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Hi Morten, and thanks for the response.

Actually, my printing needs are very basic and need not involve the display grid at all.

This is a .NET 2.0 Windows Forms app connected to a remote Sql Server 2005 instance where the connection string is obtained from a custom registry key value which varies by customer/environment.

On the user entering a couple of simple params , the grid displays the result of a single stored procedure which accepts those params. Scroll bars are just a necessity of screen real-estate available.

I'd like the user to then be able to click a button to display a printable report. The report is the formatted full output of the same stored procedure.

I don't care too much about the technology nor the features — the simplest / easiest solution is fine for my app.

"Morten Wennevik [C# MVP]" <MortenWennevik@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:DB7CF5C0-5298-4EEE-92CB-073EF5EA3183@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

"John A Grandy" wrote:

Currently I am displaying a rowset in a DataGridView, which scrolls both horizontally and vertically.

I need to print the data in the rowset in the format it's displayed in the DataGridView

It does not appear that DataGridView has any support for the printing of its

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contents.

How are people approaching the problem of printing the contents of a DataGridView ?

Hi John,

Do you mean you want to print a subset of the data, and only the data currently visible to the user? If so, I don't think I have ever seen a solution for this. I fear you will have to keep track of the visible rows and columns yourself and print out the visible cells manually. Or maybe have the user select which cells should be printed and manually print all SelectedCells.

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Happy Coding!
Morten Wennevik [C# MVP]