

How to create a List View in the Form

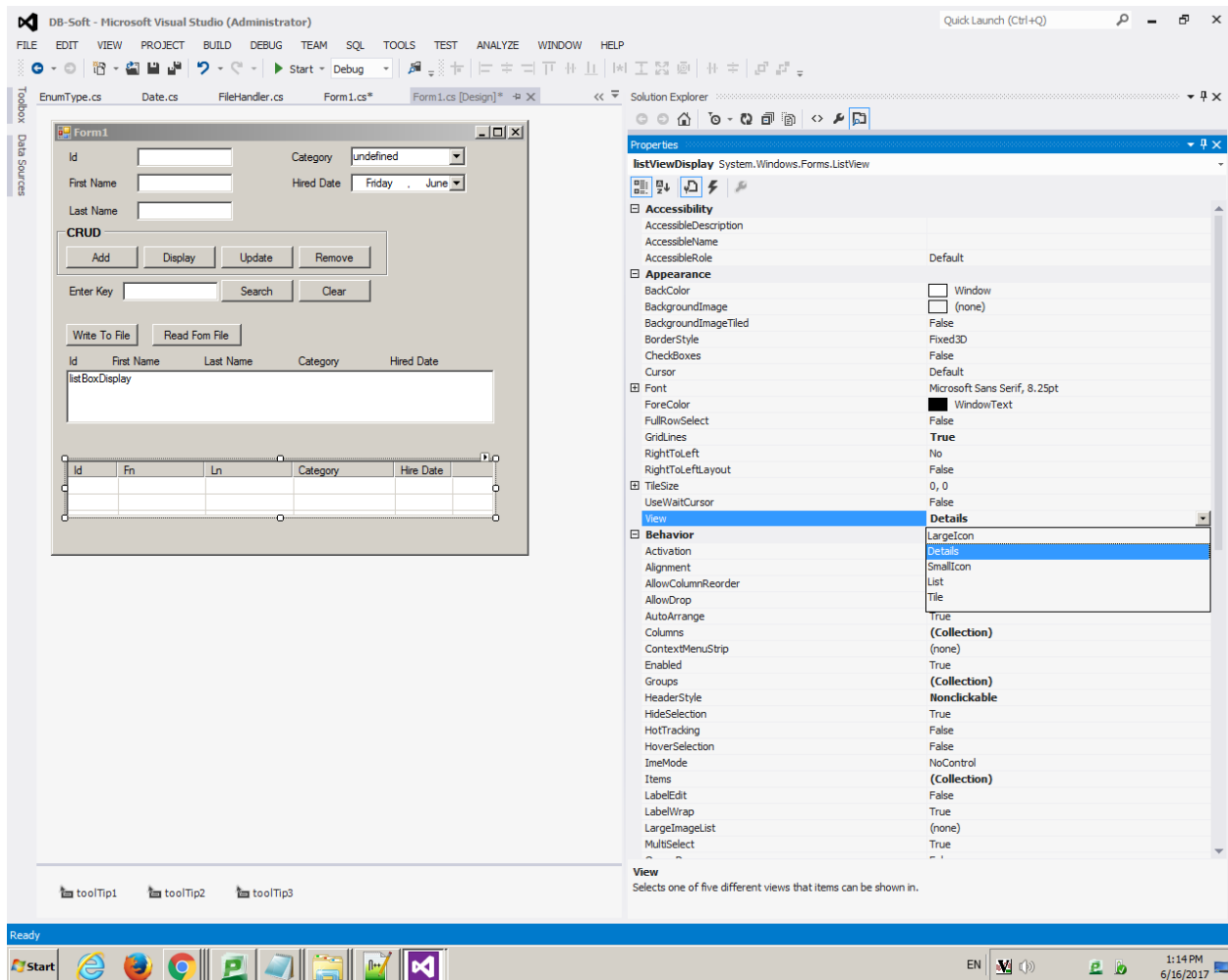
Part 01: Design-time

– Setting the properties during design time–

To add a list view in the Windows Form, you have to set the 4 following **properties**:

