

# Retrieve Active job status (ZRTVACTJOB)

## Where allowed to run:

- Batch job (\*BATCH)
- Batch program (\*BPGM)
- Batch REXX procedure (\*BREXX)
- Using QCMDEXEC, QCAEXEC, or QCAPCMD API (\*EXEC)

**Threadsafe:** No

The command is used to determine if a job with a specified name (optionally running under a specified user profile) is active on the system.

## Restrictions:

None.

## Parameters

Keyword	Description	Choices	Notes
JOBNAME	Name of job	Name	Obligatory
JOBUSER	User for job	Name, *	Obligatory
ACTIVE	Logical		Returns true or false

## JOBNAME

A ten character field containing the name of the job.

## JOBUSER

Either a valid userid or a single asterisk meaning “any user”

## ACTIVE

A logical variable (“indicator”) that returns true/on if the specified job is in active status and false/off if the job is not in active status.