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## NAME

**rc** - checks and compiles RIGAL file  
**ic** - interprets intermediate RIGAL code  
**v** - viewer for RIGAL data saved in file  
**rig\_crf** - RIGAL cross -referencer  
**rig\_lint** - RIGAL Lint (data type checker)

## SYNOPSIS

**rc** *filename* [-c] [-D] [-P parameter]...  
**ic** *codefilename* [-p *printfilename*] [-d][ parameter...]  
**v** *filename*  
**rig\_crf** *filename*  
**rig\_lint** *filename executable* [-p *printfilename*] [ parameter...]  
(!) the options and parameters must be separated by one or more spaces.

## COMPILATION TARGET (Pascal and C)

There are two variants of RIGAL implementation: RIGAL/Pascal in UNIX Pascal and RIGAL/C in UNIX C. The differences between them are mentioned below.

## DESCRIPTION OF rc

**rc** *filename* [-c] [-D] [-P parameter]...  
**rc** - checks source file written in RIGAL language. The source code file must have suffix **.rig**, but in the

command *filename* is specified without the suffix. **rc** reports error messages if any appear; file name, row, column and message text are reported to standard output. **rc** creates intermediate code *filename.rsc* which can be used for interpretation.

## OPTIONS

**-c**

creates an executable file *filename* (without suffix). In RIGAL/Pascal variant an intermediate Pascal code is generated and then Pascal compiler (**pc**) and linker are invoked. In RIGAL/C variant an intermediate C code is generated and then C compiler (**cc**) and linker are invoked. Some intermediate files, among them script file **xd**, also appear.

**-D** does not remove intermediate files after the compilation.

**-Pparameter**

passes option to Pascal or C compiler. You can use **-P** several times or use **-P 'param1 param2'** syntax. Typically you may need to compile with statically linked standard libraries, e.g. **\$rig/rc rigcrf -c -P -Bstatic**

## DESCRIPTION OF *executable* file (compilation result)

*executable* [ **-p printfilename**] [parameter...]

The parameters are passed to RIGAL program and can be received through #PARM built -in rule which returns list of parameters. The execution is identical to the interpreted program.

## OPTION

**-p printfilename** - name of file for statement PRINT output. By default output is written to standard output.

## DESCRIPTION OF **ic**

**ic** *codefilename* [ **-p printfilename**] [ **-d**] [parameter...]

**ic** - interprets the intermediate code, created by **rc**. The intermediate code must have suffix **.rsc**, but in the command it is specified without the suffix. Other parameters are passed to RIGAL program and can be received through #PARM built -in rule which returns list of parameters. The execution is identical to the compiled program.

## OPTIONS

**-pprintfilename**

name of file for statement PRINT output. By default output is written to standard output.

**-d** tracing mode is turned on. Trace of rules and branches, rule arguments and success/unsuccess messages is written to file specified by **-p** option and is mixed with output from PRINT statements. If **-p** option is absent trace is written to standard output.

## DESCRIPTION of **v**

**v** *filename*

**v** writes the contents of RIGAL code saved in file to standard output. The structure of code is written with indentation, in well -readable form. If the depth of some element of the structure is more than 15 levels, then characters **'..'** appear instead of the element. The *filename* must contain data saved by RIGAL statement **SAVE \$var 'filename'**

## DESCRIPTION of **rig\_crf**

**rig\_crf** *filename*

**rig\_crf** creates cross reference table for given RIGAL program *filename*. The program file must have suffix **.rig**, but in the command *filename* is specified without the suffix. The result is written to file *filename.crf*. For every rule the following is reported: rules calling this one, rules called by this one, variables, use of global variables.

## DESCRIPTION of rig\_lint

**rig\_lint** *filename*

**rig\_lint** creates warning table for given RIGAL program *filename*. The program file must have suffix **.rig**, but in the command *filename* is specified without the suffix. The result is written to file *filename.lnt*. **rig\_lint** checks type compatibility and cases when values of different types can be assigned to the same variable.

## ERROR MESSAGES

**Error in file** *filename* **Line=nn Message=text Column=mm** - checker found syntax error in your RIGAL file. Intermediate code is not created, compilation failed.

**\*\*\* ERROR nn xxx** - runtime warnings about dangerous manipulations with RIGAL data structures or runtime input/output errors.

rig:undefined variable

**pc:command not found** - see ENVIRONMENT section of this manual

ERROR:COMPILATION

**ERROR IN RIGAL, rule #name** - internal compilation message, normally does not appear; try to simplify this rule.

**ld() errors or warnings** - try command **ranlib \$rig/lib/riglib.a** to remove errors.

## ENVIRONMENT

For running RIGAL/Pascal you must have Sun Pascal release 2.1 (or higher). Command **pc** (Pascal compiler) must be available.

For running RIGAL/C you must have a C compiler (command **cc**) available. You must have environment variable **rig** set to the name of directory where RIGAL system binary files are located. You can set it by command **setenv rig full\_path/bin** in your **.login** file. It is recommended to include this directory at the start of path list by command **set path=( \$rig ... )** in your **.login** file. Then you can use RIGAL commands **rc**, **ic** etc. from any directory.

## INSTALLATION of RIGAL from sources

All files are packed and compressed in file **rigsvariant.system\_version.tar.Z** (e.g. rigsp.444.tar.Z). Here **rigsp** denotes Pascal sources, **rigsc** - C sources. **uncompress** file (without suffix **.Z**) **tar -xvf** file execute instructions in ENVIRONMENT section.

Go to RIGAL source directory (**/src**) and execute **make** ; it takes 3-5 minutes to compile all sources by Sun Pascal (or C) compiler and perform self-test. The result is in **/bin**

## FILES

**bin/rc**, **bin/ic**, **bin/rig\_crf**, **bin/rig\_lint**, **bin/v** basic RIGAL system executable files

**lib/riglib.a** RIGAL compiler runtime library. If you move it from one directory to another, execute command **ranlib new\_directory/riglib.a**

**include/file.inc**, **include/file.h** m include files for compilation

**bin/anrig**, **bin/genrig** parts of RIGAL compiler

**docs/rigal.1** this manual

**docs/RIGAL\_language\_description.html** RIGAL language description

**docs/RIGAL\_programmers\_guide.html** User's guide

*file.rig* source programs in RIGAL

*file.rsc* intermediate code for interpreter

**xcrg\*.pas**, *file.RC2*, *file.RC4*, *file.TMP* intermediate files, appear and by default are removed during compilation.

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