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Subject: Re: SqlVal to int (Typecast)

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Hi, I'm using the same code for MySql and SQLite versions of my program and I'd like to point out that using

ro=sql[0]; can behave rather quirky.. in combination with functions like Sum() or Count()

Depending of which db you use, Count, Sum etc. could be presented as int or a String type.

Confusing.

A better way (especially if you would select more than one column) is to use the As function:

```
UserQuerySql * SqlSelect (SqlCount(MBVARINDEX).As(MBVARINDEX)).From ( PARAMETER );
```

```
while ( UserQuerySql.Fetch() )
```

```
{
```

```
    ro=sql[MBVARINDEX];
```

```
}
```

I also like to use SqlSelect, SqlSum, SqlCount etc. because the other terms are so generic there are often clashes.

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