Subject: Dropdown - value of foreign key Posted by dsstanescu on Tue, 21 Sep 2010 12:08:59 GMT

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Hello,

I have imported a database in which:

- table SISTEME has primary key cod\_sistem and
- table ANSAMBLE has primary key cod\_ansamblu and a foreign key cod\_sistem

I related the tables within the framework: parent is SISTEME and child is ANSAMBLE related through cod\_sistem.

I then changed the column cod\_sistem in ANSAMBLE to be DROPDOWN and I was expecting when adding a new record to ANSAMBLE to have the DROPDOWN cod\_sistem of this table populated with the values from SISTEME. This does not happen ... I get a DROPDOWN which is not populated....

I always exported to PHP and I noticed that the ansamble.class.inc for ANSAMBLE is very basic (see the file uploaded) if compared with the one from CLASSROOM eg crs\_student.class.inc. What I get inside the class is just a function ansamble, but not others as \_cm\_formatData, \_cm\_getExtraData etc. I read #298 and #490 threads, but did not succeed to solve it...

Thanks! Dan

## File Attachments

1) ansamble.class.inc, downloaded 1209 times

Subject: Re: Dropdown - value of foreign key Posted by AJM on Tue, 21 Sep 2010 15:00:34 GMT

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Telling the framework that you want a field displayed as a dropdown (or radiogroup) is only half of the equation - you must also provide the framework with the entries to populate the dropdown or radiogroup. See How to incorporate dropdown lists or radio groups for details.

You might also want to take a look at:

How to incorporate a dropdown list with multiple selections
How to have different sets of dropdown/radio options for different database rows
How can I build a dropdown/radio group from a table with a compound key?
Can I change the style of individual entries in a dropdown?

Subject: Re: Dropdown - value of foreign key Posted by dsstanescu on Tue, 21 Sep 2010 15:23:31 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Thanks, I just did it. Of course, after reading as you said the other half ...

Dan