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LOL

Yeah, I went to my local library today and picked up "Visual Basic .NET in 21 Day". I normally do not like the 21 days books, but low and behold there was a swell example and explanation of how to access and manipulate a DataSet once created.

My DataSet is "DsMyMonthlyIncome1"

```
Dim objTable As DataTable
objTable = DsMyMonthlyIncome1.Tables("Budget Items")

Dim objRow As DataRow
For Each objRow In objTable.Rows
If objRow.Item("FirstName") = "" Or
objRow.Item("LastName") = "" Or objRow.Item("Address1") = "" Or
objRow.Item("City") = "" Or objRow.Item("State") = "" Or
objRow.Item("Zip") = "" Or objRow.Item("Phone") = "" Or
objRow.Item("Email") = "" Then
MsgBox("Please enter your personal information under
File->Client Information before continuing.")
MenuItem6.PerformClick()
End If
Next
```

MenuItem6 brings up a registration window with bound textboxes that save information to my Access db.

Hope this helps someone struggling ;-(

-Dan

On Mar 21, 12:56 am, "RobinS" <Rob...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

Apparently you bought the wrong ones. ;-(

Robin S.

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-----"pooba53" <poob...@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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I appreciate the book suggestions. Thanks.

What I really need is some sample code that addresses my original question. I've spent enough \$\$\$ on books presently and they were all supposed to be wonderful ;-(

-Dan

On Mar 20, 5:59 pm, "William \ (Bill) Vaughn"
<billvaRemoveT...@xxxxxxxx> wrote:

I agree, David's book is great. I wrote a book that maps to the original Visual Studio but not to VS 2003. Visual Studio (VB.NET) has code generators in each of its versions that automatically generates the code (including the SELECT query) when you drag and drop data tables or Data Source tables on the form. One approach I use in my book is to dig into the generated code (click "show all files" in the solution explorer). Here you will see a lot of code—used to Create a Connection object and pass in a ConnectionString to address your database. Create a DataAdapter or TableAdapter (depending on the version) to manage the database table you reference. Create a set of Command objects—one each to Select, Insert, Update and Delete rows (SelectCommand, InsertCommand etc.) Use the DataAdapter or TableAdapter Fill method to execute the SelectCommand, return a rowset and populate a DataTable Bind the DataTable returned to the TextBox or

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DataGridView
control(s) on
your form.
Build the UI needed to navigate and launch the Update
method on the
DataAdapter that posts changes to the database (and call the
InsertCommand,
DeleteCommand and UpdateCommand).

Yep, my latest book can help too, but mostly if you're
targeting SQL
Server
(any version).
There are also walkthroughs in the documentation that can
help as well.

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David Sceppa wrote a book called "Microsoft ADO.NET". It was a big help to me when I was getting started. He has lots of examples and pointers for performance.

"pooba53" <poob...@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message

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The book I'm learning VB .NET from barely scratches the surface of ADO.NET. I have a working application that has a database connection (to Access), a data connection OleDbConnection1, a data adapter OleDbDataAdapter1, and my text boxes are working as expected when bound to the Access fields. The book has "Wizards" do all the "magic".

What my book does NOT cover is how to use the above items to generate sql commands and capture the results. Sort of pitiful.

I know SQL and have used it with Linux, PHP, and MySQL. I just don't understand the most common thing in the realm of getting information from a database using VB

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.NET and VS 2003.

I do have a dataset created
too called "Data1".

I already have everything
set up, I just don't know the
syntax to
create a select statement and
capture the results!

Thanks for putting up with
my dunce cap...
-Dan