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Subject: getData\_serial (\$where)  
Posted by [htManager](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2021 13:08:47 GMT  
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Hi Toni,  
I have a list view report and I want to order the records alphabetical. In the \_cm\_post\_fetchRow(\$fieldarray) method I get all the records in a different order. In functions-and-variables.html I read that the getData\_serial(\$where) methods gets all the records from the database. Afterwards they will be passed to the \_cm\_post\_fetchRow() method one after the other.  
In which \_cm\_... method can I see or change the order of the records or call the getData\_serial(\$where) method?

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Subject: Re: getData\_serial (\$where)  
Posted by [AJM](#) on Sat, 17 Jul 2021 08:31:02 GMT  
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You must set \$this->sql\_orderby BEFORE the call to getData\_serial, which will merely issue the SELECT query \*without\* returning any data, just a resource. Calls to \$this->fetchRow() will then return one record at a time from that resource.

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Subject: Re: getData\_serial (\$where)  
Posted by [htManager](#) on Sun, 18 Jul 2021 11:10:36 GMT  
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Thank you. I placed the code in \_cm\_pre\_getData() and everything works fine now.

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