Advanced Web Intelligence Reporting R3

Web Intelligence is a query, reporting and analysis tool that allows report designers to access the data in their corporate databases directly from within Business Objects Enterprise InfoView and to present and analyse this information in a Web Intelligence document. This course is designed to give you the comprehensive skills needed to apply alternative query and reporting techniques when creating complex Web Intelligence documents. After completing this course, you will be able to combine queries and use sub-queries. You will also be able to use character and date string functions, create variables using "If" logic, redefine calculation contexts, as well as use advanced reporting techniques such as formatting breaks and using custom sorts.

This course is designed to teach you how to apply advanced reporting techniques in the creation of documents using Web Intelligence.

On completion, delegates will be able to:

- Use more advanced query techniques to request complex data sets.
- Manipulate character and date strings
- Use If…Then…Else logic to group data and change the behaviour of variables
- Use more advanced formatting techniques
- Change calculation behaviour using contexts

Who should attend?

The target audience for this course is report designers who are experienced Web Intelligence users and who need to create advanced Web Intelligence documents.

Prerequisites

Attendance on a BusinessObjects Web Intelligence report creation course, or at least 2 months extensive experience building Web Intelligence reports.

Practical work

Practical sessions will reinforce many of the topics covered and are used extensively throughout this course. These allow delegates to have direct hands-on practice using BusinessObjects Web Intelligence to build queries and reports, and perform analysis on retrieved data, in the training environment

Course Duration

1 day

Related and follow-on courses

None

Course Contents

Advanced Query Techniques

- Using combined queries
- Using sub-queries
- Creating a query based on another query

Character and Date String Functions

- Using the character string functions
- Concatenating different data types
- Using date functions

Using If Logic

- Grouping data using If() logic
- Using If() to modify calculation behaviour

Advanced Reporting Features

- Formatting breaks
- Creating custom sorts
- Displaying data in freestanding cells
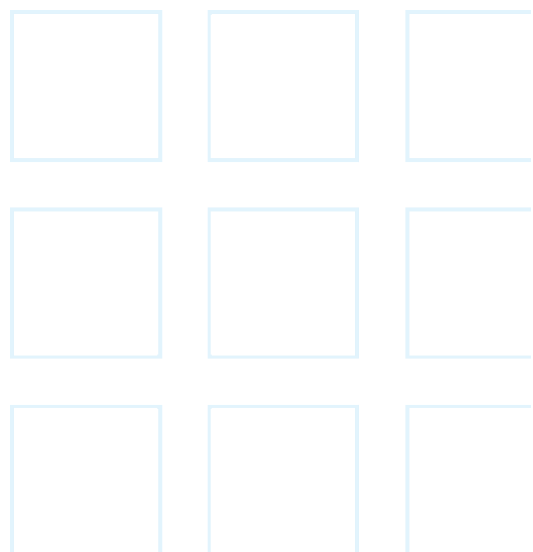- Overriding filters and ranking

Calculation Contexts

- Understanding calculation contexts
- Redefining the calculation context

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