
Subject: Re: Two questions

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"Evgeny Turchin" <evgturchin@narod.ru> wrote in message
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> Question #1.

> Is it possible to do the sequence of actions which are done with function

> DIALOG_DBCONNECT from

> DataMiner API but without using the dialog mode ?

Definitely. You use the IDLDBDatabase object's Connect method. It takes
CONNECTION or DATASOURCE keywords. Looking back over some old code I see
that I connected to a database with the commands

```
objDB = OBJ_NEW('IDLdbDatabase')  
objDB->Connect, datasource='$Station Data'
```

Unfortunately I do not recall how I set up a data source called '\$Station
Data'. I think this pointed to an .mdb file and that I set up the data
source via the ODBC Control Panel (Windows).

Hope this helps.

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