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Manual

iExcelGen

Exposé

This document explains the commands and parameters in the product iExcelGen

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Command: IXLSGEN

IXLSGEN is the maincommand of iExcelGen. IXLSGEN generates Excel directly on IBM i.

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

FILE	filename input Specifies the name of the external defined data base file whose data records are to be converted into Microsoft Excel format.datory. Only physical and logical files with one format may be specified. This parameter is mandatory. List of possible values: *SQL Specifies that a SQL SELECT command will be execute and whose (temporary) output file shall be converted afterwards to the XLS format.The entry of the SQL command is executed separately. *SPOOL Specifies that a spool file will be used as an input file whose data records are to be converted. If no library name is specified, the default value *LIBL or *CURLIB will be used to find the previous specified file. *QUERY Specifies the internal call of a query with RUNQRY that creates a temporary output file which will be converted into the XLS format subsequently. *SQLSRC Specifies that a SQL SELECT command will be executed and whose (temporary) output file shall be converted afterwards to the XLS format. The command is discarded in a source member. The entry of the member will be carried out separately. *CREATE Call up the creation of an Excel-file dependent on a preceded *COLLECT process. This parameter is only valid for the Excel version *JAVA *API With the API-Feature an Excel file can be created in a free and independent way. You just have to provide one record per desired cell with the physical file IXSPLFO. Find more details in the manual. *QUERYA This is an alternative call for the *QUERY which is recommended to be used in case of Authority issues. The headings from the Query are not determined. *FAMACRO Special variant for using iExcelGen together with File/Access from sss-software
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TOXLSF	Output File and Path Specifies the complete name and access path of the output stream file within the integrated file IFS of the IBM i. This file will be created. This Parameter is mandatory. Annotation: All subdirectories have to be specified. Non-existing subdirectories will not be created. Example: /home/goering/sample.xls for Excel resp. sample.dbf for DBASE.
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The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

TOXLSF

List of possible values:

- *COLLECTNEW** Creation of a new collection. After the completion of the collection and the generation of the Excel file iExcelGen will start with FILE(*CREATE).
- *COLLECTADD** Addition from data to an existent collection. After the completion of the collection and the generation of the Excel file iExcelGen will start with FILE(*CREATE).
- *MAIL** Embedded Data Feature: Does not create an file attachment, but shows the data directly in the eMail Body. The template has to be referred in parm MAILBODY and must start with ##H. The real template name starts only with one # sign.

SQL

SQL SELECT String

Specifies a SQL command (Select), which is executed by iExcelGen and the results generated into an Excel file. The temporary output file of this SQL execution will be converted subsequently.

Any SQL SELECT String, even with JOIN etc.

SQLSRC

SQL-Source

The name of a library which contains a SQL command. Note: If there is no attribute for the library, the default value *LIBL will be used for finding the sql-definitions.

List of possible values:

QSQLSRC

- *LIBL** All libraries in the job's library list are searched until the first matching object is found.
- *CURLIB** The current library for the job is searched. If no library is specified as the current library for the job, the library QGPL will be used.

QUERY

Query/Macro

Specifies the name of a query or FA-macro definition that will be applied for its output file of this query execution will be subsequently converted. Annotation: If no library name is specified, the default value *LIBL will be used to find the previous specified query definition.

The command IXLSDGEN has the following parameters:

QUERY

List of possible values:

- *LIBL** All libraries in the job's library list are searched until the first matching object is found.
- *CURLIB** The current library for the job is searched. If no library is specified as the current library for the job, the library QGPL will be used.

RCDSL

Record Select

Specifies if the Query-Selection screen shall be displayed.

List of possible values:

- *YES** Show selection mask
- *NO** Not show selection mask

SPOOLFILE

Spoolfile name

The name of the spooled file which is to be converted.

JOB

Job

The name or qualified name of the job that created the spooled file whose data records are to be converted. The name of the user of the job that created the spooled file. The number of the job that created the spooled file Possible input values: 000000-999999

List of possible values:

- *** current job

SPLNBR

Spooled file number

Specifies the number of the spooled file from the job whose data records are to be converted.

List of possible values:

- *ONLY** Only one file has the specified name. Number is not needed.

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

SPLNBR

List of possible values:

***LAST** The file with the highest Number will be used.

EMAILTO

Mail Receipt

Specifies the complete e-mail address that the output file is to be sent to.

