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Subject: Show additional column in a LIST1 transaction pattern (a column not part of a parent table)

Posted by [jjtoranzo2004](#) on Thu, 17 Mar 2016 11:33:11 GMT

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Tony I have the following problem. I want to show an additional column in a LIST1 transaction pattern that does not belong to the main table or any of its parent tables. The column is part of a "grandparent" table.

In order to retrieve the data from the database I followed these steps:

1 - Amend the component script to change the proper \$sql\_ variables. The \$sql\_select and the \$sql\_from variables.

2 - I edited the class file and changed the \_cm\_changeConfig function to add additional entries to the \$fieldarray array.

3 - Change the screen file to include the fields and set their width.

The problem is that the title of the column is shown but not the corresponding data.

Can you point me in the right direction? I am sure I am forgetting something obvious.

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Subject: Re: Show additional column in a LIST1 transaction pattern (a column not part of a parent table)

Posted by [AJM](#) on Fri, 18 Mar 2016 09:45:55 GMT

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You do not need to make any changes to the \$fieldspec array in \_cm\_changeConfig unless you want the data validated before a WRITE operation, or formatted for display.

You need to check that the new column is actually included in the data which is returned from the call to \_dml\_getData and added to the XML document. If you look at <http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/infrastructure-faq.html#faq51> you will see some debugging options that may be useful.

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