

FAQ: How to set up your report for Bursting

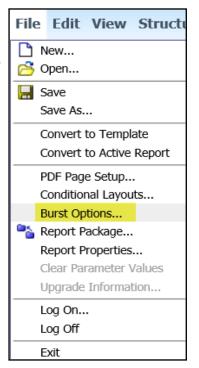
Run a report once, and send specific subset of data to many



■ □ How to set your report up for bursting

Once your report is ready for bursting, make sure you have the recipient name, ID, and email address fields within the final output query.

1. Enable for bursting. From the Report File menu, select *Burst Options*

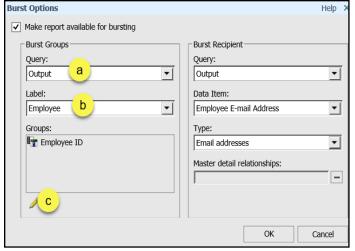


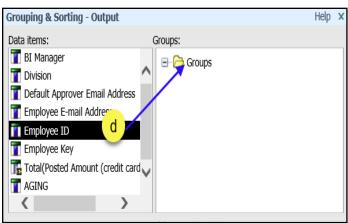


WHAT IS BURSTING?

- » Bursting is the process of running a report once and then dividing the results for recipients who each view a subset of the data.
- » For example, salespeople in different regions each need a report showing the sales target for their country or region. You use burst reports to send each salesperson only the information they need.
- » Burst reports can be distributed by email or saved to a folder for viewing.



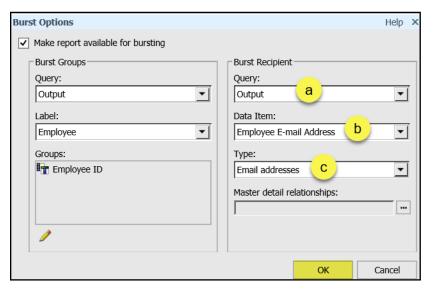




- 2. Click checkbox for *Make report available for* bursting
- 3. In the Burst Groups section, determine how the report will be split
 - a. Select the query containing the burst information
 - b. From the *Label* dropdown menu, select a field how you want your burst output to appear in Intelligence report history. For example, if bursting to employee, you would want to select the employee name
 - c. Under the Groups box, click Edit button
 - d. Drag the unique identifying data item from the left, drop it onto the Groups folder on the right. For example, if bursting on employee, use the Employee ID
 - e. Click OK



The burst recipient side determines how the report is sent



- Query dropdown menu select your final query
- b. Data Item dropdown menu select the recipient *Email Address*
- c. Type dropdown menu select *Email Addresses*
- d. Click OK



I→□→□ How to test your bursted report

Once you have the report set up to burst, follow these instructions to test the report as it will be bursted.

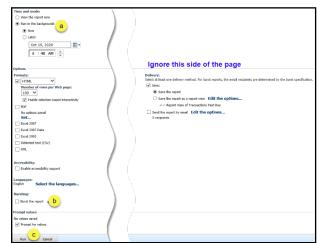


In Intelligence, find the report you are bursting, and then click the Run with Options icon



Select Advanced Options





- a. Select Run in the background
- b. Check Burst the report
- c. Click Run

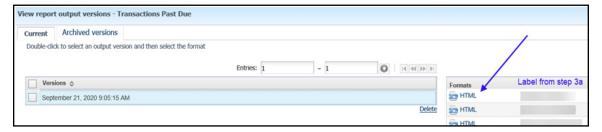
Back on the Intelligence page, click Refresh



Click the View output versions icon

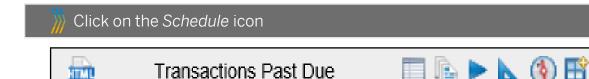


Click on the HTML link to view what will be sent to that recipient

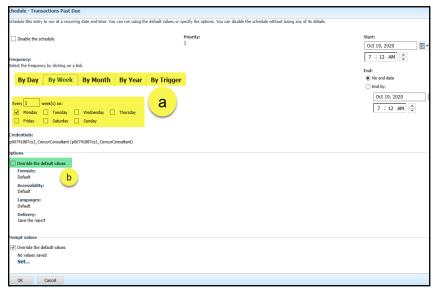


■-□-□ Burst the report to the recipients automatically

If your burst enabled report does not require you to change the prompt options each time you run it, you can follow the below steps to schedule the report.

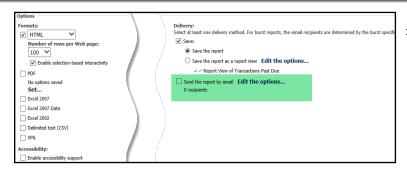


Set up when you want the report to run automatically



- a. Complete the highlighted areas.
- b. Check Override the default values box
- c. Add email recipients

Email the report to the recipients



- To email the report to the recipients, check the appropriate box under the *Delivery section* and Update the Subject Line, Email Body and check 'Attach the report' (green highlight)
- » Click OK when completed

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