List of possible values:

***NONE** No value passed

***GROUP** Mail is sent to a group of recipients. The name of the group must be provided with the parm EGROUP. Group must be established in file I4MUSP.

***MULTI** The file should be sent together with others. For this case provide a unique key for the Attachment Group with the parm ATTKEY. The send action is performed followed by another call to iExcelGen (or another product of the GOERING product line) by referring to the Attachment Group.

***USRDFE** The sender is determined with key "User Profile" from the file I4MUSP.

***SPLUSRDFE** The user is determined from the Spool file attributes.

EGROUP

eMail Group

Specifies the e-mail groupname. All e-mail addresses, which are attached to this group (in the file I4MUSP), will receive an e-mail.

Name must be defined at I4MUSP.

EMAILFROM

Sender eMail Address

The name of the sender, if the converted file is to be sent to an addressee.

List of possible values:

***DFT** Declaration as setup.

***USRDFE** In this case, the name of the sender (from the file I4MUSP) will be ascertained with the key USRPRF.

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

EMAILCOPY	<p>CC eMail-Address</p> <p>The name of the CC addressee.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*DFT Declaration as setup*SENDER The sender will received a copy.*NONE No copy will be created.
MAILTITLE	<p>eMail Title</p> <p>Specifies the title of an e-mail. This title can also be used as headline in Excel, assigned by format.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*FILE The name of the Excel file will be inserted.
MAILBODY	<p>eMail-Body</p> <p>Specifies the name of an e-mail body file. This conforms a file member of the file I4MAILBODY, which can be edited with STRPDM and SEU.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">DEFAULT The member DEFAULT from the source file I4MAILBODY is used.#H.... Make use of the HTML capabilities, designed with i4Mail Cofiqurator Utility.##H... Make use of embedded Data feature, designed with i4Mail Cofiqurator Utility. This referes to HTML-Template in the Utility. Makes only sense together with TOXLSF(*MAIL).
MAILSIGN	<p>eMail-Signature</p> <p>Specifies the name of an email Signature member of file I4MAILSIGH for HTML or I4MAILSIGT for text eMails. Use the i4Mail Configurator for comfortable editing.</p> <p>Maintain from GO IXLSGEN Menu, or with i4Mail Configurator.</p>

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

MESSAGE	<p>eMail Message</p> <p>The mailbody can include the two variables &MSG and &MS2. Each of them receive 80 characters from this 160 specified characters in this parameter.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No value passed</p>
MAILREF	<p>eMail reference</p> <p>eMails are logged in I4MLOP file, the reference here can be used to identify single entries better.</p> <p>reference for better identification in file I4MLOP</p>
NOTIFY	<p>eMail Notification</p> <p>Specifies if a receipt of an e-mail will be asked for. As soon as the addressee opens the e-mail, the sender receives an confirmation. This depends on the settings at the addressee because an confirmation may not be desired.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*YES Notification is wanted</p> <p>*NO Notification is not wanted</p>
KILLFILE	<p>Delete File after sending</p> <p>Specifies if the converted file (that was sent as an e-mail attachment) is to be deleted after its transmission.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*ALLWAYS (Default value) The converted file will be deleted after its transmission. The deletion will be executed even if the transmission was interrupted by the intermediate occurrence of an error.</p> <p>*IFSENDED The converted file will be deleted only after an error-free transmission is completed.</p> <p>*NO The transmitted file will not be deleted after its transmission.</p>

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

ATTKEY	<p>Attachment Group</p> <p>The name for an attachment group which is used to group multiple files together in one package.</p> <p>any String that bundles files together</p>
OVRWRT	<p>Overwrite existing file</p> <p>Specifies if an output file located in the same path with the same name and extension will be overwritten. The contents of the previous output file will be deleted.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*YES The receiving output file, which will be found with the same name under the declared IFS path, will be overwritten. The content of the output file will be deleted before IXLSGEN initiates the conversion. The former content of the output file can not be recovered if IXLSGEN ends due to occurring errors during the conversion process.</p> <p>*NO An existing output file will not be overwritten or replaced and the initiated conversion will be terminated by sending an error message.</p> <p>*UPD The file will be updated. It is important to provide a sheet name with parm SHEETNAME.</p> <p>*TMP Use this while using a Template XLS/XLSX file.</p>
XLSTPT	<p>Excel Template</p> <p>Name of a Excel Template, that is the base for the new file created. Very powerful, it is the entry to Pivot, Chart etc.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*SELECT Show a list of Templates to select from.</p>
DLTROWSHT	<p>Sheet Name for Delete of Rows</p> <p>In case of Updating existing Sheet there might be a number of rows prepared to be overwritten. This result in having some unneeded rows remaining. Use this parm to specify the sheet of those.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No value passed</p>

