
Query from different db han the install db

Posted by eskewvic - 2015/04/08 00:42

I have created a new db named 'sonnys' and created several tables.

I'm trying to query from the 'sonnys' db not the default 'bitnami_joomla' db with this query: `SELECT `StoreName`, `StorePhone`, `StoreEmail` FROM `sonnys.tstores``

This query executes properly in phpMyAdmin

When I load the page I get the following error message:

1146 - Table 'bitnami_joomla.sonnys.tstores' doesn't exist SQL=`SELECT `StoreName`, `StorePhone`, `StoreEmail` FROM `sonnys.tstores``

When I change the db name in configuration.php I get "jos_" errors.

Is there a way to specify the specific db in the query or do I have to change my configuration.php?

Thanks

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Re:Query from different db han the install db

Posted by admin - 2015/04/08 05:51

Hello,

If you want to show data from non-Joomla! database, set "Choose source type -> SQL -> Choose DB type" parameter to "External database" value, set "Choose DB type -> DB type" parameter to "MySQL" or to "MySQL (mysqli)" value and enter connection parameters (host, user name, password, db name) in "External database" parameter section.

Regards,

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Re:Query from different db han the install db

Posted by eskewvic - 2015/04/08 22:51

Great, thanks, that worked! But the page now says 'No data available.' and the query works in phpMyAdmin. Any suggestions?

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Re:Query from different db han the install db

Posted by admin - 2015/04/09 05:58

Try to set "SQL -> Debug" parameter to "Yes". If it doesn't help to find the reason of the problem, could you provide a link to a page where the problem occurs and a temporary access to your J! backend by email so we can investigate the problem in more details?

Regards,

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Re:Query from different db han the install db

Posted by eskewvic - 2015/04/10 00:40

I tried that but no luck.

I'm running it on localhost right now, so there's no access. When I uploaded it the net I will write back with access.

Thanks,
Vic

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