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Subject: How to avoid shuffling of columns after importing?

Posted by [jeetu270](#) on Tue, 29 Dec 2015 03:37:43 GMT

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After importing an sdf file, I want to keep the columns in the same/original order. But Data Warrior shuffles them in alphabetical order I think. How to avoid this?

Thanks  
Jitender

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Subject: Re: How to avoid shuffling of columns after importing?

Posted by [thomas](#) on Wed, 06 Jan 2016 06:32:01 GMT

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Currently, there is no way to avoid that. When reading an SD-File DataWarrior analysis in a first step, which fields are present in the SD-file's records. Different records may have different field names in a different order, even if the order is usually the same. During this step the list of available field names is created alphabetically and then converted in a column list. I will check, whether to change this and to use the order of field name occurrence in the SD-file.

Thomas

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