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

DLTROWNBR	<p>Number of Rows to delete</p> <p>In case of Updating existing Sheet there might be a number of rows prepared to be overwritten. This result in having some unneeded rows remaining. Use this parm to delete those. A number can be entered or *ALL, which is recommended.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*ALL Deletes all remaining rows</p>
I4CLIENT	<p>Start i4Client</p> <p>Controls the communication with the Windows-Client i4Client. Use this to load the file to the current PC session and open it right after generating.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE i4Client will not be used.</p> <p>*LOCAL A transfer on the local PC will be started.</p> <p>*LOCALSUI Special mode for infor's BRAIN AS</p>
I4CTYPE	<p>i4Client Type</p> <p>Type of the i4Client. There is a free classic version available and a more advanced one for Windows 7 and higher.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*CLASSIC i4Client classic (free)</p> <p>*NET i4Client.NET from Windows 7 onwards.</p>
MBR	<p>Member</p> <p>Specifies the database file member name that is to be converted</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*FIRST The first member (in the order of creation date) in the previous specified database file is to be converted.</p>

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

TOZIPF	<p>Move to ZIP-File</p> <p>The Name of a ZIP-File to be created. The created excel-sheets will be automatically compressed into a winzip-compatible zip file, if entered. This makes most sense in combination with the E-Mail Feature, because the Excel-format is good to be compressed. This only works properly from non-QDLS folders.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No value passed</p>
UPDSHEET	<p>Create/Update Sheet</p> <p>Specifies if a new sheet shall be generated or an existingsheet shall be updated. This parameter is mandatory.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*CREATE New sheets will be generated. If there are existing sheets with the same name in the Excel file, an error message will occur.</p> <p>*UPDATE Existing sheets will be updated. In case of output format *JAVA: If the appropriate sheets are not found in the Excel file, an error message will occur. In case of output format *BIFF8 this will be ignored.</p> <p>*FLEX Like *CREATE, but no error message will occur, sheet will still be generated, but with an index value added to the sheet name (i.e. Newsheet1). This only works together with output format *JAVA</p> <p>*FORM Forms Mode</p> <p>*FORMULA Special mode for supporting formulas inside</p>
SHEETNAME	<p>Sheet Name</p> <p>Name of the Sheet to be created/updated. To be used for formats that support Sheets.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*FILE The file name will be used as sheet name in the Excel file.</p>

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

TFRTBL	<p>Transfer table QUSRSYS</p> <p>Specifies a code table for the character conversion from EBCDIC into certain Windows ASCII-Code. Note that the specified table must be located in the library QUSRSYS.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*CHRID Dependent on the current CHRID the transfer table is determined.</p>
DBCS	<p>DBCS Data</p> <p>Specifies if Double-Byte-Data will be used. This parameter is mandatory.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*YES DBCS data will be used.</p> <p>*NO DBCS data will not be used.</p>
FMTOPT	<p>Format options</p> <p>This parm (max.10 Characters) is the Key on the file IXFMTP. Several Layout options can be set there, i.e. Number formatting, zero supress etc. The Layouts can found in the menu GO IXLSGEN.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*DEFAULT</p>
FILEFMT	<p>Output File Format</p> <p>Specifies the desired file output format. Not only the excel xls/xlsx is possible, also XML, DBASE, CSV are there available.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*AUTO Automatic determination of the format by the output file name.</p> <p>*BIFF2 Format is Excel 2.1 (BIFF2)</p> <p>*BIFF8 Format is Excel 97-2003 (BIFF8) native, without JAVA. Standard for output to .xls</p> <p>*XLSX Excel 2007 and higher</p> <p>*JAVA Format is Excel 97 (BIFF8) with use of JAVA classes.</p> <p>*CSV Outputs in a "comma separated" format. With help of the file IXFMTP one can control the use of separators and other specific parm.</p>

The command IXLSDGEN has the following parameters:

FILEFMT

List of possible values:

- *FXASC** Format is fixed ASCII format
- *XML** XML-Output in an easy way. For more advanced requirements have a look to our *i4XML* product.
- *DBASE** Format is DBASE, excellent for import into Microsoft ACCESS and databases.
- *HTML** HTML output, currently not available.

