

Re: Update table from ODBC

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The 2 methods should result to the same set of Records appended unless the criteria are interpreted differently. If you use Pass-Through, the ODBC server interprets your criteria. If you use linked Table, JET uses SQLGetInfo and SQLGetTypeInfo to ask the ODBC driver whether the server supports operators + functions used in your criteria and try to pass as much as possible to the server. However, there are numerous cases where JET will actually performs the calculations rather than passing to the server.

If you want, post the SQL Strings of your Pass-Through Query, your Append Query using the Pass-through and your Append Query using ODBC-linked Table and others may know why the same criteria in 2 Queries behave differently.

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HTH
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"Peter" <Peter@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:F65C00CF-180C-45D9-B93F-CED53E9EC1AB@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
>I tried using the pass-through query as the source for a separate append
> query and it worked a treat.
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> Just for the exercise I also tried ODBC linking the source table in the
> external DB and tried to run the append query from it – but the query
> return
> odd results, it seemed to ignore the criteria that had been set. I
> wondered
> if it was a linking problem, but I am only querying a single table???
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> Don't know – but the first method worked perfectly
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> Thanks.
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