Table Properties

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Overview

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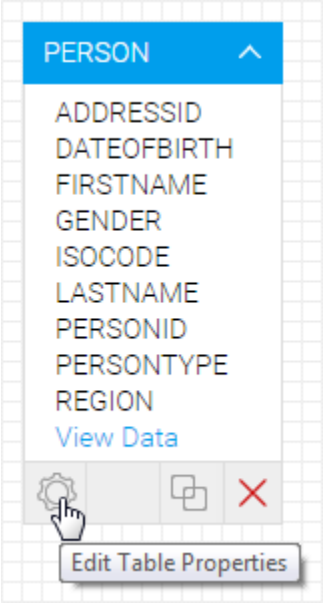
You can update or view the properties of any table in your view by clicking on the properties link on the table. When you click on the link the View Options property section is updated with the selected table information.



Create Alias

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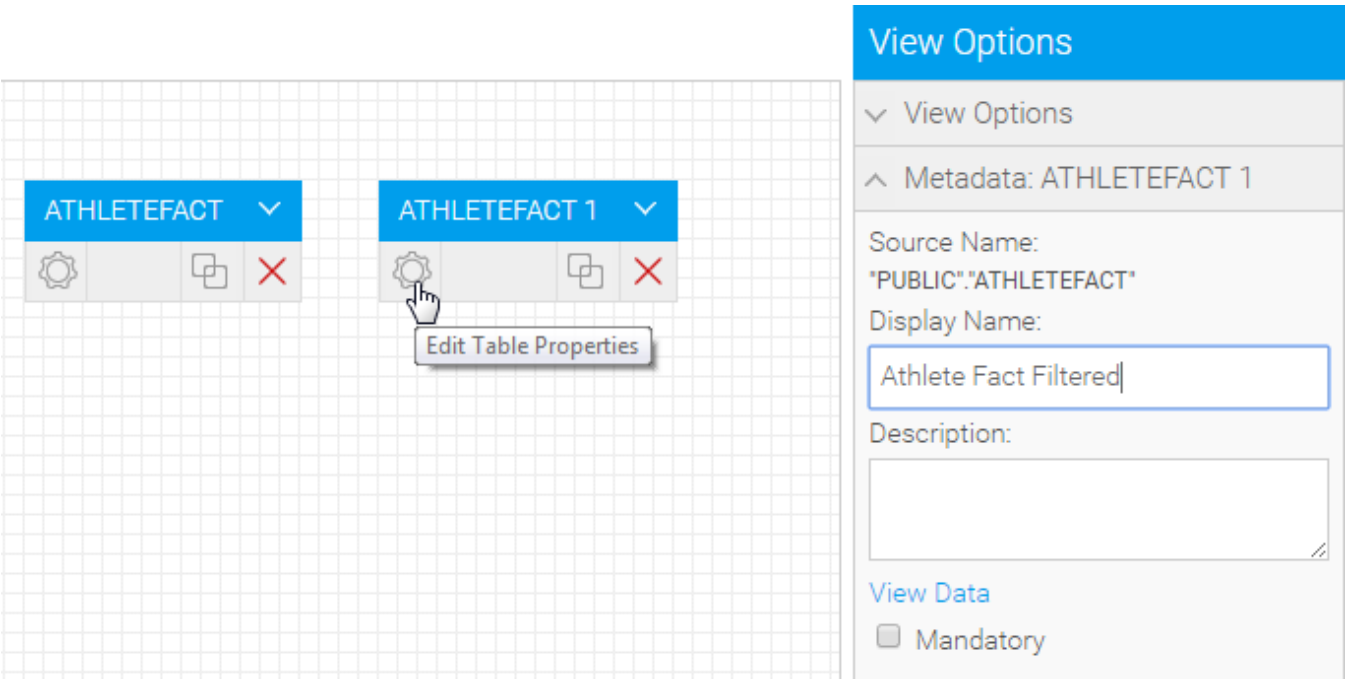
When adding more than one of the same table to a view Yellowfin automatically creates table aliases, since two tables cannot have the same name. An alias is created by updating the table name.

To change the table name you can update the display name in the options menu.



Note: that the source name continues to be displayed in the original format.

View Sample Data

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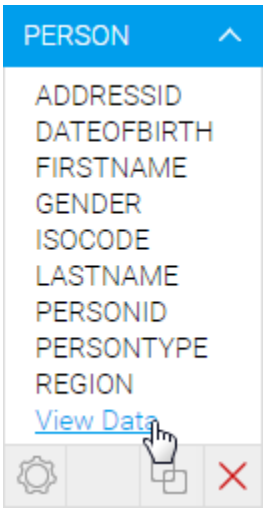
If you wish to see example data from the table that is currently being updated you can click the view data link located in the main table properties section or on the table within the table on the entity builder.



Any conditions that have been applied to the table will be applied to the select statement for the example data. However, if the joins to the table have implied conditions these will not be included in the example select data.