JAVACCSID

temp. CCSID for JAVA

For a proper JAVA execution a certain CCSID must be provided rather than 65555 which is often standard.
Exsamples: 37 for English, 273 for German.

List of possible values:

- *JOB** Use the CCSID from the current Job.

DBFCCSID

CCSID of Input File

Exact CCSID or special value *JOB/*FILE

List of possible values:

- *FILE** Use CCSID from input file
- *JOB** Use CCSID of job

STMFCCSID

CCSID of Output File

Exact CCSID or special value *DFT

Value or *DFT

The command IXLSDGEN has the following parameters:

NULLDFT	<p>Update NULL Default</p> <p>Specifies if NULL-content files should be replaced with "natural" default values.. iExcelGen is normally not able to handle NULL-Values because of Limits for a RPG-Program. To overcome this limit there is an internal update of the file before it is processed with iExcelGen. As a sample for numeric values this is a "0" and for alphanumeric Value it is " "</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*AUTO iExcelGen determines if NULL-Values are recognized and replaced with Defaults. This is usually the case in case of SQL-Input.*YES The input file is checked for NULL fields and an update is executed. Caution! This is updating the original file! The Input file is not checked for NULL-Values. This will probably cause a program error.*NO The Input file is not checked for NULL-Values. This will probably cause a program error.*SQL Process the input by SQL. No Update needed in this case.
EMPTYERR	<p>Error when FILE is empty</p> <p>Specifies how iExcelGen should handle empty files.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*NONE No error if file is empty. Result is an empty file.*MSG Generate message into the Excel file.*BREAK Send message back to caller. Job ends abnormally.*NOACTION No error. And no further processing, i.e. eMail Sending.
MULTIFILE	<p>Create multiple Files / Turbo for XLSX</p> <p>Specifies if iExcelGen should automatically create multiple tabs if the limit of about 65.000 lines is reached. Microsoft, as the designer of the Excel File format has limited the number of rows to 65536. iExcelGen must adhere this limit.. But: For input files with a very large number of records files iExcelGen can create multiple Excel files (in case of *BIFF2) or multiple sheets (in case of *BIFF8). So this limit can be worked around.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*NONE No support of multiple files/sheets. iExcelGen throws out an error if the input file has more than 65536 Records to convert.

The command IXLSGEN has the following parameters:

MULTIFILE

List of possible values:

- *SIZE** If the limit is reached a new file is created (*BIFF2) or a new sheet is opened (*JAVA and *BIFF8). A suffix is automatically added to the file/sheet name
- *TURBO** Special value that speeds up processing for XLSX files. Performance up to 10 times faster than in normal mode, but not all features supported.

Command: IXLSGENSPL

IXLSGENSPL is used to convert spool files.

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

SPOOLFILE	Spoolfile name The name of the spooled file which is to be converted.
JOB	Job The name or qualified name of the job that created the spooled file whose data records are to be converted. The name of the user of the job that created the spooled file. The number of the job that created the spooled file Possible input values: 000000-999999 List of possible values: *
SPLNBR	Spooled file number Specifies the number of the spooled file from the job whose data records are to be converted. List of possible values: *ONLY Only one file has the specified name. Number is not needed. *LAST The file with the highest Number will be used.
SPLDFN	Spool Definition Specifies if an available spool definition shall be used or if the Definition Dialog is to be called. List of possible values: *NONE No use for any Spool-Splitters. The spool file is completely converted to Excel. The result is similar to the DSPSPLF. *DEFINE Call the definitions dialogs to define structure and fields of a spool file. *EDIT Call the Editor to EDIT an existing definition

The command IXLGENSPL has the following parameters:

SPLDFN

List of possible values:

- *USE** Use a previously defined spool definition to create the Excel file output.
- *TEST** For internal usage only.

ADDON

Type of Spool Add-On

Specifies which available spool enhancements of iExcelGen shall be used.

