

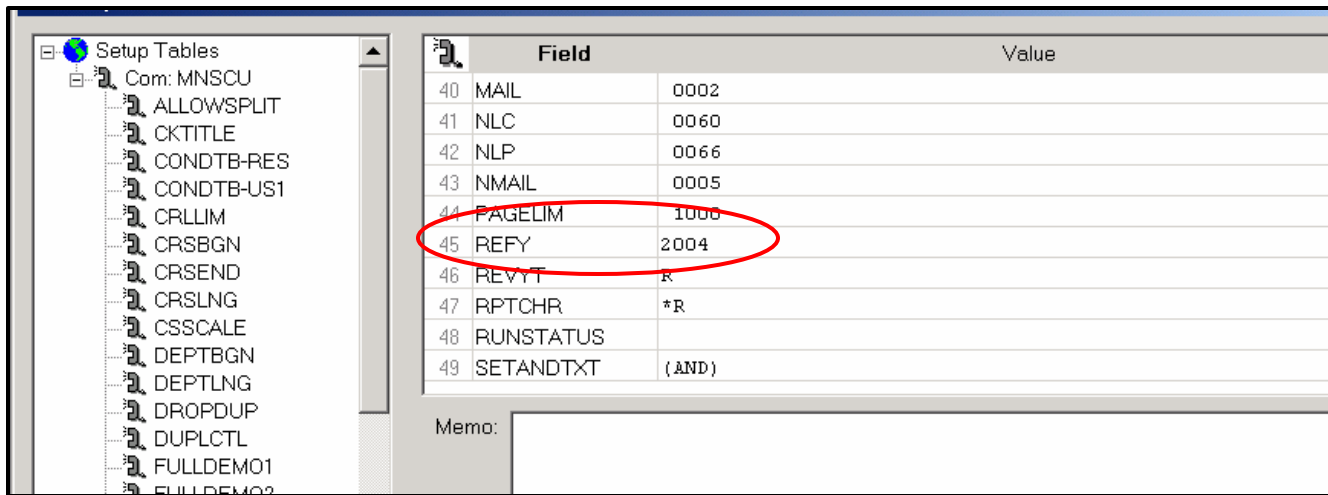
REFERENCE YEAR

How to Accept Courses for a Specified Number of Years/Terms Based on a Reference Year in Sub-requirements OR Red Book/Blue Book rules

For some programs courses are only acceptable if taken within a specified number of years/terms from, in most cases, the current year. DARwin can be encoded to do this for specific courses with the following entries.

COM Table Setting

The first entry that needs to be made is in the COM Table. Open the COM Table and insert a row anywhere. Once the row is inserted enter **REFY** in the **Field** column. In the **Value** column enter the academic year that DARwin is to go forward or back from. If using the current year then enter the current year. The example below is using the 2004 academic year which includes Summer 2003, Fall 2003 and Spring 2004.



	Field	Value
40	MAIL	0002
41	NLC	0060
42	NLP	0066
43	NMAIL	0005
44	PAGELIM	1000
45	REFY	2004
46	REYTT	R
47	RPTCHR	*R
48	RUNSTATUS	
49	SETANDTXT	{AND}

Sub-Requirement Entry

In the Sub-Requirement(s) that contain the courses of concern an entry must be made in the **Effective Date** field of the A-Line(s). In the example below, **R-01 3 - 9999 99** has been entered to indicate that any course taken between Spring 2004 and Fall 2002 will meet the parameters of this Sub-Requirement. The breakdown of the entry is as follows:

R	=	Reference Year
-	=	Tells DARwin to go back from the Reference Year. Use a "+" symbol for going forward.
01	=	Tells DARwin to go back up to one year from the Reference Year (the total range possible is ± 09 years)
3	=	Tells DARwin to go back only to the Fall up to one year from the Reference Year.
9999 99	=	Until the end of time.

Note that the Select From list indicates that courses from F 02 OR AFTER will be acceptable.

The entry in the Sub-Requirement can also be made without a specific term as shown below.

In this case courses will be accepted back to Summer 2002 as can be seen in the audit below.

