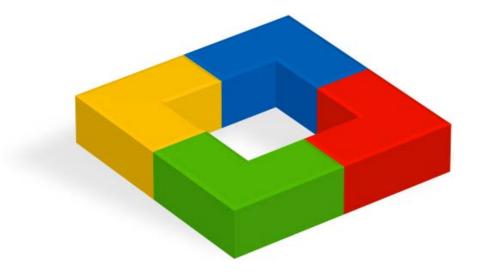
Introductory Tutorial







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Introduction

Welcome to the Introductory Tutorial on rapidly creating web applications with CodeCharge Studio. You will find that CodeCharge Studio is not only easy to use but it is a vital and powerful code generator for visually creating professional web database solutions.

The tutorial consists of two chapters, each designed to take you through different approaches to creating web applications from scratch.

It is assumed that you have some knowledge of database and web servers, and it is required that you have a working web server such as IIS or PWS for Windows, or Apache for Linux already installed and configured. For the purposes of this tutorial we recommend using IIS or PWS server for Windows. CodeCharge Studio also comes with sample MS Access databases that can be used during the course of this tutorial.

If you run into technical difficulties, refer to the Appendix section for help and possible solutions.

Chapter 1: Creating Task Management System with Power Wizard

Power wizard is a powerful feature of CodeCharge Studio that can automatically convert a database into a working web application. By following a few short steps you can create administrative web pages for your SQL database, or create a skeleton of a web application that you can then extend into a full-featured solution. In this chapter we will take you through steps of creating ready-to-use Task Management System created in large part by the Power Wizard, then finalized by utilizing other features of CodeCharge Studio.

Using Power Wizard

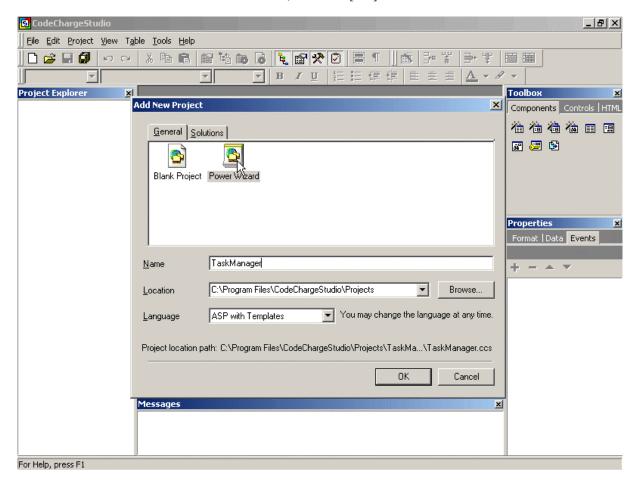
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Launch Power Wizard

To start the Power Wizard, specify the name of the new project: "TaskManager", select the location on the disk and the programming language, then double-click on the "Power Wizard" icon. You can also select the "Power Wizard" icon once, then click [OK] button to launch it.



Specify Project Properties

Specify all parameters required by the wizard for generating the site.

Code Language: Programming language or technology to be generated. Currently supported technologies are:

- *ASP with Templates* generates .asp files with VBScript, which uses separate .html files as templates during the run-time.
- *C*# generates .aspx files with C# code
- *CFML* generates ColdFusion code
- CFML with Templates generates ColdFusion code (.cfm) and separate .html template files
- PHP with Templates generates PHP code (.php) and separate .html template files
- Servlets with Templates generates Java code that utilizes .html templates

Site Language:

Country language to use when generating text messages for the site. For example the text "No records" that appears when no more records are to be displayed within a grid, could be generated in any support language.

Database:

The database type that you want to work with and convert to a web application. If you do not find your database in the list, select an equivalent, or use "ANSI SQL-92" to generate standard SQL.

Power Wizard	
	General project properties
Code Language:	ASP with Templates
Site Language:	English
Database:	MS Access 💌
Server Path:	C:\Inetpub\www.root\TaskManager
Server URL:	http://localhost/TaskManager
	Cancel < Back Next > Finish

Server Path:

The full path where generated files should be published (locally). This path is usually preset by the wizard and can be left without changes.

Server URL:

The web address corresponding to the **Server Path**. This URL will be used to view the page in Live Data mode. The wizard automatically defaults to the appropriate URL that matches the server path.

Select Database Connection

Specify the database that you want to connect to. You can create a new database connection by selecting "Use a new database connection" and following steps described in chapter 2: <u>Create Database</u> section. For the purposes of this tutorial select "Intranet Database", which is one of the two sample databases included with CodeCharge Studio and containing tables such as *tasks*, *priorities* and *employees*.

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or select a sample database:	
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Configure the Wizard

Configure the Wizard by specifying configuration options as follows:

• Enable smart naming

Select it so that the Wizard will automatically convert table names to English captions, for example *employees* table will be shown as "List of Employees" grid on the page. Fields like *task_name* will be converted to column headings like "Task Name"

Autoincremented Primary Keys

Select this option to specify that the database tables contain key fields that are autoincremented. The Wizard then will hide the key fields from the record maintenance forms, since users do not need to enter key values.

Use single keyword field for text and memo fields on search forms

Select this option to generate single search field for each of the tables/grids. If this option is deselected, the wizard creates search section with multiple search fields – one search field for each text or memo field in the database table.

Publish the site after Wizard completes creating pages

Specify that you want to publish the site as soon as the Wizard creates all necessary pages. This prevents from forgetting to generate/publish some of the files needed for the application to run.

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✓ Publish the site	after Wizard completes creating pages
	Cancel < Back Next > Finish

Setup Site Security and Authentication

In this step you may specify if you want to use authentication and check users' access privileges before allowing them to access certain pages.

Select "Use authorization" and leave all default options. The Wizard will then create the Login page, and will allow you to specify security level for each of the pages it is creating.

You may also add additional security groups/levels or specify a different user table for authenticating users, as described in chapter 2: <u>Setup Security Settings for the Project</u>.

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Select Database Tables

Select the following database tables to be converted to a web application:

employees priorities projects statuses tasks

🖸 Power Wizard		×
	Generate pages with forms based on database tables and queries	
Refresh tables		
Available tables bugs departments groups	Selected tables employees priorities projects statuses tasks	4 •
	Cancel < Back Next > Finish	

Configure Site Pages

Now configure your site by specifying options and security for each of the pages.

The Wizard creates two pages for each of the tables:

Search and Grid page Record Maintenance page

By clicking on a name of any of the tables it is also possible to specify that the Search, Grid and Record sections should all be on the same page for each of the tables.

For purposes of this tutorial, configure pages as shown below. The wizard will then convert tables to web pages as follows:

- *employees* table: searchable list of employees page and employee information page, accessible only by authorized users
- priorities table: list of priorities page and priority maintenance page, accessible only by administrators
- projects table: list of projects page and project maintenance page, accessible only by administrators
- *statuses* table: list of statuses page and status maintenance page, accessible only by administrators
- *tasks table*: searchable list of tasks accessible by anyone, and task maintenance page accessible by authorized users

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projects		Γ	Admin 💌	•	V	Admin 💌
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Specify Site Layout and Menu

The Wizard automatically creates a header page with a menu, which is then placed on all other pages for easy navigation. Click "Next" to leave the default horizontal position of the menu on all pages.

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Select Page Layout	
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🔿 🗈 Standalone Menu Page	
💿 📄 Horizontal Menu Header	
🔿 📄 Horizontal Menu Header & Footer	
🔿 🗈 Vertical Menu Header/Footer	
🔽 Create Blank Header Page	
🔽 Create Blank Footer Page	
	Cancel < Back Next > Finish

Select Site Theme

Finally, select "Knockout" theme to apply to the site, which the Wizard will then utilize to apply specific fonts and colors to each page.

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	Select a Theme for the Grid and Record Forms	
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Review Pages and Create the Site

Click [Finish] to let the Wizard create all pages and publish the site.

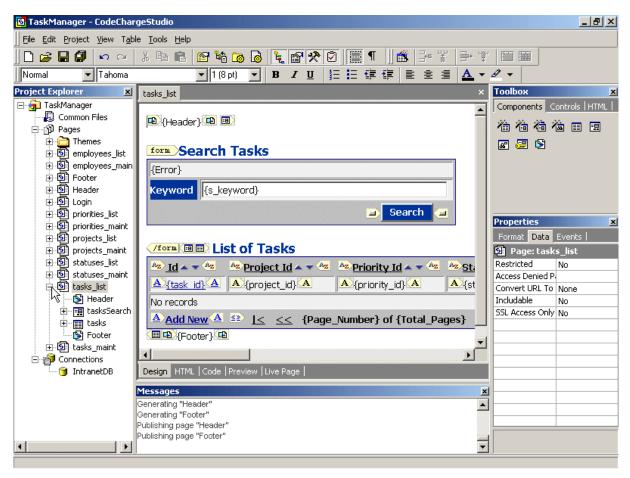
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	Power Wizard has finished collecting the information.
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Finalizing Task List Page

Although Power Wizard can create simple web applications, usually you will need to modify and extend the functionality created by it. For example you may want to change texts and captions, remove some of the grid columns, add additional search fields and listboxes, etc. In this section you will learn how to do just that.