List of possible values:

- *IXLSSPL** The "classic" iExcelGen Spool-Add On, perfect for the converting of homogeneous lists. Both single and multilined.
- *I4SPLITT** The tool i4Splitt for the converting of highly complex lists and the analyses of inhomogeneous spools.

DFNFILE

Definition File

Specifies a definition file of the "iExcelGen Spool Add-On" incl. a member file, which was generated within the spool splitting dialog. The file name usually begins with "IXG".

List of possible values:

- *NONE** No definition file to provide.
- *DEFINE** Define a new one.
- *SELECT** Shows a list of existing definitions to select

SPLITTDEF

Splitting Definition Name

The name of the split-definition, i.e. the description of the input relating to the product i4Splitt.

List of possible values:

- *SELECT** Shows a list of existing definitions to select.

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

SPLITOUT	<p>Splitting Output Design</p> <p>The name of the output-definition, i.e. the description of the output relating to the product i4Splitt.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*DEFAULT Use the default output definition.</p> <p>*SELECT Shows a list of existing definitions to select one from it.</p>
SPLFLT	<p>Spool filter</p> <p>Specifies a term which selects a row resp. the beginning of a group of lines, which is to be excluded from the conversion.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No filter</p>
SPLFLTTO	<p>Spool filter to</p> <p>Specifies a term which selects the ending of a group of lines which is to be excluded from the conversion.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No filter.</p>
SPLFTLIN	<p>Number of Lines</p> <p>Specifies how many rows shall be excluded, starting with the term SPLFLT.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*ONLY Only the row, which was identified.</p> <p>*PAGEND Until the end of the page.</p>
TOXLSF	<p>Output File and Path</p> <p>Specifies the complete name and access path of the output stream file within the integrated file IFS of the IBM i. This file will be created. This Parameter is mandatory. Annotation: All subdirectories have to be specified. Non-existing subdirectories will not be created. Example: /home/goering/sample.xls for Excel resp. sample.dbf for DBASE.</p>

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

TOXLSF

List of possible values:

- *COLLECTNEW** Creation of a new collection. After the completion of the collection and the generation of the Excel file iExcelGen will start with FILE(*CREATE).
- *COLLECTADD** Addition from data to an existent collection. After the completion of the collection and the generation of the Excel file iExcelGen will start with FILE(*CREATE).

EMAILTO

Mail Receipt

Specifies the complete e-mail address that the output file is to be sent to.

List of possible values:

- *GROUP** Mail is sent to a group of recipients. The name of the group must be provided with the parm EGROUP.
- *MULTI** The file should be sent together with others. For this case provide a unique key for the Attachment Group with the parm ATTKEY. The send action is performed followed by another call to iExcelGen (or another product of the GOERING product line) by referring to the Attachment Group.
- *USRDFI** The sender is determined with key "User Profile" from the file I4MUSP
- *SPLUSRDFI** The user is determined from the Spool file attributes.
- *NONE** No value passed

EGROUP

eMail Group

Specifies the e-mail groupname. All e-mail addresses, which are attached to this group (in the file I4MUSP), will receive an e-mail.

EMAILFROM

Sender eMail Address

The name of the sender, if the converted file is to be sent to an addressee.

List of possible values:

- *DFT** Declaration as setup.

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

EMAILFROM

List of possible values:

- *USRDFT** In this case, the name of the sender (from the file I4MUSP) will be ascertained with the key USRPRF.
- *SNDDST** Work with SNDDST and not with internal Mailclient "i4Mail/SE"

EMAILCOPY

CC eMail-Address

The name of the CC addressee.

List of possible values:

- *DFT** Declaration as setup
- *SENDER** The sender will received a copy.
- *NONE** No copy will be created.

MAILTITLE

eMail Title

Specifies the title of an e-mail.

List of possible values:

- *FILE** The name of the Excel file will be inserted.

MAILBODY

eMail-Body

Specifies the name of an e-mail body file. This conforms a file member of the file I4MAILBODY, which be edited with STRPDM and SEU.

List of possible values:

- DEFAULT** The member DEFAULT from the source file I4MAILBODY is used.

MESSAGE

Message

The mailbody can include the two variables &MSG and &MS2. From the 160 specified characters in this parameter, 80 characters will be used to fill in these variables and appear in the body of the message.

