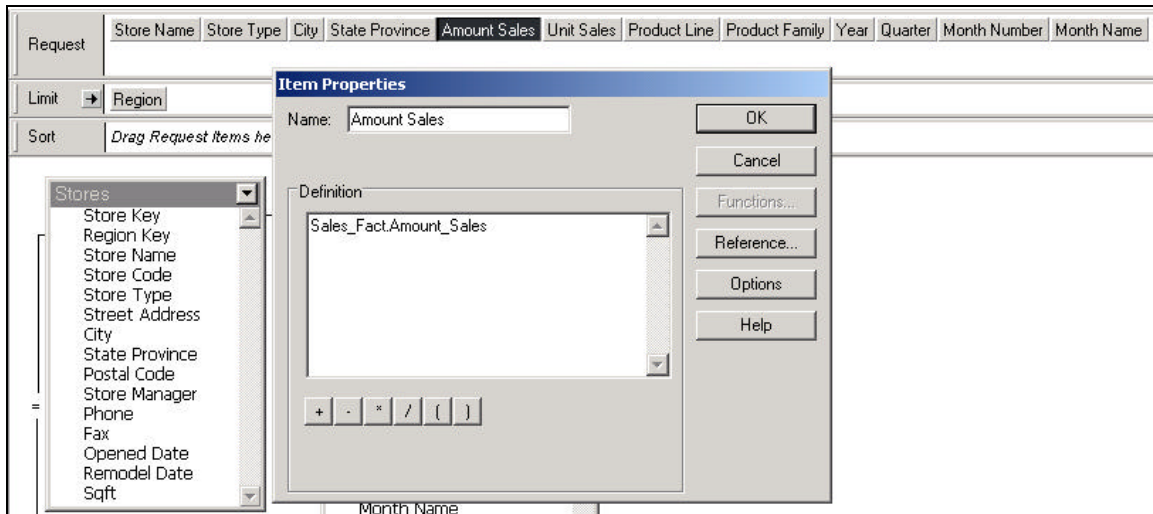


Changing Properties on a Topic Item in the Request Line

When modifying a Brio document, you'll find if you remove a topic item from the request line, all instances of that topic item will be removed throughout the report. That means if the value was used in a pivot, chart or free form report, it will be removed as well. If you just want to change the value to a different value, an easy way of doing it is to change the properties of the value to the new value.

In the example below, if you wanted to change the Amount Sales to some other value, you can select it > right click > select Properties. Then you can change the name to whatever you want and change the definition to point to the replacement topic item. Press OK. Now the new value will be used and will be changed throughout the BrioQuery document.

I found this trick helpful when modifying reports to use a different topic item, but all the reports would be the same except for that one value.



NOTE: This Newscast was tested on Brio R6.2.0.75

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