

How to Create a Demo Dashboard

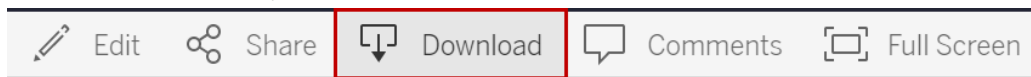
The following procedure describes how to create a demo dashboard from an existing Tableau customer workbook.

Prerequisites

- You must have Tableau Desktop installed on your local machine.
- In Tableau Desktop, you must be signed into the following server:
<https://tableau-stage.company.com/>

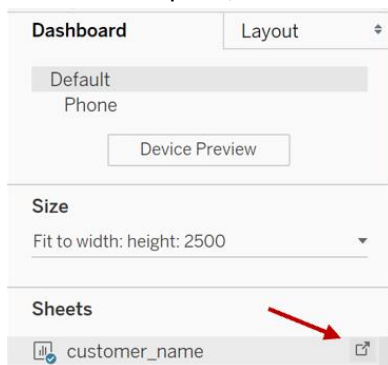
Procedure

1. In Tableau, access the customer dashboard from which you want to create a demo dashboard.
2. In the Tableau toolbar, click the **Download** button.

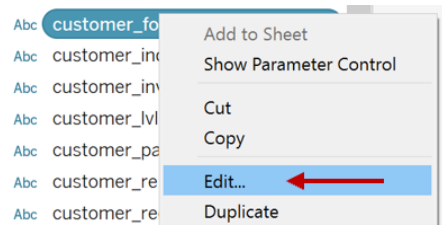


NOTE: If you do not see the Tableau toolbar, remove the query string from the URL; that is, remove all text after and including the question mark (?).

3. In the Download dialog window, click **Tableau workbook**, and then click **Download**.
4. Once the download completes, double-click the .twbx file to open it in Tableau Desktop.
5. In the Sheets pane, click the icon to open the customer_name worksheet.



6. In the Parameters section of the customer_name worksheet, right-click the parameter you want to change, and select **Edit**.



Note: For a list of suggested modifications, see [Suggested Parameter Modifications](#).

7. In the Edit Parameter window, enter a generic value in the Current value field, and click **OK**.

A screenshot of the 'Edit Parameter [customer_name]' dialog box. The 'Name' field contains 'customer_name'. Under 'Properties', the 'Data type' is 'String' and the 'Display format' is 'Customer Name'. The 'Current value' field contains 'Customer Name' and the 'Value when workbook opens' dropdown is set to 'Current value'. At the bottom, there are three radio buttons for 'Allowable values': 'All' (selected), 'List', and 'Range'. 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons are at the bottom right.

8. Once you have modified the parameters, click **Save** to save your changes.
9. Publish your changes:
 - a. From the Server menu, click **Publish workbook**.
 - b. In the Publish Workbook to Tableau Server window, select the **Demo Dashboards** folder from the Project drop-down list.

- c. Enter a new name for the dashboard in the Name field.

Publish Workbook to Tableau Server

Project
Demo

Name
workbook_name

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- d. Click **Publish**.

10. Once the workbook is published, verify the changes on the Tableau server, and ensure no proprietary or confidential information appears on the dashboard.

Suggested Parameter Modifications

Here is a list of suggested parameters to change:

Parameter	Suggested Value
customer_name	Customer Name
customer_partner_name	Partner Name
customer_contracts	123456, 234567
customer_inventory_name	INVENTORY_NAME