List of possible values:

- *NONE** No value passed

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

NOTIFY	<p>eMail Notification</p> <p>Specifies if a receipt of an e-mail will be asked for. As soon as the addressee opens the e-mail, the sender receives a confirmation. This depends on the settings at the addressee because a confirmation may not be desired.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*YES*NO
KILLFILE	<p>Delete File after sending</p> <p>Specifies if the converted file (that was sent as an e-mail attachment) is to be deleted after its transmission.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*ALLWAYS (Default value) The converted file will be deleted after its transmission. The deletion will be executed even if the transmission was interrupted by the intermediate occurrence of an error.*IFSENDED The converted file will be deleted only after an error-free transmission is completed.*NO The transmitted file will not be deleted after its transmission.
ATTKEY	<p>Attachment Group</p> <p>The name for an attachment group which is used to group multiple files together in one package.</p>
I4CLIENT	<p>Start i4Client</p> <p>Controls the communication with the Windows-Client i4Client. Use this to load the file to the current PC session and open it right after generating.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*LOCAL A transfer on the local PC will be started.*NONE i4Client will not be used.*LOCALSUI Special mode for infor's BRAIN AS

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

I4CTYPE	<p>i4Client Type</p> <p>Type of the i4Client. There is a free classic version available and a more advanced one for Windows 7 and higher.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*CLASSIC i4Client classic (free)</p> <p>*NET i4Client.NET from Windows 7 onwards.</p>
OVRWRT	<p>Overwrite existing file</p> <p>Specifies if an output file located in the same path with the same name and extension will be overwritten. The contents of the previous output file will be deleted.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*YES The receiving output file, which will be found with the same name under the declared IFS path, will be overwritten. The content of the output file will be deleted before IXLSGEN initiates the conversion. The former content of the output file can not be recovered if IXLSGEN ends due to occurring errors during the conversion process.</p> <p>*NO An existing output file will not be overwritten or replaced and the initiated conversion will be terminated by sending an error message.</p> <p>*UPD The file will be updated. This is only valid for output formats *BIFF8 and *JAVA. It is important to provide a sheet name with parm SHEETNAME.</p> <p>*TMP Use this while using a Template XLS/XLSX file.</p>
XLSTPT	<p>Excel Template</p> <p>Name of a Excel Template, that is the base for the new file created.</p>

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

SHEETNAME	Sheet Name Name of the Sheet to be created/updated List of possible values: *FILE
TFRTBL	Transfer table QUSRSYS Specifies a code table for the character conversion from EBCDIC into certain Windows ASCII-Code. Note that the specified table must be located in the library QUSRSYS. List of possible values: *CHRID Dependent on the current CHRID the transfer table is determined.
DECfmt	Decimal format Decimal format of numeric values in the spool to be processed. This parm is for the unusual case only, if the user's decimal setup is different to the one in the spool. List of possible values: * Setup from Job is used. , Numeric Values are processed with a decimal COMMA. . Numeric Values are processed with a decimal POINT.
FMTOPT	Format options This parm (max.10 Characters) is the Key on the file IXFMTP. Several Layout options can be set there, i.e. Number formatting, zero supress etc. List of possible values: *SPOOL Default for Spool-Type Layout. i.e. Font Courier
DBCS	DBCS Data Specifies if Double-Byte-Data will be used.This parameter is mandatory. List of possible values: *YES DBCS data will be used.

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

DBCS

List of possible values:

***NO** DBCS data will not be used.

FILEFMT

Output File Format

Specifies the desired file output format. Not only the excel xls/xlsx is possible, also XML, DBASE, CSV are there available.

List of possible values:

***AUTO** Automatic determination of the format by the output file name.
***BIFF2** Format is Excel 2.1 (BIFF2)
***BIFF8** Format is Excel 97-2003 (BIFF8) native, without JAVA. Standard for output to .xls
***XLSX** Excel 2007 and higher
***JAVA** Format is Excel 97 (BIFF8) with use of JAVA classes.
***CSV** Outputs in a "comma separated" format. With help of the file IXFMTP one can control the use of separators and other specific parm.
***FXASC** Format is fixed ASCII format
***XML** XML-Output in an easy way. For more advanced requirements have a look to our *i4XML* product.
***DBASE** Format is DBASE, excellent for import into Microsoft ACCESS and databases.

