PST117 Enterprise Reporting
PowerPlay
Classroom Handout

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Why are you here?

- PowerPlay cubes

You’ve Got the Power!

What you put in you can get out!
Objectives

By the end of this session, you will be able to:

- Gather meaningful financial and grants data for your unit. Examples:
  - Budget, revenue, and expenses
    - Year over year, month over month comparisons
    - Trend analysis

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By the end of this session, you will be able to:

- Explore and organize data using various techniques such as nesting, expanding, drill through, custom subsets, etc.

- Export reports to Excel-friendly formats for further data manipulation

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By the end of this session, you will be able to:

- Enhance your learning by leveraging help resources:
  - Reporting Services Staff
  - myUFL Toolkits
Demonstration

I'll show you a few things, and then we'll explore together.

Navigation

- myUFL Main Menu to:
  - Enterprise Reporting
  - Access Reporting

Your Canvas

- Think of yourself as a famous painter!
- The starting “picture” shows data for the entire university.
- You then refine your picture by adding the items that interest you.
3 Easy Ways to Gather the Same Info

- Vertical Dropdown folders
  - Financial Information Tool
  - All Accounts
  - All General Ledger
  - All Budget Information
- Horizontal Dropdown menus
  - All Accounts
  - All Dates
  - Accounting Period Type
  - Budget Period
  - All Departments
- Find Tool

Let’s Practice!

- Warning: There is no “Back Button” or “Undo Button” in PowerPlay!
- Let’s create a travel report!

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>General Ledger Actuals as values</th>
<th>2015 Q1</th>
<th>2015 Q2</th>
<th>2015 Q3</th>
<th>2015 Q4</th>
<th>YTD</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>771100 - IN STATE TRAVEL</td>
<td>1,259.11</td>
<td>2,159.55</td>
<td>4,572.60</td>
<td>303.89</td>
<td>8,366.15</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>771200 - OUT OF STATE TRAVEL</td>
<td>19,543.78</td>
<td>2,599.91</td>
<td>2,024.39</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>24,968.08</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Travel Expenses</td>
<td>20,872.89</td>
<td>4,759.46</td>
<td>7,397.99</td>
<td>383.89</td>
<td>33,334.23</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Drag and Drop Exercises

Using the Folders to Build Your Report

Exercise 1: Creating a Travel Report

1. Identify the question(s).
   What did my college (e.g. 34000000 – College-Dentistry) spend on travel, year to date?

2. Build the report.
   **Navigation**
   Public Folders > Financial Information > Financial Information Tool > UFLOR > UFLOR by Expense Account across Fiscal Years

   **Department**
   - Click the icon to open the All Departments folder.
   - Click the 34XXXXXX – College-Dentistry. Then drag and drop the folder to replace the existing rows. See below

   **Accounts**
   - Click the icon to open the All Accounts folder.
   - Click the Expenses folder.
   - Click the Other Operating Expenses folder.

![Diagram of report building process from All Departments to All Accounts to Expenses to Other Operating Expenses]

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• Click the **Travel Expenses** folder. Then drag and drop the folder to replace the existing columns.

![Image of financial information tool]

**Date**
- Click the icon to open the **All Dates** dimension.
- Right click the **YTD** level and click **Filter**. (This will ensure that only year-to-date data will display in the report.)

3. Click **Get Data**.

**EXAMPLE**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>General Ledger Actuals as values</th>
<th>7/1100 - IN STATE TRAVEL</th>
<th>7/1200 - OUT OF STATE TRAVEL</th>
<th>7/2000 - FOREIGN TRAVEL</th>
<th>Travel Expenses</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>34011XXX DN-DEAN’S OFFICE</td>
<td>63,618.70</td>
<td>65,059.38</td>
<td>12,379.47</td>
<td>141,057.55</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3403XXX DN-ORAL BIOLOGY</td>
<td>2,301.40</td>
<td>45,381.06</td>
<td>6,684.07</td>
<td>54,466.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3405XXX DN-OPERATIVE DENTISTRY</td>
<td>5,597.81</td>
<td>13,268.53</td>
<td>13,658.61</td>
<td>32,402.95</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3406XXX DN-COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS</td>
<td>86,938.63</td>
<td>48,007.99</td>
<td>6,357.38</td>
<td>143,305.90</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3407XXX DN-ORTHODONTICS</td>
<td>1,001.26</td>
<td>26,309.83</td>
<td>14,557.30</td>
<td>42,868.61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3408XXX DN-OSDS</td>
<td>5,516.93</td>
<td>45,428.15</td>
<td>1,732.17</td>
<td>52,677.52</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3411XXX DN-PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY</td>
<td>2,920.35</td>
<td>1,170.15</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>4,090.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3413XXX DN-ENDODONTICS</td>
<td>70.81</td>
<td>1,595.62</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>1,666.83</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3413XXX DN-PERIODONTICS</td>
<td>11,018.28</td>
<td>54,928.38</td>
<td>6,412.06</td>
<td>74,358.72</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

4. How much has DN-Oral Diagnostic Sciences spent on out of state travel year-to-date? Write your answer in the box below.

