Subject: Re: Use a popup from a navigation button
Posted by AJM on Thu, 13 Nov 2008 18:40:18 GMT

When the initial passthru option is used the passthru task is activated without going through any preprocessing which depends on the task's pattern_id, therefore it will not perform any popupCall() processing. This in turn means that when the passthru task terminates and the parent task is reactivated the parent task does not know about the popup form and cannot perform any popupReturn() processing. The selection from the popup is made available in the $where string and can be processed in the _cm_initialise() method.

Another point - do not use the UPDATE3 pattern for your parent task as this has a highly specialised purpose. You can use an UPDATE1 pattern if you want a task with a SUBMIT button. If you don't change any database values then no database update will be performed.