

R/3 Documentation

Welcome to the R/3 Documentation CD!

This CD contains documentation in Microsoft Windows™ Help for R/3 Release 2.2.

It contains the following directories:

\SAPR3E - contains the English Help files

\SAPR3D - contains the German Help files

Installation Notes

You can install the R/3 documentation on an R/3 client or on a standalone PC.

An R/3 client has access to the R/3 system; whereas the standalone PC does not.

Server Installation

You create a documentation server to provide access from R/3 clients to the R/3 documentation. The documentation server is simply a directory containing the Help files that is connected to the client machine.

We suggest installing the documentation server on a networked disk drive for optimum performance. You will require approximately 40 MB per language.

To install the server, copy the *.HLP files from the desired language directory to the desired disk drive. Use the same directory name as those on the documentation CD. For example, the following DOS command copies the English *.HLP files to the network drive R:

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> xcopy \SAPR3E\*.HLP R:\SAPR3E\*.*/v
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R/3 Client Installation

Each R/3 Client using Windows can access the documentation server directly from R/3. The documentation server must be connected to the client before R/3 is started, however.

You must enter the path of the drive containing the documentation server in the SAPINST.INI file in the SAPGUI directory of the client. You enter the path in the "docucd" parameter for each system the user can access. For example, the following options in the SAPINST.INI file access the R: drive from the X22 system:

[X22]

docucde=R:\ <-- English Help files

docucdd=R:\ <-- German Help files

The name of the subdirectory containing the help files (for example, SAPR3E) is not required.

To test the installation, select Help -> R/3 Library from any R/3 application. The "R/3 Online Reference" file should display.

Viewing Files without a Connection to the R/3 System

With the standalone installation, you can select and view the Windows Help files for the R/3 applications. You do not require connection to the R/3 System.

The installation installs the R/3 Library Manager, which lets you choose the documentation for a particular application.

You will need the following for the standalone installation:

- A personal computer with a 386SX or higher processor
- Microsoft Windows version 3.1 or later
- 4 MB of RAM (6 MB recommended)
- A CD-ROM drive
- 1 MB of free disk space

To install the R/3 System Documentation software:

1. Insert the R/3 System Documentation CD in the CD-ROM drive.
2. For the english installation, display the "\\SAPR3E" directory.
For the german installation, display the "\\SAPR3D" directory.
3. Double-click on the file "SETUP.EXE" to start the installation, and follow the instructions that appear on the screen.

When the installation is complete, the "R/3 Documentation" application window displays.
Double-click on the icon to display the R/3 Library Manager.

4. Select the icon for an application ("Materials Management", for example).
5. Select the appropriate topic ("Purchasing", for example).

The Windows Help file you selected displays.

To close the Window when you are done viewing the file, select "Close".

If you do not have enough memory...

If you do not have enough RAM or disk space, you can install the R/3 Library Manager as a Windows Help file. The disadvantage to this approach is that the graphics display has a far lower resolution.

1. Select the application window from which you want to access the R/3 documentation.
2. Select File -> New
 - Enter "R/3 Documentation" in the description field
 - Enter the path of the help files and "booklist.hlp" in the command line
 - Select "Change icon" to set the windows Help icon
 - Select "OK"
3. Double-click on the Help icon to display the "R/3 Online Reference" screen.