# Hyperlink in ALV

Version 1.0

Author - Prateek Shirod

Date - 03 May 2018

#### **Purpose**

This document covers how to add hyperlink to ALV report. This is high level document and assume resource has basic knowledge of ABAP.

Let's make the ALV interactive by adding the Hotspot aka Hyperlink into the ALV generated by SALV IDA by using the DISPLAY OPTIONS for column.

```
METHOD activate hot spot.
\Box
     TRY.
         o salv ida->field catalog( )->display options(
           )->display as link to action( 'MSGNR' ).
         SET HANDLER me->handle hot spot
           FOR o salv ida->field catalog( )->display options( ).
       CATCH cx salv ida unknown name
             cx salv call after 1st display.
     ENDTRY.
   ENDMETHOD.
   METHOD handle hot spot.
     TYPES:
      BEGIN OF lty_wa.
Ġ
     DATA: 1s wa TYPE 1ty wa.
     TRY.
阜
         eo_row_data->get_row_data(
           EXPORTING iv_request_type = if_salv_gui_selection_ida=>cs_reque
           IMPORTING es row = ls wa ).
```

## **Preface**

Hotspot or Hyperlink is a key functionality for any ALV, no matter which ALV type you use – SALV Model, SALV IDA or Classical ALV. You now already know how to play with SALV IDA Column properties. In this article, let's take it further by adding a hyper link.

As always, this code lines are based on the template program which is available at SALV IDA Introduction.

Any hotspot functionality would be divided into two parts: Implementing the Hotspot, and Handling the action

#### **SALV IDA Activate Hotspot**

To activate the Hotspot, you would need to call the same method FIELD\_CATALOG as we used in the SALV IDA Column Settings.

- Call method FIELD\_CATALOG () to get the field catalog object
- Call method DISPLAY OPTIONS () to get the display properties of the column
- Call method DISPLAY\_AS\_LINK\_TO\_ACTION () to activate the Hyperlink or

Hotspot on the column. Provide the column name for which this is required.

## SALV IDA Handle Hotspot

Once the Hotspot is added, we would need to handle it. It won't be handled by itself To handle the Hotspot,

• Declare the event Handler for event CELL ACTION of the interface

```
IF_SALV_GUI_FIELD_DISPLAY_OPT
```

• Use statement SET HANDLER to handle this event handler for the

DISPLAY\_OPTIONS () object

#### **Code Lines**

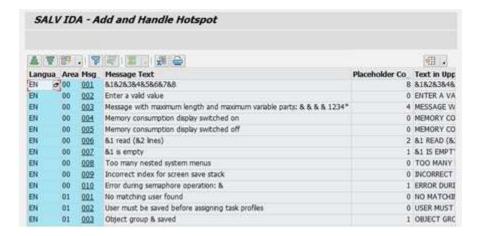
Code lines to add and handle the hotspot on SALV IDA:

```
*$*$1
  METHODS:
  activate_hot_spot,
  handle_hot_spot
          FOR EVENT cell action OF if salv gui field display opt
   IMPORTING ev field name
          eo row data.
*$*$1
*$*$2
   me->activate_hot_spot().
*$*$2
*$*$3
METHOD activate_hot_spot.
 TRY.
   o salv ida->field catalog()->display options(
    )->display_as_link_to_action( 'MSGNR' ).
    SET HANDLER me->handle_hot_spot
    FOR o salv ida->field catalog()->display options().
  CATCH cx salv ida unknown name
      cx salv call after 1st display.
  ENDTRY.
```

```
ENDMETHOD.
 METHOD handle hot spot.
 TYPES:
  BEGIN OF Ity wa.
     INCLUDE TYPE t100.
      INCLUDE TYPE lcl_t100_new_fields=>ty_t100_new_fields.
 TYPES:
  END OF Ity_wa.
  DATA: Is_wa TYPE Ity_wa.
  TRY.
    eo_row_data->get_row_data(
     EXPORTING iv_request_type =
if_salv_gui_selection_ida=>cs_request_type-all_fields
     IMPORTING es_row
                            = ls_wa ).
    cl_salv_ida_show_data_row=>display(
     iv_text = `Hyper Link for ` && ev_field_name
          && `and value `&& Is_wa-msgnr
     is_data = ls_wa ).
   CATCH cx salv ida contract violation
      cx_salv_ida_sel_row_deleted.
  ENDTRY.
ENDMETHOD.
*$*$3
```

#### Output

On the output screen, the hyperlink is displayed:



Once you click on the Hyperlink for the column MSGNR, you would get this small popup.

This is generated by another class CL\_SALV\_IDA\_SHOW\_DATA\_ROW. The class contains the method DISPLAY to display the data for the single row.

