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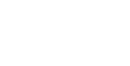


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Uladzislau Pralat

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Dynamic Fiori Launchpad Tile **Explained**

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I came across a number of resources that explain Dynamic Fiori Launchpad Tile creation. They are missing some details or provide simplistic examples. In my blog I added clarity focusing on important aspects of implementation and provided more realistic example.

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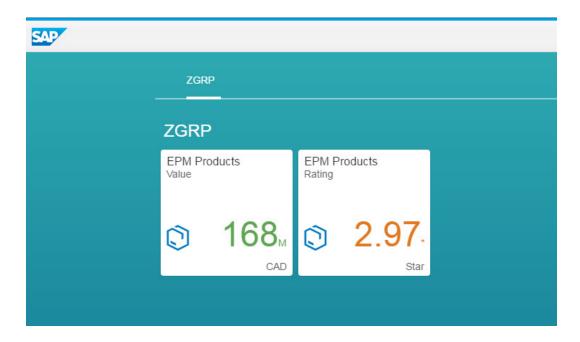
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In my example the same OData Service is used to feed two dynamic tile and calculating values dynamically using CDS views.



As you can see from snapshot above there are two dynamic tiles. Left tile displays stock value and right one average product rating. Color coding is used for the values, for example, stock value ranged from 100 to 200 millions CAD is considered as good.

Lets see how it is implemented. To begin with, I defined ZDYN_TILE DDIC structure to provide information for dynamic tiles.

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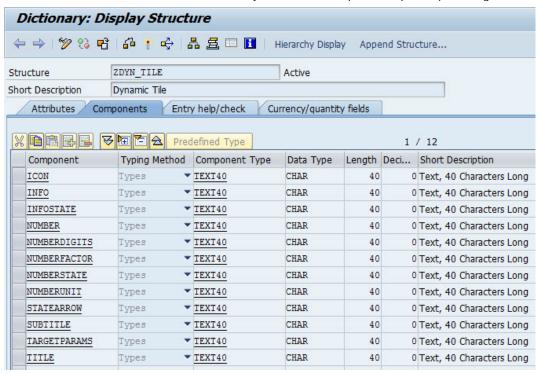
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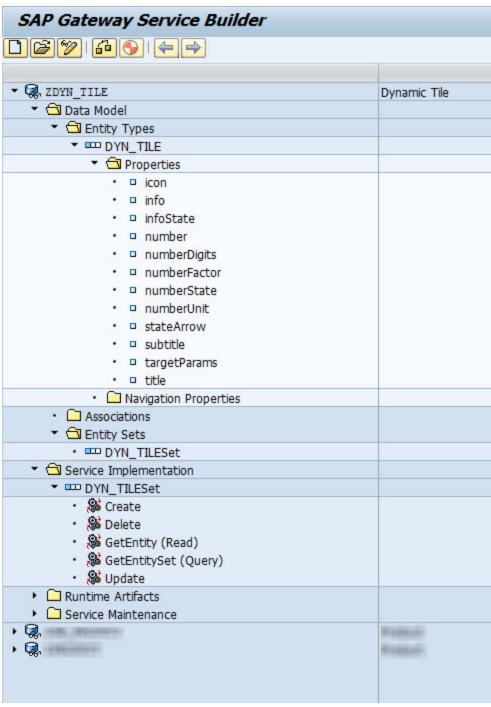
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Next I used the above structure to define DYN_TILE entity of ZDYN_TILE_SRV_01 OData Service



