

## Re: Fields in a form?

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Have you looked at the help files? They spell it all out.

The maximum is 255 over the lifetime of the form. That means that adding a control, then later deleting it still counts. Compacting your database will help with this issue.

To get around this, you can use subforms. Each subform can have 255 controls as well.

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"JPS" <JPS@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
<news:471F7B5E-7E28-48BC-B6F0-6EBFEC3F5C1F@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
> What is the maximum number of fields that can be added to a form. I have  
> several tables which I need to show on one form but an error message tells  
> me  
> that I have too many fields defined.  
> Would sub-forms help and if so, how do i do them.  
> Thanks

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