Subject: overruling primary validation time fieldtype Posted by johandewit on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 12:51:53 GMT

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Hi,

I want to be able to enter a time value > 24 hours. During insert/update, this will generate an error "Invalid HOURS", because the std.datevalidation.class only allows hours <= 24.

It seems this 'primary validating rule' cannot be skipped/overruled.

What is the best and/or proper way to achieve this, without making any modification to the framework code.

Thanks

Subject: Re: overruling primary validation time fieldtype Posted by AJM on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 16:05:24 GMT

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Unfortunately the TIME data type is currently limited to 00:00:00 to 23:59:59 as I have only ever used it to represent time of day, not elapsed time. As MySQL supports values in the range '-838:59:59' to '838:59:59' I shall put this on my 'to do' list. I'm not sure if PostgreSQL allows such values, and I know Oracle does not have a TIME type at all.

In the mean time you may find it easier to change your data type to NUMERIC instead of TIME, then you can allow for any number of hours.