

# Access points for generating reports

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## Access points for generating reports

You can gather information in Unified Manager about your clusters to create reports from the UI, MySQL database queries, and REST APIs.

This guide covers Unified Manager reporting and scheduling through the UI.

There are three ways you can access the reporting capabilities provided by Unified Manager:

- Extracting data directly from the inventory pages in the UI.
- Using Open Database Connectivity (ODBC) and ODBC tools to access all the available objects.
- Executing Unified Manager REST APIs to return the information that you want to review.

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### Unified Manager databases accessible for custom reporting

Unified Manager uses a MySQL database to store data from the clusters that it is monitoring. Data is persisted into various schemas in the MySQL database.

All table data from the following databases are available:

Database	Description
netapp_model	Data about the objects on ONTAP controllers.
netapp_model_view	Data about the objects on ONTAP controllers, suitable for report tool consumption.
netapp_performance	Cluster specific performance counters.
ocum	Unified Manager application data and information to support UI filtering, sorting, and the calculation of some derived fields.
ocum_report	Data for inventory configuration and capacity-related information.
ocum_report_birt	Views for inventory configuration and capacity-related data, suitable for report tool consumption.
opm	Performance configuration settings and threshold information.
scalemonitor	Data about the Unified Manager application health and performance issues.

Database	Description
vmware_model	VMware object data for datastores hosted on NetApp storage.
vmware_model_view	Views for VMware object data for datastores hosted on NetApp storage, suitable for report tool consumption.
vmware_performance	VMware performance counter data for datastores hosted on NetApp storage.

A reporting user — a Database user with the Report Schema role — is able to access the data in these tables. This user has read-only access to reporting and other database views directly from the Unified Manager database. Note that this user does not have permission to access any tables that contain user data or cluster credential information.

### Unified Manager REST APIs that can be used for reporting

You can use REST APIs to help manage your clusters by viewing the health, capacity, performance, and security information captured by Unified Manager.

REST APIs are exposed through the Swagger web page. You can access the Swagger web page to display the Unified Manager REST API documentation, as well as to manually issue an API call. From the Unified Manager web UI, in the Menu Bar, click the **Help** button and then select **API Documentation**. For information about Unified Manager REST APIs, see the Active IQ Unified Manager API Developer's Guide.

You must have the Operator, Storage Administrator, or Application Administrator role to access the REST APIs.

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