Open Task List Page

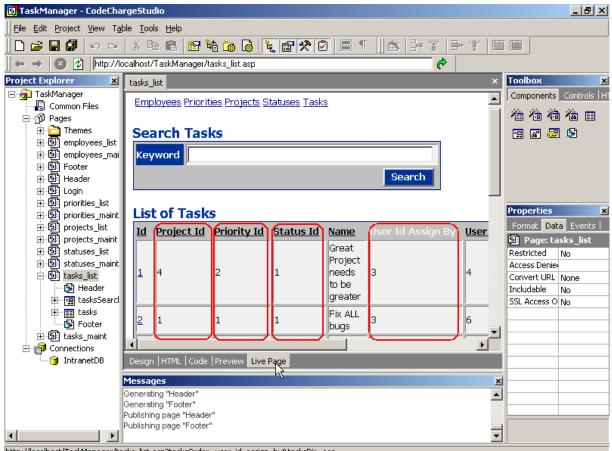
Click on the "+" sign next to page name to open it for modifications.



Test the Page

Click on "Live Page" tab to view and test working page.

You should notice that some of the grid columns contain an ID of entities such as projects, priorities and statuses, while other columns such as "User Id Assign By" simply may not be needed.



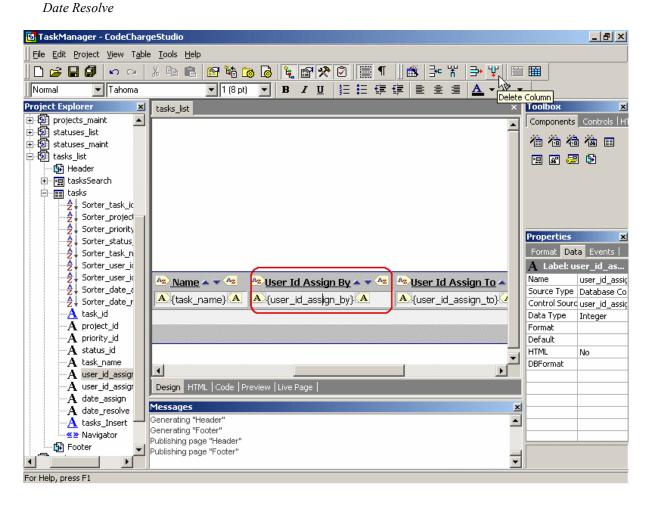
http://localhost/TaskManager/tasks_list.asp?tasksOrder=user_id_assign_by&tasksDir=asc

Delete Unneeded Columns

Select unneeded column by clicking and positioning the cursor somewhere within the column, then click on the "Delete Column" icon.

Use this method to delete the following three columns:

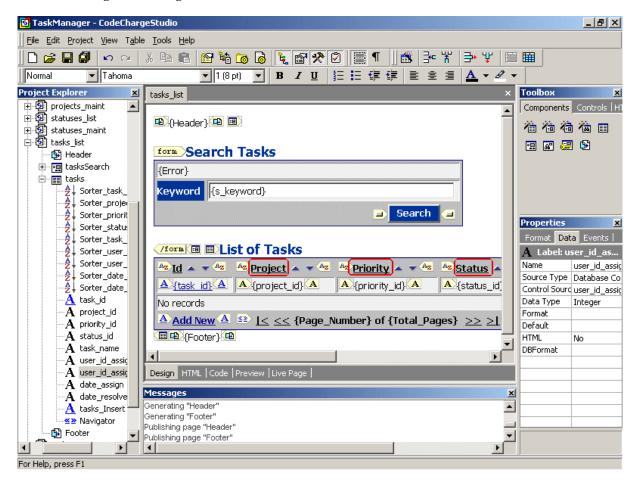
User Id Assign By Date Assign



Change Texts and Captions

Use the design editor to modify some of the texts appearing on the page. Change:

Project Id to Project Priority Id to Priority Status Id to Status User Id Assign To to Assigned To



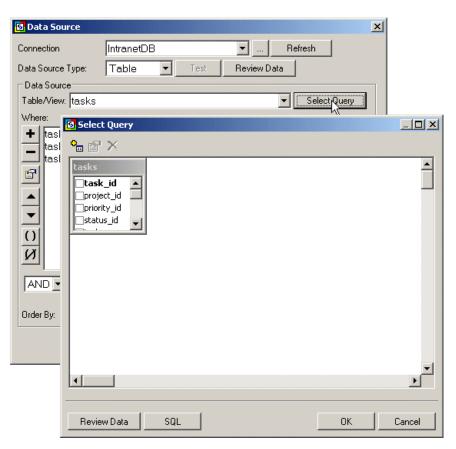
Launch Data Source Editor

Now use Data Source editor to specify additional tables to be used in the grid. First select the "tasks" grid in the Project Explorer, then click on the [...] next to the Data Source property to open the Data Source windows. Here you can specify additional tables to use in the grid, such as priorities table containing priority names and statuses table that contains status names.

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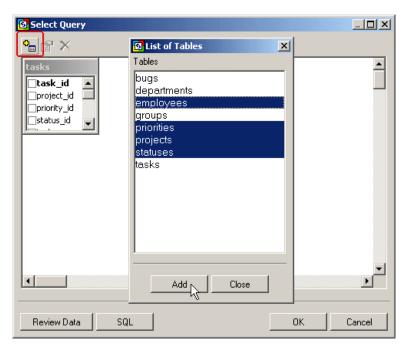
Open Visual Query Builder

Now open Visual Query Builder by clicking [Select Query] button. A new window will open up that shows *tasks* table, currently used in the Grid.



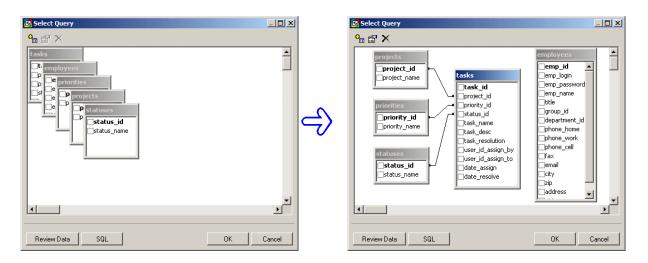
Select Additional Tables

Select additional tables that are related to the tasks table. Hold CTL key when clicking on table names to select multiple tables at once, and then press [Add].



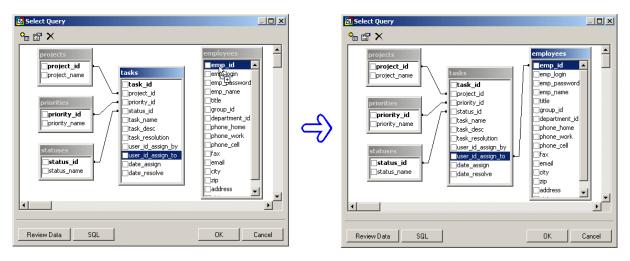
Arrange Tables in Visual Query Builder

Once multiple tables are in the Visual Query Builder, drag tables and arrange them on the screen to see all information. You will notice that some of the tables are connected. This is because Query Builder recognizes relations between tables that have fields with the same names. In this case both *tasks* and *statuses* tables have the same field name: *status id*, which makes it logical to assume that they are related.



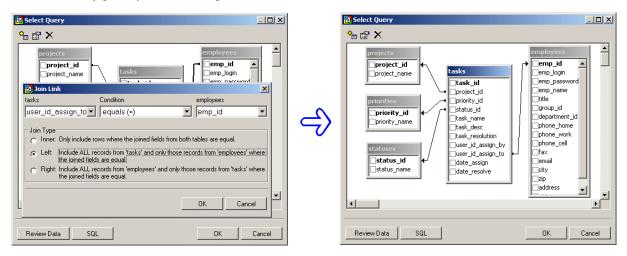
Define Table Relations

Now define relations between remaining tables, in this case *employees* and *tasks*, by dragging the foreign key field *user_id_assign_to* from *tasks* table to *employees* table. You should then see all tables being connected to the tasks table.



Define Field Joins

Although not necessary in our case, you may also define joins between fields by double-clicking on each of the lines that connect the tables, then specifying that you want to display all records from *tasks* table and matching records from related tables. If you do not do this, the page may not display all records, for example if you have a task without any priority or status assigned to it.

