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Subject: Record keeping

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Hello,

I'm looking for an efficient backend for serializing the records in a hashtable. I currently save and restore the entire hashtable, but I actually need to access it record by record, only reading and writing to individual records. I also would like the ability to lock a record to allow for concurrent access to the hashtable across networked drives.

I could use save files to represent each record and use the filename as the index. Does anyone have any better ideas? Is there a solution already out there?

I feel that it would be overkill to use data miner. Data miner is expensive and requires setting up a TCP/IP service, introducing a single point of failure. I've heard about the Java ODBC interface, but I am forbidden to modify the JRE on the target platform.

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