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Jazz: Formatting Columns & Rows in JAZZ (Running Out of Memory)

Do not format Columns and Rows in JAZZ. JAZZ uses up some RAM memory for every cell you format, so if you format a Column with 8,192 cells you will rapidly run out of RAM memory. If you think you have formatted a column in the Worksheet, you should choose Select All from your Edit menu. Look in the cell Selection Box it will say (ex. A1..G56), but if it says (A1..G8192) you know you have formatted a column. The same problem will occur if you format rows- if the cell Selection Box says A1..IV52, you know you have formatted a Row. When you have formatted a Row or Column you should choose Disable Undo desk accessory and then click on the Column or Row heading and turn the Column or Row black. Now, choose Format from the Range menu and choose Default as the formatting choice.

Choose Select All from the Edit menu again to make sure your Worksheet is back down to the proper size.

Note: If you think you have formatted a Row or Column in a small Worksheet it is often quicker to click and drag over the part of the Worksheet you are using and then choose Copy from the Edit menu. Close the Worksheet you were working on and open a new one and then paste in the contents of the old one.

Hint: Check the About JAZZ desk accessory frequently while using JAZZ it will let you see how much RAM is still available. Also, save your Worksheets every 15 minutes so that if you get into a problem you will not lose too much work.

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