

Re: different results of query from different workstations

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On Tue, 19 Feb 2008 17:09:01 -0800, Durian62
<Durian62@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

My multi-user database is on a server and I experience different query results depending on from which workstation the query is run.

The query converts a txt-field into a date format with the following command: `format([left([variable xyz],16,'General Date?') with a criteria of ?>Now()-26/24?`.

If I remember correctly the problem is linked to differences in the setup of Access on each single machine (possibly add-ins?) ? who can help?

General Date will have variable appearance depending on the computer's Regional date/time settings. What are the typical contents of [variable xyz]? I suspect that a DateSerial and/or TimeSerial function will be a better choice than Format().

Note that Format will return a text string, not a Date/Time value, and that the Now() expression might better be

`= DateAdd("h", -26, Now())`

if your intention is to find all values more recent than 26 hours ago. If that's not your intention... what is?

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