

Creating resizing macro – select chart as object?

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Hi,

I'm trying to create a macro in Excel so that I can click onto a chart and resize it without having to select the "Select Objects" arrow in the drawing toolbar (this is for very PC illterate folk). I recorded the macro and got this text:

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Sub Chart_two_third_width()  
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' Chart_two_third_width Macro  
' Macro recorded 03/04/2008 by IT  
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,  
ActiveSheet.Shapes("Chart 1").Select  
Selection.ShapeRange.LockAspectRatio = msoFalse  
Selection.ShapeRange.Height = 178.5  
Selection.ShapeRange.Width = 340.5  
With Selection  
.Placement = xlMove  
.PrintObject = True  
End With  
End Sub
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However, it doesn't work and I have a sneaking suspicion that I need to get something in there that will select the chart as an object rather than a chart.

Can anyone help at all? I'm (quite clearly) winging it with Visual Basic!

Many thanks,
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