

Using Help in Borland C++ 5.0

Borland C++ 5.0 provides complete online documentation through the Help system. Using Help is a convenient way to get information about extensive language features, compiler options, and any tasks you need to perform while developing applications with Borland C++ 5.0.

Help files available in Borland C++ 5.0

The Help system is organized into Help files that reflect the structure of the documentation set as follows:

Title	Help file	Description
Using Help in Borland C++ 5.0	BC5MAIN.HLP	Using Help
Borland C++ 5.0 User's Guide	BCW.HLP	Using the IDE to create applications
Borland C++ 5.0 Programmer's Guide	BCPP.HLP	Programming tips and language details
Borland C++ 5.0 Error Messages and Warnings	BCERRMSG.HLP	Error message descriptions
Resource Workshop User's Guide	WORKSHOP.HLP	Using the integrated resource editors
Borland Windows Custom Control Reference	BWCC.HLP	Using Borland custom controls
Class Libraries Guide	CLASSLIB.HLP	Using the Borland container classes
Standard C++ Library Reference	STL.HLP	Rogue Wave STL user's guide and reference
Borland ++ Visual Database Tools Developer's Guide and Reference	BCVDTREF.HLP	Using Visual Database Tools to create database applications
ObjectWindows Library 5.0 Programmer's Guide and Reference	OWL50.HLP	Using the ObjectWindows library
ObjectWindows Library Examples	OWLEX.HLP	ObjectWindows examples
ObjectComponents Reference	OCF.HLP	Using the ObjectComponents classes
ObjectScripting Programmer's Guide	SCRIPT.HLP	Using ObjectScripting to customize the IDE
Borland C++ DOS Reference	BCDOS.HLP	DOS programming
Tools and Utilities	BCTOOLS.HLP	Command-line tools
WinSight User's Guide	WINSIGHT.HLP	WinSight debugging tool
WinSpector User's Guide	WINSPCTR.HLP	WinSpector debugging tool
Windows System Classes Reference Guide	WINSYS.HLP	Windows system classes reference
OpenHelp User's Guide	OPENHELP.HLP	Using OpenHelp.exe to customize the Help system

You can customize your Borland C++ 5.0 Help system including or excluding specific help files by using OpenHelp.exe. For information on using OpenHelp, see OpenHelp.hlp.

In addition, Borland provides the following related Microsoft Help files:

Help file name	Description
95GUIDE.HLP	Programmer's Guide to Windows 95
CTL3D.HLP	Adding 3-D effects to controls
HCW.HLP	Help Workshop User's Guide
HW32.HLP	Heap Watch 32
KBASE.HLP	Microsoft KnowledgeBase
MAPI.HLP	MAPI Programmer's Reference
MC.HLP	Message compiler

MFC41.HLP	Microsoft Foundation Classes 4.1
MIDL.HLP	MIDL Programmer's Guide and Reference
MISAPI.HLP	ISAPI Programmer's Reference
MMEDIA.HLP	Win32 Multimedia Programmer's Reference
OLE2VIEW.HLP	OLE 2.0 ObjectViewer
OLE.HLP	OLE 2.0 Programmer's Reference
OLETOOLS.HLP	OLE 2.0 Utilities
OPENGL.HLP	OpenGL Programmer's Reference
PDH.HLP	Windows Performance Data Helper Reference
PENAPI.HLP	Programmer's Guide to Pen Services for Win 95
PROGTECH.HLP	Win32 Programming Techniques
RC.HLP	Resource Compiler User's Guide
RC32.HLP	Resource Compiler User's Guide (includes 32-bit resources)
RLMAN.HLP	Resource Localization Manager
RPC.HLP	Remote Procedure Calls Reference
SETUPAPI.HLP	Setup API
SHED.HLP	Hotspot Editor
SOCK2.HLP	Windows Sockets 2 API
TAPI.HLP	Telephony Application Programming Interface (TAPI) Programmer's Reference
UIGUIDE.HLP	Windows Interface Guidelines for Software Design
WIN31WH.HLP	Windows 3.1 SDK
WIN32.HLP	Win32 Programmer's Reference
WIN32S.HLP	Win32s Programmer's Reference
WIN32SDK.HLP	Win32 Software Development Kit

These Help files are all located (by default) in the C:\BC5\HELP directory.

In addition, many other Help files are included depending on which level of the Borland C++ 5.0 product you purchase. For example, you may also receive Help files that describe Interbase, Internet Controls, Borland Database Engine, InstallShield, PVCS, and the Image Editor.

Getting Help in Borland C++ 5.0

In Borland C++ 5.0, you can get Help in the following ways:

- Context-Sensitive Help (**F1**)
- Contents Screens
- Index
- Keyword Search (**F1** or **Ctrl+F1** in the Edit Window)
- Help context menus (in the Help window)

For a list of Help files available in the Help system, refer to [Using Help in Borland C++ 5.0](#).

