SAS® Enterprise Guide® Options:

Let the Tools Work for You

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SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Introduction

- **Purpose**
  - Know your options
  - Make informed decisions

- **Environment**
  - SAS Enterprise Guide 4.1, SAS 9.1.3

- **User level**
  - Intermediate knowledge of SAS EG is assumed
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Introduction
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SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Categories

- Efficiency and Analysis
- Reporting
- Security
- Administration
- Visualization
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Efficiency and Analysis

- Include Project Name In Exported Filenames

Tools->Options->General
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Efficiency and Analysis

- Reset Docking Windows
  Tools->Options->General
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Efficiency and Analysis

- Data General - Recommendations

Tools->Options->Data-> Data General
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Efficiency and Analysis

- Maximum number of rows to scan as a preview when importing data
  Tools->Options->Data->Performance
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Efficiency and Analysis

- SAS procedure settings

Tools->Options->Tasks-> Tasks General

SAS procedure settings

- Use PROC SQL instead of PROC SORT for sorting in tasks
- Include SAS procedure titles in results

Filter unused variables:

Auto
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Reporting

- Result formats

Tools->Options->Results-> Results General
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Reporting

- Results viewer

Tools->Options->Results ->Viewer
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Reporting

- Default Library for Output Data

Tools->Options->Tasks-> Output Library
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Security

- Credentials Persistence

Tools->Options->Security
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Administration

- Repository and Server

Tools->Options->Administration-> Repository and Server
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Visualization

- Results Appearance

Tools->Options->Results-> HTML
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Visualization

- Default Titles and Footnotes

Tools->Options->Tasks-> Tasks General
SAS Enterprise Guide Options: Visualization

- SAS Program Enhanced Editor Options

Tools->Options->SAS programs->Editor Options
SAS Enterprise Guide Options:
Conclusion

- Institute uniform set up
  - Set organizational standards
- Increase productivity
  - Make decisions based on unique user situations
- Minimize new user frustrations
  - First impressions matter the most
SAS Enterprise Guide Options:
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