

Re: Pragmatically compact and repair database

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Access needs to be installed on whatever computer is running the program that does the compacting. Whether this is the server itself, or a client PC accessing the server over a file share, it doesn't matter what actual hard disk the .mdb is on. This is because you can't do it via SQL, you have to use Access's automation objects.

"Mike" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:116A9947-2CF9-47F4-9E2B-37D0337E3E4E@microsoft.com...
> *With my vb6 app, I want to send a command to compact and repair an access2000 .mdb database stored on a server. Will this work if access is not installed on the server or the client computers were the vb6 app resides on.*
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> *Also, how or were can I find out how I can pragmatically add a data field to a table in the access2000 database*
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