



SAS User Group Presentation

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Agenda

- Options for Integrating SAS output into a Microsoft Office environment
- Overview of SAS Add-In for MS Office
- What's new at SAS
 - Service Pack 3
 - ETL Studio 3.3

Methods of 'integrating' with MS Office

- CSV
- ODS
 - xml & other tagsets
 - html (Excel can read tabular html output)
- DDE
- Access to PC File Formats
- SAS Enterprise Guide
- Add-In for Microsoft Office

Add-In for Microsoft Office

- Application plug-in written on the .NET platform
- Currently provides integration with Excel & Word
 - More features in Excel (based upon usage requirements)
- Does not require SAS to be installed on the PC
- Sold as part of:
 - SAS Business Intelligence Server
 - SAS Enterprise Business Intelligence Server

Features

- Data exploration / manipulation
- Execute SAS Stored Process
- SAS Analytical Tasks

- Communicates with the SAS Metadata Server

Demo!

New Features in AMO 2.1

- More SAS Tasks + New Wizards
- SAS Information Maps
- Using the BI repository:
 - Save Office documents to repository
 - Impact analysis in ETL Studio
- Powerpoint features
- SAS OLAP -> Pivot Table
- Improved UI & Layout capabilities
- Job control & scheduling

What's new

- Service Pack 3
- ETL Studio 3.3
- Enterprise Miner 5.2
- Forecast Server 1.2
- 2006 SASWare Ballot





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