DAL Server for AS/400: Joining Tables In SQL Query (3/93)

Article Created: 18 March 1993

TOPIC ---

What is the number of tables that can be joined for a query using DAL Server
for AS/400? I've heard of joining up to 32 tables for a query using other SQL
methods, while the DAL server can join 2.

DISCUSSION ---

The number of tables that can be joined in a SQL query is determined by
the Database Management System (DBMS) -- NOT by DAL.

The SQL/400 Programmers' Guide and Reference Guide repeatedly mention "two
or more tables being joined" -- without specifying an upper limit on the
number of tables. We see no reason why you wouldn't be able to "join"
32 tables in one select statement.
Copyright 1993, Apple Computer, Inc.

Keywords: <None>

==

19960215 11:05:19.00

Tech Info Library Article Number: 11808