



UNIT-e Tools for Reporting Services

Many users today expect to be able to access critical information from remote locations and whilst they're on the move. This raises challenges for providers in terms of both report design and distribution.

UNIT-e has always included a powerful and easily configured reporting solution and many customers make extensive use of this to deploy reports to the desktop via Crystal Reports or via the Internet using UNIT-e Internet Builder.

However the demands on the reporting functions of all institutions are growing both in terms of the volume and nature of the information required, and variety of users requesting it. Consumers may be administrative or academic staff, students, employers, partner organisations or other third parties. Each of these not only has their own requirements in terms of information, but also raises specific issues for the information provider such as;

- access
- security and audit
- saleability
- accessibility (DDA, W3C)

Microsoft has invested heavily in building tools and an infrastructure to deliver high volumes of interactive, user-customisable reports through a browser. UNIT-e Tools for Reporting exposes the data held in UNIT-e (including external tables) to reporting services without the need to recreate relationships, pick-list descriptions or masks and filters. Report designers can simply drag and drop fields from UNIT-e onto the form, labeled using the terminology they already understand. Reports can then be saved and publish.

Working together, UNIT-e and Microsoft Reporting Services offer a powerful web based reporting solution. Once built, reports can be;

- accessed via a browser
- linked together to allow drill-through
- embedded in SharePoint
- linked to existing web-based applications such as Columbus
- distributed via email

Key Benefits

- Create web-based reports with drill-through
- Distribute reports via the Internet or email
- Subscribe to reports to keep up to date
- Export reports to MS Word, MS Excel or PDF format
- Full UNIT-e security including masks and filters
- Allow end users to build ad-hoc reports
- Data models built in UNIT-e Information Interface can be exported to UNIT-e Reporting Services in a single click

Report Manager - Windows Internet Explorer
http://localhost/Reports/Pages/Report.aspx?ItemPath=%2fStudent+List

SQL Server Reporting Services
Home > **Student List**

Home | My Subscriptions | Site Settings | Help
Search for: Go

View Properties History Subscriptions

New Subscription

Surname Forenames

1 of 1 100% Find | Next Select a format Export

Students

Surname	Forenames	Date of birth
Smith	Charles	6/30/1985 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Charles	6/30/1985 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Charles	3/1/1980 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Howard	6/2/1998 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Kate	7/1/1980 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Mavis	9/1/1975 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Reginald	6/30/1985 12:00:00 AM
Smith	Shaun	6/2/1975 12:00:00 AM

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