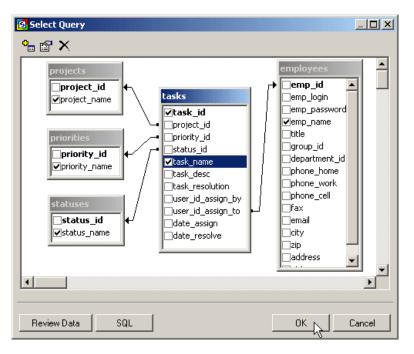


Set Fields for Inclusion in the Grid

Now mark fields to be included in the grid by clicking on corresponding checkboxes. Include the following fields:

task_id task_name project_name priority_name status_name emp_name

Click [OK] when done.



Return to the Grid

The Data Source window now lists several tables previously selected in the Visual Query Builder. Click OK again in the Data Source window to return back to the page design mode.

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Update Control Sources

Select *project_id* field by selecting it in the Project Explorer, or by clicking on it within the page design area. Then change the value of the "Control Source" property from *project_id* to *project_name*.

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For Help, press F1

Also change the value of the "Data Type" property from Integer to Text. Now your page should display names of projects instead of their numeric ids.

Repeat above actions for the following fields: priority_id - change to priority_name status_id - change to status_name user_id_assign_to - change to emp_name

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Synchronize HTML with the Project

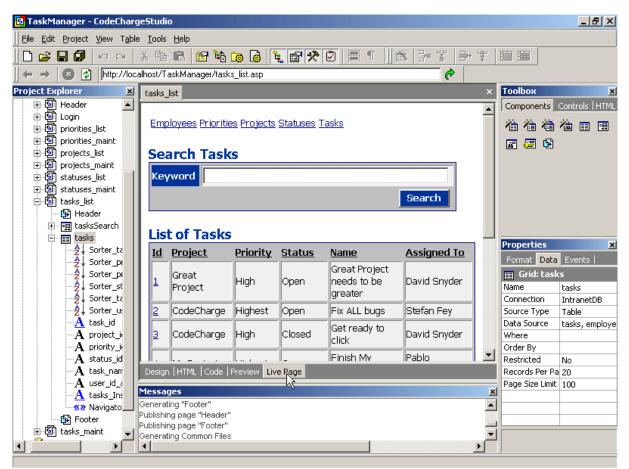
Click "Live Page" to view and test working page.

Sometimes you will see the message window as shown, which explains that some of the components or controls were not found in the HTML. This is because you previously removed some of the grid columns and CodeCharge Studio wants you to confirm that this is OK since those controls are still defined in the project. Click "Yes" to confirm the removal of the columns and continue.

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View and Test Live Page

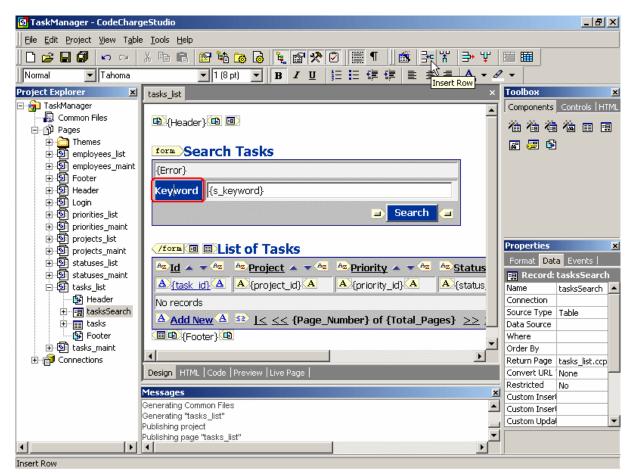
Finally you can view the working page with a grid containing the list of tasks that can be sorted by clicking on column headings, or searched by entering a keyword.



Add ListBox Search – Create New Table Row

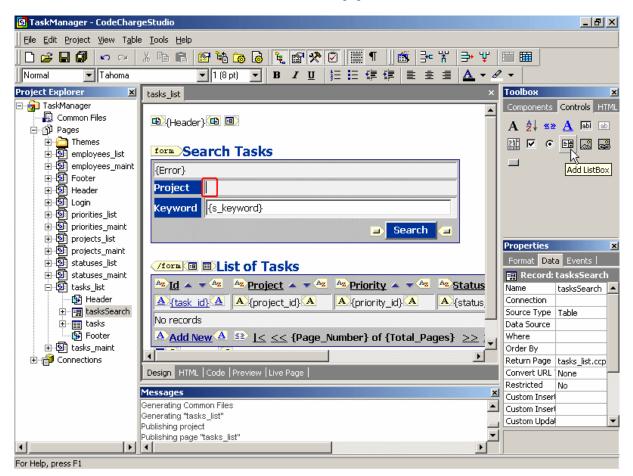
Now let's add an additional search option to the grid – a ListBox with project names so that users can view tasks within selected project.

Position the cursor somewhere within the "Keyword" text by clicking on it, then select the "Insert Row" icon to add a new table row top the search section.



Add ListBox Search – Insert ListBox Control

Type the text "Project" within the newly created left table cell, then position the cursor in the right cell as shown, then click "Add ListBox" icon in the Toolbox to add it to the page.



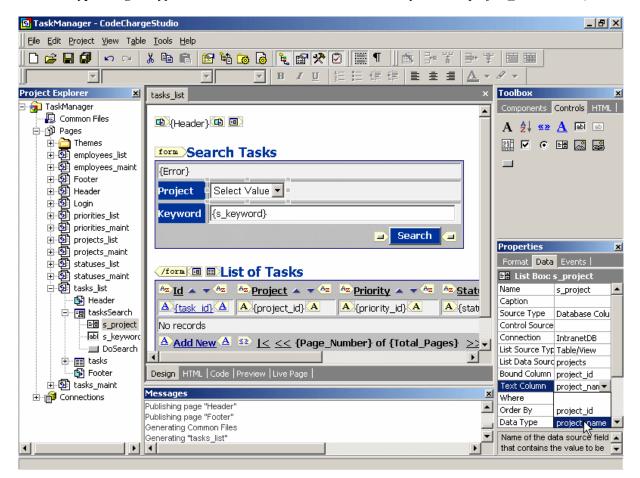
Add ListBox Search - Set ListBox Properties

Configure ListBox properties by clicking on it and specifying required values in the property editor as follows: Name: *s project* - this name later will be used as a variable name that contains selected value

Connection: IntranetDB - database connection to use for retrieving ListBox values

List Data Source: projects - table containing ListBox values

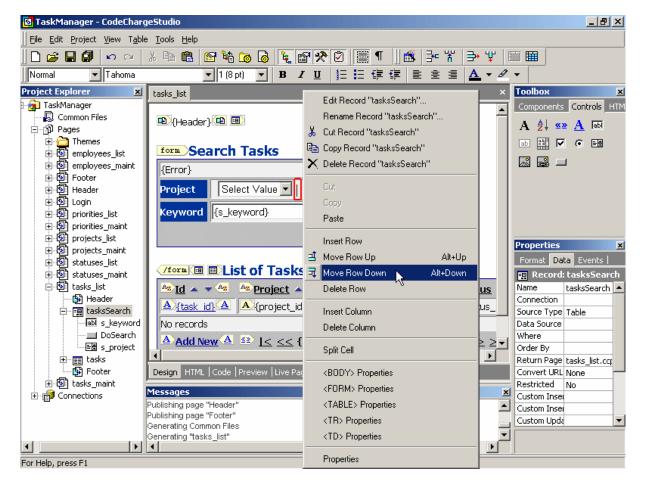
Bound Column: *project_id* - table field whose value will be used as the search parameter Text Column: *project_name* - table field whose value should be used to populate the ListBox Data Type: *Integer* - type of the value that will be used as the search parameter (*project_id* is numeric)



Add ListBox Search – Move Table Row

Finally, move down the table row containing the ListBox by right-clicking near the ListBox and selecting "Move Row Down".

You can also do this by positioning the cursor next to the ListBox and using keyboard keys ALT + Down Arrow.



Filter Grid Records – Select "Where" Property

Working ListBox is now created on the page but it cannot be used to filter grid's records until the grid itself uses the parameters passed via the ListBox. To setup those filtering parameters you will need to use WHERE criteria within grid's data source.

Select the grid by clicking anywhere within grid's caption on the page, or by selecting it in the Project Explorer. Then click on the [...] button in "Where" property.

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Filter Grid Records – Add Search Parameter

Add new search parameter to the grid by clicking on the [+] button and then specifying *tasks.project_id* field to be matched against *s_project* parameter, which is the name of the previously created ListBox. This will cause the grid to receive the parameter via the URL, then show only matching results.

Click OK when finished entering the information.