5. Save the report to your My Folders.
- Click the **Save As** icon on the bottom right-hand corner of the screen.
- In the Name field, enter **My College Travel YTD**.
- In the Description field, “Financial Information Tool – UFLOR” is entered for you. Do not remove it. After it, enter “Travel expenses by department for YTD.”
- Save your report to your My Folders.
  - Click the Select My Folders link.
  - Optional: Click the Select another location link to choose a subfolder within your My Folders.
  - Click the OK button.

**Personalize the Report:** Use your own department information and date range to run a similar report. Record an interesting piece of information in the box below.

- Click the Return to Source button to exit PowerPlay Web Explorer.

**Using the Find Tool to Build Your Report**

**Exercise 2: Use the Find Tool from the Help Menu**

1. Click on the My Folders tab. Then click the My College Travel YTD report to use as a starting point.

2. Click on the arrow next to the Help icon and select Find.


4. Change the Find Text In option box from Report to Cube.

5. Change the Dimension (think folder) to All Accounts.

6. Click Find.
7. Click on **732100** to select the item.

8. Click **Replace Columns**.

9. Which College of Dentistry department spent the least amount on office supplies year to date? Write your answer in the box below.

10. Save your report to your My Folders:
    - Name: Your choice
    - Description: Your choice

   **Personalize the Report**: Use your own department information and date range to run a similar report. Record an interesting piece of information in the box below.

11. Click the **Return to Source** button to exit PowerPlay Web Explorer.

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**Nesting Data**

- Nesting Data: Adding rows/columns of different data to include more detail on your canvas
- Drag-n-drop onto the “hot spots” or right click
Exercise 3: Create a Budget and Expense Report by DeptID, Fund, and Budget Reference

1. Identify the question(s): What are my Available Balances for my specific funds?

2. Build the report.

**Navigation**
Public Folders > Financial Information > Financial Information Tool > UFLOR > Financial Information Tool - UFLOR

**Nesting**
12. On the Dimension Line, click the icon to Turn **Wrapping On**.

**NOTE:** An easy way to think of the Dimension Line is to call it the “Blue Picker Bar.” This is where you can pick and choose information to display in your report.

13. Click on **All Dates** in the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar) and click **YTD**.

14. Click **All Departments** in the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar).

15. Navigate to your unit. Click, hold, and drag the selection to the left side of the first column until the blue hotspot appears. Then release your mouse.

**Example:**

```
General Ledger Actuals as values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>64300200 - FA-SHARED SERVICE CENTER - SSC</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Revenues</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Expenses</td>
<td>80,522.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>All Accounts</td>
<td>80,522.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
```

16. Let's do one more! Click, hold, and drag the **All Funds (by Ledger Group)** folder and place it to the right of the unit.

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General Ledger Actuals as values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>64300200 - FA-SHARED SERVICE CENTER - SSC</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Revenues</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Expenses</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>All Accounts</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
```
17. Now let’s **Nest** some data in the Column Headings! Click, hold, and drag the **All Budget References** folder below the column headings as shown below. Then release your mouse.

18. Notice the new layout: Budget Reference is now below the fiscal year quarters.

19. Whoops! We didn’t want to do that. Let’s **Swap** the column headings to have **Budget Reference** on top and **Fiscal Year Quarters** on the bottom. There are two ways to do this:

- Right click on the hotspot and select **Swap Up**.
20. I don’t like that either! Let’s just get rid of the Fiscal Year Quarters columns!

21. Click or right click on the hotspot and **Delete** the column headings.

Example:

```
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>General Ledger Actuals as values</th>
<th>2015 Q 1</th>
<th>CRONT - CURRENT BUDGET</th>
<th>CYFWD - CARRY FORWARD</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>64300200 - FA-SHARED SERVICE CENTER - SSC</td>
<td>APPROP</td>
<td>Revenues 0.00</td>
<td>0.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Expenses 0.00</td>
<td>212,462.73</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>All Accounts 0.00</td>
<td>212,462.73</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
```

**Expanding**

- Let’s expand the **Ledger Groups** rows into the actual **Funds**.

- Click the hotspot above the **APPROP** Ledger and then click the **Expand** button as shown below.

- By clicking the **Expand** icon you are adding a new row containing the next level of detail in that particular group of data. Your report now contains **APPROP** with the **Individual Funds** included next to it:
• Delete the column of individual funds you just added. Now let’s try this another way.

• Click the hotspot above the **APPROP** Ledger and then select the **Down a Level** icon.

• What looks different by doing it this way? The funds **replaced** the Ledger Group rows.

• You can also click on individual columns or rows to expand and filter based on the value selected. In your current report layout, click on **Expenses**.

Notice the new data contained is “**Down a Level**” from the value you clicked and now only shows **Expense** groups.
Reflect: Review the report and record an interesting piece of information about your department in the box below.

22. Click the Return to Source button to exit PowerPlay Web Explorer.
Measures Exercises

Understanding Your Unit’s Activities by Using Various Measures

Exercise 4: Create an Available Balance by Fund report

1. Build the report.

**Navigation**
Public Folders > Financial Information > Financial Information Tool > UFLOR > Financial Information Tool - UFLOR

**Nesting**

23. Turn **Wrapping On**.

24. Click on **All Dates** in the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar) and click **YTD**.

25. Click **All Departments** in the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar). Scroll to **19XXXXXX College of Engineering** and click it.

26. Click, hold, and drag the **All Funds (by Ledger Group)** folder to replace the existing rows.

- Open the **Measures** folder. Drag and drop the **Available Balance (AB)** folder to replace the existing column headings.
• Right click on the hotspot for the rows and click **Expand.**

![Example Layout](image)

**Example Layout:**

2. Note the amounts that make up the **Available Balance (AB)** columns for the College of Engineering. In the table below, write down **at least one full row of data** to use for comparison purposes later in this exercise.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Available Balance (AB)</th>
<th>AB KK Budget</th>
<th>AB GL Actuals</th>
<th>AB Commitments</th>
<th>AB Balance</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Insert fund here (e.g. 101):</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

3. Save to your My Folders area with the following filename: **All Funds Available Balance - Engineering.**

**Exercise 5: Create an Available Spending Authority (ASA) Report**

Now let’s replace the **Available Balance (AB)** measures with the **Available Spending Authority (ASA)** measures.

1. Use your All Funds Available Balance – Engineering report as a starting point.

2. Click **Available Balance (AB)** in the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar). Then click **Available Spending Authority (ASA).**

   **NOTE:** Another way to update your report is to drag and drop **Available Spending Authority (ASA)** on top of the **Available Balance (AB)** title in the report.

3. Note the amounts that make up the **Available Spending Authority (ASA)** columns for the College of Engineering. In the table below, write down **at least one full row of data** to use for comparison.
How do these amounts compare to what your recorded in the previous exercise?

4. Save to your My Folder with the filename: **All Funds Available Spending Authority – Engineering**.

**Personalize these Reports**: Use your own department information and date range to run similar reports. In the tables below, write down **at least one row of data** to use for comparison purposes.

### Available Spending Authority (ASA)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ASA KK Budget</th>
<th>ASA KK Actuals</th>
<th>ASA KK Total Encumbrances</th>
<th>ASA Balance</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Insert fund here (e.g. 101):</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Available Balance (AB)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>AB KK Budget</th>
<th>AB GL Actuals</th>
<th>AB Commitments</th>
<th>AB Balance</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Insert fund here (e.g. 101):</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Exercise 6: Create a Projected Payroll report.

1. Using any of your previous measures reports as a starting point, create the following report and save to your My Folders area:
   - **Measure**: Projected Payroll
   - **Department**: Your choice
   - **Date range**: Your choice
   - **Save As**: Your choice
2. Record at least two insights you gained as you built these three reports for your department and reviewed the data. Or record any questions you might have.

3. Click the **Return to Source** button to exit PowerPlay Web Explorer.