MULTIFILE

Create multiple Files

Specifies if iExcelGen should automatically create multiple tabs if the limit of about 65.000 lines is reached. Microsoft, as the designer of the Excel File format has limited the number of rows to 65536. iExcelGen must adhere this limit.. But: For input files with a very large number of records files iExcelGen can create multiple Excel files (in case of *BIFF2) or multiple sheets (in case of *BIFF8 or *JAVA). So this limit can be worked around. This parameter is mandatory.

List of possible values:

***NONE** No support of multiple files/sheets. iExcelGen throws out an error if the input file has more than 65536 Records to convert.

The command IXLSGENSPL has the following parameters:

MULTIFILE

List of possible values:

***SIZE** If the limit is reached a new file is created (*BIFF2) or a new sheet is opened (*JAVA and *BIFF8). A suffix is automatically added to the file/sheet name

JAVACCSID

temp. CCSID for JAVA

For a proper JAVA execution a certain CCSID must be provided rather than 65555 which is often standard. Exsamples: 37 for English, 273 for German.

List of possible values:

***JOB** Use the CCSID from the current Job.

EMAILEXIT

eMail Userexit

Specifies the name of an Exit program. This will called instead of the built-in SMTP-Client i4MAIL. There is an sample EMAILEXIT in the source file SAMPLES. The default *NONE means the internal I4MAILSE is used.

List of possible values:

***NONE** *NONE calls the implemented SMTP-Client

Command: I4MAILSE

Special edition of the i4Mail SMTP Client, that allows to send files independent from iExcelGen.

The command I4MAILSE has the following parameters:

FROM	Sender eMail Address The name of the sender, if the converted file is to be sent to an addressee.
TO	eMail Adressee Specifies the complete e-mail address that the output file is to be sent to.
GROUP	eMail Group Specifies the e-mail groupname. All e-mail addresses, which are attached to this group (in the file I4MUSP), will receive an e-mail.
CC	CC eMail-Address The name of the CC addressee. List of possible values: *SENDER *NONE
SUBJECT	eMail Title Specifies the title of an e-mail//This Parameter is mandatory.

The command I4MAILSE has the following parameters:

MAILBODY	<p>eMail-Body</p> <p>Specifies the name of an e-mail body file. This conforms a file member of the file I4MAILBODY, which be edited with STRPDM and SEU.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>DEFAULT The member DEFAULT from the source file I4MAILBODY is used.</p>
ATT	<p>Attachment</p> <p>IFS-Path of an file to be attached.</p>
MULTIKEY	<p>Key Attachment Group</p> <p>The name for an attachment group which is used to group multiple files together in one package.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No value passed</p>
NOTIFY	<p>eMail Notification</p> <p>Specifies if a receipt of an e-mail will be asked for. As soon as the addressee opens the e-mail, the sender receives an confirmation. This depends on the settings at the addressee because an confirmation may not be desired.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*YES Notification requested.</p> <p>*NO No notification.</p>
MESSAGE	<p>Message</p> <p>The mailbody can include the two variables &MSG and &MS2. From the 160 specified characters in this parameter, 80 characters will be used to fill in these variables and appear in the body of the message.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <p>*NONE No value passed</p>

The command I4MAILSE has the following parameters:

SFXMODE	Special Feature Mode Belongs to some special features, like FAX, SMS, eInvoicing with Signature etc. List of possible values: *NONE No value passed *SIGN Digital Sign Mode *FAX Fax Mode *SMS SMS Mode
SIGSUB	Subject for signed Mail Subject that is used for the signed Mail (the one that the Signature-Provider uses)
SIGSEN	Sender for signed Mail Sender eMail that is used for the signed Mail.
KILLFILE	Delete File after sending Specifies if the converted file (that was sent as an e-mail attachment) is to be deleted after its transmission. List of possible values: *ALLWAYS (Default value) The converted file will be deleted after its transmission. The deletion will be executed even if the transmission was interrupted by the intermediate occurrence of an error. *IFSENDED The converted file will be deleted only after an error-free transmission is completed. *NO The transmitted file will not be deleted after its transmission.

