reserved word table.
   - Replace the RSWDREAD DD with //RSWDREAD DD * and insert your modified reserved table immediately following that line.

   For specific instructions, see the comments in job IGYWRWD.

5. Change the name of the data set in the SYSLMOD DD statement in STEP3 to match the name of the data set to which you are adding your modified reserved word table. (The data set name in the SYSLMOD DD statement should be the name of the compiler target data set.) Also, you must specify the name of your modified reserved word table in the parentheses that follow the data set name in the SYSLMOD DD statement.
After you run IGYWRWD, if you receive a nonzero return code from the table utility, use the error messages in the output data set specified on the RSWDPRNT DD statement to correct any mistakes and rerun the job.

**Running JCL that creates a reserved word table**

The JCL that creates a reserved word table contains STEP1, STEP2, and STEP3.

The three steps do the following tasks, respectively:
1. Run the reserved word table utility with your modified table.
2. Assemble your modified reserved word table.
3. Produce a runtime program object from the object module.

After you run the job, a reserved word table is created, the library that you specified contains the new table, and the table has IGYC plus the 1- to 4-character identification that you specified.

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**Placing Enterprise COBOL modules in shared storage**

All of the modules in IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP that are reentrant can be included in shared storage.

To include the modules in shared storage, you can:
- Authorize the data set IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP
- (Optional) Include IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP in the LNKLIST
- Add compiler modules to LPA dynamically after the system is IPLed

Under z/OS, you do not need to place IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP in the LNKLIST concatenation to be able to load program objects into the LPA. If you choose not to add it to the LNKLIST concatenation, you must make the modules that are not included in the LPA available to steps that compile Enterprise COBOL applications by doing one of these steps:
- Copying the non-LPA modules to a data set that is in the LNKLIST concatenation
- Copying the non-LPA modules to a data set that can be used as a STEPLIB or JOBLIB

Using the entire IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP data set as a STEPLIB or JOBLIB defeats the purpose of placing the modules in the LPA because modules are loaded from a STEPLIB or JOBLIB before the LPA is searched.

Modules that you copy into another data set are not serviced automatically by SMP/E in that data set. You must rerun your copy job after you apply service to Enterprise COBOL to make the updated modules available in the LNKLIST data set or in the STEPLIB.

For more information about including modules in the LPA, see these documents:
- z/OS MVS Initialization and Tuning Guide
- z/OS MVS Initialization and Tuning Reference

If you are placing compiler phases in shared storage, code the corresponding phase options with the value OUT when you run the sample job IGYWDOPT to change the compiler options defaults. For more information, see “Changing the defaults for compiler options” on page 74.
Tailoring the cataloged procedures to your site

You might want to tailor the cataloged procedures IGYWC, IGYWCL, or IGYWCLG for use at your site.

Consider these changes:

• Modifying the data set name prefixes if you used a different prefix than the IBM-supplied ones for Enterprise COBOL or Language Environment target data sets
• Removing the STEPLIB DD statements if you placed IGY.V6R2M0.SIGYCOMP, CEE.SCEERUN, and CEE.SCEERUN2 in the LNKLST concatenation
• Changing the default region size for the GO steps if most of the programs at your site require a larger region for successful execution
• Changing the UNIT=parameter
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