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🖸 Tabl	le Parameter				×
	Field	Condition		Parameter source	
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Туре:	Integer	•	Туре:	URL	•
Format:		•	Format:		•
And/Or:	AND -		Default Value:		
				OK Cancel	
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Filter Grid Records – Group "Where" Parameters

Back in the Data Source window you will see four parameters, three previously configured by Power Wizard for the search keyword, and one you just added for the project listbox. Now the grid will return results if any of the criteria are met, however we want results to be returned only if both the keyword and listbox parameters are matched. For example if a user enters keyword "bug" and selects project "CodeCharge", the grid shouldn't return records that are within the selected project **or** that contain word "bug". Instead, in we'd want the grid to show results that are within the project "CodeCharge" **and** contain the word "bug".

To configure the grid in such a way, first group together all parameters matched against "s_keyword". Select first three parameters by dragging the mouse over them or by holding Control button and clicking on each parameter. Then click the [()] button to add parentheses around the selected parameters, which will group them together.

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Data Source				-	
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Order By:			ОК	Cancel	

Filter Grid Records - Set AND Operator

Now that all search parameters are in place, the remaining task is to specify that the last keyword parameter should append the "AND" operator so that the full search parameters read as follows:

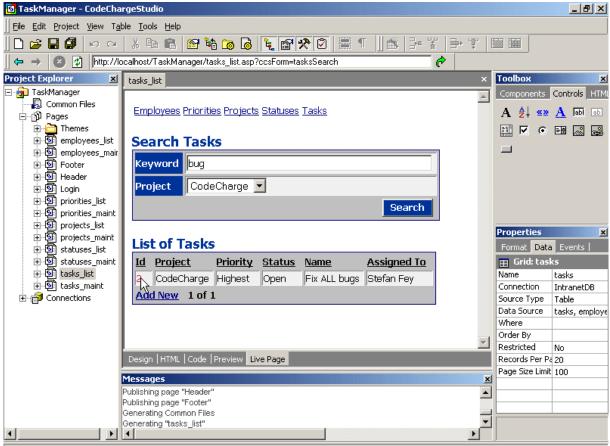
(task_name contains (like '%...%') '{s_keyword}' or task_desc contains (like '%...%') '{s_keyword}' or task_resolution contains (like '%...%') '{s_keyword}') and tasks.project_id equals (=) {s_project}

	🖸 Data Source				×
	Connection	IntranetDB	▼ Ref	resh	
	Data Source Type:	Table 🔽 Test	Review Data		
	Data Source				
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	task_resolution	on contains (like '%%') '{s	s_keyword}') or		
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	Field	Condition		Parameter source	-
Name:	task_resolution	contains (like '%%')	•	s_keyword	
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And/Or:	AND -		Default Value:		
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View Working Page

Now your first page is completed. You can search and view list of tasks as well as sort them, or click on a task to view more details.

When finished viewing the page click on a Task Id for any of the tasks to test other pages.



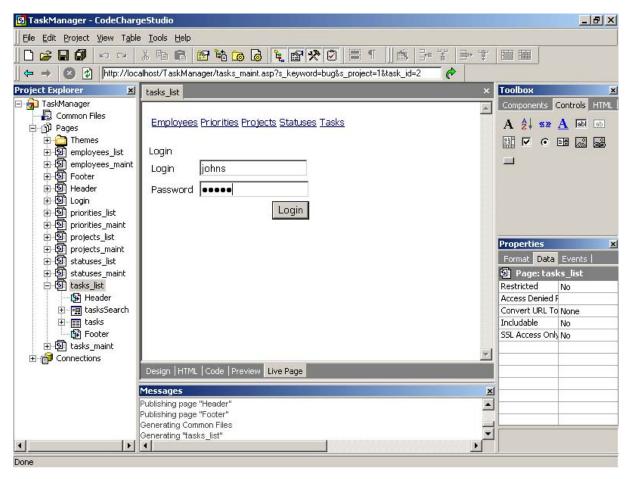
http://localhost/TaskManager/tasks_maint.asp?s_keyword=bug&s_project=1&task_id=2

Login to the System

When you click on any of the tasks ids on the task list page, you will arrive at the Login page where you can enter your login and password.

Enter johns / johns to login as John Smith.

Your entry will be stored in a session variable on the server, thus making it unnecessary to login again until your session expires.



Access Record Maintenance Page

Once you select a task id on the task list page and get through the login page, you will arrive at the record maintenance page where you can view and update the task detail. Click "Submit" button when finished or hit the browser's "Back" button.

TaskManager - CodeChargeStudio		
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e Stacks_ist Resolution		Name tasks
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Design HTML Code	Preview Live Page	

Conclusion

During the course of this brief tutorial you've used Power Wizard to create a simple Task Management application. Although many additional features and improvements can be implemented, you should now be familiar with CodeCharge Studio's interface and many of its features. Refer to the User Manual for more information.

Enjoy!

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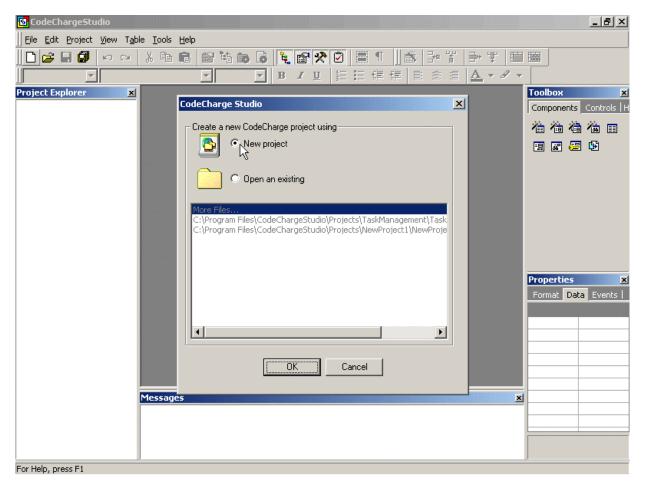
Chapter 2: Creating an Employee Directory

CodeCharge Studio provides all the tools you need to get started building your Web applications, including Wizards for creating search, grid and record maintenance sections. In this chapter we will describe how you can utilize various wizards, components, controls and other features to create basic employee directory from scratch. Since in this chapter we will not be using Power Wizard, you will gain more insight into setting up project properties, creating database connection, and working with other features that extend your application.

Creating New Project

Create New Project

Start CodeCharge Studio and select "New project" on the initial screen.



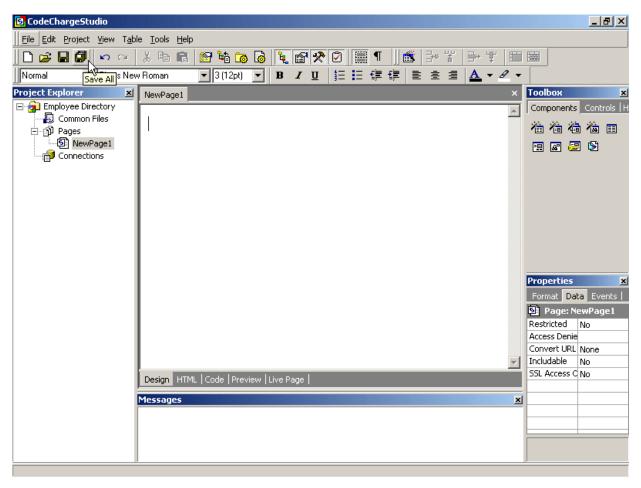
Create "Blank Project".

Enter project name: "Employee Directory".

Enter the Location where the project should be saved on the disk, then click "OK" button to confirm and create new project.

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Project location path: C:\Program File	es\CodeChargeStudio\Projects\Em\Employee Directory.ccs	
	OK Cancel	
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For Help, press F1		

Save Newly Created Project.



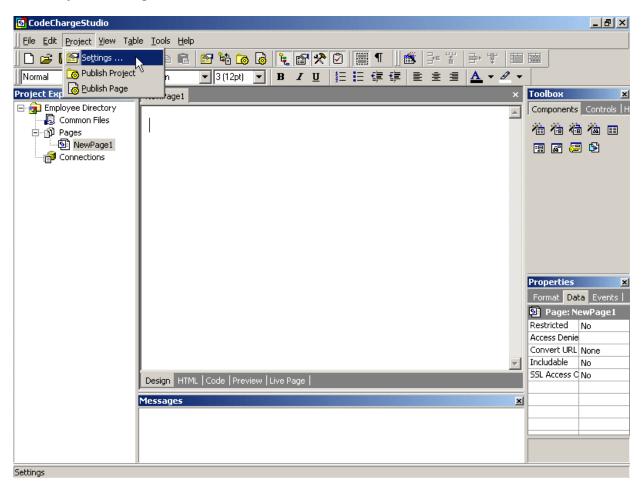
You may click the "Save All" icon on the toolbar to save your project at any time.

Specifying Project Settings

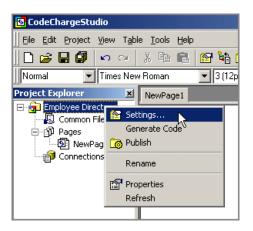
Project settings allow you to specify how to generate your web application where to publish it. You can specify the programming language, publishing directory, database connection, site authentication, and various additional details describing project's configuration.