Using Dates

Relative Dimension:
Changes depending on when you open it.

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Easy Ways to Explore Your Data

A. Crosstab Style
B. Charts
C. Options
D. Swap Rows/Columns
E. Hide/Show
F. Calculations
G. Rank
H. Zero Suppression
I. 80/20 Suppression
J. Custom Exception Highlighting
K. Custom Subsets
L. Drill Through
M. Agent Mode-Not Used
N. File Export
O. Help

Custom Subsets

- Create your own groupings (Dept ID, Project, Fund, Account, etc.)
Custom Subset Exercises

Including specific grouping/values in your report layout

Exercise 7: Create an Available Balance report for a subset of funds

1. Identify the question(s): What are my Available Balances for my specific funds?
2. Build the report.

Navigation
Public Folders > Financial Information > Financial Information Tool > Cash Funds > FIT - UFLOR Cash by Fund (LTD Current Month)

- Turn Wrapping On.
- Click All Departments and replace the first column with your unit/college.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>MEASURES as values</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6201XXXX HR-HR ADMINISTRATION</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- Create a Custom Subset for Funds 171, 158 and 175. Click the Custom Subset button and make the following adjustments:
  - Name the subset My Cash Funds.
  - Change the Dimension (think Folder) to Cash Funds by Fund Type.

- Click the Next button.

- From the Available Categories, locate/select the following funds and click the right arrow to put them in the Results Set window:
  - 171 – TRFS FR COMPONENTS
  - 158 – SUPPORT UNIT SERVICES FUNDS
• Click the **Finish** button. Your report now *only* shows the custom subset of data you selected:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>6261XXX HR-HR ADMINISTRATION</th>
<th>171 - TFRS FR COMPONENTS</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>158 - SUPPORT UNIT SERVICES FUNDS</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>175 - UF STRATEGIC FUND NONRESEARCH</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>My Cash Funds</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

3. What is the collective available balance for these funds for your unit/college? Write your answer below.

4. Notice that when you create a custom subset, it appears in the folder structure on the left side of your screen and the Dimension Line (Blue Picker Bar)!
• To edit your custom subset, right click on the folder version and click **Edit**.

5. Save this report to your **My Folders** area.

6. Now let’s export the report to an Excel-friendly file format.

7. Click the **File** icon at the bottom of the screen. Then click **Export CSV**.

8. When prompted, click the **Open** option to review the .CSV file. Then save the file to your computer.

9. Click the **Return to Source** button to exit PowerPlay Web Explorer.
Drill Through Exercise

Exercise 8: Drilling into the transactions behind a travel report

1. Identify the question(s).
   What are the transactions behind the numbers in my travel report?

2. Start with the My College Travel YTD report in your My Folders area.

3. Select any value in your report. Example:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>General Ledger Actuals as values</th>
<th>771100 - IN STATE TRAVEL</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>3401XXX DN-DEAN'S OFFICE</td>
<td>63,618.70</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3403XXX DN-ORAL BIOLOGY</td>
<td>2,501.40</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3405XXX DN-OPERATIVE DENTISTRY</td>
<td>5,597.81</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3406XXX DN-COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS</td>
<td>88,939.63</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

4. Click on the Drill Through icon.

5. Select Source Transaction Detail - UFLOR. Then click OK.

   This will produce an Excel file that shows the individual travel transactions behind the summary amount listed in your report.
6. Record an interesting piece of data you found when using this Drill Through method.

**Personalize the Activity**: Use the same drill through technique for one of the personalized reports you saved in your My Folders. Record an interesting piece of data you found when using this Drill Through method.

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**Scavenger Hunt**

Using the skills you learned in today’s class, build reports that answer the following questions. Record your answers in the space provided.

1. What is the total Travel Expenses for IFAS Soil and Water Department, for FY2014? Dept ID: 6021XXXX?

2. How much money has AG-Horticulture Sciences spent on Graduate Assistants in 2014? Dept ID: 6023XXXX

3. What is the name of the Foundation Fund for F008773 in the DeptID 3206XXXX for 2015?

4. Come up with your own question(s) and find the answers using PowerPlay.
Need Reporting Help?

- Not finding the data you need?
- Having trouble?
- Reporting Services can help!
- reporting-services@ufl.edu

Additional Great Resources!

- myUFL Toolkits
  - Web Simulations
  - Instruction Guides
  - Security Roles
  - Training
  - Contact Information
  - Other Helpful Information

- There are three toolkits dedicated to Enterprise Reporting:
  - Enterprise Reporting Basics
  - PowerPlay
  - Query Studio

Additional Reporting Training

- PST910 Reporting Basics
- PST130 Reconciliation
- PST912 Reporting: Query Studio

All are available in the classroom and online!