

Re: Using Null in DateTimePickers

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John Smith wrote:

> *Hey folks,*

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> *I have a DateTimePicker control on my Windows Form. Whenever I either:*

> *a) Don't give it a value*

> *b) Set it's value to Null*

> *c) Set it's value to ""*

> *It makes the date today's date.*

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> *I need it to be empty though. How do I make it empty? It represents a*

> *field in my database which legitimately can be null and so I can't show it*

> *as today's date.*

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> *Thanks a lot for the help!*

As Nicholas states, the DateTimePicker from MS does not support null.

There are third party controls that do. Infragistics

(www.infragistics.com) NetAdvantage Suite includes a calendar control that supports null.

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