Rows: 20 Refresh Data PERSON

ADDRESSID	DATEOFBIRTH	FIRSTNAME	GENDER	ISOCODE	LASTNAME	PERSONID	PERSONTYPE	REGION
44127	1973-05-19	Karl	MALE	CH	Gegenschatz	9023	ATHLETE	Europe
44128	1973-05-19	Carlos	MALE	CL	Liendo	9024	ATHLETE	Latin America
44128	1973-05-19	Paul	MALE	CL	Vachoux	9025	ATHLETE	Latin America
44129	1974-05-19	Gert	MALE	DE	Dogscha	9026	ATHLETE	Europe
44130	1974-05-19	Kjell	MALE	SE	Woernert	9027	ATHLETE	Europe
44131	1961-05-19	Jim	MALE	CA	Gear	9028	ATHLETE	North America
44132	1962-05-19	Georg	MALE	AT	Hilber	9029	ATHLETE	Europe
44133	1962-05-19	Guenther	MALE	DE	Meier	9030	ATHLETE	Europe
44134	1979-05-19	Markus	MALE	CH	Zahnd	9031	ATHLETE	Europe
44135	1980-05-19	Milan	MALE	SI	Nadizar	9032	ATHLETE	Europe
44136	1981-05-19	Werner	MALE	CH	Faessler	9033	ATHLETE	Europe
44137	1964-05-19	Julian	MALE	CA	Oates	9034	ATHLETE	North America
44138	1983-05-19	Agusti	MALE	ES	Juan	9035	ATHLETE	Europe
44139	1983-05-19	Jesus	MALE	ES	Zabalia	9036	ATHLETE	Europe
44140	1984-05-19	Peter	MALE	CH	Doenni	9037	ATHLETE	Europe
44141	1985-05-19	Keith	MALE	AU	Yeo	9038	ATHLETE	Australia
44142	1986-05-19	Philip	MALE	IE	Beauregard	9039	ATHLETE	Europe
44143	1969-05-19	Phil	MALE	CA	Beauregard	9040	ATHLETE	North America
44143	1986-05-19	Pierre	MALE	CA	Beck	9041	ATHLETE	North America
44144	1987-05-19	A.	MALE	ES	Gelabert Joan	9042	ATHLETE	Europe

Select Table Columns

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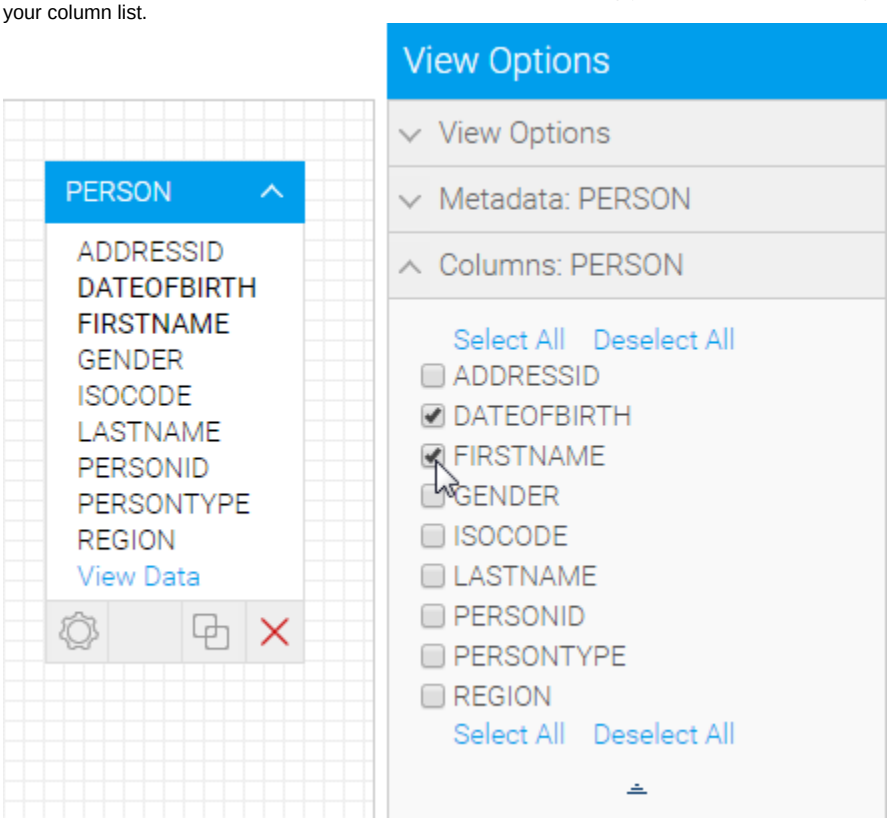
When tables are selected and joined together you have the option to add as many or as few of the columns from each of the tables into your view.

1. To add a field into your view click the table properties link to display the properties in the View Options pane.
2. Click the expand icon on the column section
3. Select the columns you wish to add (Use the Select All link to select all columns)
4. Columns selected will be displayed in bold within the table on the canvas – as depicted below.

5. You can also add columns from the table data view – see above. Simply click on the column to highlight the column – these will then be added to your column list.



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