Command: AGFTP

Offers the functionality to transfer a file to/from the IBM i. Please remark that the command does not handle transfer issues. You may check the success by DSPPFM FILE(QTEMP/QTXTSRC) MBR(TCPOUTPUT)

The command AGFTP has the following parameters:

WHAT	Send or receive List of possible values: *PUT Transfer FROM IBM i TO other System *GET Transfer TO IBM i FROM other System
FROMDIR	From Directory The PATH from where the file is to be transfered
FROMFILE	File to be transfered
TODIR	Target Directory Directory at the target System where the file is to be transfered to
TOFILE	Filename at target Filename at target system. Use *SAME if you dont want to rename name. List of possible values: *SAME File name is not changed (same as FROM file)

The command AGFTP has the following parameters:

TYPE	Transfer Type Depend on the file type and system type transfer can be binary or ascii List of possible values: *BINARY Binary Transfer, no convert to be performed. *ASCII Convert to ASCII
RMTSYS	Remote System Name of Remote System List of possible values: *INTNETADR Use this in case the system cant accessed by it's name
INTNETADR	IP Address IP Address of the remote System. Use this if you cant use the name of the remote system.
USRID	User ID User ID at remote system
PASWRD	Password Password at remote system

Command: AGSPLF

Shows a list of Spools, like the WRKSPLF command, but with lot of extensions to integrate GOERING Tools and own commands

The command AGSPLF has the following parameters:

USER	User name Spool files of this user will be shown List of possible values: *CURRENT Current User *ALL All User (no filter on user)
OUTQ	OUTQ OUTQ to list spools from List of possible values: *ALL All (no filter)
FORMTYPE	Form Type Spool Form Type to show in list List of possible values: *ALL All (no filter) *STD Standard
USERDATA	User Data User Data to filter the list List of possible values: *ALL All (no filter)

The command AGSPLF has the following parameters:

JOBNAME	Job Name Job name to select List of possible values: * ALL All (no filter) * Current Job
JOBNUM	Job Number Job Number to select List of possible values: * ALL All (no filter)
FROMDT	From Date Select FROM Date, to be entered in Format of current job without delimiters. List of possible values: * ALL All (no filter)
TODAT	To Date Select TO Date, to be entered in Format of current job without delimiters. List of possible values: * ALL All (no filter)
FILENAME	File name File name to filter List of possible values: * ALL All (no filter)

The command AGSPLF has the following parameters:

PROCESS	<p>Process Method</p> <p>Command can be used in Dialog (most usual) and in a integrated Mode where it pushes the data into a DTAQ.</p> <p>List of possible values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*DIALOG Dialog (normal mode with subfile etc.)*DIALOGQ Dialog with DTAQ (normal mode with subfile etc. plus Data are send into DTAQ)*DTAQ Data are written into DTAQ
DTAQ	<p>DTAQ for internal use</p> <p>This can be used to let the command AGSPLF put all the entries into a certain DTAQ. Can be useful for own programming.</p>

Command: AGUNZIP

Unzips files from a ZIP Archive

The command AGUNZIP has the following parameters:

INPUTFILE	Input File name Name of the input file to get from the zip archive List of possible values: *ALL All Files are unpacked.
ARCFILE	Archive file name Name of a ZIP archive file

Command: AGZIP

Zips files from an Archive

The command AGZIP has the following parameters:

INPUTFILE	Input File name Name of the input file to pack into the zip archive
ARCFILE	Archive file name Name of a ZIP archive file
ACTION	File Action Action in case of file already there List of possible values: *ADD Add File to archive *REPLACE Replace file in Archive *CANCEL Cancel Operation in case file already there

Command: I4MATT

Use this command to add attachments together to be sended with other command later.

The command I4MATT has the following parameters:

ATTKEY	Attachment Group The name for an attachment group which is used to group multiple files together in one package.
ATTACHMENT	Attachment path name Name of a File/Path to be attached
KILLFILE	Delete File after sending Specifies if the converted file (that was sent as an e-mail attachment) is to be deleted after its transmission. List of possible values: *ALLWAYS (Default value) The converted file will be deleted after its transmission. The deletion will be executed even if the transmission was interrupted by the intermediate occurrence of an error. *IFSENDED The converted file will be deleted only after an error-free transmission is completed. *NO The transmitted file will not be deleted after its transmission.
MODE	Mode Mode for maintain List of possible values: *WRITE Add entry to list *DELETEALL Clear list *DELETE1 Remove one entry
