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6. Set the link fields for sbfCurrentCustomer as follows:

LinkMasterFields: txtCurrentCustomer

LinkChildFields: CustomerID

Switch to form view and it all works like clockwork. As I move through the records in the list of orders, the matching CustomerID appears in the textbox, and the matching customer record is displayed in the subform.

Have you made your linking textbox visible to verify that the value in it is changing correctly?

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Good Luck :-)

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"efandango" <efandango@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message [news:5AA73AAB-7DB6-4A81-AFCE-BFAF760BFE6A@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:5AA73AAB-7DB6-4A81-AFCE-BFAF760BFE6A@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

Hi Graham,

yes, I did set the master/child setup in the frm\_Road\_Junctions, and the ID numbers to correspond correctly; it's just that the 'frm\_Road\_Junctions' doesn't refresh to reflect the new chosen record on the frm\_Waypoints unless I click a control on the 'frm\_Road\_Junctions' form. I even removed the form, and placed it again using the subform wizard hoping that some unseen voodoo would kick in and resolve it...

to summarise, the link/engine works exactly, just no refresh?...

"Graham Mandeno" wrote:

Hi Eric

Did you set up the master/child link for the subform control containing frm\_Road\_Junctions?

I suggest you make the linking control (txtCurrentWaypoint) visible in the meantime, for debugging purposes. As you navigate the

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records in  
frm\_Waypoints, you should see the value in that textbox  
changing to match  
the waypoint ID for the current record. As this value  
changes, the  
master/child link should automatically refilter  
frm\_Road\_Junctions.

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Good Luck :-)

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Hi Graham,

Yes and No the question relating to the two  
'subforms'...

The form: frm\_Waypoints is a proper  
subform, and its Master/Child are  
linked  
to the overall Master form: frm\_Runs with  
[Run\_No] on both settings.

The form: frm\_Road\_Junctions is not a  
dependent subform. It has no  
master/child relationship set. But both forms  
do exist on/within the  
master/main form: frm\_Runs.

Anyway, despite the two forms having  
different definitions, I tried  
your  
suggestion, but first I removed your initial  
'On Current' code. I then  
carried out you suggestions. Which kind of  
works, in so much as when I  
go  
into the form: frm\_Road\_Junctions it now  
neatly jumps to the correct  
corresponding record. But what I need it to  
do is go to the correct  
record,  
when I select the 'source' record from the  
frm\_Waypoints without having  
to  
resort to actually clicking on anything within

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the frm\_Road\_Junctions  
or  
even  
the form itself. That way I can remain in the  
'important' form which is  
frm\_Waypoints and as I select various  
records, the corresponding  
records  
within frm\_Road\_Junctions reveal  
themselves and refresh automatically.

"Graham Mandeno" wrote:

Hi Eric

The code I gave you was  
intended to work for two  
standard forms (no  
subforms).

Now, the following  
statement has me intrigued:

(both forms  
in question  
are on a  
main/master  
form called:  
frm\_Runs)

Do you mean that  
frm\_Road\_Junctions and  
frm\_Waypoints are \*both\*  
in  
subform  
controls on the same main  
form (frm\_Runs)?

If so, then you can do this  
with no code at all. All you  
need is a  
textbox  
(hidden) on your main form  
– let's name it  
txtCurrentWaypoint.

Also, let's assume the  
subform controls containing

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frm\_Road\_Junctions  
and  
frm\_Waypoints are named  
sbfJunctions and  
sbfWaypoints, respectively.

Set the ControlSource of  
txtCurrentWaypoint to:  
=[sbfWayPoints].Form![txt\_Run\_waypoint\_ID]

Now, set the master/child  
links for sbfJunctions:  
LinkMasterFields:  
txtCurrentWaypoint  
LinkChildFields:  
Road\_Junction\_ID

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Good Luck :-)

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Graham,

I was  
puzzled  
why after  
implementing  
your code,  
nothing  
happened, it  
was  
as  
if the code  
didn't  
recognise  
the  
'subform'  
reference,  
so I looked  
at  
it  
again, and

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replaced:

```
Set frmRJ =  
Forms!frm_Road_Junctions
```

with

```
Set frmRJ =  
Forms![frm_Runs]![frm_Road_Junctions]
```

(both forms  
in question  
are on a  
main/master  
form called:  
frm\_Runs)

this seemed  
to spark  
some life  
into things,  
but now I  
get a type  
mismatch  
error, so  
first things  
first, am I  
on the right  
track when I  
made a  
reference  
to the  
main/master  
form?. If so,  
I can then  
look into  
this type  
mismatch  
problem at  
my end, and  
hopefully  
resolve it.

