

Re: Query Design View Application Error

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> "Simon" wrote
> "Microsoft Access has encountered a problem and needs to close."
> I have no problem opening up existing databases and creating new ones.
> I can link, create, and view tables. I can run queries, but when I try to go
> into the 'Design View' and add my table(s) I get the error and am
> forced out.
> I've compacted and repaired databases multiple times. Created new
> databases with new tables to test. Uninstalled, rebooted, reinstalled,
> rebooted, applied service packs, rebooting and put on all the latest
> goodies such as MDAC, and Jet 4.0 SP8.
> I've run out of ideas, need help. Anyone here seen this before?
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> The setup is Windows XP Pro SP1, Access 2002/XP SP3.
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> Do you have Name AutoCorrect turned off
> in Tools/Options/General?
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> Gary, I have, forgot to mention that. Thanks for trying, anything else
> you can think of?

> I've have also reinstalled video and all of my printer drivers. Running out
> of options...

Hi Simon,

I don't know....

I used to get the same error (Win2K/AccessXP)
which went away with SP3.

-you are not using non-US version?
-you are not using a Tablet PC?
-you are not using Norton Office PlugIn?
-you are not using Adobe PDFMaker PlugIn?
-improperly typed SQL would shut down Access
 when you went into Design View I believe
-you are changing "Auto" to "None" for table

property SubDatasheets

How are you updating to SP3?

Did you go to the MS update site and have it figure out what you need? One thought was that you were using the same downloaded SP3 to perform your update and something is wrong with it.

I know my attempts to install SP3 on SQL Server kept "failing" with original download, then went back to site and found SP3a which worked.

Another thought was that some critical dll just is not being updated.

According to

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?kbid=836030>

XP SP3 was supposed to fix this:

"You receive the following Access 2002 error message:

Microsoft Access has encountered a problem and needs to close. We are sorry for the inconvenience.

To see what data this error report contains, click here.

When you view the data in the error report, the report contains an error signature that is similar to one of the following error signatures:

App Name App Version Module Name Module Version offset

msaccess.exe 10.0.2627.1 msctf.dll 5.1.2409.7 0001ccb5

Additionally, other program versions, module versions, and offsets are possible."

According to

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?kbid=832671>

"How to determine whether the update is installed

The update contains updated versions of the following files:

File name Version

Excel.exe 10.0.6501.0
Frontpg.exe 10.0.6308.0
Msaccess.exe 10.0.6501.0
Mspub.exe 10.0.6308.0
Outlook.exe 10.0.6626.0
Powerpnt.exe 10.0.6501.0
Winword.exe 10.0.6612.0

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To determine the version of your Microsoft Office program that is installed on your computer, follow these steps.

Note Because there are several versions of Microsoft Windows, the following steps may be different on your computer. If they are, see your product documentation to complete these steps.

Click Start, and then click Search.

In the Search Results pane, click All files and folders under Search Companion.

In the All or part of the file name box, type the file name of the program executable that is listed above (for example, type Excel.exe), and then click Search.

In the list of files, right-click the program executable file that was found, and then click Properties.

On the Version tab, determine the version of your Office program that is installed on your computer."

It doesn't list versions of all the other critical dll's that possibly should have been changed though.

If I were to simply open NorthWind sample db, go into query view, and get the error, I would first think "Access install is bad."
If I then uninstalled, reinstalled, and got same result, I would first think something did not get fully uninstalled, and reinstall did not "make it go away."

You might go to

<http://www.sysinternals.com>

and download their free progs that help you see what is going on in the background.

FileMon
ProcessExplorer

I am sorry I cannot be of more help,

Gary Walter