

## Re: table print error

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- *From:* "Trish T" <[TrishT@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:TrishT@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
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Well, I'd pretty much decided to work around it, since even an expert like yourself couldn't figure it out. If I put a return at the end of the last line that prints completely and then a couple of more returns to move the rest of the text to the next page, the text prints properly, although the last line on the page isn't right justified (I'm using full justification). That's another option that I tried. I'll try yours, too, and see which looks better. Thanks anyway for your help.

"Suzanne S. Barnhill" wrote:

- > Although it's by no means an ideal solution (and I'm not absolving Word of
- > creating the problem), you might try adding a new row at some point where it
- > is possible to break the text (between paragraphs), then set rows not to
- > break across pages. Sometimes it's easier just to throw in the towel and try
- > a workaround rather than try to figure out what's causing the problem so you
- > can effect a solution.
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- > Another thing to investigate if this is Word 2002 or 2003 is whether the
- > table has become wrapped. There is an option in those versions to allow text
- > in wrapped tables to break across pages (something they can't do in Word
- > 2000), but I can well imagine that the feature might not work perfectly.
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- > Yet another possibility is that your footer has acquired some space before
- > (perhaps in the form of an empty paragraph) that is forcing the bottom
- > margin up, though this should not truncate text, just force it to the next
- > page.
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- > Also, you mention a logo in the footer. Depending on the wrapping on the
- > logo, this could well be the cause of the problem; do you still see if it
- > you remove the logo?
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- > --
- > Suzanne S. Barnhill
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- > Fairhope, Alabama USA
- > Word MVP FAQ site: <http://word.mvps.org>
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- > all may benefit.

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> "Trish T" <TrishT@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
> <[news:DAA53BAD-95BD-4F48-9D73-444A40647ADB@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:DAA53BAD-95BD-4F48-9D73-444A40647ADB@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>  
>> Do you mean cells that were created by merging? Or a larger cell that  
> spans  
>> the height of more than one cell in another column (which was created by  
>> merging cells)? Neither of those applies. My table is an Executive  
> Summary:  
>> it's two columns wide and has a short title in the left column (ex.  
> "Project  
>> Team") and then several paragraphs of text in the right column regarding  
> the  
>> "Project Team", and so on down for several topics. Even though the left  
>> cell only has a little text in it and then a lot of space corresponding to  
>> the paragraphs on the right, it's still just one cell—a very simple,  
>> straightforward table with no merged cells.  
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>> "Suzanne S. Barnhill" wrote:  
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>>> Are any merged cells involved? This can really confuse Word at the  
> bottom of  
>>> a page.  
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>>> <[news:AD05F9FC-BD53-4A97-8D60-61058C7850B1@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:AD05F9FC-BD53-4A97-8D60-61058C7850B1@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>  
>>>> I tried printing to three different printers in our office and they  
> all  
>>> did  
>>>> the same thing in exactly the same place. One of them is a brand new  
>>> printer  
>>>> we just had installed, so I'm sure the driver is right.  
>>>>  
>>>> I've tried going into Table – Options and changing the bottom cell  
> margin  
>>>> from the default .05" both up (to .08") and down (to .02"). I've  
> tried  
>>>> changing the bottom page margin both up and down (without changing the  
>>> footer  
>>>> "from edge" margin, since that would mess up the company logo in the  
>>> footer.)  
>>>> Nothing works. As a matter of fact, changing the margin changes

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> which  
>>> line  
>>>> of text is last, but even if it's a line ABOVE the original last line  
>>>> (leaving more space below it), it STILL cuts the line of text in  
> half!!  
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>>>> Trish  
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>>>> "Suzanne S. Barnhill" wrote:  
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>>>>> I would guess it might still be a printer driver (rendering) issue.  
> Can  
>>> you  
>>>> experiment with a different printer/driver?  
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>>>>> --  
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>>>>> "Trish T" <TrishT@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
>>>>> [news:EBF51164-9946-4E0B-8114-BCA276ED382F@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:EBF51164-9946-4E0B-8114-BCA276ED382F@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)  
>>>>>> There was no further discussion on this topic, but I'm having the  
> same  
>>>>>> problem as David. My table row is NOT set to an exact height and  
> it  
>>>> IS  
>>>>>> allowed to break (which I definitely want since there are three  
>>> paragraphs  
>>>>>> of  
>>>>>>> text in that row and it breaks in almost the exact middle of the  
>>>> second  
>>>>>>> paragraph.)  
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>>>>>>> Thanks for your help.  
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>>>>>>> Trish  
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>>>>>>> "Suzanne S. Barnhill" wrote:  
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>>>>>>>> Is the table row set to an Exact height? Is it allowed to break?  
>>>>>>>>>  
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>>>>>> "DP" <d@xxxxx> wrote in message  
>>>>>> [news:uGuZsOSDFHA.3452@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:uGuZsOSDFHA.3452@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)  
>>>>>>> Help!  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> My text is set out in a table, but the last line on the page  
>>> doesn't  
>>>> print  
>>>>>>> properly – the bottom 50% of each character doesn't print.  
> It's  
>>> not a  
>>>>>>> printer margin problem (I don't think) as the footer below  
> prints  
>>>>>>> correctly.  
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>>>>>>> Any ideas gratefully received  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> thanks  
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>>>>>>> David  
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• *Follow-Ups:*

- ◆ **Re: table print error**  
    ◇ From: Suzanne S. Barnhill

• *References:*

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