If not, can I  
come back  
to you on  
this  
problem  
tomorrow,  
as it is  
late

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here  
now, and I  
have been  
gnashing  
my teeth  
with this  
issue all day  
and  
need  
sleep...

regards

Eric

"Graham  
Mandeno"  
wrote:

Hi  
Eric

The  
fact  
that  
you  
are  
using  
Link  
Master/Child  
Fields  
implies  
that  
frm\_Road\_Junctions  
is  
actually  
in  
a  
subform  
control  
and  
is  
not  
the  
main  
form.

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Is  
this  
correct?

If  
so,  
do  
you  
have  
any  
other  
reason  
for  
this  
setup,  
or  
is  
it  
just  
to  
achieve  
the  
synchronisation  
between  
the  
two  
forms?

Simple  
synchronisation  
between  
two  
open  
forms  
can  
be  
achieved  
like  
this:

In  
frm\_Waypoints:

Private  
Sub  
Form\_Current()  
Dim  
frmRJ  
as  
Form  
On

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```
Error
GoTo
ProcErr
Set
frmRJ
=
Forms!frm_Road_Junctions
With
frmRJ.RecordsetClone
.FindFirst
"Road_Junction_ID="
&
Me.txt_Run_waypoint_ID
If
Not
.NoMatch
Then
frmRJ.Bookmark
=
.Bookmark
End
If
End
With
ProcEnd:
Exit
Sub
ProcErr:
If
Err.Number
<>
2450
Then
'
ignore
form
not
open
MsgBox
Err.Description,
vbExclamation
End
If
Resume
ProcEnd
End
Sub

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Good
Luck
```

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How  
can  
I  
refresh  
an  
'open'  
form  
each  
time  
I  
select  
a  
record  
on  
another  
open  
form?

the  
forms  
are:  
frm\_Waypoints  
(continous)  
and  
frm\_Road\_Junctions  
(single  
form)

each  
time  
I  
select  
a

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record  
on  
frm\_Waypoints,  
I  
want  
the  
form  
on  
frm\_Road\_Junctions  
to  
refresh  
and  
reflect  
the  
same  
record  
details  
in  
the  
1st  
form,  
frm\_Waypoints.

They  
are  
data-synchronised  
with  
a  
master  
and  
child  
relationship  
with  
the  
Link  
Master  
field  
and  
Link  
child  
field  
on  
the  
frm\_Road\_Junctions  
set  
to:

Link  
Master  
fields:  
Forms![frm\_Runs]![frm\_Waypoints].Form![txt\_Run\_

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Link  
Child  
fields:  
Road\_Junction\_ID

This  
relationship  
works  
because  
if  
I  
manually  
go  
into  
a  
record  
on  
frm\_Road\_Junctions  
and  
hit  
F5,  
it  
refreshes  
and  
correctly  
shows  
the  
matching  
record  
in  
the  
frm\_Waypoints  
form.  
alternatively,  
I  
can  
acheive  
the  
same  
result  
with  
the  
2nd  
forms  
filter  
set  
to:  
Road\_Junction\_ID=Forms![frm\_Runs]![frm\_Waypoi

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But  
regardless  
of  
what  
linking  
method  
I  
use,  
I  
want  
to  
be  
able  
to  
avoid  
having  
to  
select  
a  
text  
box  
on  
the  
2nd  
form  
and  
hit  
F5  
each  
time  
I  
go  
down  
the  
list  
of  
records.

I  
tried  
moving  
the  
focus  
to  
the  
2nd  
form  
and  
using  
form....requery,  
but

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nothing happens.  
Ideally I don't even want to move the focus to the 2nd form, because the records on the 1st form are a combo list, and if I need to change any them, I don't want the cursor jumping to the 2nd form, each time I select the combo.

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How  
would  
I  
do  
this?