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AT LEAST ONE REQUIREMENT HAS NOT BEEN SATISFIED
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NO
EARNED:  3.00 CREDITS          0 SUB-GROUPS    4.000 GPA
--> NEEDS:                    1 SUB-GROUP

- 1) Reference Year Test Sub-Requirement
    3.00 CREDITS ADDED  3 COURSES TAKEN    4.000 GPA
S102 SUMM2002          1.0 A    F 02 FALL2002    1.0 A
S 03 SPRG2003          1.0 A
NEEDS:                  22 COURSES
SELECT FROM:  ***** ( 03 OR AFTER)
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Red Book/Blue Book Entry

In the Red Book/Blue Book SOURCE rule(s) that contain the courses of concern, two rules must be made using the logic in the red box above. In the first rule, the **Effective Date** field of the SOURCE course is an acceptable course. In the example below, **R-03 3 - 9999 99** has been entered to indicate that any course taken between Fall 2001 to present will meet the parameters of this rule.

**** Two entries must be made for the SOURCE course. The 1st rule with the effective YRTR and the 2nd rule without the effective YRTR. *****

TA: 19993

Source ID: 7777777 **CD:** **DP Mask:** **FYT:** 19993

Name: test for reference year for Carmella **LYT:** 999999

Default InstID: **CD:** **Universal Mask:** **Group:** BIOL

Segment	Cond	Lim Ct	Lim Hrs	Ctl Cd	A	R	Status	Memo
1	BIOL		0	.00				

Source	P	Title	T	Hours	A	R	Effective Date
1	BIOL1102		<input type="checkbox"/>	0.00			R-03 3 - 9999 99

Rows: 1

Target	P	Title	Hours	F	Status
1	BIOL1031		0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	

AA??9999 Rows: 1

Alternate **Flags**

BIOL1031 P

AA??9999

Rule 1

The screenshot shows a software interface with a tree view on the left and a main panel on the right. The tree view shows a hierarchy: TA: 19993, A AAAA, BIOL, Rule 1, BIOL1102, BIOL1031, Rule 2, BIOL1102, and BIOLT***. A box labeled "Rule 2" is overlaid on the tree view. The main panel contains several input fields and tables.

Input fields at the top right:

- Source ID: 7777777
- CD: []
- DP Mask: []
- FYT: 19993
- Name: test for reference year for Carmella
- LYT: 999999
- Default InstID: []
- CD: []
- Universal Mask:
- Group: BIOL

Table 1 (Segment):

Segment	Cond	Lim Ct	Lim Hrs	Ct Cd A	R	Status	Memo
2	BIOL		0	.00			

Table 2 (Source):

Source	P	Title	T	Hours	A	R	Effective Date
1 BIOL1102			<input type="checkbox"/>	0.00			-

Table 3 (Target):

Target	P	Title	Hours	F	Status
1 BIOLT***			0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Buttons: Alternate, Flags

Flags: BIOLT***, P, [], [], [], AA??9999

Audit showing when the student took the course within the effective YRTR (Rule 1).

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OK      Goal Three:  Natural Sciences
        Minimum of 7 credits, two different disciplines & one lab.
+  1)  One laboratory course required:
        F 04 BIOL1031      4.0 TA      Anatomy & Physiology I
                                     TESTREFY: BIOL1102
+  2)  Two different disciplines required:
        F 04 BIOL1031      4.0 TA      Anatomy & Physiology I
                                     TESTREFY: BIOL1102
        F 04 PHYS1021      3.0 A
  
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Audit showing when the student took the course prior to the effective YRTR (Rule 2).

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NO      Goal Three:  Natural Sciences          |
        Minimum of 7 credits, two different disciplines & one lab. |
+ 1) One laboratory course required:         |
    F 04 PHYS1021      3.0 A                  |
- 2) Two different disciplines required:      |
    F 04 PHYS1021      3.0 A                  |
        COURSE LIST- BIOLOGY: BIOL 1020,1024,1025,1026,1028, |
        BIOL 1030,1031,1032,1035,1041,1042  |
        CHEMISTRY: CHEM 0100,0101,0102      |
        NATURAL SCI: NSCI 1020,1030,1040,1045,1050,1055, |
        NSCI 1060,1065,1070,1075          |
        PHYSICS: PHYS 1022,1041,1042,1081,1082 |
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Notice the course taken prior to the effective YRTR falls into the elective requirement.

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        Courses transferred into Century College
EARNED:  7.00 CREDITS
    F 00 BIOLT001      4.0 TA      Anatomy & Physiology I
        TESTREFY: BIOL1102
    F 03 TRANSFER      0.0 TB  >X Unifying Concepts in Biology
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