Open Project Settings

Select *Project => Settings* on the main menu bar.



You may also right-click on the Project Name ("Employee Directory") in the Project Explorer window, and select *Settings* there.



Specify General Project Settings

Specify the general project properties, such as Programming Language and Date Display Format.

Project settings	×
Project Publishing C	onnections Security Security Groups
Code Language:	ASP with Templates
Site Language:	English
Date Display Format:	mm/dd/yyyy
Project Path:	C:\Program A Files\CodeChargeStudio\Projects\ Employee Directory\Employee Directory.ccs V
	OK Cancel

Language:

Currently generated programming languages are:

ASP with Templates – generates .asp files with VBScript, which uses separate .html files as templates during the run-time.

C# - generates .aspx files with C# code

CFML – generates ColdFusion code

CFML with Templates – generates ColdFusion code (.cfm) and separate .html template files **PHP with Templates** – generates PHP code (.php) and separate .html template files **Servlets with Templates** – generates Java code that utilizes .html templates

Site Language:

Country language to use when generating text messages for the site. For example the text "No records" that appears when no more records are to be displayed within a grid, could be generated in any support language.

Date Display Format:

This is the default format for the date fields within the project, for example if you display the employee hiring date on a page.

Enter Publishing Settings

Specify the folder where CodeCharge Studio should output generated files during the publishing process.

Project settings		×
Project Publishing C	Connections Security Security Groups	
Location:	Local/Network 💌	
Server Path:	C:\Inetpub\wwwroot\employeedir	Browse
Server URL:	http://localhost/employeedir	
	ОК	Cancel
	ОК	Cancel

Location:

The location can be either a local or network drive, or an Ftp address on an external server. Ftp is not supported in the Beta release.

Server Path:

The full path where generated files should be published.

Server URL:

The web address corresponding to the Server Path. This URL will be used to view the page in Live Data mode.

Create Database Connection(s) for the Project

If you haven't created a database connection (described in the <u>Create Database</u> section), click "Add..." to create new database connection.

Project settings	×
Project Publishing Connections Security Security Groups	
Connection name	
	Add Modify Remove Test
OK	Cancel

Click "Build..." and follow the steps described in the <u>Create Database</u> section to complete creating database connection(s).

Project settings	×
Project Publishing Connections Security Security Groups	
Connection name	
Employees	Add
	Modify
	Remove
	Test
1	
OK	Cancel

Once completed building the connection, click on the "Security" tab.

Setup Security Settings for the Project

Security settings allow you to protect specific pages from unauthorized access by directing unauthorized users to a Login page, based on their security group or level.

If you are just starting with CodeCharge Studio, skip this step and click the OK button to complete configuring Project Settings.

Project settings	×
Project Publishing C	Connections Security Security Groups
Security Method:	None
	O Table
	C Database
Login Page:	
User ID Stored As:	Session 🔽 Advanced
Connection:	V
User Table:	V
User ID Field:	V
Login Field:	
Password Field:	V
Level/Group Field:	V
	OK Cancel

Project settings		×
Project Publishing C	onnections Security Security Groups	
Security Method:	O None	
	 Table 	
	🔿 Database	
Login Page:		
User ID Stored As:	Session	Advanced
Connection:	Employees	
User Table:	emps 💌	
User ID Field:	emp_id	
Login Field:	emp_login 💌	
Password Field:	emp_password	
Level/Group Field:	emp_level	
		OK Cancel

If you are ready to configure your site security, enter appropriate information as shown.

User Table:

The table that contains user and login information.

User ID Field:

The key field in the user table, which will be used as user's unique id.

Login Field:

The field in the user table that contains user's login.

Password Field:

The field in the user table that contains user's password.

Level/Group Field:

The field containing user's security level or group, which will be used to verify access authorization. In addition, levels or groups should be configured on the "Security Groups" tab.

Login Page:

The page where users will be redirected if they are not logged in or their access permissions are insufficient to access a page within your site. This page must to be created before you can start using the authentication features.

User ID Stored As:

The method of storing user IDs, which could be a cookie or session. URL authentication is also available, which converts all URLs and appends a special URL parameter that tracks users.

Connection:

Database Connection that contains user login information.

Configure Security Groups for the Project

6	Project settings					X
Pr	oject Publishing Conne	ections Security	Security Groups			
1	Security Groups					
	Group ID	Group Name			Add	
	1	User				
	2	Manager			Modify	
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	📴 Add Security G	roup			×	
	Group ID					
	3					
	Group Name					
	Administrator				_	
			0	<u> </u>	Cancel	
	Higher Level Inclusive	e of Lower Levels				
				ОК	Cancel	

Click "Add..." button to create security levels or groups that will be used for page authentication.

The security groups specified here usually should match levels or groups in the table specified on the <u>Security tab</u>. However, you may also configure additional groups that will be available in the future, or you may configure groups that exist in other tables or are programmatically assigned. When later restricting page access, CodeCharge Studio will allow you to select any of the groups configured on this screen.

Group ID 1	Group Name	Add
2	Manager	Modify
3	Administrator	
		Remove
	Inclusive of Lower Levels	

If you use numbers as your Group IDs, you may select the option "Higher Level Inclusive of Lower Levels", which will cause the generated programs to assume that users with higher security level can access pages with lower security levels. For example users with level 4 will be able to access pages with level 3, but not 5.

Creating Database Connection

Create an Initial Database Connection

Right-click on "Connections" in Project Explorer window and select "New Connection". <u>_ 8 ×</u> <u>File E</u>dit <u>Project View Table Tools H</u>elp | 🗅 🚅 🖬 🥼 🗢 🐃 | 👗 🛍 🍓 🐛 🗃 🛠 🙆 🧱 🖬 🔛 🖬 🔛 🗰 🚟 Normal ▼ Times New Roman 🔽 3(12pt) 🔽 🖪 🖌 🖳 🔃 🗐 🗐 🖹 🛓 着 🌆 🦓 Project Explorer Toolbox NewPage1 × 🖃 🗿 Employee Directory Forms Controls | HTML | ۸ 👵 Common Files 11 🗉 12 🖽 🖳 🕮 12 🖻 බූ Pages NewPage1 Connections New Connection Properties × Format Data Events ∇ Design HTML | Code | Preview | Live Data | Messages × For Help, press F1

Build Design Connection

Enter the name for your connection, then click "Build..." to specify connection parameters.

Add New Connect	ion 🔀
Design Advanced Se	erver
Connection Name: Database:	
D'alabase.	MS Access
O Use ODBC Data	Source Name
	V New
Use Connection	String
	Build
User Name:	
User Password:	
	OK Cancel

The Design Connection is the database connection utilized by CodeCharge Studio, which will allow you to select database tables and fields in various places during the project building process. This connection can be different from the Server Connection, which is used by the generated programs.

Specify Data Provider (JET, ODBC, etc.)

In the "Data Link Properties" select Jet 4.0 as the Provider, which will allow you to connect directly to a database file, such as MS Access .mdb. You may also select ODBC or other specialized drivers to connect to a variety of other databases.

🖸 Add New Conne	ection X
Design Advanced	Server
Connection Name Database: C Use ODBC D Use Connect User Name: User Password:	e: Employees MS Access MS Access MS Access MS Access Provider Connection Advanced All Select the data you want to connect to: OLE DB Provider(s) Microsoft Jet 4.0 OLE DB Provider Microsoft OLE DB Provider for Indexing Service Microsoft OLE DB Provider for ODBC Drivers Microsoft OLE DB Provider for ODBC Drivers Microsoft OLE DB Provider for OLAP Services Microsoft OLE DB Provider for SQL Server Microsoft OLE DB Simple Provider Microsoft OLE DB Simple Provider MICROSOft DLE DB Simple Provider MICROSOft DLE DB Simple Provider MICROSOft DLE DB Simple Provider for SQL Server Microsoft OLE DB Simple Provider MICROSOft DLE DB Provider for MICROSOft DIrectory Services MICROSOFT MICROSOFT MICROSOFT DIrectory Services MICROSOFT
	<u>Next >></u>
	OK Cancel Help

Specify Connection Parameters (Database Filename)

If using JET provider, select the database file to be used for this connection.

If using ODBC or other provider, select the DSN (Data Source Name) or other parameters needed to establish the database connection.

