

Loading the Dataset

Before you can build a view and analyze your data, you must first connect the data to IBM Cognos. Cognos supports connecting to a wide variety of data, stored in a variety of places.

The data might be stored on your computer in a spreadsheet or a text file, or in a big data, relational, or cube (multidimensional) database on a server in your enterprise.

In our case, we will be using a spreadsheet or text file for making our analysis.

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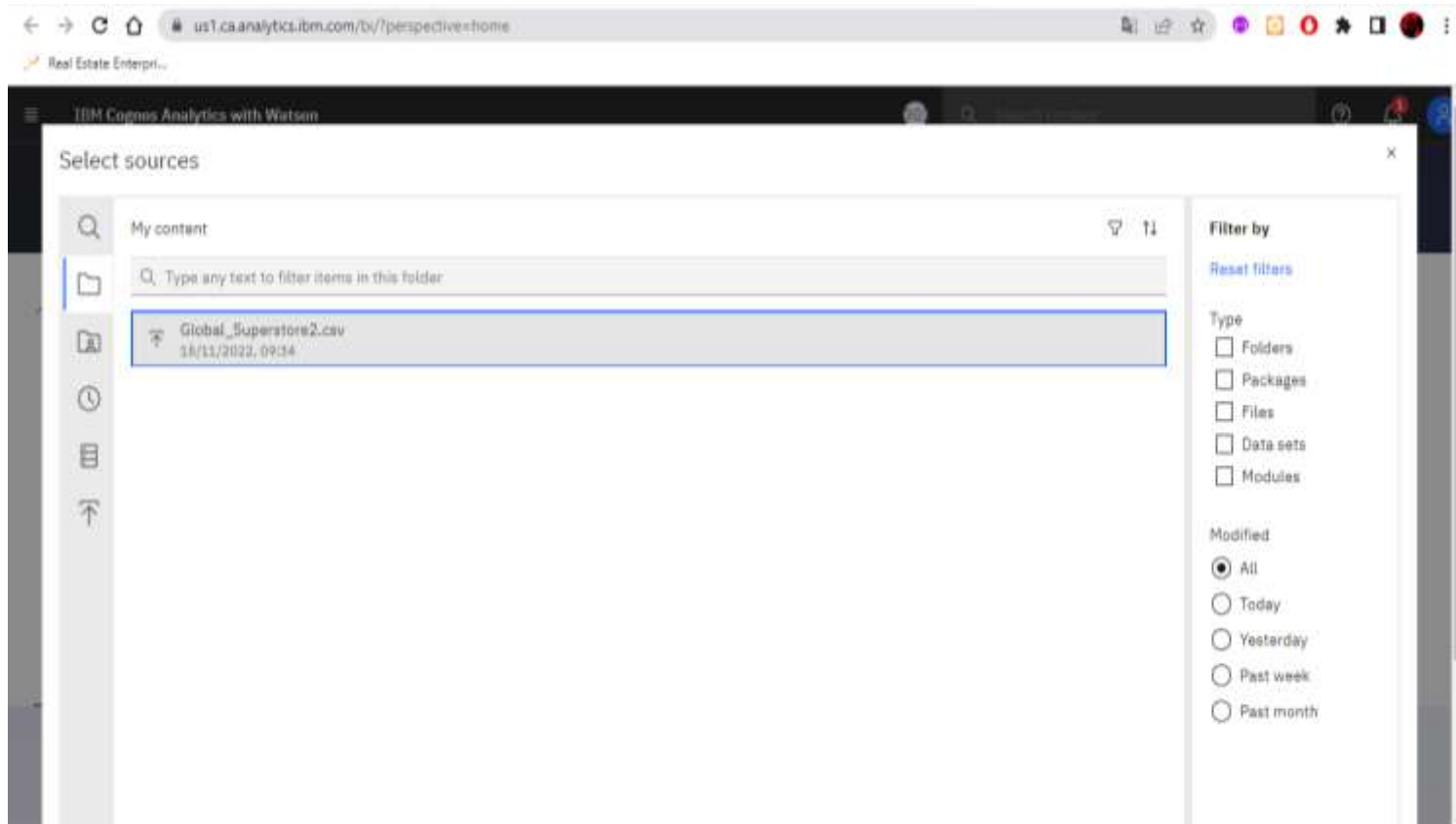
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Row Id	Row ID	Order ID	Order Date	Ship Date	Ship Mode
1	32298	CA-2012-124891	2012-07-31	2012-07-31	Same Day
2	26341	IN-2013-77876	2013-02-05	2013-02-07	Second Class
3	25330	IN-2013-71249	2013-10-17	2013-10-18	First Class
4	13524	ES-2013-1579342	2013-01-28	2013-01-30	First Class
5	47221	SG-2013-4320	2013-11-05	2013-11-06	Same Day
6	22732	IN-2013-42360	2013-06-28	2013-07-01	Second Class
7	30570	IN-2011-81826	2011-11-07	2011-11-09	First Class
8	31192	IN-2012-86369	2012-04-14	2012-04-18	Standard Class