1- How to show the columns

Choose the property **View**, then choose **Details**



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2- How to add the header

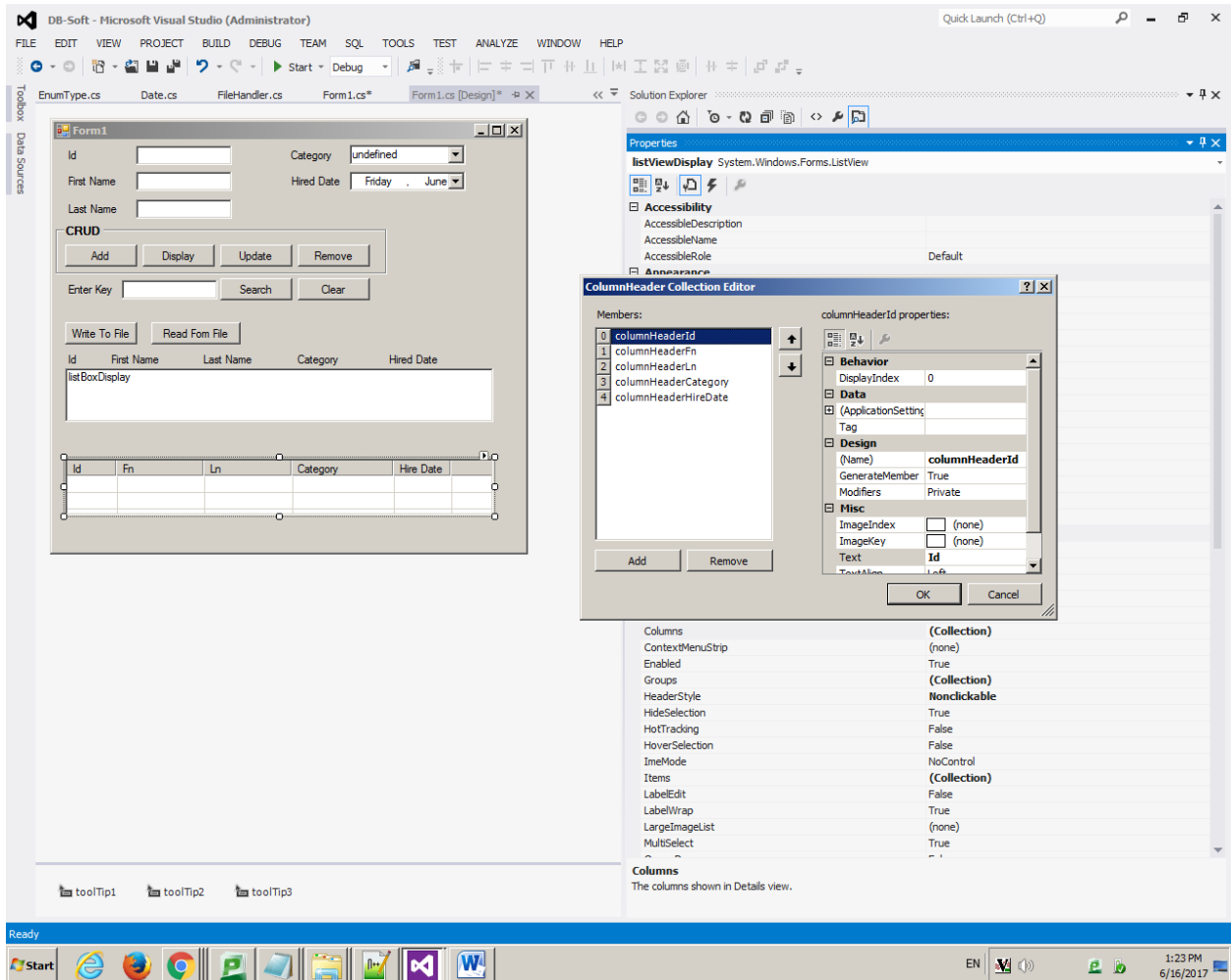
Choose the property **Columns**, then in the dialog box add a column and set the property **Name** and the property **Text**.

Example:

In the dialog box, click on the button Add : you will have a new header in the list of headers
Change the name of the header as follows:

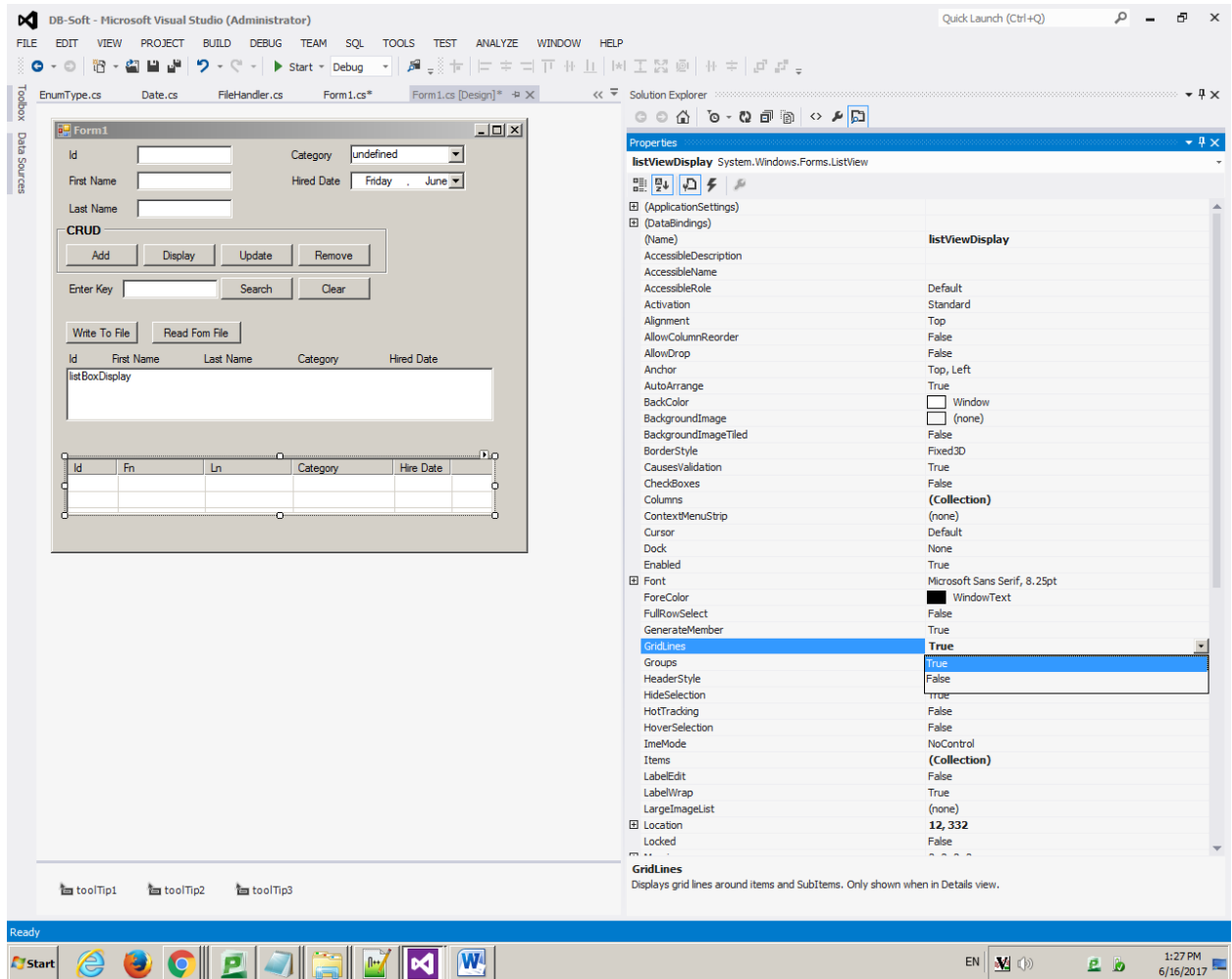
Name: **ColumnHeader1** change it for **ColumnHeaderId**

Text : **Id** (this is the column that appears on the listView)



