OpenQuery

T he *OpenQuery* action opens a query in normal view or in query design view.

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Actions

Applies to ...

Object	Description
DoCmd	Root class. When present, its name must be "`DoCmd`" but the object name is optional.

Syntax

`[DoCmd.]OpenQuery(`*QueryName, View, DataMode*`)`

Argument	Optional	Type or Symbol	Description
`QueryName`	No	String	The name of the query to open. This argument is NOT case-sensitive.
`View`	Yes	acViewDesign acViewNormal acViewPreview	The view in which the query will open. *acViewNormal* and *acViewPreview* are equivalent. Default is *acViewNormal*.
`DataMode`		acEdit	The user will be allowed to add new records and edit existing records.

The symbolic constants can be included in your code by copying and pasting next lines:

```
Const acViewDesign = 1
Const acViewNormal = 0
Const acViewPreview = 2

Const acEdit = 1
```

Remarks

- If the *view* argument is *acDesign*, the query will get opened in Design mode. However any further action is not supported by the Access2Base API.
- The *OpenQuery* action must not be triggered from a **standalone form**.

Error messages

Query '...' could not be opened
Query '...' not found
Action not applicable in this context

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Example

```
Const acViewNormal = 0
        OpenQuery("myQuery", acViewNormal)
```

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