

# Multi Paged Form

Multi Paged Form enables one to incorporate multiple forms in one single form, in a simple and elegant way.

The form in the example shown below contains a multi-paged form with 4 pages in tabbed style.

The screenshot shows a web interface for a multi-paged form. On the left, there is a vertical menu with a blue header 'Menu' and four items: 'Profile' (highlighted), 'User Form', 'List Users', and a blank space. The main content area has a horizontal tabbed interface with four tabs: 'Personal', 'Education', 'Confirm - Personal', and 'Education - Confirm'. The 'Personal' tab is selected, and below it is a grey header 'Profile - Personal'. This page contains two text input fields: 'Personal Name' and 'Personal Phone'. At the bottom left is a 'Submit' button, and at the bottom right are 'Prev' and 'Next' buttons. In the bottom right corner of the main area, there is a 'Print' icon.

Figure 1: Sample Multi Paged Form

The first 2 pages point to "Personal Form" and "Education Form", while the next 2 pages point back to the same set of forms but as confirmation screens. Configurations are shown below.

The screenshot displays the configuration settings for each of the four pages of the multi-paged form. The settings are organized into four panels, one for each page. Each panel includes a breadcrumb trail, a 'Label' field, a 'Form' dropdown menu, a 'Readonly?' checkbox, and two text input fields for 'Parent Form Field to keep Child Form ID' and 'Child Form Field to keep Parent Form ID'. Red boxes highlight the 'personal\_id' and 'education\_id' values in the 'Parent Form Field' boxes for pages 1, 2, 3, and 4. The 'Readonly?' checkbox is checked for pages 3 and 4.

Page	Label	Form	Readonly?	Parent Form Field to keep Child Form ID	Child Form Field to keep Parent Form ID
Page 1	Personal	Personal Profile	<input type="checkbox"/>	personal_id	
Page 2	Education	Education Profile	<input type="checkbox"/>	education_id	
Page 3	Confirm - Personal	Personal Profile	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	personal_id	
Page 4	Education - Confirm	Education Profile	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	education_id	

Figure 2: Sample Multi Paged Form Properties

Pages 3 and 4 must be referenced to the same key used in pages 1 and 2 in order to show the intended form data. Note that pages 3 and 4 are set to "Readonly". The option **Partially store form when page changed?** in the general settings must be checked as well.

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Id \*

Label

Number of Page  ▼

Partially store form when page changed?

Figure 3: Multi Paged Form - Properties

<b>ID</b>	Element ID
<b>Label</b>	Element Label
<b>Number of Page</b>	Allocates the number of pages
<b>Partially store form when page changed?</b>	Stores form data of the current page on page change

### Page 1

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Label \*

Form \*  ▼

Readonly?

Parent Form Field to keep Child Form ID

Child Form Field to keep Parent Form ID

Validate when change page

Figure 4: Multi Paged Form - Properties - Page

<b>Label</b>	Page name displayed in the form of breadcrumb or tab, depending on its setting in the UI
<b>Form</b>	Form to be assigned to the page
<b>Readonly?</b>	Determines if the page is editable
<b>Parent Form Field to keep Child Form ID</b>	ID of the field in the parent form to store the page's primary key. Page data will be loaded based on the record ID retrieved from this field.
<b>Child Form Field to keep Parent Form ID</b>	ID of the field in the page form to store the parent form's primary key
<b>Validate when change page</b>	Performs validation on page change if checked



**Important Note about Parent Form Field to keep Child Form ID**

This field must be specified if the individual form is not storing into the same table as the parent form.  
Field specified do not need to be first created in the parent form.

## UI

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**Display Mode**

**Previous Button Label**

**Next Button Label**

**Only enable submit button on last page?**

**CSS**

Figure 5: Multi Paged Form - Properties - UI

<b>Display Mode</b>	Determines if the multi-paged form will be displayed in wizard or tabs
<b>Previous Button Label</b>	Label of the navigation button
<b>Next Button Label</b>	Label of the navigation button
<b>Only enable submit button on last page?</b>	If checked, all of the pages' forms must be completed before form submission or task completion.
<b>CSS</b>	Custom CSS implementation