
Subject: Re: Failing searches, caused by null-able date fields

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If a database table contains both a START_DATE and END_DATE field then when a search screen is initiated a field called CURR_OR_HIST is automatically added to the \$fieldspec array, with the default value of 'C', to activate the feature described in <http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/infrastructure-faq.html#faq53>. If you do not want this feature then you can remove this CURR_OR_HIST field from the data which is returned by the search screen using code in the _cm_changeConfig() method such as:

```
if ($GLOBALS['mode'] == 'search') {  
    unset($this->fieldspec['curr_or_hist']);  
} // if
```