

Re: Mail Merge to New Document Shows Word Application

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Hi,

Although this is very useful, I am attempting to do this automatically from a VB .NET application.

I guess I have two questions, can I use this code directly in VB .NET using the Word Interop or secondly can I call the macro from automation code. My preferred choice would be to do this via .NET code as I will be using at least 2 different versions of Word.

Kindest Regards,

Dean

"Doug Robbins – Word MVP" wrote:

See the "Individual Merge Letters" item on fellow MVP Graham Mayor's website at:

http://www.gmayor.com/individual_merge_letters.htm

If you are using Word XP or later, the "Add-in to Merge Letters to Separate Files" that I have written and that can be downloaded from that site will allow you to create each letter as a separate file with a filename taken from a field in the data source with a minimum of fuss.

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Hope this helps.

Please reply to the newsgroup unless you wish to avail yourself of my services on a paid consulting basis.

Doug Robbins – Word MVP

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"Dean Price" <Dean Price@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:051B0ADF-8512-4263-ACCD-33E87B986CE8@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Hi,

I am automating a mail-merge which works fine. The snag I have is that I need to also store each individual document in order for a Document Management System to read in and store in its database. The way in which I have gotten round this is by creating individual merge results for each record and then producing the whole datasource and merging at the end, all works fine.

However, when I execute a merge to a new document which shows the Word application and documents even though I have already set the .Visible property to false.

My question is, is there a better way of saving a merge result to individual documents or if not how can I prevent word from showing when I execute to a new document?

Regards,

Dean