I also implemented GetEntity method of DYN_TILESet Entity Set

```
METHOD dyn tileset get entity.
2
       DATA: w numberFactor TYPE text40,
3
             w numberState TYPE text40.
4
       CONSTANTS: c numberUnit TYPE text40 VALUE 'CAD'.
5
6
7
           CASE IT KEY TAB[ name = 'title' ]-VALUE.
           WHEN 'EPM Products Value'.
             SELECT sum ( value )
10
             FROM zsnwd pd value ( p target currency = @c numberUnit,
11
                                  p exchange rate date = @sy-datum )
12
             INTO (@DATA(w value)).
13
             IF w value BETWEEN 100000000 AND 200000000.
14
15
               w numberState = 'Positive'.
16
17
               w numberState = 'Negative'.
18
             ENDIF.
19
20
             IF w value > 9999999999.
21
              w numberFactor = 'B'.
22
               w value = w value / 1000000000.
23
             ELSEIF w value > 9999999.
24
               w value = w value / 1000000.
25
               w numberFactor = 'M'.
26
             ELSEIF w value > 999.
27
               w_value = w_value / 1000.
28
               w numberFactor = 'M'.
29
             ENDIF.
30
31
             er entity = VALUE # ( icon
                                               = 'sap-icon://product'
32
                                           = CONV string( CONV i( w value ) )
                                  number
33
                                  numberDigits = '1'
34
                                  numberFactor = w numberFactor
35
                                  numberState = w numberState
36
                                  numberUnit = c_numberUnit
                                  subtitle = 'Value'
37
                                             = 'EPM Products' ).
38
                                  title
39
           WHEN 'EPM Products Rating'.
40
             SELECT count ( * ), sum( average rating )
41
             FROM zsnwd pd rating
             INTO (@DATA(w count), @DATA(w_rating) ).
42
43
             w rating = w rating / w count.
44
45
             IF w_rating >= 4.
46
             w_numberState = 'Positive'.
47
             ELSEIF w rating >= 3.
48
              w_numberState = 'Negative'.
49
             ELSEIF w_rating < 3.
50
               w_numberState = 'Critical'.
51
             ENDIF.
52
53
             er entity = VALUE # ( icon
                                               = 'sap-icon://product'
54
                                            = CONV string( w rating)
55
                                  numberDigits = '1'
56
                                  numberFactor = '*'
57
                                  numberState = w numberState
                                  numberUnit = 19tan1
```

```
subtitle = 'Rating'
title = 'EPM Products' ).

ENDCASE.

CATCH cx_sy_itab_line_not_found INTO DATA(itab_line_not_found).

ENDTRY.

ENDTRY.

ENDTRY.
```

Next created CDS views used in the method above

ZSNWD_PD_VALUE CDS View:

```
10 @AbapCatalog.sqlViewName: 'zepm pd value'
  2 @AbapCatalog.compiler.CompareFilter: true
  3 @AccessControl.authorizationCheck: #CHECK
  4 @EndUserText.label: 'EPM Product Value'
 5 define view zsnwd pd value
  6 with parameters
       p_target_currency: abap.cuky( 5 ),
       p_exchange_rate_date: abap.dats
 9 as select from Zsnwd Pd Stock inner join Zsnwd Pd(
 10 p target currency : $parameters.p target currency,
       p exchange rate date : $parameters.p exchange rate date )
       on Zsnwd Pd Stock.product id = Zsnwd Pd.product id {
 12
 13 Zsnwd Pd.product id,
14
     Zsnwd Pd.price,
15
       Zsnwd Pd Stock.quantity,
4
        cast( Zsnwd Pd.price * Zsnwd Pd Stock.quantity as abap.dec( 17, 2 )) as value
17 }
```

ZSNWD_PD_STOCK CDS View:

```
10 @AbapCatalog.sqlViewName: 'zepm_pd_stock'
2 @AbapCatalog.compiler.CompareFilter: true
3 @AccessControl.authorizationCheck: #CHECK
4 @EndUserText.label: 'EPM Product Strock'
5 define view Zsnwd_Pd_Stock as select from snwd_stock inner join snwd_pd
6 on snwd_stock.product_guid = snwd_pd.node_key {
7 snwd_pd.product_id,
8 sum( snwd_stock.quantity ) as quantity
9 } group by snwd_pd.product_id
10 having sum( snwd_stock.quantity) > 0
```

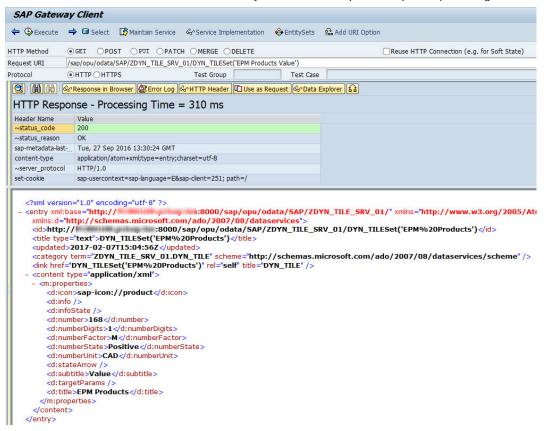
ZSNWD_PD CDS View:

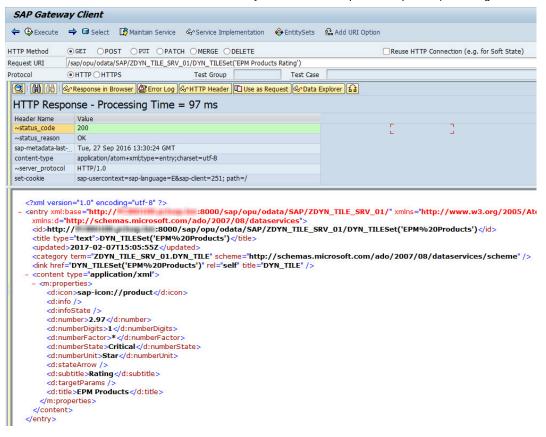
```
1⊖ @AbapCatalog.sqlViewName: 'ZEPM PD'
2 @AbapCatalog.compiler.CompareFilter: true
3 @AccessControl.authorizationCheck: #CHECK
4 @EndUserText.label: 'EPM Product'
5 define view Zsnwd Pd
      with parameters
      p target currency: abap.cuky( 5 ),
8 p exchange rate date: abap.dats
9 as select from snwd pd {
10 snwd pd.product id,
11 currency_conversion(
12 amount
                          => snwd pd.price,
13 source currency => snwd pd.currency_code,
14 target_currency => $parameters.p_target_currency,
15 exchange_rate_date => $parameters.p_exchange_rate_date,
16
      exchange_rate_type => 'M',
17
         error handling => 'SET TO NULL'
                                                         // otherwise data inconsist
18 ) as price
19 }
```

ZSNWD_PD_RATING CDS View:

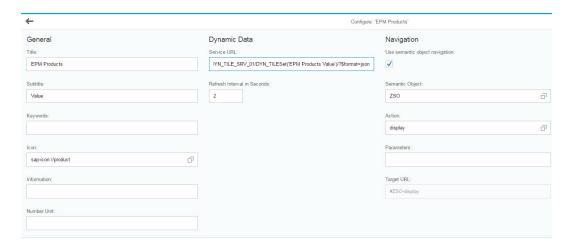
```
1 @@AbapCatalog.sqlViewName: 'ZEMP_PD_RATING'
2 @AbapCatalog.compiler.CompareFilter: true
3 @AccessControl.authorizationCheck: #CHECK
4 @EndUserText.label: 'EPM Product Rating'
5 define view Zsnwd_Pd_Rating as select from snwd_rev_head
6 inner join snwd_pd
7 on snwd_rev_head.entity_key = snwd_pd.node_key {
8 snwd_rev_head.average_rating,
9 snwd_pd.product_id
10 }
11 where snwd_rev_head.item_count > 0
```

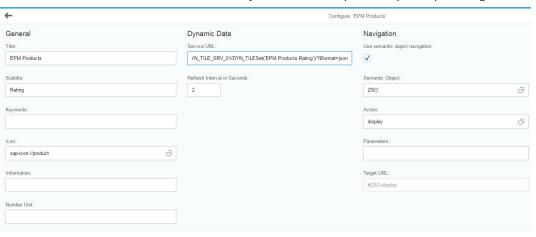
Tested ZDYN_TILE_SRV_01 OData Service for DYN_TILESet EntitySet GetEntity method for both keys: EPM Products Value and EPM Products Rating





And finally maintained EPM Products Value and EPM Products Rating Dynamic Tiles in Fiori Launchpad Designer





Service URLs for EPM Products Value Dynamic Tile:

/sap/opu/odata/SAP/ZDYN_TILE_SRV_01/DYN_TILESet('EPM Products Value')/?\$format=json

Service URL for EPM Products Rating Dynamic Tile:

/sap/opu/odata/SAP/ZDYN_TILE_SRV_01/DYN_TILESet('EPM Products Rating')/?\$format=json

Source code for this example can be downloaded from here:

ZDYN_TILE Structure

DYN_TILESET_GET_ENTITY Method

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Former Member February 15, 2017 at 2:36 am

Super blog . Very much useful .