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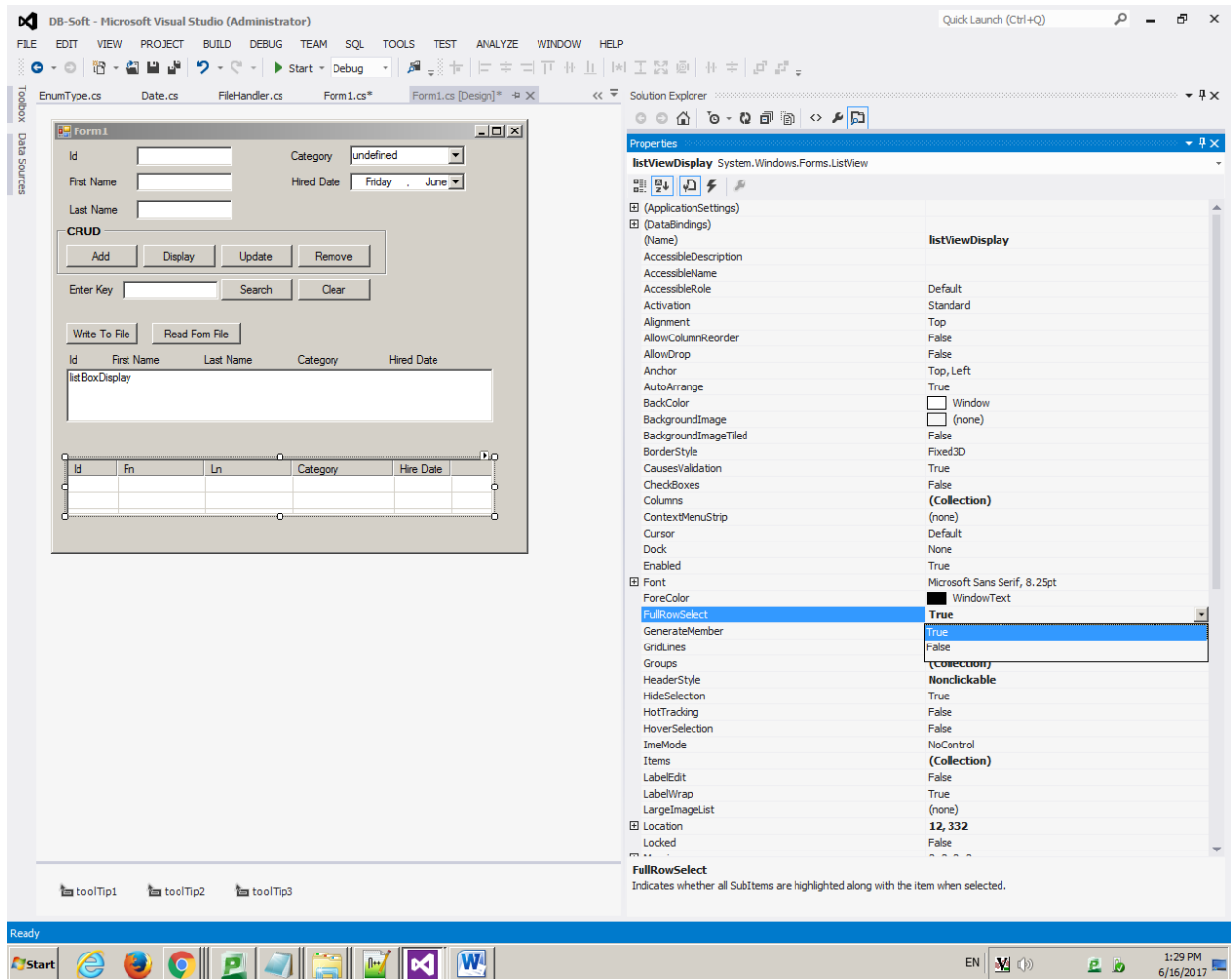
3- How to set the property **Gridlines** to **TRUE**:



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4- How to select an item from the listView

Choose the property **FullRowSelect** and choose **True**



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Part II: run-time – source code

```
int index = -1;
```

```
public void DisplayListView()
{
    listViewDisplay.Items.Clear();

    foreach (Employee element in listOfEmployees)
    {
        ListViewItem anItem = new ListViewItem(Convert.ToString(element.Id)); //key

        anItem.SubItems.Add(element.Fn);
        anItem.SubItems.Add(element.Ln);
        anItem.SubItems.Add(Convert.ToString(element.Category));
        anItem.SubItems.Add(Convert.ToString(element.HiredDate));

        listViewDisplay.Items.Add(anItem);
    }
}
```

```
public void DisplayListView(List<Employee> aListOfEmployees)
{
    listViewDisplay.Items.Clear();

    foreach (Employee element in aListOfEmployees)
    {
        ListViewItem anItem = new ListViewItem(Convert.ToString(element.Id)); //key

        anItem.SubItems.Add(element.Fn);
        anItem.SubItems.Add(element.Ln);
        anItem.SubItems.Add(Convert.ToString(element.Category));
        anItem.SubItems.Add(Convert.ToString(element.HiredDate));
        listViewDisplay.Items.Add(anItem);
    }
}
```

```
private void listViewDisplay_SelectedIndexChanged(object sender, EventArgs e)
{
    // listView
    index = listViewDisplay.FocusedItem.Index;

    // listBox
    // index = listBoxDisplay.SelectedIndex;

}
```

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