Add New Connec	tion			×			
Design Advanced S	ierver						
Connection Name:							
Database:	MS Acc	ess 💌					
🔿 Use ODBC D	🖢 Data Lini	k Properties		×			
	Provider	Connection Advan	iced All				
Use Connect	Specify th	e following to conne	ect to Access data:				
I	1. Selec	ct or enter a <u>d</u> atabas	e name:				
User Name:							
User Password:		Select Access Da	tabase				? ×
	U	Look jn:	😂 Databases		•	= 🗈 💣 🎟 -	
	₽ ע	My Recent Documents Desktop My Documents My Computer	Employees.md				
		My Network Places	File <u>n</u> ame:	Employees.mdb		•	<u>O</u> pen
			Files of type:	Microsoft Access Databa	ses (*.mdb)	•	Cancel

Test Database Connection

Click "Test Connection" to check if the connection to the database can be established.

🚯 Data Link Properties 🔀				
Provider Connection Advanced All				
Specify the following to connect to Access data:				
1. Select or enter a <u>d</u> atabase name:				
C:\Databases\Employees.mdb				
2. Enter information to log on to the database:				
User name: Admin				
Password:				
☑ Blank password □ Allow saving password				
Microsoft Data Link				
Test connection succeeded.				
OK				
Lest Connection				
OK Cancel Help				

Complete the Build Process of the Design Connection

Confirm that the connection string was created in "Use Connection String" field, then select "Server" to create server connection.

Add New Connect	ion	×
Design Advanced Se	rver	
Connection Name:	Employees	
Database:	MS Access 💌	
🔘 Use ODBC Data	Source Name	
	V	New
 Use Connection 	String	
Provider=Micros	oft.Jet.OLEDB.4.0;Data Source=C:\Datab	Build
User Name:	Admin	
User Password:		
	ŌK	Cancel

Setup Server Connection

Add New Connection	×
Design Advanced Server	
Date Format: yyyy-mm-dd HH:nn:ss 💌 Boolean Format:	
Same as Design; C Use ODBC Data Source Name	
	New
Subsection String	
	Build
User Name: User Password:	
OK	Cancel

Specify that the Server connection is the same as the design connection.

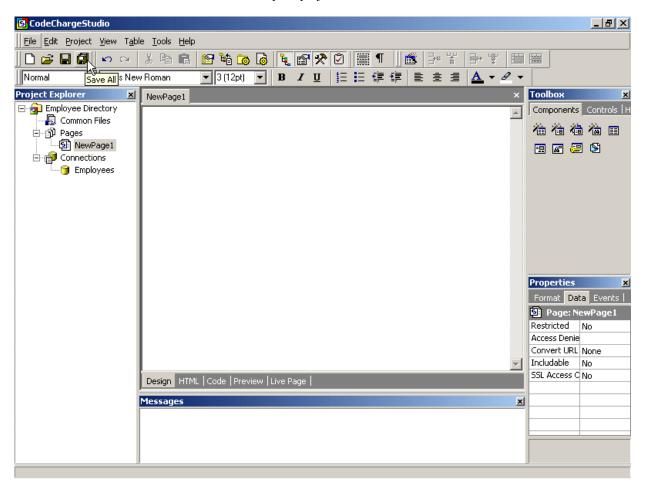
The Server Connection is the database connection utilized by generated programs to retrieve and update the data. This connection can be different from the Design Connection, which is used by CodeCharge Studio GUI.

Instead of selecting "Same as Design", you may build a separate connection string if you are publishing the project to an external server, or if you want to use a separate database for website testing on your local machine.

This screen may look differently depending on the programming language you use.

Save Project Settings

Click the "Save All" icon on the toolbar to save your project.



Creating Grid with Grid Wizard

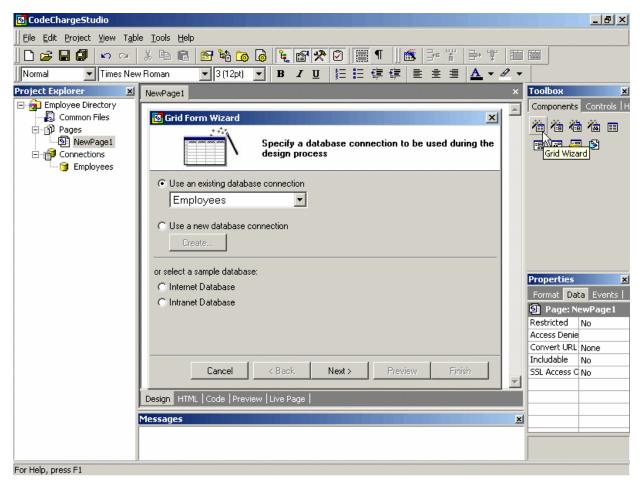
Grid Wizard creates grid/table section on your page, which then can be used to display database rows.

Launch Grid Wizard

Click the Grid Wizard icon in the Toolbox to start Grid Wizard.

Select an existing database connection or create a new one, then click "Next".

You may also select one of the example databases included with CodeCharge Studio: Internet or Intranet.



Launch Visual Query Builder

🖪 Grid Form Wizard	2	×
	Select a Data Source and fields for the Grid	
Record Source	Build Refresh	
Available Fields	Fields for the Grid]
	Order by (none)	
Cancel	< Back Next > Preview Finish	

To aid you in the process of selecting database tables and fields to be used in the grid, CodeCharge Studio includes Visual Query Builder. Click "Build…" to access it.

Select the following tables to be used as the data source for the grid: *departments*

employees

Click "Add" when completed.

Select Query	List of Tables	
• 🖻 🗙	Tables	
	bugs departments employees groups priorities projects statuses tasks	
Review Data		Cancel

Specify Database Fields in Visual Query Builder

Set the checkboxes next to all database fields that you like to include in your grid. For this tutorial, select the following fields:

emp_name
title
phone_home
phone_work
email
department name (in departments table)

Select Query		_ 🗆 🗵
°= 😭 🗙		
employees emp_id emp_login emp_password Vemp_name Vitile group_id department_id Vphone_home Vphone_work phone_cell fax Vemail	department_name	×
Review Data SQL		Cancel

Grid Form Wizard		×
Selec	ct a Data Source and fields fo	or the Grid
Record Source departments, er	nployees 💌 Buid	Refresh
Available Fields department_name emp_name title phone_home phone_work email	Fields for the Grid	•
	Order by (none)	•
Cancel < Back	Next > Preview	Finish

Select Database Fields for Grid Data Source

📴 Grid F	orm Wizard			×
	Ń	Selec	ect a Data Source and fields for the Grid	
Record So	ource depo	artments, en	mployees 💌 Build Refresh	
Available I	Fields		Fields for the Grid emp_name title department_name email phone_home phone_work Order by emp_name	
	Cancel	< Back	Next > Preview Finish	

Once finished using the Visual Query Builder, the Grid Wizard will display all database fields available for inclusion in the grid. Click on the double right arrow (>>) to select all fields to be included.

Click on up and down arrows to move fields and specify the order in which they will appear in the grid.

Click on "Order by" drop-down menu and select the field that will be used as the sort order for the grid. For example if you select the field "emp_*name*", by default the grid will be sorted by employee name.

Click "Next" when finished.

Setup Search Form to be used with the Grid

To make the grid searchable, in this step add a Search section to the page. Set the "Create Search/Filter form" checkbox, then specify fields to be included in it.

📴 Grid Form Wizard		×
	Select Search Form fields for the Gri	d (optional)
Create Search/Filter form Sorting list box Records per page list box	Orientation: Overtical Search	Type: • AND • OR
Available Fields title phone_home phone_work email	Search Fields emp_name department_name	×
	Control Type TextBox	-
Cancel	< Back Next > Preview	Finish

For each field you may specify its type by selecting TextBox, ListBox, or other control that will be used to represent this field.

We will use one TextBox field (*emp_name*) for keyword search and one ListBox field (*department_name*) for specifying the department when searching/filtering the data.

ListBoxes require additional configuration therefore let's select both *emp_name* and *department_name* fields as TextBox for now (in Control Type field) and discuss this topic at a later time.

Click "Next" when finishing configuring the screen as shown above.

Define Grid Sorting and Navigation

Specify if users can sort the Grid by clicking on column headings, and if users can navigate the grid by clicking on page numbers or *First/Last/Previous/Next* page indicators.

Specify if sorting and navigation should be represented by graphical icons or plain text.

Additionally, specify the number of grid rows to be shown on a page, as well as the message to be displayed when no records are found.

📴 Grid Form Wizard	×
	Define Grid Form Options
Sorting	- Page Navigator
O No sorting	No Page Navigator
C Caption	C Prev [3] Next
○ <u>Caption</u> ▼	C Prev Next
💿 Caption 🔻 🔺	
	First Prev 1 2 3 4 5 of 10 Next Last
	C Custom Modify
Records per Page	
No records found message	o records found
Cancel < B	ack Next >

Select a Theme for the Grid

Select one of the available themes for the grid. Setup other grid options, such as the Style Type and Grid Layout.