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Former Member May 3, 2017 at 12:10 am

Nice blog! I have tried this and have a few differences in what I see.

Firstly, when I debug the GET_ENTITY code I find that IT_KEY_TAB is sending through 'lcon' as the name field and not 'Title' as was contained in the above code. Would like to understand if I am missing something in the setup for this to happen.

Additionally, is there any other code that needs to be put in place for the GET_ENTITYSET method to support this?

I have carried out the above however I still have an error appearing and there is no number. I get a HTTP request 404 error. The scenario I have is from SAP Cloud Platform (not using Gateway) so wondering if there is something different required. You can see in below screenshot that the number does come through to the entity no problems so I am thinking it is the actual tile set up itself.

I have entered the following in the tile config -

https://gwaas-*/odata/SAP/ZGWS_TPP_POCONF_DYNAM_SRV/DynamicDataSet('PO CONFIRMATION TEST')/? \$format=json

This is the error in the console.

ONFIRMATION TEST')/?\$format=json: HTTP request failed - 404 Not Found - sap.ushell.components.tiles.applauncherdynamic.DynamicTile

Thanks

Phil

```
▼<entry xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2005/Atom" xmlns:m="http://schemas.microsoft.com/ado/2007/08/dataservices/metadata"
 xmlns:d="http://schemas.microsoft.com/ado/2007/08/dataservices" xml:base="https:/
 ▼<id>
                                                                                 SRV/DynamicDataSet('sap-icon%3A%2F%2FFiori2%2FF0404')
     https://gwaas
   </id>
   <title type="text">DynamicDataSet</title>
   <updated>2017-05-02T23:51:14.506Z</updated>
   <category term=
                                                                  "http://schemas.microsoft.com/ado/2007/08/dataservices/scheme"/>
   <link href="Dyn</pre>
                                                                  rel="edit" title="DynamicData"/>
  ▼<content type="application/xml">
   ▼<m:properties>
       <d:Icon>sap-icon://Fiori2/F0404</d:Icon>
       <d:Info/>
       <d:Infostate>Positive</d:Infostate>
       <d:Number>20</d:Number>
      <d:Numberdigits>1</d:Numberdigits>
       <d:Numberfactor>*</d:Numberfactor>
       <d:Numberstate>Positive</d:Numberstate>
       <d:Numberunit>EA</d:Numberunit>
      <d:Statearrow/>
      <d:Subtitle>TEST</d:Subtitle>
      <d:Targetparams/>
      <d:Title>PO CONFIRMATION</d:Title>
     </m:properties>
   </content>
 </entry>
```

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Former Member
June 1, 2017 at 8:47 am

Thank you very much for the article. I can not manage this parameter to change the color of the tile.

infoState	The color of the tile is adapted according to the value of this property. The precise color depends on the theme that you have selected in UI theme designer.
	Allowed values: Negative, Neutral, Positive, Critical

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June 2, 2017 at 9:45 am

Vitaliy, please check that your system up to date on support packs. It should work.

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Former Member

June 2, 2017 at 12:36 pm

SAP Fiori launchpad for software component SAP_UI 751, Fiori 2.0, SAPUI5 version: 1.44.1

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Gregor Wolf M 🤣

September 24, 2018 at 8:12 am

Dear Uladzislau,

thank you for this great example. Maybe you can update your Git repository and use the abapGit format. It supports also DDLS.

Best regards Gregor

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Mykola Chekalov

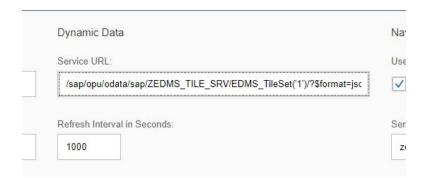
October 8, 2018 at 3:34 pm

Why doesn't it work?

