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1 About This Document

This document describes the changes and new features in SALT version 2.8 (released with the first release of Dyalog version 17.0) compared with SALT version 2.7 (released with the first release of Dyalog version 16.0).

1.1 Compatibility with Dyalog Versions

SALT version 2.8 is compatible Dyalog version 17.0 only.

2 Functional Changes

This chapter details the changes made to SALT for version 2.8.

2.1 Changes to the Settings Function

2.1.1 New alias

`⎕SE.SALT.Settings` can now be called using the alias `⎕SE.SALT.Set`.

2.1.2 Parameter Values

Enclosing tradfns/tradops in ∇ characters is a useful way of identifying them within a body of code. A new parameter, *fndels*, specifies whether ∇ characters are used to enclose a new tradfn/tradop when saving it. Possible values are:

- 0 : do not use ∇ characters to enclose a new tradfn/tradop when saving it. This is the default.
- 1 : use ∇ characters to enclose a new tradfn/tradop when saving it.

When saving a tradfn/tradop:

- setting *fndels* to 1 means the tradfn/tradop cannot be loaded in a version of Dyalog prior to version 17.0 using the `⎕SE.SALT.Load` function or the `]Load` user command, but can be loaded using `2⎕FIX`.
- setting *fndels* to 0 means the tradfn/tradop cannot be loaded in a version of Dyalog prior to version 17.0 using `2⎕FIX` but can be loaded using the `⎕SE.SALT.Load` function or the `]Load` user command.