Getting context-sensitive Help

You can get context-sensitive Help for items in the Borland C++ 5.0 Integrated Development Environment (IDE). To access context-sensitive Help:

1. Select the element you want help on (menu, menu command, an item in a dialog box, etc.).
2. Press **F1** or **Ctrl+F1**.

Help buttons are available on many dialog boxes and for most error messages.

Click Help to view information about:

- The entire dialog box
- An error message
- The current group of topics in an Options settings dialog box

Accessing and using contents screens

Each Help Contents screen offers an entry into a Help system installed with Borland C++ 5.0. From the Contents, select the category of information that best suits your needs, then click on it.

- To display the Borland C++ 5.0 User's Guide Contents screen, choose **Contents** on the **Help** menu in the Borland C++ 5.0 IDE.
- To access the Help Contents screen from within a topic in the active Help file, click the **Contents** button.
- To access the Help Contents screen of a different Help file installed with Borland C++ 5.0, right-click and select the name of the Help file you want to view.

To return to a previous topic or Help file, click the **Back** button.

Using the Contents screen

You can expand books that appear on the Contents screen, or jump directly to a topic. To view a topic, click on it.

Printing from the Contents screen

You can print several topics at once by clicking a book on the Contents screen and then clicking Print.

Using the index

In Help, click the Index tab to view a list of index entries. Either type the word you're looking for or scroll through the list.

Searching for keywords

Keyword Search gives you direct access to Help about a term in your program. To get help on a term:

1. In the Edit window, place the insertion point on the term you want help on.

2. Use one of the following methods:

- Press **F1** or **Ctrl+F1**.
- Choose **Keyword Search** on the Help menu.
- Choose **Go To Help Topic** on the Edit Window SpeedMenu.

3. One of these events occurs:

- The topic associated with the term you selected is displayed.
- If more than one topic is available on the term for which you requested Help, the Topics Found dialog box is displayed listing topics associated with the term. Double-click the topic you want to view.
- If no Help is available for the term nearest the insertion point, the index is displayed. You can then select a different searching method to locate a topic associated with that term. The term for which you requested Help appears highlighted in the top box. Click the **Display** button or double-click the term to view the list of topics associated with the term.

To return to a previous topic or Help file, click the **Back** button.

Printing Help topics

You can print Help topics from the Help Contents screen or from the topic itself.

To print from the help contents:

1. Display the Help Contents containing the information you want to print.
2. Select the topic or topics you want to print and click **Print**. You can also select a book in the Contents to print several related topics at once.

To print from a Help topic:

1. Display the topic you want to print.
2. Click **Print**. (You can also right click inside the topic and select **Print Topic**.)

Help Context Menu

All the Borland C++ 5.0 Help files have context menus that you access by right-clicking on the mouse. These menus provide quick access to commands for copying or printing a Help topic, or exiting Windows Help.

The context menus also list additional Help files containing information related to the current Help file. Right-click and select a Help file from the context menu. The Contents screen for that Help file is displayed.

Using Windows Help

More information about using standard Windows Help features is available if you need it. To learn more about the features of Help in Windows 95 and Windows NT, see the following instructions.

If you're already in a Help topic, press F1 to display Windows Help.

Otherwise, for details about using Help in **Windows 95** or **Windows NT 4.0**,

1. Choose Start in the lower left corner of the Windows Desktop, then choose Help.

Windows Help is displayed.

2. In the Help Contents, open the How To book, then open Use Help.

To choose a book in the Help Contents, double-click it or move to it with the arrow keys and press Enter.

For details about using Help in **Windows NT 3.51 (or earlier)**,

- In the Program Manager, choose Help|How To Use Help.

Redistributable Files

When you finish coding your application and are ready to deploy it, you need to determine which files to include to make it run. These files are called redistributable files.

Refer to the file DEPLOY.TXT in the ..\BC5 directory for a list of files that you can redistribute in accordance with the No-Nonsense License Statement. DEPLOY.TXT lists the files associated with each application option and specifies where the files need to be installed.

If you have the Professional or Client/Server edition of Borland C++ 5.0, you can also use InstallShield to help prepare an install program for your application. InstallShield provides options to help you determine and include appropriate redistributable files.

Sorry, No Help is Available for that Term

You have attempted to get Language Help in an Edit window for a term that the Help system does not recognize.

Borland C++ User's Guide Click here  to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++ User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCW.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCW.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

► This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCW.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select BCW.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++ Programmer's Guide Click here  to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++ Programmer's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCPP.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCPP*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

► This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCPP.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select BCPP.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

ObjectWindows 5.0 Reference

Click here  to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **ObjectWindows 5.0 Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for OWL50.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\OWL*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

► This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If OWL50.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select OWL50.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

ObjectComponents Reference

Click here  to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **ObjectComponents Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for OCF.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\OCF*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