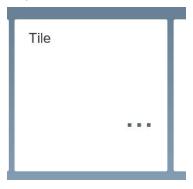
pic.1

```
- <content type="application/xml">
     - <m:properties>
          <d:Icon>sap-icon://product</d:Icon>
          <d:Info>EDMS single card</d:Info>
          <d:Infostate>Critical</d:Infostate>
          <d:Number> 0</d:Number>
          <d:Numberdigits>1</d:Numberdigits>
          <d:Numberfactor>M</d:Numberfactor>
          <d:Numberstate>Positive</d:Numberstate>
          <d:Numberunit>CAD</d:Numberunit>
          <d:Statearrow>Up</d:Statearrow>
          <d:Subtitle>Value</d:Subtitle>
          <d:Targetparams/>
          <d:Title>EDMS (Empty)</d:Title>
      </m:properties>
   </content>
</entry>
```

pic.2



pic.3



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Uladzislau Pralat | Blog Post Author October 9, 2018 at 10:36 am

Hi Mykola,

please check your entity key.

Regards, Uladzislau

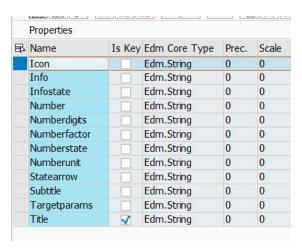
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Mykola Chekalov October 9, 2018 at 2:49 pm

I'm so sorry, but what do you mean?

I've chosen the key in my structure.



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Uladzislau Pralat | Blog Post Author

October 11, 2018 at 6:15 am

Mykola,

on your pic.1 OData Service Title property is equal to "EDMS (Empty)", but on pic. 2. you pass entity key "1" instead.

Regards, Uladzislau

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Appu John 🚟

October 19, 2020 at 10:01 am

HI Mykola Chekalov

the fields should be camelCase so Change the field name from "Numberstate" to "numberState"

"Tile" to "title". it should work after that.

Regards,

Appu John

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Thomas Schreiber

November 21, 2018 at 12:39 pm

I have the same problem. We are also on UI5 version 1.44. Aditionally, if the Infostate is not 'Neutral' the tile doesn't show any content value, only three dots '...'

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Appu John 🙅

October 19, 2020 at 10:06 am

Hi Thomas Schreiber,

please check if the field names are same . it should be camelCase.

regards,

Appu John

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Ramin Shafai

March 29, 2021 at 5:20 pm

Super useful blog, even after 4 years.

One question though, what's a safe **refresh interval** to use for updating dynamic tiles? I've set it to **2 seconds** as per your example, but is that not going to put a lot of performance grind on the Launchpad if you have multiple dynamic tiles?

Thanks

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Uladzislau Pralat | Blog Post Author

March 29, 2021 at 6:02 pm

Hi Ramin,

I usually take a conservative approach to keep performance impact at minimum setting refresh time something like every 1 hour (definitely longer than timeout). Users can refresh Fiori Launchpad at any time anyway.

Regards, Uladzislau

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Gianmarco Castañeda

June 24, 2021 at 1:12 am

Thank you very much for the publication. My question is the following: Is it possible to bring a lot of dynamic tiles from the GET_ENTITYSET method?

The URI: /sap/opu/odata/sap/ZGWART_RESURTIDOV1_SRV/EnTyTileSet?\$filter=Title eq 'Zona'

this brings me a lot of logs, but on the launchpad it only brings me a single tile

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June 26, 2021 at 12:22 am

Hi Gianmarco,

it is possible to fill with data multiple dynamic tile using the same OData Service. See my blog for details.

Regards, Uladzislau

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Stefan Thiemann

November 25, 2022 at 2:11 pm

Hi Uladzislau,

thanks for this nice blog post. Today I have implemented your solution from your book with the more generic get_entity method and it worked like a charm. I had the little hope, that the dynamic tile also works in combination with a variant which is safed as a tile.

For example I have created an OVP on quality notifications with a dynamic tile with the key figure for number of notifications with status open. Now I create a variant with plant = 4711 and safe the variant as a new tile. Is there any way that the filter values of the saved variant are considered for the key figure of the new tile?

Kind regards,

Stefan

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Uladzislau Pralat | Blog Post Author

November 25, 2022 at 8:29 pm

Hi Stefan,

I tried to fulfill similar requirements, but could not figured out a solution so far.

Regards, Uladzislau

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