📴 Grid Form Wizard	×
	Select a Theme for the Grid
Theme:	Preview:
Gray	Emp Name {s_emp_nam
HappyPumpkin InLine	Department Name {s_departmer
Knockout	
LightWalk Mailbox	
Style type: CSS File	List of Departments,
Grid layout: Tabular 🗾	Employees
Alternate records	Emp Name
Record Separator	femn name} {title}
Cancel < Back	Next > Preview Finish

Style Type:

The type of the HTML-compatible style to be used on the page. This may be either HTML itself, or CSS (Cascading Style Sheets). If you choose to use CSS, specify if you want to generate single CSS file for all pages (CSS File), one CSS file for each page (CSS page), or CSS embedded within the HTML (CSS Inline)

Grid Layout:

Tabular – standard grid that looks like a table or spreadsheet Columnar – alternative grid type for newspaper/column type list of records Justified – another alternative grid type

Alternate Records:

Whether even grid rows should have a different shade/background than odd rows.

Record Separator:

Whether grid records should be generated as separate tables, which allows for additional flexibility in how the grid looks. For example you may use the space between records to display additional information.

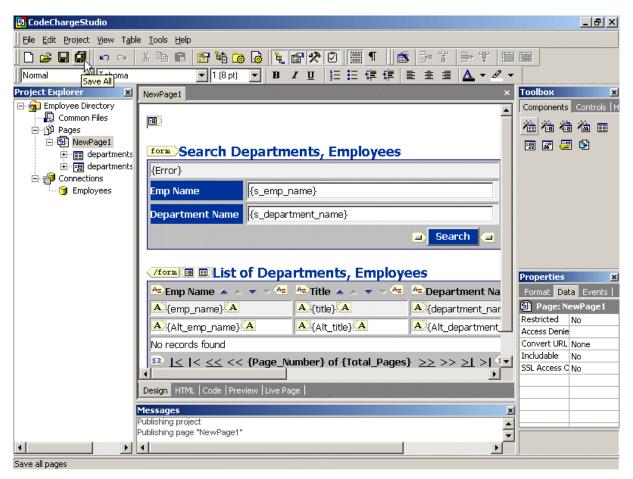
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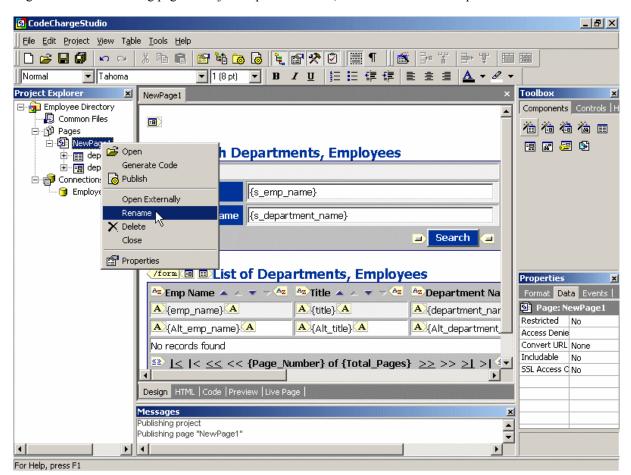


Finalizing Search and Grid created by the Wizard

Wizards allow you to quickly add components to your page although often you still may need to manually finish configuring some of the controls or extending application's functionality. In this section we will perform additional tasks to complete the Employee Directory.

Rename the Page

First let's change the name of the page to a more appropriate name. Right click on the existing page in Project Explorer window, then select "Rename" option.



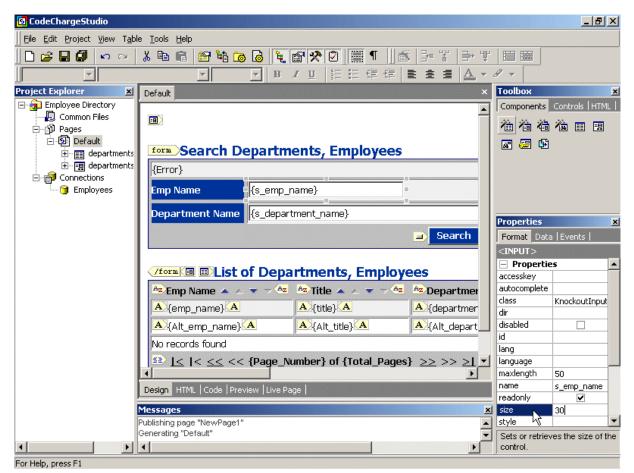
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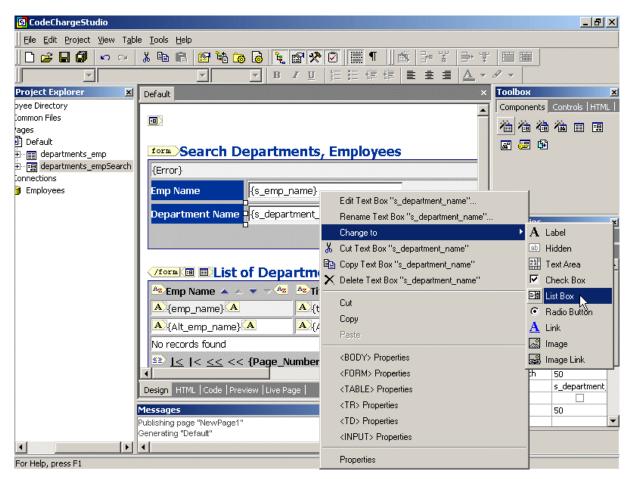
Since some of the fields may be unnecessarily long, click on the field and adjust its Format Properties, for example by changing the size from 50 to 30.



Create ListBox Field

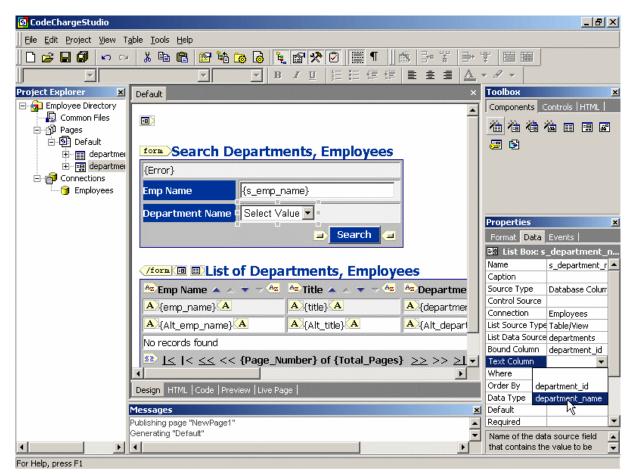
ListBox fields are drop-down menus that display values from the databases. Since in the Grid Wizard you specified just the department_name field without configuring it as a ListBox, you now need to add ListBox to your Search component and configure its Data Properties.

Right-click on the *department_name* TextBox, then select Change to -> ListBox. This action will change your TextBox to a ListBox.



Configure ListBox Field

Specify the Connection, Data Source, Bound Column and Text Column for the ListBox.



Connection:

The database connection that contains the data for the ListBox.

List Data Source:

The table, view, query or SQL to be used to retrieve database records for the ListBox.

Text Column:

The database field whose values will be displayed in the drop-down menu.

Change Field Captions

Adjust field captions created by the Grid Wizard, by working within the HTML Design window and typing the new titles and captions as needed.

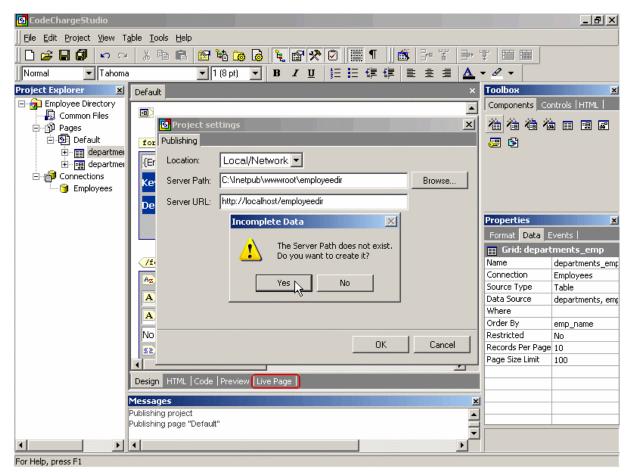
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Publish the Page

Click on the "Live Data" tab below the main window, to test the page in the same way as it would be accessed by users via a browser.

If this is the first time you are publishing this project and the publishing folder doesn't exist, CodeCharge Studio displays a window asking to approve the creation of a new folder.

Click "Yes" to confirm and continue.



Review and Test Published Page

When the project is published, you may view and interact with the generated page to test its functionality. Try to enter a search keyword and select a department, then click the "Find" button. You may notice that the search doesn't work correctly at this time and doesn't search employee Titles, or doesn't display results that match the selected department.

This happens because you specified only one field (*employee_name*) in the Wizard, then renamed it to "Keyword", but you have not specified which other fields you like to search by it. Additionally, you added a ListBox to the Search, but you didn't specify how it should be linked to the search results shown in the grid.

