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BECAUSE I AM NOT VERY GOOD AT THIS:((
I studied C++ when in college not db programming. I hate it actually and that is due to the lack of knowledge and the frustration that follows. I need a very thorough tutorial. Any ideas?

"MikeA" wrote:

Should have mentioned with Inner Join I was referring to the select:

I have not tested this but instead of:

```
select * from temp1,invlines ;  
where temp1.invo_num=invlines.invo_num into dbf (dir_temp+'temp2b.dbf')
```

try something like:

```
select * from invlines inner join temp1 ;  
where temp1.invo_num=invlines.invo_num into dbf (dir_temp+'temp2b.dbf')
```

Then it will use all the found records from invlines and only merge the data from temp table and not add additional records.

Mike

"Emily" <Emily@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Hello,

I am not sure why I can't get my select to work.

this is what I am doing

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```
select *.pmt_date as pmtdate from payment ;  
where payment.pmt_date between sdate and edate  
order by invo_num into dbf (dir_temp+'temp1.dbf')
```

```
select * from temp1,invlines ;  
where temp1.invo_num=invlines.invo_num into dbf (dir_temp+'temp2b.dbf')
```

payment looks like this

```
paynum invonum pmt_date amount rptrnum  
1 100 1/1/07 200.00 15  
2 100 1/1/07 700.00 29
```

invlines looks like this

```
invonum linenum rptrnum product amount  
100 1 15 a $50  
100 2 15 b $150  
100 3 29 c $500  
100 4 29 d $200
```

I want to get this:

```
invonum pmt_date rptrnum product amount linenum  
100 1/1/07 15 a $50 1  
100 1/7/07 15 b $150 2  
100 1/7/07 29 c $500 3  
100 1/7/07 29 d $200 4
```

but I keep getting!!!

```
invonum pmt_date rptrnum product amount linenum  
100 1/1/07 15 a $50 1  
100 1/1/07 29 a $50 1  
100 1/7/07 15 b $150 2  
100 1/7/07 29 b $150 2  
100 1/7/07 29 c $500 3  
100 1/7/07 15 c $500 3  
100 1/7/07 29 d $200 4  
100 1/7/07 15 d $200 4
```

sorry but i don't even know what topic to search this under if this already

came up. I would search for going to throw the computer out but who knows what will come up then. Thank you in advance in helping this frustrated soul.

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