
Subject: Formatting a date in a sqlArray column
Posted by [Giorgio](#) on Wed, 16 Sep 2015 14:55:30 GMT
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Hi there,
this should be super-easy, but I am strolling around without finding a solution. I have a sqlArray connected to a MySql database. One of the column is (in MySQL RDBMS) a DATETIME type. When showing data the date is in American format: month/day/year hour:min:sec. I just want that column in European format: day/month/year hour:min:sec. That's where I am:

```
arrProd1.AddColumn(INIZIO, "Inizio",5).SetConvert();
```

But I am stuck because I do not know what to put in the SetConver parenthesis.
Thanks in advance for any help.
Ciao,
Giorgio

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Posted by [Alboni](#) on Fri, 09 Oct 2015 22:19:00 GMT
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You don't need a convert for this, setting the language correct is usually enough:

```
GUI_APP_MAIN  
{  
    SetLanguage(LNGFromText("IT-IT"));
```

if that doesn't do it try:

```
GUI_APP_MAIN  
{  
    SetDateFormat("%3:02d/%2:02d/%1:4d");
```

```
SetDateScan("dmy");
```
