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Subject: Using Created\_Date, Revised\_Date  
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Sir Tony,

I am trying to look for literature and reading on how to use the fields created\_date, created\_user, revised\_date and revised\_user. So far, I encountered your past suggestion of setting the auto\_update field in the data dictionary for revised\_date.

The four fields seem to be automatically added to tables that are defined in the framework. How do I choose not to have them? Like in your class\_lesson and student\_lesson tables (Classroom Sample System).

Is my understanding correct that if I have them marked as auto\_updated (all four fields), then when the framework creates or inserts a new record, created\_date and created\_user will acquire the corresponding value?

I tried searching the fields across the framework but only found them existing in \*.dict.inc.

Just asking for a little enlightenment on the matter. Thanks

Melvin

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