► This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If OCF.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select OCF.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++ DOS Reference [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++ DOS Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCDOS.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCDOS.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCDOS.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select BCDOS.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland Class Libraries Guide [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland Class Libraries Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for CLASSLIB.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\CL*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If CLASSLIB.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select CLASSLIB.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Resource Workshop User's Guide [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Resource Workshop User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for WORKSHOP.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\WORKSHOP.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If WORKSHOP.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select WORKSHOP.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland Windows Custom Controls Reference [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland Windows Custom Controls Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BWCC.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BWCC.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BWCC.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select BWCC.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

WinSight User's Guide [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **WinSight User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for WINSIGHT.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\WINSIGHT.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If WINSIGHT.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select WINSIGHT.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

WinSpector User's Guide [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **WinSpector User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for WINSPECTR.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\WINSPECTR.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If WINSPECTR.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select WINSPECTR.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Using Online Help [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Using Online Help**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for OPENHELP.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\OPENHELP.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If OPENHELP.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select OPENHELP.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Error Messages and Warnings [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from **Error Messages and Warnings**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCERRMSG.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCERRMSG.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCERRMSG.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select BCERRMSG.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

ObjectScripting Guide [Click here *](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **ObjectScripting Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for SCRIPT.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\SCRIPT.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If SCRIPT.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select SCRIPT.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Standard C++ Library Reference Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Standard C++ Library Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for STL.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\STL*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If STL.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select STL.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++ Tools and Utilities [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from **Borland C++ Tools and Utilities**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCTOOLS.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCTOOLS*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCTOOLS.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.

b. Select BCTOOLS.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.

c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.

d. Click OK.

Windows System Classes Guide Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Windows System Classes Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for WINSYS.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\WINSYS.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If WINSYS.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.
 - b. Select WINSYS.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Visual Database Tools Reference Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Visual Database Tools Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BC5\HELP) for BCVDTREF.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BC5\HELP\BCVDT*.* C:\BC5\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCVDTREF.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

a. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BC5\BIN.

b. Select BCVDTREF.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.

c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.

d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder User's Guide [Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\HELP) for BCB.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCB.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCB.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

- a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
- b. Select BCB.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
- c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
- d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Programmer's Guide [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder Programmer's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBPG.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBPG.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBPG.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select BCBPG.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Library Reference Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder Library Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBRTL.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBRTL.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBRTL.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select BCBRTL.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Component Writer's Guide [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder Component Writer's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBCWG.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBCWG.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBCWG.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.

b. Select BCBCWG.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.

c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.

d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Database Application Developer's Guide

[Click here](#) * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder Database Application Developer's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBADAG.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBADAG.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBADAG.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select BCBADAG.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Visual Component Library Reference

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You have requested information from the **Borland C++Builder Visual Component Library Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBVCL.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBVCL.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBVCL.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select BCBVCL.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Error Messages and Warnings [Click here](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from **Borland C++Builder Error Messages and Warnings**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBERRS.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBERRS.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBERRS.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.

b. Select BCBERRS.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.

c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.

d. Click OK.

Borland C++Builder Tools and Utilities Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from **Borland C++Builder Tools and Utilities**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCBTOOLS.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCBTOOLS*.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCBTOOLS.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select BCBTOOLS.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

OpenHelp User's Guide [Click here *](#) to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from the **OpenHelp User's Guide**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for OPENHELP.HLP.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\OPENHELP.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If OPENHELP.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:
 - a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.
 - b. Select OPENHELP.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.
 - c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.
 - d. Click OK.

Object Pascal Language Reference Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from **Object Pascal Language Reference**. Either the Help file is not installed or it is not included in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (..\CBuilder\Help) for BCPASCAL.HLP.

2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\CBuilder\Help\BCPASCAL*.* C:\CBuilder\Help
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that C++Builder is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If BCPASCAL.HLP is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range:

a. Click on OpenHelp.exe.

b. Select BCPASCAL.HLP from the Available Help Files list box.

c. Click the > button to move it into Selected Help Files.

d. Click OK.

A Help File Could Not Be Found Click here * to start OpenHelp.

You have requested information from a help file that could not be located. Either the Help file is not installed (or not located in the correct directory), or the Help file is not in your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE.

To solve the problem,

1. Look in the Help directory (BCB\HELP) for the missing help.
2. If the file is not there, you need to copy it from CD:

```
copy D:\BCB\HELP\helpfile.* C:\BCB\HELP
```

▪ This command assumes that you have a CD-ROM drive (set to D:) and that BC5 is installed on your C: drive. Modify as required for your setup. If you're using disks, you'll need to run a Custom Install.

3. If the missing help file is in the HELP directory, try using OPENHELP to add it to the search range.

The most likely reason a Help file is missing is that you installed an add-on product, such as CodeGuard, but did not install its Help file or did not add its Help file to your current search range using OPENHELP.EXE. For example, to get help on CodeGuard,

1. Ensure that **CG5.HLP** is in the BCB\HELP directory as described above.
2. Double-click OPENHELP.EXE in \BCB\BIN.
3. Add **CG5.HLP** to the available Help files. For more information, see Adding Help files to OpenHelp.
4. Select **CG5.HLP** from the Available Help Files list box.
5. Click the > button to move it into the Selected Help Files list for the Search range currently selected and then click OK.

