

Business Analytics - Report Studio - IBM Cognos Focus Report Using Calculations

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Objectives

- Create calculations based on data in the data source;
- Add run-time information to the reports;
- Create expressions using functions.
- Display prompt selections in report titles.

Derive additional information from the data source

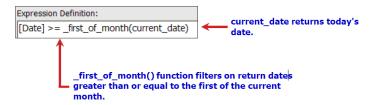


Add run-time information to your report

Layout calculation indicates the run date for this report

2010-First Quarter Sales Figures Report run date: < < AsOfDate ()%>							
 Date 🛆	Product line	Revenue	Planned revenue				
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Add Date/Time functions to your report



If current_date is October 15, 2012, then the filter would return data for all dates starting at, and greater than October 1, 2012.

Add string functions to your report

Use string functions to in calculations and filters in your report to manipulate text data.



Other functions : substring(), upper(), lower(),....

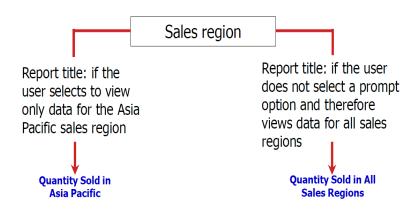
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Sales Figures for January 2010 Report run by: Frank Bretton							
Date	Product line	Revenue	Planned revenue	Percent of Goal			
Jan 12, 2010	Camping Equipment	20,217,372.98	21,714,739.59	93%			
Jan 12, 2010	Golf Equipment	9,141,599.89	9,815,894.17	93%			
Jan 12, 2010	Outdoor Protection	2,263,380.47	2,393,032.12	95%			
Jan 12, 2010	Personal Accessories	7,414,443.06	7,797,859.04	95%			
Jan 13, 2010	Camping Equipment	5,000,710.6	5,350,515.31	93%			
Jan 13, 2010	Golf Equipment	2,536,524.65	2,723,837.61	93%			
Jan 13, 2010	Outdoor Protection	474,025.75	496,960.85	95%			
Jan 13, 2010	Personal Accessories	3,477,197.59	3,586,395.95	97%			
Jan 14, 2010	Camping Equipment	633,110.2	674,140.61	94%			

Display prompt selections in report titles

You ca display information in the report title that describes the prompt option a user selects.



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Demo - TP19: Display prompt selections in the report title.

Quantity Sold in Asia Pacific								
Quantity		2010	2011	2012	2013			
PERSONAL ACCESSORIES	Binoculars	43,340	45,626	62,144	49,788			
	Eyewear	22,252	50,760	79,760	69,607			
	Knives	396,185	275,620	388,653	307,093			
	Navigation	117,074	84,358	107,223	113,107			
	Watches	33,936	46,015	60,211	44,995			
	PERSONAL ACCESSORIES	612,787	502,379	697,991	584,590			
MOUNTAINEERING EQUIPMENT	Climbing Accessories		410,155	526,482	573,585			
	Rope		30,530	45,981	38,024			
	Safety		85,114	104,518	87,855			
	Tools		187,255	245,019	236,781			
	MOUNTAINEERING EQUIPMENT		713,054	922,000	936,245			

Sales percent by Sales Rep Country

Demo - TP20 : Sales percent by Sales Rep Country