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Setup Search Parameters

Go back to the page design mode, then select the Grid component by either selecting it in the Project Explorer on the left, or by positioning the cursor anywhere within Grid's caption on the page. Then click on [...] in the "Where" property of the Grid.

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However, we would also like to search employees' titles, and since the department_name was changed to a ListBox it will need an adjustment as well.

First, click the "+" sign to add a new "Where" parameter that will be used in the Grid. Then select the field *title* and specify that it should be matched against the search parameter s_emp_name , the same as used to search *emp_name*. As the "Condition" specify "contains (like "%...%") so that all employee titles that contain the keyword *s emp name* will be retrieved.

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Now modify the search parameter associated with the *department_name*. Double click on it, and in the parameter setup window select *departments.department_id* as the field that will be searched with the *s_department_name* parameter. Additionally, select "equals (=)" as the Condition since users will select the exact department using

Finally, once your parameters are configured, we need to specify that the we want to see the results if either the Employee Name or Title matches the specified Keyword. To do this, select both the *emp_name* and *title* parameters by holding the CTL key and clicking on each one. Then click the parentheses button [()] to make the search of these two parameters independent from searching the department. Your final Where/Search parameters screen should look like the one shown here.

Preview and Test the Project

As the final step, click on the "Live Data" tab below the main window, then test the page by interacting with it and testing its functionality.

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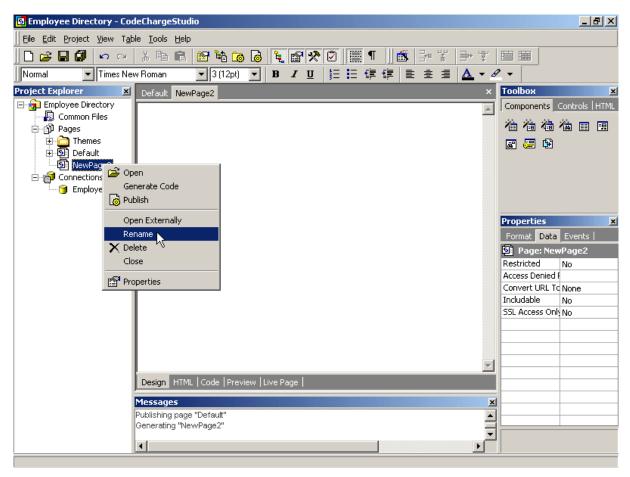
Protecting Web Pages from Unauthorized Access

You may configure your project to utilize user authentication and protect certain (or all) pages from unauthorized access.

Once correctly setup, generated pages will redirect users to the login page in case the user is not logged in or unauthorized to access a restricted page.

Launch Login/Logout Wizard

Create a new page, then right-click on it's name and select the "Rename" option.

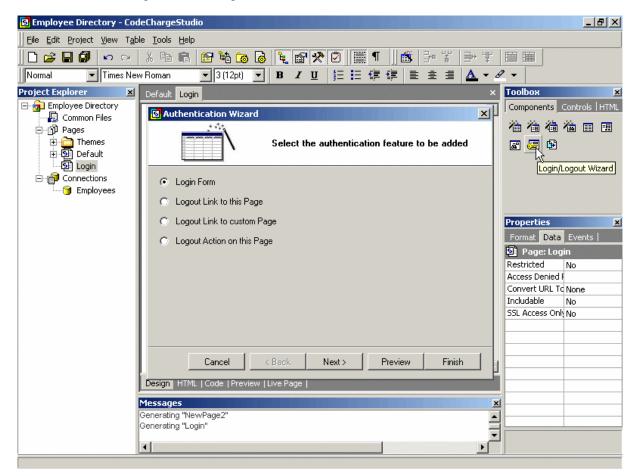


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Run Login/Logout Wizard

Click on the "Login/Logout Wizard" icon in the Toolbox window. Once Wizard window opens, select "Login Form" and click "Next".



Specify Login Form Options

Select "Focus on Login field" option if you like to generate JavaScript that will cause the Login page to always open in the browser with the Login field in focus. This will allow users to type their login as soon as the page is shown, without the need to click on the Login field first.

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Select a Theme for the Login Form

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Specify the Login Page for the Project

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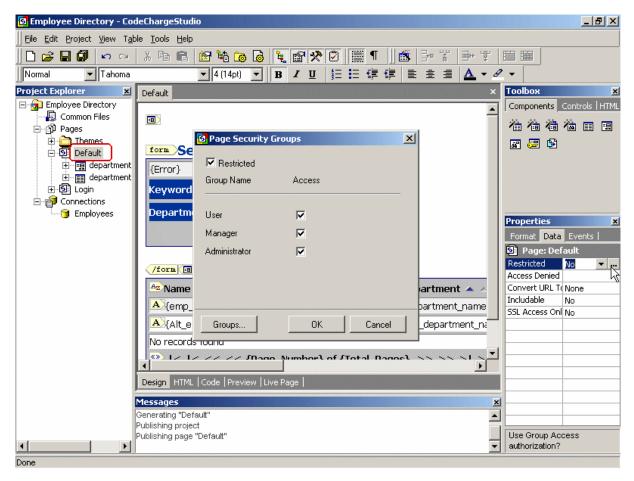


Select the recently created Login page as the main login page for the project.

Restrict Page Access

Now you can use the authentication feature by configuring restricted access to your pages.

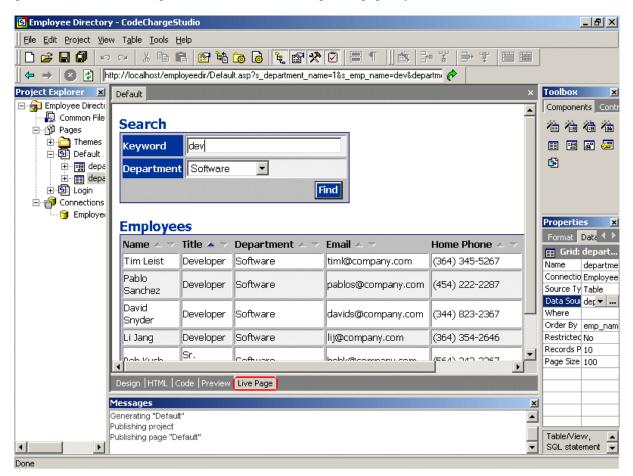
Select the "Default" page in the Project Explorer, then click on the [...] button next to the "Restricted" property. Once a new Page Security windows opens up, specify all user levels that should be able to access this page. If you specify all user levels, all users will be able to see the page, but first will need to login to the system via the Login page.



Conclusion

Congratulations!

During the course of this brief tutorial you've created an Employee Directory application made of a searchable grid. Click on the "Live Page" tab to view the result, or open the page in your browser.



Appendix - Common Errors

Listed below are common issues and errors with running ASP applications on Windows servers.

Operation must use an updateable query. (Microsoft JET Database Engine)

This is one of the most common ASP errors that occurs when the data is being updated in a Microsoft Access database that doesn't have sufficient access privileges.

Solution:

In Windows 95, 98 or ME: Right click on the MS Access file (.mdb) and uncheck the "Read-only" property. In Windows NT, 2000 or XP: Ask your system administrator to setup full access permissions for the anonymous user IUSR to access the database.

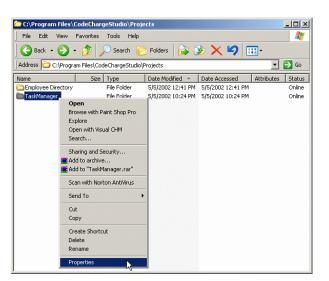
If you are hosting your website externally, your web hosting company most likely provides special read-write folder for databases or will create one for you. Please check the FAQ and other information on your hosting company's website or contact them directly.

For more information, refer to: http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;EN-US;q175168

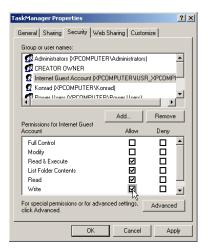
Microsoft JET Database Engine (0x80004005) Could not use "; file already in use.

This error usually happens on Windows NT/2000/XP when your database file or database folder doesn't have write permissions. You can often solve it by following these steps:

1. Right-click on the project folder on your disk and select "Properties".



2. In the Security tab add Internet Guest Account and set Write permissions checkbox.



For more information, refer to: http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;EN-US;q174943

HTTP 500 Internal Server Error

This message is a "friendly" representation of a non-standard error that occurred on the web server. To see the full error message, turn off "friendly error messages in your web browser".

For more information, refer to: http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;EN-US;q294807

Page loads forever or the IIS web server appears to "hang"

This issue is usually caused by Norton AntiVirus being configured to block script execution. If you have Norton AntiVirus installed on your machine, disable Script Blocking as shown below.

