

FileMaker Pro Important Notice

Read these instructions *before* using FileMaker® II files with the FileMaker Pro application.

Using FileMaker II Files with FileMaker Pro

Due to a problem in FileMaker II, some FileMaker II files may have been inadvertently corrupted during normal use. You may not be able to determine whether a FileMaker II file has been corrupted when using it in FileMaker II.

Although this problem has been corrected in FileMaker Pro, FileMaker II files that have already been corrupted will not work properly in FileMaker Pro, and may cause you to lose data. If you have FileMaker II files that you will be using in FileMaker Pro, you can prevent this problem from occurring by following the procedures below.

- 1. In FileMaker II, open the FileMaker II file you want to use in FileMaker Pro.
- 2. Choose Save a Copy from the File menu.
- 3. In the Save a Copy dialog box, click "Compressed copy (smaller)" and then click OK.
- 4. Start up FileMaker Pro, and open the compressed FileMaker II file you want to use in FileMaker Pro.

The compressed copy of the FileMaker II file is converted to FileMaker Pro.

Once you have converted a FileMaker II file to FileMaker Pro, you will not have any problems with corrupted files.